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<b>Date</b>	Event	Leader	Phone	Type	Grade
MAY					
19	Annual Mass and Dinner			Soc	
20	Ashgrove to Mt Coot-tha	Justin	3366 3193	DW	M34
21	BCBC Meeting			Meet	
25-27	Spicers Gap to Teviot Gap	Matthew	3876 8125	TW	L67
26/27	Mt Barney Gorge			TW	L67
Jun 3	<b>Brisbane Valley Rail Trail</b>			DW	M44
9/11	Fraser Island	Justin	3366 3193	TW	L33
9	Mt Mitchell	Desley	3369 5530	DW	S33
15	John Toohey Society – Granadas Tapas Bar		5522 9702	Soc	
17	Brisbane Square Mile	Desley	3369 5530	DW	<b>S11</b>
18	BCBC Meeting			Meet	
23	Mt Bally	Phil	5522 9702	DW	
30	Mt Bell Circuit	Michael	33513810	DW	
Jul 7	<b>Abbey Medieval Festival</b>			Soc	
7/8	High End Adventure Bushwalk	FMR		TW	
8	Luke's Bluff	Liz	3356 4874	DW	<b>S21</b>
14/15	Emu Creek			BC/TW	
16	BCBC Meeting			Meet	
20	John Toohey Society – Gilhooleys	Phil	5522 9702	Soc	
20/21	Ballow Circuit	Michael	33513810	ON	
21	Shepherd's Walk	Terry	3355 9765	DW	<b>S43</b>
21	Colonial Ball				
25	Christmas in July	Antonia	0400 571387	Soc	
28	Colonial Ball	Matthew Palmer		Soc	
29	Mt Mistake	John	5514 0285	DW	

The Calendar is subject to change without notice

WARNING: All persons, adult or child, member or visitor, undertakes all activities of the Club at their own risk.

**KEY – Walk Types** 

D/W	Day Walk	½ D/W	Half Day Walk
O/N	Over Nighter	B/C	Base Camp
T/W	Through Walk	C/W	City Walk
TRN	Training	S&T	Safety & Training
FMR	Federation Mountain Rescue	SOC/SW	Social/Social Walk

**KEY – Walk Gradings** 

	- Walk Gradings		
Distance	Terrain	Fitness/Endurance	
Short Under 10km per day	1 - Smooth reasonably flat path	1 - Basic - Suitable for beginners. Up to 4 hours walking. Flat	
	2 - Graded path/track with minor obstacles	2 - Basic - Suitable for beginners. Up to 4 hours walking. Minor Hills	
Medium 10- 15km per day  3 - Graded track with obstacles such as rock, roots, fallen debris or creek crossings		<ul><li>3 - Easy - Suitable for beginners. Up to 5 hours walking. Undulating terrain</li></ul>	
	4 - Rough unformed track or open terrain with obstacles such as rock, roots, fallen debris or creek crossings	4 - Easy - Suitable for beginners. Up to 5 hours walking. Up to 300m gain/loss per day	
Long 15-20 km per day	5 - Rough or rocky terrain with small climbs using hands or rock hopping	<ul><li>5 - Moderate - Up to 6 hours walking. Up to</li><li>450m gain/loss per day. Agility required</li></ul>	
	6 - Steep, rough or rocky terrain with large climbs using hands or rock hopping	6 - Moderate - Up to 6 hours walking. Up to 600m gain/loss per day. Agility required	
Extra Long Over 20 km per day		7 - High - Up to 8 hours walking. Up to 750m gain/loss per day. High fitness. Endurance and agility required	
	8 - Climb/descend near vertical rock with exposure. Climbing skills may be required	<ul><li>8 - High - Up to 8 hours walking. Up to 1000m gain/loss per day. High fitness. Endurance and agility required</li></ul>	
	9 - Sustained climbing or descending of vertical or near vertical rock with exposure. Advanced climbing skills required. Good upper body strength	<ul><li>9 - Challenging - Up to 12 hours walking.</li><li>Over 1000m gain/loss per day. Very high fitness. Endurance and agility required</li></ul>	

**Example: M48** is a medium walk 10 to 15kms long, over unformed rough ground with obstacles, in which the trip is hard or strenuous for fit walkers requiring agility and endurance.

### PRESIDENT'S THOUGHTS

The web is a good resource.

Search almost any word and you will get unlimited help.

Search on a walk name and you will almost always find a track or area description, and if you are lucky, a photo or two. Just make sure it is the Australian location you find – geographic names seem to be similar all over the world – those English explorers had no imagination.

Search on our trips – find out what to expect.

Did you know the Club has a web page http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/index.html

It is not just for visitors or enquirers.

Members will find it very useful. Leaders will find it very useful. And budding authors of Jilalan articles will find it useful too.

Here are some of the pages:

Leaders:

Leaders Guide Handbook:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/LeadersGuideV5-02-06.html

Trip Nomination Form:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page15.html

Visitor's Acknowledgment of Risk Form:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page15.html

Jilalan Style Guild:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page15.html

New Member Application Form:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page14.html

Emergency Officer Form:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page14.html

Incident Report Form & Guide:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page14.html

The Emergency Officer System:

http://www.bcbc.bwg.org.au/EmergOffSyst.html

Federation Mountain Rescue (FMR):

http://www.fmrqld.bwq.org.au/

Weather: http://www.bom.gov.au/gld/

Weather Radar:

http://www.bom.gov.au/products/IDR661.loop.sht ml#skip

How We Organise Ourselves:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/HowWeOrganiseOurselves.html

Club Contacts:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page8.html

Jilalan Page:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page9.html

**Authors of Jilalan Articles:** 

Jilalan Style Guild:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page15.html Jilalan Page:

http://www.bcbc.bwg.org.au/page9.html

#### Members:

Membership Renewal Form:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page14.html

Jilalan Page:

http://www.bcbc.bwg.org.au/page9.html

Constitution:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/ConstitutionV1Dat5-9-

<u>05.html</u>

Our History:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/BCBCHISTORY.html

Club Forms:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page14.html

Club Brochures:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page15.html

12-Month Calendar:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page7a.html

Understanding Our Web Page:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page16.html

Meetings: http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page4.html

### **Annual General Meeting:**

Nomination for Committee Form:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page14.html

Proxy Form for any Voting:

http://www.bcbc.bwg.org.au/page14.html

Constitution:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/ConstitutionV1Dat5-9-

<u>05.html</u>

### **Visitors:**

Club Events:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page6.html

Equipment:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page3.html

Visitor's Notes:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page2.html

Membership Application Form:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page14.html

Walking: http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page3.html

**Event Calendar:** 

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page7.html

Hints on What To Do:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/HowWeOrganiseOurs

elves.html

Acknowledgment of Risks Involved:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page14.html

Club Contacts:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page8.html

Event Contact: Ring the number of the Leader in

the Magazine article about the event.

