

Calendar of Events

Dates	Description	Grade	Contact
September 2013			
Tue 3	Tuesday walk in Melbourne	Medium	Angela B.
Thu 5	Club night		Marianne K.
Sat 7 - Sat 14	Provence Bike Ride		Ron K.
Sun 8	GDT St Georges Lake to White Swan Rd 13.5km	Medium	G.
Tue 10	Tuesday walk	Medium	Angela B.
Sun 15	Anakie Gorge walk	Medium	Jill O.
Tue 17	Tuesday walk	Medium	Angela B.
Thu 19	Committee meeting		Marianne K.
Sat 21 - Sun 22	Grampians overnight hike	Medium	Carolyn B.
Sat 21 - Sat 28	Croatia Sail and Cycle trip	Medium	Chris P.
Tue 24	Tuesday walk	Medium	Angela B.
Sun 29	GDT White Swan Rd to Whitehorse Bridge 15.5km	Medium	B.

October 2013

Tue 1	Tuesday walk	Medium	Angela B.
Thu 3	Club night		Marianne K.
Sun 6	Berripmo track day walk	Medium	Anne B.
Sun 13	Federation Day Walks- Lerderderg and Beyond	Various	Gabrielle F.
Sat 19	Lal Lal walk	Medium	Graeme D.
Sun 20	GDT (stage 2 second attempt) Finger Post Rd- Firth Rd 14kms	Medium	B.
Thu 24	Committee meeting		Marianne K.
Sun 27	Woodlands Historic Park Tullamarine-walks/picnic	Various	Andrew A.

November 2013

Sun 3	Langi Ghiran circuit walk	Hard	John P.
Sun 3	GDT stage 9 (seond attempt) Dingley Dell-St Georges Lake 17.5kms	Medium	B.
Wed 6 - Sun 10	Mt Bogong 4 day hike	Medium	Craig G.

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Thu 7	Club night		Marianne K.
Fri 8 - Sun 10	Wye River camp-walks	Medium	Anne B.
Sun 17	Castlemaine walk	Medium	John M.
Sun 24	GDT stage 12 (last) Whitehorse Bridge to-Mt Buninyong 13.5kms	Medium	B.

December 2013

Thu 5	Club night		Marianne K.
Sat 7 - Sun 8	Xmas breakup weekend at Lake Jubilee	Various	Angela B.

March 2014

Sun 9 - Sun 16	Lord Howe Island	Various	Jean B.
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August 2014

Sat 16 - Sun 7	India/Himalaya trip	Hard	Mary C.
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Trip Ratings

Walks	Description			
Distance (in one day)	Short; under 10km. (S)	Medium; 10-15 km. (M)	Long; 15 – 20 km. (L)	Extra Long; over 20 km.
Hills	Easy – suitable for beginners. (E)	Medium – reasonable fitness required. (M)	Strenuous – fit walkers only. (S)	
Track	Grade 1 - 3: Graded “open terrain” well formed tracks/paths.	Grade 4 - 7: One or more of: unformed tracks, some off-track, minor scrub, creek crossings, some rock-hopping/scrambling.	Grade 8 - 10: One or more of: significant off-track, thick scrub, significant creek crossings, major rock-hopping/scrambling and use of hands.	
Rides	Easy	Medium	Hard	
Terrain	Relatively short distances and easy terrain, with no critical time factor. Suitable for the occasional cyclist.	Longer distances with varied terrain. Reliable gears, food, tools, and wet weather clothing are advisable. Ability to maintain a reasonable speed.	Long distances and/or difficult terrain. Extensive experience in all aspects of cycling is mandatory. Riders must be able to maintain a good speed throughout the ride.	