

# Calendar of Events February 2024

**\*\* It is important for all activity participants to register via text or phone call to the nominated Trip Leader, at least 2 days prior to the activity. It may be necessary to change details of the event at short notice and this enables the leader to ensure that all registered participants are notified about any change.**

- The Club Facebook page often contains additional impromptu walks and activities.
- Additional details and descriptions of events will be provided in the Club newsletter as the event nears.

FEB				
Thurs 1st	Club BBQ by the lake. 6.00 Edward VII Pavilion. Windmill Dve			
Sunday 4th	Scenic Rim Walk. Lerderberg State Park. Start from McKenzies Flat Picnic Area just outside Bacchus Marsh.	Gr 4	Carolyn	
Tues 6th	St Georges Lake, Creswick. Meet at Lake, off Melbourne Road. 9.45 am Bring gear for water activities if it is a hot day. Swimmers, Kayaks etc.	Gr 2	Chris	
Tues 13th	Woovookarung Wobble. Meet at Playground in Hermitage Ave Mt Clear. 9.45. am. Bring chair, cuppa and lunch/snack	Gr 2	Denise	
Thurs 15th	Twilight walk from St Georges Lake Creswick. Meet at St Georges Lake car park at 5.00. Followed by picnic tea.	Gr 2	Geoff	
Sat 17th	Historic Walk Lal Lal. Meet at Lal Lal Falls Hotel. 4.00 pm. Followed by BBQ at Lal Lal Hall to celebrate <b>Mary and Ian's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary !!!</b> All welcome, regardless of whether you are walking or not.	Gr 2	Mary	
Tues 20th	Timbertop Trail. Meet in University Dve Mt Helen, first oval on the right, past the 40 km sign. 9.45 am	Gr 2	Danny	
Tues 27th	Insignia and Lake Gardens. Meet at Pipers Café 9.45 am	Gr 2	Chris	
Thurs 29th	Union Jack to Buninyong Twilight Walk. Meet Union Jack Reserve off Elizabeth Street Buninyong at 5.00 pm	Gr 3	Joan	

<b>March</b>				
Tues 5th	Pax Hill Walkabout. Meet at Sparrow Ground Reserve Spencer Street Canadian 9.45 am	Gr 2	Denise	
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup>	Black Hill Lookout circuit. Meet at Blackhill Lookout car park. 7.30 pm	Gr 2	Chris	
Thurs 7th	Club Night. Sunways. Gregory Street.			
Wed 13th	Sovereign Hill circuit walk. Meet at Sovereign Hill Lookout, off Magpie Street. 7.30 pm	Gr 2	Chris	
Sun 17th	Mt Gorrin, Langi Ghiran State Park 8 km loop, starting at Langi Ghiran Rest Area on the Western Hwy.	Gr 3	Peter	
Wed 27th	Lake Wendouree walk. Meet at Pipers, Wendouree Pde. 7.30 pm	Gr 2	Chris	
	<b>Interstate Events taking place later in the year</b>			
July	Darwin to Cairns (or reverse) - Commercial 4WD tour. Trip fully booked.		Pam	
Sept 2 to 14	Lamington National Park (2 weeks) O'Reilly's and Binna Burra		Mary	
Sept- Date to be set.	Wyperfeld National Park camp. A series of half-day and full-day walks.		Evan	
Oct 10 to 26	Western Australia Wander		Chris	
<b>Walking Track Grading System</b>				
Gr 1 - Easiest	5Km or less. Flat. No steps. Well formed track. Clearly sign posted			
Gr 2 - Easy	10 Km or less. Gentle hills - occasional steps. Well formed track. Clearly sign posted. No experience required			

Gr 3 - Moderate	Less than 20 Km. May have short steep hills, steps, and some simple obstacles. Clearly defined track. Sign posted. Some experience recommended			
Gr 4 - Hard	May be greater than 20 Km. May have many steep sections, steps and obstacles to scramble over or around. A generally distinct rough track or route. Limited signage. Experienced walkers. Navigation skills required.			
Gr 5 - Hardest	May be greater than 20 Km. May be very steep, rough, and with difficult obstacles to negotiate. Rough unformed route. Possibly indistinct or no track. No signage. Very experienced walkers - navigation skills essential.			

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