Understanding Our Web Page:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page16.html

The Emergency Officer System:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/EmergOffSyst.html
Meetings: http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page4.html

As you can see, there is a lot for everyone on <a href="http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/index.html">http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/index.html</a>
Greg

### PRAYER OF THE MONTH

Loving God, in the course of my days, Help me to pause amidst the hustle and bustle of life:

To wonder at the beauty of the setting sun;

To feel the wind in my hair,

And the raindrops on my face;

To hear the song of the birds;

To marvel at the formation of the clouds in the sky above me;

To gaze into the night

And behold the majesty of the starlit sky;

To embrace the beauty of a tree and fascination of falling leaves;

To acquaint myself with the occurrences of the moment!

(Source: All Hallows' Staff Prayer Dec 2007)

### OUTINGS SECRETARY REPORT

### The Harry Redford Cattle Drive.

Harry Redford was one of Queensland infamous outlaws from the 19<sup>th</sup> century and is also known as Captain Starlight. In March 1870 he stole 800 cattle in Aramac and drove them down to South Australia.

The 2012 Harry Redford Cattle Drive, is a chance to experience the outdoors in a great way and celebrate this extraordinary feat. So over 19 unforgetable days from 5 May to 26 May you assist in droving 600 head of cattle 200 kilometres from Aramac to Muttaburra. It is 19 days in the saddle. One of our members is on the trip this year. Can you guess who ??

Phil

### THE CLUB'S SOCIAL ITINERARY

Apr	29	Red Brick Hotel - Kate Quinlan	Greg
May	11	Greg, 60 <sup>th</sup> at Gaythorne	Michele
May	17	Film on Tassie	Phil
May	19	Annual Mass and Dinner	Liz
May	25	A night at the Museum	Greg
June	2	Elizabeth's 60 <sup>th</sup> – Oxford 152	Phil
June	16	Winter Solstice – Backyard Campfire & Hot Pot Party	Justin
July	7	Abbey Medieval Festival	Antonia
July	21	Colonial Ball	Matthew
July	25	Xmas inJuly (Broncos)	Antonia

### TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance19 /3/12	\$4436.20
Plus Receipts	\$ 895.72
	\$5331.92
Less Payments	\$ 254.45
Balance 19/3/12	\$5077.47
Term Deposit	\$2472.13

Thank you to those members who donated to The Little King's Movement for the Handicapped. We managed to raise \$258.00. Now, the news that you have all been waiting for. I have started to sell tickets in our first raffle for the year. The extra good news is that there are four prizes and the tickets are still only a dollar each. The first prize is a Workzone three LED Dynamo Torch with emergency mobile phone charger, the second prize is an Adventure Ridge three LED Headlight, the third prize is a glass covered framed 74cmx59cm photo of Kakadu National Park and the fourth prize is a glass covered 74cmx59cm framed photo of The Victorian Coastline. Once again I would like to remind people that we still have a small supply of club t-shirts for sale at twenty dollars each as well as some small metal club badges for five dollars each. I am certain that any future purchases will be more expensive than our current stock, so do not postpone your purchases.

Terry.

## SOCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

The next two months is so full of special social events that I have taken a back seat until July. Read our social calendar and come along to as many events as you can fit into your calendar, especially the birthdays.

### **ABOUT PEOPLE**

Please keep in your prayers Anne & Bob Iron and their little grandson Owen & his parents. Owen 14mths has just been diagnosed with a cancerous growth in his abdomen. The most appropriate type of chemo treatment will be commenced.

Belated April birthday greetings to Therese Abernethy, Michael Duggan, Lucy Endicott, Russell Jones, Bob Iron and Pat Lawton. Greg Endicott, Ken Evans, Joe Finn, Richard Johns, Phil Murray, Helen Mees, Rosemary O'Brien, Catherine Pitt and Joe Tottenham are celebrating their birthdays in May. James Parra, Pat Lawton and Jonas Bernotas recently returned from walking in New Zealand. ( I am sure that Pat and Jonas have lost count of how many times they have walked in New Zealand whilst this was James' first and I suspect that it will not be his last.) Brenda and Daniel have just spent some time in Melbourne whilst Therese Abernethy has just returned from seeing how wet it is in Tully. Paul Evans has returned from the Northern Territory where he did some walking whilst Mare Hutchinson did not manage to do much walking in Tasmania due to snow, hail and very cold temperatures.

Cathy Thomson, Aileen Hill, Yuki and Makiko Nishiyama were welcome visitors at our April Meeting. Visitors are always most welcome to join us on any of our activities.

### **COMING EVENTS**

TRIPS leave from St Brigid's car park at 78 Musgrave Rd, Red Hill.

The "Leaders Guide" is on the web at: http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/LeadersGuideV5-02-06.html

Leaders: Print your own Event Nomination
Form from the Club's web site. Please print the
Leader's/Treasurer's Calculation page when
they print their Trip Sheets.

A reminder to visitors that you are required to do 2 walks before Committee officially declared you a Member of the Club.

