

DALMENY NAROOMA BUSHWALKERS

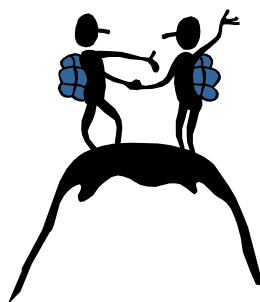
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Programme: Sept 2014 to Feb 2015



All persons joining a walk do so as volunteers in all respects and as such accept sole responsibility for any injury incurred. On Club walks, each person is responsible for his/her own safety. It is essential to be aware of your own limitations and stamina. The Dalmeny Narooma Bushwalkers, its office bearers and appointed leaders, are absolved from any liability for any injury or damage suffered whilst engaged on any walk.

Walkers usually depart on north walks from **George Noble Park**, Dalmeny or for south walks on the highway outside the **Narooma Plaza**. **Please be at the meeting point 15 minutes before the listed departure time.**

Walk Leaders may, in some cases, meet the walkers at the start of the walk rather than at the designated meeting place. In the event of doubtful weather, the Leader or a person appointed by the Leader will be at the departure-meeting place to advise whether the walk will proceed. A walk may be subject to alteration due to unforeseen circumstances. This can occur before and/or during a walk. Any changes will be posted on the our website shown above. For information about a particular walk, phone the Walk Leader of that particular walk.

Walkers should be guided by the directions of the Walk Leader. This means the walkers stay together to hear the directions of the Walk leader. Walkers are each responsible for the walker directly behind them and should advise those in front immediately if the 'tail' is lagging for any reason.

Walkers usually car-pool to reduce the number of vehicles taken. The Committee suggests each passenger accepting transportation offer a donation to the driver.

Notes: **It is the responsibility of the Walk Leader to ensure that all vehicles are mobile at the end of the walk.**
No walks will take place on days of Total Fire Ban.
No dogs are allowed on any walks.

Inquiries or offers to lead walks can be made to

Michael Mc Donagh Walks Organiser 4473 5504 Mobile 0428 735504 or

Steve Deck Assistant Walks Organiser 4476 1582 Mobile 0437 539270

Bushwalking Grades.

Easy Relatively gentle grades and mainly good surfaces. Suited to most bushwalkers.
Medium Includes rough or steep sections. Could require some climbing over natural obstacles.
Hard Strenuous walks involving steep ascents or descents over rougher terrain. Suited to fit and experienced bushwalkers.

BYO Food and Liquid for all walks unless otherwise stated.

Hrs. = walk time including lunch break. Driving time is extra.

