

Frank Brown



# MONTHLY CIRCULAR

UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF OUR LADY OF THE WAY

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## CIRCULAR - AUGUST 1961

General Meeting held in the Temperance Hall, Canberra Hotel Building on the third Monday of the Month, unless otherwise advised.

### CLUB OFFICE BEARERS :-

Pres Chap	Fr K Aspinall	90.6280	Treasurer	M. Galvin	-
Vice Pres	Raoul Mellish	48 1700	Out Recorder	M. Kennedy	59 1565
Gen Sec	Yath Clancy	48 5391	Men & Equip	-	-
Out Sec	Byron Moss	-	A/Gen Sec	M Leahy	79 3039

### OUTING PROGRAMME -

AUGUST	21/27th	BEACH BIRDS' WALKS - EAST BAY & THROUGH-WALK
SEPTEMBER	8/10th	BURNING BIRDS' WALKS - EAST BAY
SEPTEMBER	17th	BERKLEY MTS - UPPER BROOKFIELD - SUNDAY - DAY WALK

### VACANCY OF POSITION ON GENERAL COMMITTEE

Jim Marrell has tendered his resignation from the Club Committee as his work has taken him away from Brisbane for some time.

Under Section 7 (iv) of the Club constitution the position is declared vacant at the meeting of 21st August, 1961 and the Secretary calls for nominations to fill the vacancy. As the position is to be filled at the General Meeting of 18th September next, the committee has ruled that nominations must be forwarded in writing bearing the signatures of the nominator, nominee and a seconder (all of whom must be financial members of the Club for 1961/62), to reach the Secretary not later than Monday 11th September, 1961.

FULL MEMBERSHIP GRANTED :-

The following have been granted full membership :- DEIRDRE SWENEY;  
JACK SHIELDS; CHRISTOPHER BRADBURN; MARGARET GIBSON; CECILY KEEFAN;  
ROBERT SCOTT; EVEL COOK; DIANE ROBERTSON;

NOTE ON CAMPSITES

Members are reminded that campsites and meal sites must always be left in a tidy condition "EVEN, FASH AND BUNY" is the rule

BATHANI - 'ANNIE' CLUB MAGAZINE

October is the proposed month for this year's publication and all those who can contribute to it are urged to do so. Please send in articles to Kath Clancy at the Club Box. The Magazine is one of the best ways of advertising the Club, and this year it is hoped to do even better than the last.

GENERAL MEETING SEPTEMBER 16th

Featured at this meeting will be a selection of colour slides of Central Australia shown by Kath Clancy.

GENERAL MEETING OCTOBER 16th.

At this meeting, it is hoped to have as a guest speaker John Chall, a senior member of the Sydney Catholic Bushwalking Club, who will tell of bushwalking activities down there.

CLUB PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION IN NOVEMBER

The November General Meeting will feature the Annual Club Photography Competition and members are urged to start preparing now. Entries this time will be limited to four per member in each class as follows :-

- 1 GENERAL.            2 CLUB ACTIVITIES.            3 CLOSE-UPS

Entries will be 6d each and may be sent to Kath Clancy. More about this in later circulars.

RUNNING CREEK - BASE CAMP - SEPTEMBER 8th/10th - LEADER COL McNEILAN  
NOMINATIONS : £1 10 0 CLOSE THURSDAY AUGUST 31st - DEPARTURE POINT  
FRIDAY EVENING 6 30 P M REDLINE BUS DEPOT LONA STREET

Running Creek Falls are considered the most spectacular in Lamington National Park and the trip, in combining the grandeur of the falls with a beautiful and lovely location, should provide a really excellent camping and walking weekend. The Falls are some 300 ft high and are somewhat similar to the Pearling Brook Falls at Springbrook, but they carry a greater volume of water. At the foot of the falls is a pool of some 30 yds diameter in which the fall of water causes waves 12" high to radiate to the edges. These falls were used as a background for some of the scenes in Charles Chauvel's film "The Sons of Matthew".

