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# WALKS PROGRAM, OCTOBER – DECEMBER 2021

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, an alternative walk will be offered where possible.

AWTGS- = Australian Walking Track Grading System : see under 'Walks Program' on website for details.

Day/Date	Walk	Grade	Leader
Saturday, 25 <sup>th</sup> September	Dinner at the Wangaratta Club		Chris, 0418 503 802
Saturday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> October Sunday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Warby Ranges, North to South, over two days, plus other short walks. [AWTGS-3]	E, M & H	Andy: text message 0439 209 749
Sunday, 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Beechworth Historic Park, Woolshed Falls, and/or a loop walk. [AWTGS-3]	м	Michael, 0447 617 880
Mid-week October Thursday, 21 <sup>st</sup>	Killawarra area, WONP; choice of three easy walks. [AWTGS-2]	м	Chris, 0418 503 802
Friday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> October to	Weekend at Typo Station. Walk to Mt	E, M &	Geoff, 0418 530 242 or
Sunday, 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Cobbler, and other short and easy walks, or a hard walk. [AWTGS-3]	н	bushydinning@gmail.com
Mid-week November Tuesday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> November	Cup Day Walk. Thistle Hill, King Valley. [AWTGS-3]	E/M	Anne: text message 0409 208 218
Saturday, 6 <sup>th</sup> November	South Walk, Mt Buffalo NP. [AWTGS-3]	E	Jeanette, 0417 546 974
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> - Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Federation Walks, Licola		See fedwalks.org.au
Sunday, 21 <sup>st</sup> November	Mt Jack from Rosewhite Gap. [AWTGS-3]	M & H	Marita, 0427 521 122
Sunday, 5 <sup>th</sup> December	Stanley State Forest. [AWTGS-3]	ЕМН	Marita, 0427 521 122
Mid-week December Friday, 10th December	Beechworth Gorge Ramble. [AWTGS-3]	м	Lesley, 0439 776 687
Friday, 17 <sup>th</sup> Saturday, 18 <sup>th</sup> & Sunday, 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Weekend camp at Harrietville; The Razorback, Mount Feathertop and Bungalow Spur; an easy walk on Sunday. [AWTGS-3 and 2]	EH	Chris, 0418 503 802
Monday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> November at 7:30pm.	General Meeting		Michael, 0447 617 880
Saturday, 11 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Party at 6pm, Bowmans-Murmungee Memorial Hall, 6 Nearys Lane, Murmungee		Sandie, 0421 657 440 BYO BBQ, contact Sandie to book in; bring either a salad or sweet to share.

## Saturday, 2<sup>nd</sup> -and Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> October, Warby Ranges, North to South, plus a short walk. Andy: text message 0439 209 749

A weekend in the Warby's with an opportunity to walk the Warby Range north to south, plus other short walks available. A chance to celebrate, albeit belatedly, the 40 years of the WRBI, and the 'greenlisting' of WONP at completion of the walks. The flowers (and birds etc) this year will be exceptional in spring according to several ecologists. **[AWTGS-3]** 

## Saturday, 2<sup>nd</sup> October: Killawarra to Wenhams, Warby's North to South.

This is the first leg of walking the Warby's from north to south. A hard walk approx 19k starting at the northern end of the Warby's at Killawarra, a mostly undulating walk, following forest roads and bush tracks, visiting Mt Killawarra and Spring Creek picnic area, before heading to Ryans Lookout, then via Loggers Lane and Taylors Track to Wenhams Camp for an overnight camp.

or Grasstree Loop, WONP. A medium loop walk of approx 12k, passing through many colonies of grasstrees, lots of wattle and rocky scenery. This walk starts and finishes at Wenhams Camp, and takes in Mt Warby.

## Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> October: Wenhams Camp to Morgans Lookout at Mt Glenrowan, Warby's North to South.

This is the second leg of walking the Warby's from north to south. A hard walk of approx 18k mostly on walking tracks and forest roads, mostly undulating, with a short steep ascent to the towers, following Ridge Track to Mt Glenrowan, and a long descent off track through the bush to reach Morrisons Winery. Views from Mt Warby, Mt Glenrowan, and several areas along the ridge. Option to visit Chick Hill enroute will make this a 20k walk.