Sept 2014 – Feb 2015

		Donation
Thur 4 Sept	Rogaine conducted by Batemans Bay Bushwalkers	\$ 12
Leader/s	Contact Wendy Selby for info and to organise teams 4476 2580	
Grade	Fun to strenuous depending on attitude	6 Hrs
Depart	Narooma about 7AM for Batemans Bay at 8AM **Attention very early start**	
Thur 4 Sept	Ringlands including Shell Point and Flying Fox Rd	\$ 1
Leader/s	Maggie Finch 4476 3665 Michael Mc Donagh 4473 5504	
Grade	Easy / Medium 8km	4 Hrs
Depart	9.00 AM Plaza	
Sat 6 Sept	Big Rock Road, (Bodalla SF, south of Bodalla)	\$ 3
Leader/s	John and Kerren Ogg 4476 8965	
Grade	Medium 10 KM	4 Hrs
Depart	9.00 AM Noble Park	
Thur 11 Sept	Burrumbidgee Creek (Bodalla SF, west of Narooma)	\$ 5
Leader/s	Jan Thomas 4476 7592 Amanda Marsh 0421 426 366	
Grade	Medium / Hard <i>1 km creek walking / scrambling</i> 11 KM	5 Hrs
Depart	9.00 AM Noble Park	
Sat 13 Sept	Cowdroy and Lawlers Creeks (Bodalla SF, north-west of Narooma)	\$ 3
Leader/s	Jan Thomas 4476 7592 Jo Jean-Mairet 4476 1551	
Grade	Medium <i>some creek walking</i> 10 KM	4 Hrs
Depart	9.00 AM Noble Park	
Thur 18 Sept	Brou Area (including Brou Lake, Brou Beach and Mummaga Lake)	\$ 0
Leader/s	Maggie Finch 4476 3665 David Mason 4476 1434	
Grade	Medium <i>bushbashing, one long hill, road and beach</i> 13.5 KM	5 Hrs
Depart	9.00 AM Meet/park at the Rest Area on Princes Highway BEFORE you get to Brou Rd	
Sat 20 Sept	free for exploratory or local area walk TBA	
Sun 21 Sept	Tailwaggers Walk (run by Animal Welfare League)	
	Starting at 9 AM at NATA oval, Narooma, contact Heather Ferguson 4476 2430	
Thur 25 Sept	Bengunnu Point, (Mimosa Rocks NP, north of Picnic Point)	\$ 9
Leader/s	Steve Deck 4476 1582 Jan Smith 4476 2580	
Grade	Medium/Hard, <i>beach, rock, some trackless bush</i> 4 KM	4 Hrs
Depart	8.30 AM Plaza 9.00 AM Bermagui Fishermen's Wharf. **Attention early start**	
Sat 27 Sept	Dromedary Exploratory (to link Battery Track and the rainforest)	\$ 4
Leader/s	Kerren and John Ogg 4476 8965	
Grade	Hard - <i>steep grades, bushbashing</i> 12-14 KM	5 Hrs
Depart	9.00 AM Plaza	
Sat 27 Sept	Billys Beach Mystery Bay Circuit	\$ 3
Leader/s	Maggie Finch 4476 3665 Michael Mc Donagh 4473 5504	
Grade	Easy 9 KM	4 Hrs
Depart	9.00 AM Plaza	
Thur 2 Oct	Discovery Trail, Durras Lake (Murramarang NP)	\$ 12
Leader/s	Bev Brazel 4471 5787 Elaine Cuthbert 4476 5609	
Grade	Easy 10 KM	4 Hrs
Depart	8.30 AM Noble Park, **Attention early start**	
Sat 4 Oct	TBA (Long weekend and Blues Festival)	
Thur 9 Oct	"Fairview" (near Couria Creek on Princes Highway, south of Tilba)	\$ 5
Leader/s	Maggie Finch 4476 3665 Michael Mc Donagh 4473 5504	
Grade	Easy / Medium <i>farm, forest and probably a bit of bushbashing</i> 8 KM	4 Hrs
Depart	9.00 AM Plaza 9.15 AM Bermagui turnoff	
Sat 11 Oct	North Narooma bush and burbs	\$ 0
Leader/s	Margaret & Rody Byrne 4476 5716	
Grade	Easy / Medium <i>some steep hills</i> 8 KM	4 Hrs
Depart	9.00 AM Riverview Road parking area near Lewis Island	

Thur 16 Oct	For all these five dates, (while some are away at the Grampians) meet at the Plaza at 9.00 AM
Sat 18 Oct	for an easy walk for those that turn up.
Thur 23 Oct	Leader/s for above five dates to be advised.
Sat 25 Oct	Locations could include Billy's Beach, Shell Cove, Potato Point, or Bermagui (with gelato!)
Thur 30 Oct	More information from Michael Mc Donagh 4473 5504

Club week away at Grampians NP (Halls Gap) - (250 km west of Melbourne).
Arrive Sunday 19 October - Depart Saturday 25 October