### **LEADERS**

If you make changes to your walk, such as date, where, cancel it – please tell the Outings Secretary Phil Murray Ph: 5522 9702

### FILM ABOUT BUSHWALKING IN TASSIE

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May

Time to be confirmed – 7.00 pm ??
Venue Riverglenn Function & Conference

Centre

70 Kate Street, Indooroopilly, QLD

4068

**Contact: Phil Murray** 

Cost: \$20

Contact 5522 9702

0416 650160

bigrivers@optusnet.com.au

The "Do Yu Know Tasmania" presentation is organised by the Launceston Bushwalking club. Their representative is Ian Ross.

The Do You Know Tasmania has been running for many years. The content changes each year but concentrates on bushwalking and nature photography of a very high standard.

The presentation is a joint effort by FMR Inc and Launceston Bushwalking Club. Come along and have a look. The cost is \$20 payable at the door. They don't take bookings so it may be wise to be early to get a seat. there may be DVDS of previous shows on sale. Any further questions

contact John Marshall of Bushwalkers Qld on jemarshall@optusnet.com.au Directions from Brisbane Take Coronation Drive follow unto you are going on Moggill Road. Go under the Western Freeway Turn left into Rennies Rd Turn left into Witton Rd Turn right onto Kate St

### 18<sup>th</sup> MAY, FRIDAY JOHN TOOHEY SOCIETY MEETING THE IRISH CLUB

Contact: Phil Murray Ph: 5522 9702, or 0416

650 160

Time: From 4pm till 8ish

Location: 175 Elizabeth St (Opposite the

Hilton), between Edward & Albert

What For: For a chat, a meal and a drink or

two

Emerg Off: Greg Endicott Ph: 0418 122 995

We are gathering at one of our favourite places the Irish Club. A nice open plan bar and restaurant right in the heart of the City. The first there finds a few seats near the entrance just behind the information desk. The seats here are padded and the tables large enough for the 20 of us to sit around. And it is near the bar!

It is a lovely old building – renovated just a few years ago. The colour, the comfort and the ambience is great. The food is just a hop, skip & jump towards the back from where we will be seated.

This is a very nice establishment and is highly recommended to come into town on a Friday night and feel the buzz of the city and meet up with a group of friends.

So come along and have a chat, a drink, a meal. .

### 19<sup>th</sup> MAY, SATURDAY ANNUAL MASS AND DINNER SOCIAL

Contact: Liz Little Ph: 3356 4874,

lizlittle@bigpond.com

Time: 5pm

Venue: Mass: Delamore,

115 Turner Road, Kedron. Dinner: Stafford Tavern,

51 Webster Rd, Stafford, at approx

6.30pm

Cost: Mass is free.

Pay individually for dinner and

drinks

Tavern prices range from \$16 to

\$30 for mains

Web: <a href="http://mficaust.org.au/index.html">http://mficaust.org.au/index.html</a>

http://delamoreretirement.com.au/

http://www.thestafford.com.au/bars/

Emerg Off: Greg Ph: 0418 122 995

**RSVP: Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May** 

The Club holds the Mass near the start of the Club year to ask Our Lord to let us have a safe year's walking, and to thank him for allowing us to have just finish a safe and happy one.

The Annual Mass and Dinner is always a pleasant evening. The Franciscan Sisters at Kedron are opening their beautiful chapel to us once again. It is a small intimate cosy space which makes the Mass personal.

The Chapel is at the bottom of the carpark on the left: go along the veranda and at the end, turn right though the door. Delamore is a nursing home/retirement village. It is almost opposite Jardine St at Kedron. There is parking on the premises – around the roundabout and also in the parking spaces nearer to the road.

We will be requiring members to help out at the Mass. I am looking for people willing to read and take up offertory gifts. It would be nice if someone could provide the flowers for the altar.

The Stafford Tavern is reasonably priced with main courses ranging from \$16 to \$30. The Tavern is on the corner of Billabong St. It has a family atmosphere. Depending on our numbers and how early we provide them with numbers, we could be in any one of several places. It is nicest outside in the balmy autumn evening. There is the inside just near the side door, to the area neared to the toilets. Anywhere is nice at The Stafford. One word of warning – go up to order dinner in lots of 6 people and get a number. Any pub and

especially the patrons get confused if there are 40 meals all coming out together. Space yourselves.

It is important to nominate for the meal as our numbers are so large now that the Stafford Tavern requires definite numbers to confirm our booking.

To find the carpark at the Tavern, turn into Billabong St and go down a little till you see the carpark entrance. There are the lower & upper carparks. Do not turn into the bottle shop.

You can come just for the Mass.

You can still nominate for the Dinner after the 17<sup>th</sup>, but it will be inconvenient catering wise.

### 20<sup>th</sup> MAY, SUNDAY ASHGROVE TO MT COOT-THA DAYWALK

Leader: Justin Tobin Ph: 3366 3193 Meet at: Carpark of the Hockey Club, Mirrabooka Rd, Ashgrove. UBD 138 P18

Time: 7:00 am Grade: M34

Location: Almost in the middle of Brisbane

Web:

http://www.whereis.com/qld/mount-coottha/track/trail#session=NDM=

Emerg Off: Susan Tobin Ph: 3366 3193

Come and discover wilderness in suburbia. From Dorrington Park we will follow the bike track along the creek past the huge two Queensland Kauris, through St John's Wood, cross over Waterworks Rd. Then up beside the old quarry and into the green space - bought by the Council with your green levy.

This bit of bush takes us down to pick up the track system to Mt Coot-tha. From here we work our way across the Summit using the various tracks to the Summit Lookout for that great view across our city; you may even be able to name some of those mountains in the distance. Now is the "keep-aneye-out for the cars" part of the walk as we follow the road downhill before turning off to drop into the Botanical Gardens through the back door. This should still be accessible now they are using a tunnel & conveyor system to take the debris from the Legacy Way into the quarry. I am hoping they will leave it there for the walkers after the road is finished but I don't like our chances.

We wander through Stage Three: which is the Australian Native section; slip through the palm glade and onto the lookout for lunch. A cup of tea with a great view. After Lunch it's out the main gate and onto Toowong Cemetery and then, using

the available green space, to take us back to the cars. You even get a chance to walk the pipe.

