

ARMIDALE BUSHWALKERS SPRING 2008 ACTIVITIES PROGRAM

DATE	LEADER	VENUE	DETAILS
27 th to 29 th September	Alan Went 6655 4433	Styx River Gorge Car Camp with day walks DWM6E	Day walks into the rugged gorge of the Styx River downstream from the Kempsey Road. Very steep sections and rock hopping involved. Fit and experienced walkers only.
4 th to 6 th October	Paul McCann 6772 6156	Werrikimbe National Park BP(3d2n)M5C	Overnight walk down Cobcrofts Creek to a nice campsite in the rainforest. Day walk down Cobcrofts Cascades to the Hastings River. Some rough sections, slippery rocks, thick vegetation. Mostly off track.
12 th October	Alan Went 6655 4433	Dorrigo National Park DWM5C	Day walk along Rosewood Creek to see the big Red Cedars. Some thick vegetation possible and rough sections off track.
18 th to 19 th October	Peter Rodger 6772 0464	Kings Plains National Park Car Camp	Day walk on Saturday. Sunday join the local NPA and discover the natural history of the park.
30 th October	Just come along with some supper	Social night and slide show at the TAFE opposite the Big Light Bulb in Rusden Street	Come along for a visual tour of the Pilbara and the Kimberley in Western Australia. Bring a plate for supper.
2 nd November	Paul McCann 6772 6156	Gibraltar Range National Park DWM2B	Day walk to Dandara Crags and Anvil Rock. Might see some waratahs in flower.
9 th November	Joc Coventry 6772 2692 (h) 6772 7744 (w)	Wattle Ridge Farm Stay DWS3B	Easy walk on tracks with a guide around the property.
14 th to 16 th November	David Lawrence 6775 3164 after 13 th October	Oxley Wild Rivers National Park BP(3d2n)L4D	Overnight walk over The Cockscomb to the Macleay River and up Blue Mountain Creek. Steep sections and river crossings, mostly off track.
29 th to 30 th November	David Lawrence 6775 3164	Canoeing at Georges Junction	Beginners canoeing at Georges Junction.
7 th December	Julie Kenelly 6775 1664	Rockvale Road area DWM2B	Easy day walk on the leaders property.
14 th December	Paul McCann 6772 6156 Only contact if wishing to cycle out to Blue Hole.	Xmas party at Blue Hole DWS1A walk Bike ride M2B (might be harder coming home!)	Yes it is that time of the year again. Celebrate the festive season with friends after burning off some calories on a short easy walk. If you are keen you can cycle out to the Blue Hole.
Early January 2009		Venue to be decided	AGM and walk

THE GREAT AUSTRALIAN CANCER BUSH WALK

A staged walk from Cape York to Wilsons Promontory passing through the New England Region. The walk will depart Glen Elgin Hall in January 2009 following the National Trail up the Guy Fawkes River to Ebor then along Kunderang Brook to Werrikimbe and Barrington Tops arriving around Easter. Bushwalking clubs are invited to join various sections. Become involved and be part of this fund raising event by organizing a walk for the next program.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST ARE SOUGHT FOR THE FOLLOWING

February 2009 Extended walk: Snowy Mountains near Mt Jagungal

April 2009 Extended walk: Blue Breaks area in the Blue Mountains Winter 2009 Extended walks: Carnarvon Gorge area in Queensland

Spring 2009 Extended walk in the Budawangs south of Sydney Contact Peter Rodger on 6772 0464 or Paul McCann on 6772 6156

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