

WARBY RANGE BUSHWALKERS Inc.

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If the walk leader(s) cannot be contacted to book into a walk, phone Jeanette, 0417 546 974; or Michael, 0447 617 880.

If a walk needs to be cancelled (for example, due to weather) an alternative walk will be offered where possible.

AWTGS = Australian Walking Track Grading System (see under 'Walks Program' on website for details)

Walks Program: January, February, March 2025

Day/Date	What's on	Grade	Contact
Friday, 20 th December	WRBI Christmas party at 6pm, Bowmans-Murmungee Memorial Hall, 6 Nearys Lane, Murmungee		BYO BBQ, contact Marita, at 0427 521 122, to book in; bring either a salad or sweet to share.
Saturday, 4 th January	Lake Sambell to Lake Kerferd	Е	Jeanette, 0417 546 974
Friday, 10 th January	Yackandandah Moonlight Walk	E & M	Karen, 0409 215 286
Sunday, 19 th January	Myrtleford Trails	E	Erin, 0419 200 998
Friday, 7 th to Sunday, 9 th February	Weekend at Mount St Bernard Lodge	E, M & H	Adrian, 0470 403 875 to book in.
Sunday, 23 rd February	Beechworth Tree Walks	E	Erin, 0419 200 998
Wednesday, 26 th February	Ovens River and One Mile Creek		Andy, 0439 209 749
Wednesday, 5 th March	Stanley Village	E	Greg, 0407 868 070
Sunday, 9 th March	Havilah, near Porepunkah	E/M	Marita, 0427 521 122
Sunday, 23 rd March	Mt Buffalo Plateau, Mt Dunn and the Monolith.	м	Michael, 0447 617 880
Saturday, 29 th to Saturday, 5 th April	Week Away - Anglesea		
Monday, 10 th February	General Meeting, 7.00pm		Michael, 0447 617 880
Monday, 17 th March	AGM at the Wangaratta Club; 6.00pm		Details TBA

Saturday, 4th January. Lake Sambell to Lake Kerferd, Beechworth. Jeanette, 0417 546 974

An easy return walk of approx 10k on bush tracks from Lake Sambell through tall eucalypt forests, and an old mining area featuring many disused mining shafts, enroute to Lake Kerferd. [AWTGS 3].

Friday, 10th January. Yackandandah Moonlight Walk, Yackandandah. Karen, 0409 215 286

An easy walk of approx 6.5k, or an easy/medium return walk of approx 13k along a new section of rail trail between Yackandandah and Osbornes Flat. The trail follows alongside the Yackandandah Creek, and is mostly within the Recreation Reserve. A good surface, slightly undulating, with about 50m difference in elevation from one end to the other. BYO picnic tea, and a torch. [AWTGS 2]

Sunday, 19th January. Myrtleford Trails. Erin, 0419 200 998

One of the most level walks you can find, an easy walk of approx 10k on the Old Ovens Highway, and rail trail, then following the Mosaic Trail by the Ovens River for some interesting street art. [AWTGS 2]

Friday, 7th to Sunday, 9th February. Weekend at Mount St Bernard Lodge. Adrian, 0470 403 875 <u>ahtwitt@gmail.com</u> Text, phone or email prior to Christmas to ensure a place.

A weekend in the High Country at Mt St Bernard Lodge. Contact Adrian for a fact sheet with further information re the accommodation, location and what to bring etc, and to book in. The cost for participants at the lodge is \$36 pp per night, plus shared food costs of \$12. The shared food will include milk (varieties), butter/margarine tea and coffee, plus nibbles and two course meal on Saturday evening. Therefore the full charge is \$84 per person. Arrival at the lodge is from 3pm.

Payment should be made to Warby Range Bushwalking Club, by Monday, January 12th.

Friday: Short walk to Mount Smythe, departing from the Mount St Bernard Lodge at 4pm. [AWTGS 3]

Saturday, all walks start/finish at Mount Loch car park: Easy walk: Derrick Hut, approx 8.5k; Medium walk: Derrick Hut and Mount Loch, approx 10k; Hard walk: The Huts Walk, approx 15k. [AWTGS 3]

Sunday, all walks at Dinner Plain: Easy walks: Carmichael Falls 1.5k; Dead Timber and Room with a View Tracks, approx 5k;. Medium walk: Tabletop Walk, approx 10k. [AWTGS 3]

Sunday, 23rd February. Beechworth Tree Walks. Erin, 0419 200 998

Join in on the Eucalyptus, Ha-ha Wall and White Oak walks at Mayday Hills, Beechworth. A shady walk of approx 6k in the 27 acre parklike grounds, with exotic trees and shrubs, set against a backdrop of magnificent native trees. [AWTGS 2]

Wednesday, 26th February. Ovens River and One Mile Creek. Andy, 0439 209 749

An easy walk of approx 8k alongside the Ovens River taking in Sydney Beach, Mullinmur, and the northern beaches, then alongside One Mile Creek to Mitchell Avenue. [AWTGS 2]

Wednesday, 5th March. Stanley Village. Greg, 0407 868 070

An easy walk of approx 6k, exploring the history of Stanley village, including a visit to the Stanley Athenaeum (gold coin donation). Lots of stopping to point out places of interest, picturesque views from the outskirts of the village, a little bit of up and down of 100m. [AWTGS 2]

Sunday, 9th March. Havilah. Marita, 0427 521 122

An easy to medium walk at Havilah, situated between Porepunkah and Rosewhite; the walk itself is in the forest behind Mount Porepunkah (from the direction of Porepunkah). We'll walk along an unsealed small country road, which meanders first through farmland on one side, and native bush on the other, then into the bush where the road becomes more of a track. The entire walk is in the shade of the forest. The first section of the walk is flat, and then it's a steady, but gentle uphill walk until we turn around, and walk back down to the start. The total distance will be 12k, but it can be shortened by turning around earlier. The ascent and descent is 222 m for the full walk, but less if you turn around earlier. [AWTGS 3]

Sunday, 23rd March. Mt Buffalo Plateau, Mt Dunn and the Monolith. Michael, 0447 617 880

A medium walk of approx 13k that visits two of the most striking features of the central Buffalo Plateau. The walk also includes the eastern banks of Lake Catani, and the option of Echo Point for views over the valley. [AWTGS 3]