Only needing to use the roads here and there; hopefully back at the cars about four o'clock. Bring some money with you as we will be having coffee in the afternoon before the walk is finished. Celebrate with the Annual Mass and Dinner on Saturday and then join me on Sunday for this stroll through the inner western suburbs.

### 21<sup>st</sup> MAY MONDAY MONTHLY MEETING

Contact: Greg Ph: 3351 4092

Time: 7.30pm – Doors open & meeting

starts soon after

Where: St Michael's Parish Hall, 250 Banks St, Dorrington (in the lower carpark behind the church. Drive down the ramp at the left.)

Web:

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/page4.h

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Come along to hear about what has been really happening at recent club events, as well as our coming events and past walks.

Ask questions of our leaders about their coming events, so that you can make up your mind as to whether come on the walk.

Nominate for a walk. Nominate to lead an outing. Stay for supper. Bring those recent bushwalking snaps. Visitors are always welcome

### Thur May 24<sup>th</sup> to Sun May 27<sup>th</sup> 2012 Main Range Throughwalk Spicers Gap to Teviot Gap

Leader: Matt Palmer ph 3664

4179 / 3876 8125

Meet at: TBA

Time: Thursday after work

Grade: XL88 Cost: \$40

Emergency Officer: Kerry Mulligan 3876 8125

Location: Along the

Escarpment of the scenic rim starting south of Aratula and finishing South West of Boonah

If you ever read any of numerous bushwalking books focused on classic wilderness walks in Australia, they cover such treks as the overland track, alpine track, Gross Valley and the Main Range. They are not wrong as this is the classic throughwalk in Southern Queensland. Three days on the range, just about the entire walk has us walking along the edge of the escarpment as we

cross a fair swathe of the +1000m peaks in South East Queensland; Spicers, Doubletop, Huntley, Asplenium, Steamer, Lizard Point and Roberts. As you cross each peak the view changes and you see outstanding views of South East Queensland from a different aspect, Barney will be our constant companion as it stands out like a beacon to our left. We traverse through many types of landscape rainforest, fern forests, open eucalypt forest. We will camp at some of the best

and most remote camp spots in South East Qld. The walk is entirely off track and in a few places we need ropes to get up and down with our packs. With last summer being very wet the springs for our water Friday and Saturday night should be brimming but the undergrowth is likely to be quite thick. Due to popularity of this walk I currently only have one vacancy as you can only get a permit for eight, you will also need to be able to take Friday 25<sup>th</sup> off work.

Matt Palmer

### A NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM



25<sup>th</sup> MAY, FRIDAY at 6pm MUMMY SECRETS OF THE TOMB Rituals Of The Ancient Past

Organiser: Greg Endicott Ph: 3351 4092 Where: Qld Museum, Southbank

When: Any time for a 5.40pm start (for

the 6pm session)

5pm if you want to eat & drink

beforehand

Cost: \$21.45 for The Mummy Display

Location: Southbank Tickets: Must Have

Web: <a href="http://www.mummy.qm.qld.gov.au/">http://www.mummy.qm.qld.gov.au/</a> Emerg Off: Greg E Ph: 0418 122 995

### **Book Now - Tickets Will Sell Fast**

A ticket is required for entry into the *Mummy:* Secrets of the Tomb.

Tickets can be purchased online via the **Foxtix website** or via phone (1300 111 369).

Book for Fri 25<sup>th</sup> May for the 6pm session Ticket prices start at \$21.45 for adults.

Meet at the Museum at the Collectors Lounge Bar after 5pm.

Book as soon as you can, the time slots fill up. If 6pm is unavailable, try times earlier or later. And let me know.

Embark on a groundbreaking journey to ancient Egypt. This spectacular exhibition from the British

Museum reveals the life and death of an Egyptian priest and tells his story through an extraordinary 3D film and an exhibition showcasing ancient objects. It features four human mummies and more than 100 objects, including amulets, canopic jars used for preserving the liver, lungs, stomach, and intestines of the deceased; massive sarcophagi; statues; shabtis and sections from the Book of the Dead.

Nesperennub's mummy has been virtually unwrapped using modern technology: the most advanced medical scanning technology currently available. His secrets were hidden for thousands of years. Now this spectacular exhibition reveals the life and death of mummies.

The combined 3D film and exhibition experience will explore his mummification and lead you on a journey to uncover the mysterious rituals and breathtaking beauty of ancient Egypt. Come face to face with the ancient past as the mummy of Nesperennub is virtually unwrapped

Additional Information

- Ticket times are not flexible.
- Please arrive 20 minutes before your ticket time
- Late entries may not be accommodated.
- Photography is not permitted inside the exhibition space
- Frequently asked questions

Meet in the *Collectors Lounge Bar* for drinks and tapas and take advantage of this opportunity to see the Museum from a fresh perspective. Choose from a selection of fine wines and beers, tapas plates, cheeses and gourmet pizzas.

Afterwards: Levels 2 and 3 of the Museum will be open on these evenings so visitors will be free to explore some of our other fascinating exhibitions, including Giants of the Past and our newly refurbished Discovery Centre.

The **Queensland Museum & Sciencentre** website.

If you are having difficulties on the 25<sup>th</sup>, ring Greg on Ph: 0418 122 995.

Don't miss this journey of a lifetime. **Queensland Museum celebrating 150 years in 2012** 

### ELIZABETH'S 60<sup>th</sup> at Oxford 152

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June Contact: Phil Murray

Meet at: 152 Oxford Street

Bulimba

Time: 8.30 am Grade: M 55.15 pm

Cost: your meal and drinks

Contact 5522 9702

0416 650160

bigrivers@optusnet.com.au

Elizabeth Richards let slip that it is her birthday on the 3<sup>rd</sup> June and that it was a special one ending in a zero, so her friends couldn't let such an occasion go by without a party and have organised a lunch time gathering to help her celebrate this special occasion.