Sat 1 Nov	Mystery Walk with sausage sizzle to follow.	\$ 0
Leader/s	Kerren and John Ogg 4476 8965 <i>Numbers are required, please advise leaders if attending, before 31st October</i>	
Grade	Easy	8 KM
Depart	9.00 AM Noble Park	4 Hrs
Thur 6 Nov	<i>return to Supers Hut</i> (Wadbilliga NP, west of Cobargo)	\$ 10
Leader/s	Gail Drury 0407 911 113 Steve Deck 4476 1582	
Grade	Medium / Hard	10 - 12 KM
Depart	8.00 AM Plaza then meet at Cobargo Hotel 8.30AM **Attention early start**	5 Hrs
Sat 8 Nov	Donalds Creek area (Deua NP, west of Moruya)	\$ 7
Leader/s	Jan Smith and Wendy Selby 4476 2580	
Grade	Medium / Hard	15 KM
Depart	8.00 AM Noble Park **Attention early start**	5 Hrs
Thur 13 Nov	Broulee to Moruya River & return (via beach & bush)	\$ 8
Leader/s	Bev Brazel 4471 5787 Elaine Cuthbert 4476 5609	
Grade	Easy	11 KM
Depart	8.30 AM Noble Park **Attention early start**	4 Hrs
Sat 15 Nov	Beauty Point / Camel Rock (Wallaga Lake Area)	\$ 7
Leader/s	Jo Jean-Mairet 4476 1551 Jan Thomas 4476 7592	
Grade	Easy / Medium	10 KM
Depart	9.00 AM Plaza <i>chance to swim, whale watch</i>	4 Hrs
Thur 20 Nov	Nelsons/Moon Bay area , (near Bega River mouth, Mimosa Rocks NP)	\$ 9
Leader/s	Steve Deck 4476 1582 Jan Smith 4476 2580	
Grade	Easy / Medium <i>some bushbashing</i>	6 KM
Depart	8.30 AM Plaza 9.00 AM Bermagui Fishermen's Wharf ** Attention early start **	4 Hrs
Sat 22 Nov	"Silvermere" <i>off the Old Highway fronting Corunna Lake</i>	\$ 1
Leader/s	Maggie Finch 4476 3665 Michael Mc Donagh 4473 5504	
Grade	Easy - <i>some rock hopping & a bit of a hill or two</i>	8 KM
Depart	9.00 AM Plaza <i>pick up walk leader at #613</i>	4 Hrs
Thur 27 Nov	Murrabrine Mountain Trail (Wadbilliga NP south-west of Cobargo)	\$ 10
Leader/s	Gail Drury 0407 911 113 Steve Deck 4476 1582	
Grade	Medium / Hard <i>with steady climb</i>	14 KM
Depart	8.00 AM Plaza then meet at Cobargo Hotel 8.30AM **Attention early start**	5 Hrs
Thur 27 Nov	Corunna Forest area	\$ 1
Leader/s	Maggie Finch 4476 3665 Michael Mc Donagh 4473 5504	
Grade	Easy	9 KM
Depart	9.00 AM Plaza	

Sat 29 Nov **Bushwalkers Christmas Party at the Community Hall - Dalmeny**
 Midday Lunch - \$5.00 per person, BYO drinks. Those wishing to attend are asked to put their names on the list at walks or contact Jan Thomas 4476 7592 and to indicate if they will be bringing a salad or sweets. Please bring your own plates, glasses and cutlery and a plastic bag to take your plates home.

**** During December 2014 / January 2015** those interested walk Mystery Bay on Thursdays.
 Meet **Narooma Plaza 9.00 AM - or Mystery Bay 9.15 AM**. Bring morning tea.
 Back at Narooma about 12.00 Noon. Contact Michael Mc Donagh 4473 5504

Wed 31 Dec **New Year's Eve at Yabbara Beach Headland**
7.30 PM onwards for 9.00 PM fireworks. Bring *nibbles* and *drinks*. Kerren and John Ogg 4476 8965

Monday 26 Jan Australia Day - BBQ at Noble Park (Red Tractor Site) Free sausage sizzle. Numbers needed for catering contact Bill Wilson 4476 2946 or Maggie Finch 4476 3665 for a couple of happy hours. Please arrive about 11.00 AM for Lunch at 12.30 PM ****Bring Chairs, BYO drinks****

