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BRISBANE CATHOLIC BUSHWALKING CLUB
UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF OUR LADY OF THE WAY
Circular for the Month of November 1960

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COMING EVENTS

Girls' Retreat	27th November
Day Walk - Cedar Creek (Beenleigh)	11th December
Christmas Party	21st December
O'Reillys Weekend	January
Stradbroke Is. Weekend	February

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MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING for December - will be held as usual in the Temperance Hall, Hotel Canberra Building, Edward St. on MONDAY, 19TH DECEMBER commencing at 8.00p.m. We have been fortunate in securing the film "The Fatima Story" for this Meeting and its showing will no doubt be welcomed by all members as a great opportunity to learn more about the wonderful events which took place at Fatima in 1917 and which have such a vital bearing on the world today, in general, and our own lives in particular.

IN COMMITTEE

The Editor isn't too sure what's been going on "In Committee" recently as he hasn't been there, but reports filtering through the "Bowery Curtain" indicate:-

PURCHASE OF GESTETNER DUPLICATING MACHINE - has been effected. This should result in a big saving in time and Club Funds, not only in production of the monthly circular but for the big items such as Annual Report, Magazine, Song Book, and all the odd nomination forms and stationery required from time to time. The purchase has rather depleted Club Funds temporarily; however, with members' usual co-operation and enthusiasm we'll soon counter that.

RETREAT FOR GIRLS - Final Reminder Girls - the Retreat commences at 10.30a.m. on SUNDAY, 27TH NOVEMBER at the Good Shepherd Convent, Mitchelton. Father J. Dinan S.M. will be in charge of the Retreat and it is hoped that every girl who possibly can will be there. Please bring your own lunch - tea will be provided.

SONG BOOK - This mammoth Epistle of Whistle will be christened at Christmas - get your copy from the Chief Siren at the Xmas Party.

CLUB MAGAZINE - will be Dynamic - will be published on 16th December 1960. Closing date for YOUR article is 26th November - not much time we admit, but see what you can do. This should be a regular feature of Club Activity from now on so let's make it a real success. The Magazine Sub-Committee will be meeting in the Y.C.M. Rooms, George Street (above A.N.Z. Bank) on Wednesday, 30th November, and if you have the chance to pop in that night and help with the good work you'll be very welcome.

OUTINGS

Now that those terrifying exams are over for another twelve months everybody should be able to get back into Bushwalking without any guilty feelings about study - despite the summer conditions our trip for December should shake away those cobwebs gathering about your Bushwalking gear.

SUNDAY, 11TH DECEMBER - DAY WALK - Cedar Creek via Beenleigh. Leader - Brian Willson - Bus departs King George Square at 9.00a.m. Nominations together with 10/- should be lodged at the Club Box by Friday, 2nd December.

It is intended to proceed up Cedar Creek from its junction with the Albert River to a point from which excellent views of the lower section of Tamborine and the farming lands of the Albert Valley may be obtained. Many members are doubtless familiar with the upper reaches of Cedar Creek and have seen the Cedar Creek Falls and Curtis Falls at Mount Tamborine. Unfortunately it is not possible to proceed as far as these falls on this trip; however, it is hoped that swimming will be available at the junction of Cedar Creek and the Albert River. This is a favourite picnic spot well shaded by some lovely Casuarina Trees, and should be ideally suited to the expected hot weather.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

What a Committee we have this year! Just one big success after another - each one better than the last. After the Concert and the Beach Picnic NOW the CHRISTMAS PARTY and you can be sure that this will be "the greatest"?

The CHRISTMAS PARTY is to be held on Wednesday, 21st December 1960, at the R.S.L. Hall at Eardon, commencing at 8.00p.m. For those going by tram it is at stop 24 and the hall is opposite the tram stop.

Santa will be there so don't forget a gift - nothing more than 2/6d. NOMINATIONS are 5/-d. and half price for those who bring a cake.

Please nominate on the attached form and note that Nominations close with the Social Committee at the Club Box on 7th December.

"ROUND THE CAMPFIRE"

Best Wishes to Eleanor Aitken (nee Eales) who was married to John Aitken on 15th October 1960. Eleanor will be doing her future walking in the Biloela district.

A referendum may be held soon on the advisability of having portable T.V. sets on Bushwalks to encourage attendance (after all some members have been known to have taken portable transistor radios on bushwalks). Those in favour of this move may easily contact their Chief Advocate who is readily available on the top of West Peak of Barney between midnight and 1.00a.m. on any week day.

Watch out Tasmania - the Island State is about to be invaded by thousands of intellectual members who will be letting their hair down after attending the Newman Conference in Melbourne. That outpost of the Island Empire, the Tasmanian Tourist Bureau, has already been evacuated in the face of a heavy barrage of sound from Generalissimo James (call me Jeem) Collins.

BOYS TO NOTE PLEASE - The Girls' Retreat is next Sunday - not Last Sunday at the Beach Picnic - What happened to you guys!!!

ANNUAL CLUB MASS - celebrated by our chaplain Rev. Father W. Hayes
on Friday 9th December 1960 at 5.15 p.m. at the Cathedral.

Members will occupy the front seats and all are exhorted to attend
this most important item on the Club calendar.