The hardest part was to find a venue. There were several suggestions for a venue – the Cliffs Café at Kangaroo Point but they wont take bookings on weekends, go figure. Then there were a few nice café's at Oxford Street but they wouldn't take bookings either. Fortunately Oxford 152 will take bookings for a largish group. Oxford 152 used to be the Bulimba Hotel before its makeover.

So come along to share this very special and significant social for a celebratory lunch, a few drinks and a slice of the cake!

Oxford 152 is on the corner of Oxford St and Wambool St. There is public transport to the area. See translink for details.

RSVP by 31<sup>st</sup> May so we can tell the hotel how many seats we need. See you all there!

Ps Remember, since you are paying for your own food, there is need for pressies. *Phil* 

### SPICER'S PEAK TRAVERSE Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May Day Walk

Leader: Michael Simpson (3351 3810

or 0409 620714)

Meet at: St Brigid's Car Park

Musgrave Rd, Red Hill

Time: 6.00am Cost: \$15:00 Grading: M 7 6

**Emergency Officer:** Catherine Simpson (3351)

3810)

Distance: 11.0km Ascent: 572m Descent:

572m

If Matthew's walk is too long or arduous then I have another option for you. I will be leading an exploratory over Spicer's Peak leaving and finishing at Spicer's Gap. The last time I was in this this area it was very scungy in places and with the recent rains I don't expect much to have improved. But it is a beautiful part of the world with great views and varying ecosystems.

We will park the cars at the Governor's Chair car park. After taking in the views from Governor's Chair we ascend Spicer's Peak by following a bush track which initially follows the fence line before getting steeper and more exposed. You will need good rock scrambling skills from here to the top. After morning tea we follow the obvious ridge to West Spicer's before following the descent spur to the NP boundary fence (this spur can be difficult to locate). We will then follow the fence down to Spicer's Gap Road and an easy stroll back to the cars.

This route has not been done during my time with the club so it is a chance to tick off another section of the Main Range. So see me at the next meeting or ring me and discuss the walk.

Michael.

# MATER LITTLE MIRACLES 5K'S SUNDAY JUNE 3<sup>rd</sup> SOUTHBANK

Web:

http://materlittlemiracles5ks.org.au/event/materlittlemiracles5ks2012

I am from the Mater Little Miracles foundation.

Each year Mater cares for thousands of premature and seriously ill babies and children from across Queensland. We run various events throughout the year to raise money for this wonderful cause and to help more children get home sooner and smile again.

We are holding a fundraising event, Mater Little Miracles 5k's, at Southbank on Sunday June 3. This is a family friendly day with entertainment and a 5km walk through the Southbank Parklands. Would it be possible for members to help us promote this wonderful family event?

To come along and walk with us. Check out the web site and register.

Many thanks for your time in considering my request. Katie Cox

### 6<sup>th</sup> JUNE, WEDNESDAY THE TRANSIT OF VENUS ASTRONOMY

Start Maximum Finish 08:33am 11:30am 02:26pm

http://rses.anu.edu.au/~jcali/eclipses/PLANNIN G/ToV2012p/2012TransitOfVenus.html

Local: <a href="http://transitofvenus.nl/wp/where-when/local-transit-times/">http://transitofvenus.nl/wp/where-when/local-transit-times/</a>

### What is a transit of Venus?

A transit of Venus is one of the rarest of all astronomical events. It occurs when the orbit of the planet Venus take it between the Earth and the Sun.

Our generation is very fortunate to have two such transits occur in our time. The last transit was in December 2004, the next on June 6<sup>th</sup> 2012. Transits don't occur every 8 years. They occur in pairs separated by 8 years with more than a century gap separating each 8 year pair.

The next pair of Venus transits occurs over a century from now; on Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 2117 and Dec 08<sup>th</sup> 2125. The last pair was in 1874 and 1882 and the pair before that was in 1761 and 1769.

Observing and timing the 1769 transit was the main reason that Captain Cook and Charles Green were appointed by the Royal Society to travel to Tahiti in 1769. After the transit on the return voyage, Cook searched the South Seas for months looking for the great southern continental land mass, Terra Australis, that it was thought was necessary to balance the great continental masses in the northern hemisphere. There was no such continent but in the process, he stumbled upon Australia.

The entire transit is visible from the west Pacific Rim. A large part of the world will see either ingress or egress and part of the transit. SW and NW Africa and much of South America miss out completely. Within the area that sees the entire transit, Northern Australia stands out as possibly the clearest place. Viewing geometry is not ideal, but when general viewing conditions and weather prospects are taken into account north central Australia probably comes out on top. The only region in the world with very low levels of cloud cover and a view of the entire event is north-central and north-east Australia.

From the north east Australian region, the transit begins in the morning in winter. The altitude is a little low, around 11 degrees at internal ingress through to 31 degrees at internal egress. But

being located in a position when internal ingress occurs quite early in the morning, you can expect better seeing and less air turbulence from rising heat. A full moon occurs two days before the transit on June 4th. There is a partial lunar eclipse this day visible in its entirety from this area but you will be waiting a few days before you'll get a short window of dark evening sky.

### MT. MITCHELL DAY WALK SATURDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 2012

LEADER: Desley Pedrazzini (33695530) MEET AT: St. Brigid's Car Park, Red Hill

TIME: 7.30am COST: \$15 GRADING: M33 E/O: TBA

This is a fairly easy day walk as it is about 11km on a good graded path with few obstacles underfoot. The rainforest alternates with open grass tree areas and I have asked for good weather so we can have uninterrupted views from the top of all the surrounding mountains and the Main Range as we have our lunch.

Please join me for a pleasant day out.