The camp site will be situated on the banks of Running Creek near the Mt Gipps School in a beautiful mountain valley bounded by Mt Gipps and the N S W Border as well as Mt Chinghee which is covered by dense rain forest, and Neglected Mountain which Bernard O'Heilly proposed some years ago to be called Mt Westray in memory of Jim Westray of the Stinson Crash.

On it's lower courses Running Creek is traversed by the Kyogle Railway Line before it eventually joins the Logan River.

On Saturday the party will go to the foot of the falls through forests of flooded gums and open river flats, finally following a rough track through rain forest prior to a scramble over huge boulders in the creek bed just below the falls.

Sunday it is hoped that a small party will make a fast ascent of Mt Gipps (approx 2,400 ft high).

The bus will take the party back to evening Mass at Mt Gravatt at 6 00 p m.

SUNDAY - DAY WALK - MERMAID MTN UPPER BROOKFIELD AREA - SEPTEMBER 17th  
LEADER - JIM COLLINS - COUNCIL BUS LEAVES LONA ST AT BACK OF POLICE  
STATION AT 9 30 A M - N B WATER BOTTLES ESSENTIAL.

The bus goes out through Kenmore to the terminus at Upper Brookfield through beautiful semi-rural country.

The walk will go up on to the end of a spur of the D'Aguiar Range and then proceed around to Mermaid Mtn. through open country and along timber tracks. The early stages of the walk will provide excellent views of the city, while later on there will be fine views of Mt. Glorious and Mt. Nebo, the Mt Crosby Filtration Works and beautiful Lake Manchester.

As the bus will not leave to go back to the city until approx 6 15 p m it is suggested that members bring enough food for an early tea.

BLACKFELLOWS FALLS - BASE CAMP AND THROUGH-WALK - AUGUST 25/27th  
BASE CAMP LEADER - PAUL TRACY - THROUGH WALK LEADER - PAUL TRACY  
(Nominations £1 10 0 closed Thursday August 17th)  
DEPARTURE POINT - REDLINE COACH LONA ST AT 6 30 P M FRIDAY NIGHT

On Friday night the bus goes to the head waters of Dalrymple Creek and it will not arrive there until about midnight. The base camp will be situated here and on Saturday the base-campers will climb over a spur of the Mistake Range into the basin of Blackfellows Creek to proceed up to the Falls. If time allows, the party will go on to Glen Rock from where there are commanding views of the Darling Downs.

Sunday it is intended to follow timber tracks to the top of the Dividing Range on to a lookout in the Pamparts where those who went on the Mt. Castle through-walk camped last year.

The through-walkers will go northwards along the Mistake Range to Mt. Mistake itself if conditions allow and will return down the western edge of the range to Blackfellows Falls and back to the Base Camp. This walk will take in some rugged country and it should be very rewarding for those who go on it as it will open up an entirely new area for them.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE :-

DANCE O'CONNOR BOATHOUSE - FRIDAY - 22ND SEPTEMBER.

COMMENCING AT 8 00 P.M. - ADMISSION 4/-

This long awaited event will no doubt be even more popular than last year's, so make sure that you and your friends are there to share the fun. Lots of interesting and novel ideas will be featured.

All are asked to help supply the supper.

SEE YOU THERE FOR A VERY ENJOYABLE EVENING !

AROUND THE CAMPFIRE :-

Best wishes to Jim Farrell who is now down at Broken Hill for some time.

Welcome back to Byron and Margaret Moss. A particular welcome to Byron from Vince Maume who has handed back the port-folio of Outings Secretary!

Jim Collins is planning to do the Scenic Rim next year in August over approximately 14 days and Jim would welcome any takers for the trip.

SLEEPING BAG FOR SALE -

MARIE EASON, PHONE 91 2552, has a 2½ months old water proofed sleeping bag for sale, originally purchased for £3 5 0 (this would be a good buy for whoever makes the offer to get it).

AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION IN PLACE OF 12 (1) (a).

Rule 12 (1) Motions to amend this Constitution shall be dealt with in the following manner and order :-

(a) Notification shall be given in writing at a general meeting and the proposer and seconder there-of shall be members entitled to vote on the motion.

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