February Summer Morning / Evening Walks

Wed 4 Feb **Moon Rise Walk** *Bring Drinks, nibbles, torch* \$ 0
Leader/s Jan Thomas 4476 7592 Jo Jean-Mairet 4476 1551
Grade Easy 4 KM 3 Hrs
Depart **7.00 PM Kianga Reef Headland near Kianga Bridge**

Sat 7 Feb **Programme Meeting** at 2.00pm in Kerren & John Ogg's home. Open to all members.
Please come along and contribute ideas for walks.

Thur 12 Feb **Kianga surrounds** with brunch at Antons after walk \$ 0
Leader/s Jan Thomas 4476 7592 Jo Jean-Mairet 4476 1551
Grade Easy 5 KM 2 Hrs
Depart **7.30 AM Opposite Antons at Kianga**

Thur 19 Feb **Narooma surf beach area** with breakfast at Ciccio's Surf Beach Cafe after walk \$ 0
Leader/s Elaine Cuthbert 4476 5609 Heather Ferguson 4476 2430
Grade Easy 5 KM 2 Hrs
Depart **7.30 AM Surf Beach carpark**

Thur 26 Feb **Dalmeny area** with brunch/coffee afterwards \$ 0
Leader/s Michael & Jenny McDonagh 4473 5504
Grade Easy 6 KM 2 Hrs
Depart **7.30 AM from the car park opposite the Dalmeny shops**

Sat 28 Feb **General Meeting held in the IRT recreation room Dalmeny at 2.00PM**
There is some visitor parking in the IRT grounds with overflow parking on the side of the road in front of the Dalmeny Bowling Club. To find the recreation room head up the road towards the Main Reception Office. Turn right in front of the main building, go past the Village shop. The Recreation Room is on the corner of the next building on your left.

COMING UP IN 2015

March **Kosciusko NP, Autumn Club week staying at Gunuma Lodge Smiggin Holes**
arrive Sunday 15th March ... leave Saturday 21st 2015
Contact Ruth Perrett 6448 9914 to reserve your place.

April **Mini camp for Pigeon House Mountain, Morton NP**
arrive Tuesday 21st April ... leave Thursday 23rd 2015 (2 nights)
Two walks offered for Wed 22 Apr 2015: a leisurely Pigeon House ascent, 6 km return, 3-4 hours; or a more adventurous, hard walk to Pigeon House and Longfella Pass with a lunch time surprise, 14 kms return, 7 hours.
Accommodation Racecourse Beach Tourist Park at Bawley Point. Details Wendy Selby 4476 2580

August **Mini camp for Mt Bushwalker & surrounds, Morton NP**
arrive Tues 4th Aug ... leave Fri 7th Aug 2015 (3 nights)
Two walks offered: Wednesday Mt Bushwalker/Ngaityung Falls 14km return, easy-medium, great views
Thursday Florance Head & Rusden Head 14km return, easy-medium, and more great views into the Budawang.
Accommodation: Lake Conjola Entrance Tourist Park. More details Wendy Selby and Jan Smith 4476 2580

October **Royal National Park, Sydney**
our Club week away for Spring, arrive Sunday 11 October ... leave Friday 16th October 2015.
Accommodation: Potentially staying in the park at Bundeena. <http://bundeenainfo.com/home/>
Ideally book before April 2015 ... <http://www.stayz.com.au/accommodation/nsw/illawarra/bundeena>
Need to get various size groups together to keep costs down. There are many things to do. Even a trip over to Cronulla via ferry. Fishing, kayaking and of course walking.
Walks: A variety of walks for everybody, including the Coast Track.
<http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/NationalParks/parkWalking.aspx?id=N0030>
Please let Pat Reid 4476 1676 or Jan Thomas 4476 7592 know of your interest.