Desley

### WINTER CAMPFIRE AND HOT POT Saturday 16 June 2012 Social

Contact: Justin Tobin Ph.: 33663193 Where: 14 Inchcape St. Fairfield

Time: 6:00 pm Cost: \$15:00

Bring: Chair, Cutlery, plate bowl

Put another log on the fire, now that doesn't happen on walks very much these days. There is very few walking areas where you can have the old fire, sit round and tell stories, keep the winter chill at bay and remember what has been and what is still to come. Joe is bringing back the camp fire. Fairfield will be ablaze, the hot pots will be simmering and the enjoyment of many will be heard from afar as once again we gaze into the glowing embers, socialising with friends while enjoying our hot pot tea. It will be a good night see you at Joe's

### **PAST EVENTS**

### KANGAROO POINT TO HAMILTON BIKE RIDE

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> February

Weather - Fine and warm – 29 degrees Attendance - 7

Leader – Di Thornthwaite & Phil Murray Reporter – Di Thornthwaite

A combined BOSQ and BCBC trip. A perfect day, fine but cloudy, and seven of us met under the Story Bridge at Kangaroo Point and proceeded to take on the one hill for the day as we cycled around the river, through Dockside and then up on to the bridge. Leisurely crossing the Story Bridge, we took our time to admire the city views before reaching the very steep downhill through New Farm meeting up with the bike path again at the Sydney Street Ferry.

Then it was around New Farm Park and along the river following bike paths with just a couple of small road detours where the path has not yet been constructed. We rode through Teneriffe, Newstead, down beside Kingsford Smith Drive to Bretts Wharf and Portside. At Newstead we unfortunately lost Phil who had to retire with a bike problem.

The rest of us proceeded to Portside where there was a cruise ship docked which always makes the place a lot livelier. We bought snacks and continued on to the little park about a kilometre downstream which I have not visited for quite a while and found it is now Northshore, the new citycat terminal. We had a leisurely morning tea and elected to ride back to Kangaroo Point instead of catching the ferry back to Southbank.

It was a lovely, leisurely ride with a nice breeze to help us along the river and we all agreed that we should put more bike rides on the calendar. Those on the trip you Phil Murray, John Hood, Russell & Louise Jones (BCBC) Narelle Balnave (Redlands) and John Edenborough & Di Thornthwaite (BOSQ).

Di Thornthwaite

### Mt Greville Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March Day Walk

Mt Greville welcomed us on a fine yet warm and very humid day. The plan was to climb Greville via a seldom used ridge that ran upwards to the north of Waterfall Gorge. As I was a late inclusion as leader the walk was to be an exploratory.

We followed the usual track to the entrance to Waterfall Gorge where I sent out the scouts to find a way onto the ridge but they were thwarted by cliffs and had to retreat. So we backtracked 40-50 metres and found an easy way back down to the creek and an easy way up the other side albeit was covered in scunge. The ridge was steep and before long we had reached a rocky outlook with tremendous views to the east. Terry in fact even found a vantage point to view Moogerah Dam. We continued to follow the ridge to the upper entrance to Waterfall Gorge and the signs of life were evident everywhere. We took a slight detour to two rocky outcrops and suddenly I knew where we were. We found it hard to drag ourselves away from these lookouts and the views to the north and west were incredible. But drag ourselves away we did and followed a well-used track upwards to the cliffs of Greville before rejoining the tourist route some 30-40m from the top.

The view from the top of Greville always amazes me. This peak is situated in the perfect spot to breathe in the vista that is the Main Range and beyond. There are views in every direction. As the summit is not the best place to have lunch we retreated down the mountain to a lovely spot beneath the summit cliffs. From there we followed a track back to the entrance to Waterfall Gorge and began the long descent down the gorge. The was dry and delightful and Terry gorge commented that he thought it had more palms than Palm Gorge. It was nice to be in the cool of the gorge instead of the heat of the ridges and we made good time back to the entrance. It was now only a short walk back to our cars after a great walk. Unfortunately we were only accompanied on the walk by a few monitors although Dan did espy a wedgie on the summit.

It was then back to Aratula for coffee before heading home. My thanks to Peter, Terry, Dan and Brenda, Richard and Michele, Jan and Maria for their company. As an aside Dan reckons he summited the mountain three times today as he kept returning with the latecomers.

Michael.

### 12<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, THURSDAY BRONCOS BUFFET SOCIAL

Eight club members and three friends joined me at the Broncos' Thursday buffet on 12<sup>th</sup> April. We had a long table with crisp white tablecloth which we quickly coloured with various tasty soups and sauces. Greg and Michele E, Elizabeth R, Terry S, Desley P, Graham G, Tracey L and friend Diana, Sofia R and Antonia S with two friends Carola D and Ken B managed to polish most heaped plates clean and go back for more. Our usual dessert daredevil did not disappoint us despite that 60<sup>th</sup> birthday he celebrated in the not too distant past.

### 21 April SATURDAY NORTH COAST MOUNTAINS DAY WALK

The sun was shining, the birds were singing and

six BCBC walkers were looking forward to exploring four of the North Coast mountains. A quick trip up the highway had us regrouping at Yandina and onto Mt Ninderry, the woman stealer. Following an old road we were soon on top for those great views over the coast, the Noosa Lakes and Mt Coolum with no head our next mountain. looking over the Coast. We followed the cliff line around for views out to the west and the Blackall Range, the source of the Maroochy River. Back at the cars we headed over to Mt Coolum. Mt Ninderry on the left and the Maroochy flood plain on the right made it a great drive. Mt Coolum was climbed from the back, a different way to get on top for those great views, right along the coast to Pt. Cartwright and Peregian. Mujimba Island, Coolum's head could be seen amongst the waves. The view over the Maroochy floodplain and beyond was fantastic. The new steps on the way down put in by the Tasmanian Track Workers were a landscaping masterpiece, and a job well done. Emu Mountain was next, the smallest of the mountains but with its rare plant species and great views it was a perfect place for a late lunch.

Tinbeerwah between Cooroy and Tewantin was also climbed from the rear to the plateau for that surprising view of Mt Cooroy, once on top those sweeping views in the afternoon light to Noosa, across the Lakes to Cooloola and further North and back to where we had already been, made it a great finish to a fantastic day.

