



# WARBY RANGE BUSHWALKERS Inc.

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## Walks Program: April, May, June 2025

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)

Day/Date	What's on	Grade	Contact
Monday, 17 <sup>th</sup> March	AGM, Wangaratta Club, 6pm for dinner, 7pm meeting		RSVP to Marita at 0427 521 122 by Monday, 10 <sup>th</sup> March
Saturday, 29 <sup>th</sup> to Saturday, 5 <sup>th</sup> April	Week Away – Anglesea, from Saturday 29/3/25 - Saturday 5/4/25, and will be based at the Anglesea Family Caravan Park, 35 Cameron Road. Anglesea.		See our website for more details.
Thursday, 10 <sup>th</sup> April	Lower Ovens Wildlife Reserve	E	Andy, 0439 209 749
Sunday, 13 <sup>th</sup> April	Myrtleford to Gapsted, Stanley State Forest	M	Marita, 0427 521 122
Saturday, 26 <sup>th</sup> April	Yackandandah Creek	E & E/M	Karen, 0409 215 286
Saturday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	<i>Get together with Benalla Bushwalking Club at Gehrig's, Oxley. Bookings are essential for catering purposes. Wine, tea, coffee and plates of nibbles/sweets will be provided.</i>		<i>Sandi, 0439 552 152 Book in by Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> April</i>
Saturday, 10 <sup>th</sup> May	Kangaroo Hill, Eldorado	M/H	Jeanette, 0417 546 974
Tuesday, 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Native Dog Peak	E/M	Lesley, 0439 776 687
Sunday, 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Lake William Hovell to Top Crossing Hut	M	Michael, 0447 617 880
Sunday, 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Cherry and Canyon Walks, Bright	E	Erin, 0419 200 998
Wednesday, 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Salisbury Falls, Mount Warby and Wenham's Camp	M	Michael, 0447 617 880
Saturday, 21 <sup>st</sup> June	Sugarloaf Walk, Woolshed Valley	M	Lesley, 0439 776 687
Friday, 12 <sup>th</sup> to Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> September	Weekend at Yea, with walks in the Murrindindi Scenic Reserve	E, M & H	Michael, 0447 617 880
Monday, 5 <sup>th</sup> May 7.00pm.	General meeting		Michael 0447 617 880

**Thursday, 10th April. Lower Ovens Wildlife Reserve. Andy, 0439 209 749.**

An easy stroll of about 7km on the Ovens/Murray floodplain, mainly north of the Murray Valley Highway. We will be visiting the Lower Ovens Wildlife Reserve, plus the place close to where our special heritage Ovens River combines with the much larger Murray River, and Lake Mulwala. [AWTGS-2]

**Sunday, 13th April. Myrtleford to Gapsted, Stanley State Forest. Marita, 0427 521 122**

This medium walk starts at the outskirts of Myrtleford, and meanders along bush tracks skirting the edge of Stanley State Forest towards Gapsted. There are areas where views of the surrounding hills, and mountain ranges, can be seen.

At the beginning of the walk, we'll be walking out in the open, but then for the rest of the walk we'll be in the shade, and that's for the majority of the walk. The full walk is 12km, with 218m ascent, 240m descent. Shorter versions can be completed, by turning around at any time, and walking back to the starting point. The full walk requires car shuffling. [AWTGS-3]

**Saturday, 26th April. Yackandandah Creek. 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 the rail trail between Yackandandah and Osbornes Flat. The trail leads 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. [AWTGS-2]

**Saturday, 10th May. Kangaroo Hill, Eldorado. Jeanette, 0417 546 974**

A choice of two walks. A medium to hard loop walk of approximately 14k from Eldorado township to Reedy Creek, and into Chiltern Mount Pilot National Park. Following gravel roads, bush tracks and a short, steep, rough, and rocky scramble over a partly eroded bush track enroute to the top of Kangaroo Hill for excellent views, then back down to a creek crossing. Some minor waterfalls, if there's been enough rain.

A shorter option of approx 11k excludes the climb up Kangaroo Hill. Both walks include a creek crossing, so BYO spare footwear, and poles. [AWTGS-3]

**Tuesday, 20th May. Native Dog Peak, Eldorado. Lesley, 0439 776 687**

An easy/medium walk of approx 11km mostly on relatively flat 4WD gravel track, with a short section off track to the rocky lookout at Native Dog Peak. Excellent views along the Woolshed Valley. [AWTGS-3]

**Sunday, 25th May. Lake William Hovell to Top Crossing Hut. Michael, 0447 617 880**

A medium walk of approx 15k on gravel road beside the shores of Lake William Hovell, and bush tracks, following the King River to Top Crossing Hut, Wabonga. There is a couple of river crossings involved, so bring along spare shoes, and poles. [AWTGS-3]

**Sunday, 8th June. Cherry and Canyon Walks, Bright. Erin, 0419 200 998**

Two popular easy walks along the Ovens River at Bright. The walks are approx 5k each, and follow the Ovens River on both sides with bridge crossings. Total walking approx 10k. [AWTGS-2]

**Wednesday, 11th June. Salisbury Falls, Mount Warby and Wenham's Camp. Michael, 0447 617 880**

A medium walk of approx 12k in the Warby Ovens NP. Starting at Salisbury Falls, to Mount Warby then Wenham's Camp, and return. [AWTGS-3]

**Saturday, 21st June. Sugarloaf Walk, Woolshed Valley. Lesley, 0439 776 687**

A medium walk of approx 9k, on fire trails in the Woolshed Valley, with a great view from Mount Sugarloaf in Chiltern-Mount Pilot NP. The track is steep, and a bit washed out in parts. [AWTGS-3]

**Friday, 12th to Sunday 14th September. Murrindindi Scenic Reserve. Michael, 0447 617 880**

A weekend staying at the Yea Riverside Caravan Park, and walking in the Murrindindi Scenic Reserve, with a mix of easy, medium and hard walks.

Book your own accommodation, or camp site, at the Yea Riverside Caravan Park: 03 5797 2972. Register your interest with Michael at 0447 617 880.