#### or Taminick Gap to Mt Glenrowan Ridge Track.

A steep start at the Taminick Gap Road end to the towers; this short easy to medium walk of approx 7k leads along the Ridge Track to Morgan's Lookout at Mt Glenrowan, then descends through the bush to Morrisons Winery. Bring along the walking poles for the descent to the winery. Option to visit Chick Hill enroute will make this a 9k walk.

#### Sunday, 17th October. Beechworth Historic Park, Woolshed Falls. Michael, 0447 617 880

A choice of two medium walks in the Beechworth Historic Park of the local historic features, and to Woolshed Falls. That is, a short walk of approx 8k to the historic features, or continue on to Woolshed Falls for a medium walk of approx 14k. [AWTGS-3]

#### Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> October. Killawarra area, WONP. Chris, 0418 503 802

A day of three easy walks in the Warby Ovens National Park, 4km, 4km and 2km – do them all, or choose one or two. [AWTGS-2]

#### Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> - Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> October. Weekend at Typo Station. Geoff, 0418 530 242 or <u>bushydinning@gmail.com</u>

A weekend at Typo Station, Rose River, with easy, medium and a hard walk (approx 15k). Activities include a walk of approx 10k to Mt Cobbler for some of the best alpine views in Victoria. **[AWTGS-3]** 

Typo Station provides self-catering bunkhouse accommodation in expansive park like grounds. Accommodation cost is determined by the number attending; for example, 20 participants approx \$85 pp for the weekend, including a shared dinner on Saturday night. Contact Geoff at <u>bushydinning@gmail.com</u> for further details of what's on, and what to bring.

## Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> November. Cup Day Walk, Thistle Hill, King Valley. Text message Anne, 0409 208 218

An easy to medium walk of approx 10k along the western ridgeline of the King Valley. The walk is through forest, and open grasslands, with some steep sections. Views to Mt Cobbler, Mt Buffalo, the King and Ovens Valleys. All of this will be followed by a "get-together" at a local winery. **[AWTGS-3]** 

## Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> November. South Buffalo Track, Mt Buffalo. Jeanette, 0417 546 974.

An easy walk of approx 8k along a bush track from Cresta Valley, initially climbing a ridge, then meandering through snowgum meadows and small snow plains, past The Tombstones, and on to the South Buffalo viewpoint. Fantastic views. **[AWTGS-3]** 

## Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> November. Mt Jack Track from Rosewhite Gap. Marita, 0427 521 122

Short, medium and hard options, on a bush track with the steepest section at the start. A steady climb to Mt Jack meandering through mature native forest with views toward Rosewhite, Ovens Valley, Mt Buffalo, Kiewa Valley, Mt Bogong. The longest and hardest option is a loop of 16km, with ascent/descent of 833m. The shorter and medium options are both return walks. A walk to the highest point is 11km return, with 384m ascent/descent. Shorter options are to any point, and then turn around. A car shuffle option is also possible, subject to the weather; approx 10km with 295m ascents, 450m descents, including beyond the highest point of the track, and down to a creek. **[AWTGS-3]** 

#### Sunday, 5th December. Stanley State Forest. Marita, 0427 521 122

Walks in the Stanley State Forest region near Mt Stanley. The walk is along various bush roads in natural bush, pine plantations and farmland. Views of the distant valleys and hills. Options of a short, 5km and 115m ascent/descent. A medium walk of 9km with 335m ascent/descent. A long option of 13.5k with 370m ascent/descent. [AWTGS-3]

#### Friday, 10th December. Beechworth Gorge Ramble. Lesley, 0439 77 66 87

A medium walk of approx 8 km in the gorge area of Beechworth Historic Park. We will take in the Spring Creek Cascades, The Precipice, Fiddes Quarry and Ingrams Rock. Mostly on made walking tracks, with good views over Woolshed Valley. [AWTGS-3]

## Friday, 17th to Sunday 19th December. Weekend camp at Harrietville. Chris, 0418 503 802

Camping at Harrietville caravan park (book your own accommodation). A hard walk of approx 22k along The Razorback to Federation Hut, and Mt Feathertop, then a descent down the Bungalow Spur track back to Harrietville. **[AWTGS-3]** 

An easy walk on the Sunday [AWTGS-2].