Great weather, incredible views and even better I was able to share it with my mates. Thanks to Phil Murray, Peter Constable, Trevor Kelly, Maxine Brophy and Terry Silk for joining me on The North Coast Mountains. I hope you enjoyed the day as much as I did. Justin

### Upper Portals Anzac day walk 25/04/12



We joined force with Pat Lawnton's Wednesday walkers to boost the numbers to 19 after a rough 4 wheel drive trip up from the water reserve it was introductions and an ANZAC poem from Justin, we set off around 8.50am along the cleared ridge in brilliant autumn sun shine. Shortly after leaving the fire trail we found a good lookout overlooking the magnificent panorama before us that was Mt Barney. From here we descended rather quickly to the track junction where the group split, the more adventitious ones climb down in to the Upper portals for breath taking views and a swim for Justin and Paul. We joined up again for lunch and another poem from Justin to keep us in the Anzac spirit, the trip out was along Yamahra creek and back to the cars around 2.45pm. Our favourite coffee shop was closed a Boonah so we all moved on to Macca's at Yamanto for a coffee. Thanks every one for the great day. Peter



# TOOLOONA CREEK CIRCUIT DAYWALK MONDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> MAY

After two postponements due to weather and transport, this walk finally went out in spectacular weather and with seven enthusiastic walkers.

It was a long 18.3 kilometre trek, but a beautiful one. Following the rain and in the clear air, even the Border Track was beautiful – clean and lush. The many creek crossings proved to be just challenging enough for interest as the creek was flowing well. Only a few feet got wet!

As all the creek crossings occurred in the first half of the walk, it was the slower part. In addition, the track sloped uphill most of the way as it wound its way up the Tooloona Creek valley. Morning tea was enjoyed, appropriately, at Picnic Rock, in the middle of the creek. The lunch break was held at Toloona Lookout overlooking the escarpment and providing magnificent views.

Following lunch, the walk back along the Border Track was quite efficient. It was much straighter and a gentle, downhill walk. We arrived back at O'Reilly's in time to explore the treetops walk and enjoy coffees and a book browse before the tea shop closed.

Many thanks to Maree and Peter for driving. It was lovely to meet Manuela, a visitor on the walk. Phil drove up from the coast to join us as well. Paddy and Nampech were the others who joined me for this wonderful experience.

Liz

### **APOLOGY**

I apologise for the spoof article in the April Jilalan – the Backyard Bushwalk.

It was not intended to rubbish the type of walking it attempted to spoof – the suburban walk. It was poor humour at the expense of the name "Backyard".

If you look in the Annual Reports, you will see my name as attending just those types of walks and not the "Justin" type. Though I might have my say about suburban walks, I vote with my feet.

It was not a caricature of any one person or type of person. I just let my mind run wild with the concept of the article and included everything I could think of in describing a Backyard Bushwalk.

I realise the article might be offensive to some Club Members, but was not intended to be so.

I apologise to Desley and Andrea for using their names in the articles without permission.

**Greg Endicott** 

### COLONIAL BALL SATURDAY 21 JULY

Recreate a bygone era, dance the night away and enjoy the music of the Champion Moreton Bay Band.

Arrive at 7pm, coming in Colonial, Period, National or Formal Attire.

Mingle and fill in your engagement card, book your partners for the dances, have your photo taken and be ready for the Grand March at 7:30 pm.

Dance the night away to the music of the Champion Moreton Bay Band. Enjoy dances from our early days of settlement that came from our Anglo-Celtic-European heritage to those that are uniquely Australian and to those that have evolved during the changing years and population. Experience the music of waltzes, varsovianas, schottisches, polkas, mazurkas, jigs and reels. Enjoy a delicious light supper.

Learn about quadrilles, longways sets, progressive dances, circle dances and couples dances. Come to the practice sessions where the dances are taught, etiquette explained and suggestions given on costumes.

In order to enjoy the night (and not annoy other groups) it is preferred that all go along to the practice nights in the weeks prior to the Ball. You will get a run-through all the dances on the programme — these are great nights in themselves. Supper is provided, drinks are on sale.

We need nominations well in advance so that we can organise things. Ring Greg Ph: 3351 4092 if you are interested.

http://members.optusnet.com.au/colonialdance/photos.html

(Look for Michele & Greg in the photo on the Ball page.)

### **PAST EVENTS**

### RATHDOWNEY HERITAGE FESTIVAL SUNDAY 8<sup>th</sup> APRIL

What a lovely day – sunny, warm and dry. The six of us (plus 3 relations) went down independently in 4 cars so we all arrived at different times. However, we managed to meet up, but not before finding out that there was no mobile coverage!

The Festival was at the showground – with the stalls and displays around the perimeter and the demonstrations & Grand Parade in The Ring. Did not notice my old school buddy John Miller (of 4BC) doing the centre-ring commentary.

The Festival followed the theme of "Heritage" - most stalls were of a country flavour and not all the usual hotch potch of a suburban street market. And were there a lot of them – the brochure was correct.

We sat and watched the woodchop – always good while eating lunch, the sheep dog trials, the procession of old trucks, tractors and cars as well as the procession of carriages with participants in period costume.

Thanks to Tracey Laing, Ray Rowe, Eliz Richards, Nampech, Michele E and Carmel, Don & Roslyn. Greg E.

### RED BRICK HOTEL SOCIAL SUNDAY 29<sup>th</sup> APRIL

And what a good day it was.

The old historic pub has seen better days, was being painted and renovated, but still has a lot of character and atmosphere. The red bricks were certainly evident everywhere.

There were 18 of us eventually – including 3 visitors. The interior of the pub is small – it is on a minute triangular block of land. There is the public bar, what was the saloon bar and the loft upstairs with the pool tables. We sat downstairs in the old saloon bar up against the windows. We more than doubled the numbers in the bar – all the others were local regulars.

After a drink, we ordered lunch from the extensive menu — a large range for such a small underutilised pub. Considering the size of our party, the food came quickly enough. And was fair enough.

We had a few more drinks, coffee, and talked of events past, present and future. Good to see Elizabeth's mother Barbara there. We were gone by 2.30pm.

Attending were: Michele E, Tracey Laing and friends Joanne and 2 others, Elizabeth R and Barbara, Catherine & Michael S, Graham G, Susan, Mary and Justin, Liz L, James Para, Mary Kelly and Terry S. Greg E.

### THORNESIDE TO WYNNUM DAY WALK SATURDAY 5 MAY, 2012

Despite the attempted sabotage of this walk, 7 hardy souls met at the correct time, place and date for a wonderful day's walking in the sunshine. I collected people at various locations along the way – Red Hill, Roma Street, Wynnum North and Wynnum before reaching our destination at Thorneside. We then walked over the bridge to the start of the Ransome Bushland and a very pleasant walk through the bush along the path, avoiding a very big puddle after the recent rain.

A park at the end of the bushland was the signal for morning tea – and our visitor Erna was told by everyone she was very welcome to come on any walks she wanted especially if she bought more of her delicious homemade chocolate cake!!!

The walk then continued along the beach front where Julie took us on a detour to see the great wall of Manly which was built during the Depression. Fish and chips on the beach were the lunch menu and we continued our meander along the foreshore and even some of the jetties. Certain people were very taken with the gypsy caravan spotted at one point.

The mangrove boardwalk circuit was the end of the day and we found our way to the Wynnum Railway Station for the journey home after walking about 17km on a beautiful cool sunny day.

Thanks to our visitor Erna, Paddy, Julie, Graham, Ray and Terry – and if none of us are ever heard of again – we won the \$70 million lotto that we bought a group ticket in on the day.

### 8<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> MAY, FRIDAY-TUESDAY FRASER ISLAND THROUGHWALK

Leader: Justin Tobin Ph 3366 3193

Meet at: TBA
Time: 7:00pm
Cost: \$300.00
Grading: L44

Limit: Group of 5 or 8 Location: Off Bundaberg

Web: http://www.derm.qld.gov.au/parks/fraser/

Emerg Off: Susan Tobin: Ph 3366 3193

Fraser Island is on again, our last official June Long Week-end.

The Western Beach from The Cape to Wathumba Creek. Friday night in Hervey Bay., the journey begins on Saturday with the barge crossing from River Heads to Wangoolba Creek where the taxi will be waiting to take us up to the Cape. From here it is down the Western Beach, visiting the lighthouse on the way to Bool Creek.

Sunday we are on the way to Rooney Point camping on the beach near the Coffee Rocks. Monday it is Wathumba Creek for Camp, the largest inlet on Fraser, Tuesday a 12.00pm pick up and Home. The Western Beach is a beautiful part of Fraser and is closed to traffic from the Lighthouse to Wathumba, come and discover it with me.

### **MBS**

Should the four "young" ladies have been worried about the three "older" males following them at a discrete distance almost all day on a recent bush and beach walk?

Jan & Russ picked the best time to go to England to view the Cambridge-Oxford Boat Race. Son David is the President of the Cambridge Uni Club this year. During the race, an Aussie swam into the race – he was protesting about the inequality of education and elitism in some of the establishments. The race was stopped for half an hour while police chased, caught and dealt with the protester. One of the Oxford rowers broke an oar near the end. And one of the Oxford team collapsed after the race from exhaustion. By the way, Cambridge won.

What was our immediate Past President saying to a couple of life savers, one of whom had a set of fluffy rabbit ears.

### **BCBC WEB SITE**

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/index.html

Contains a wealth of information for Members and Visitors. Have a look

### **REPORT**

### ARTICLES: Please have all articles for the MAY Jilalan to me by Friday

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### **HOW WE ORGANISE OURSELVES**

VISITORS – for general enquiries contact Greg on Ph: 3351 4092.

**GENERAL MEETINGS:** Meetings are held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month, at 7:30pm. The location is St Michael's Parish Hall, Banks St, Dorrington. The hall is on the terrace below the church, out of sight – drive down to the lower carpark.

**VISITORS** are always welcome.

### **OUTINGS**

- (a) Always read the Jilalan article to check the departure point, date and time.
- (b) Walk departures are usually from Red Hill Parish Hall, 78 Musgrave Rd. Check "Jilalan" to determine the location to be sure.
- (c) The Club will usually organise transport for each outing, but you must nominate in advance to the leader. Contacting someone else may lead to your nomination becoming "lost". Nominations should preferably be made by the Wednesday night prior to the activity so that transport etc. can be arranged. Note that nominations for some walks may close well in advance of this. Late nominations may not be accepted.
- (d) Walkers are responsible for their own transport to and from the departure point.
- (e) Walks are rarely cancelled if they are, all nominees will be notified. Do not presume that outings are cancelled ie, because of bad weather.
- (f) Should you change your mind and decide not to come to a Club event, please notify the leader as soon as possible.
- (g) If you are running late for the departure point, ring the Emergency Officer, or if the leader shows a mobile phone number, phone the leader.
- (h) All visitors must sign an Assumption of Risk form for insurance purposes.

**EMERGENCY OFFICER:** If you have not returned from an outing by 9:00pm, your family may ring the Emergency Officer (Or "EO" or "Emerg Off") for that outing – but please they are not to panic. If the EO is not mentioned, ring either the President or Vice President. IF any action is to occur, the Club will arrange it.

http://www.bcbc.bwq.org.au/EmergOffSyst.html

**PERSONAL EQUIPMENT:** The Club requires that all walkers on all trips should carry certain minimal basic equipment. This should comprise the following – a first aid kit, a torch, a parka/raincoat, hat, shirt, 30+ sunscreen and at least 2 litres of water. Leaders may require that walkers carry other equipment. Advice of this will be given in Jilalan and/or by the leader.

**MEMBERSHIP FEES** - Membership Subscription fees are:

Ordinary Members: \$40; Associate Members: \$30; Spouse Members: \$10.00; Country: \$30.00. Fees cover the period 1st January to 31st December, and renewals are due and payable by end of February each year. Payment of fees can be made to the Treasurer.

Pro-rata amounts apply to new members if you join during the year.

**WARNING:** All persons, adult or child, member or visitor, undertakes all activities of the Club at their own risk.

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