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The Monthly meeting is held in the Temperance Hall, Hotel
Canberra (Edward Street entrance). Next Meeting is on
Monday 20th. December. Meeting starts at 8.0p.m.

OFFICE BEARERS.

President Chaplain	Fr. K. Aspinall.	58.2126.
Vice President	Peter Murphy.	81.4698.(work)
General Secretary	Madonna Stratford.	36.4184.
Treasurer	Claire Maguire.	79.1631.
Outings Secretary	Nerv. Galvin.	56.0651.(work)
Social Secretary	Roslyn Andrews.	98.2446.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS.

Bernice Caffery.	66.9544.	Brian Horan.	69.2801.
Leon Buchanan.	49.1109.	Col. McLellan.	31.2427.

COMING EVENTS.

Sunday	November 21st.	Beach Picnic.	Fingal.
Sunday	November 28th.	Day Walk.	Fernvale.
Tuesday	November 30th.	New Members Night.	Canberra.
Weekend	December 10/12th.	Base Camp.	O'Reilly's.
Friday	December 17th.	Christmas Party.	Upper Kedron.
Monday	December 20th.	General Meeting.	Canberra.

EDITORIAL.

"The time has come" the Walrus said,
"To speak of many things."

The time has also come for us once again to bring up the subject of First Aid. It is a requirement of the Federation of Bushwalking Clubs of which we as a Club are now members, to appoint a Safety and Training Officer. This has now been done and the appointee will soon be attending Federation lectures on the subject of Safety and Training. Sometime in the near future therefore, we hope to hold another of our training days.

It would therefore be to our advantage if as many members as possible knew something of First Aid. In fact a knowledge of this subject should be an essential part of bushwalking. However it is wondered just how many members possess even the rudiments of a first aid kit, or are they still relying on "the other fellow" or the Club Kit, which may or may not always be handy.

Our Club has been very fortunate in the past in the relatively few accidents we have sustained. We certainly hope that we can maintain such a high safety record, but let's not bury our heads in the sand altogether. Our pastime obviously entails some risks and to be prepared for eventualities is a duty not only to ourselves but to our fellow walkers.

BEACH PICNIC - FINGAL.

If you are one of the lucky ones who nominated by November 15th. (meeting night) you may turn up at the Bus at Cnr. Roma & Turbot Streets at 9.0a.m. on Sunday November 21st. for our fabulous interstate beach picnic.

Fingal on the so called "Diamond Coast" of N.S.W. is a particularly pretty spot and has many advantages for a Beach Picnic - one in particular being that the Gold Coast crowds have not yet caught up with it. (I hope). Also the local Council has not yet "improved" away all the trees and other Natural Scenic Attractions.

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Fingal is noted for its Lighthouse, Giant's Causeway, Wreck and of course its surf. PROCEEDS OF THE TRIP TO GO TO THE CLUB HUT. Courtesy of the Social Committee.

BRISBANE RIVER - FERNVALE DAY WALK.

<u>Date-</u>	November 28th.	<u>Fare-</u>	12/6 (special)
<u>Leader-</u>	Gavin Clancy.	<u>Nominations-</u>	November 22nd.
<u>Time-</u>	9.0a.m.	<u>Departure-</u>	Cnr. Roma & Turbot Sts.

Details of this trip were in the last circular. However for the benefit of new members etc. further details are given.

The trip will commence at Savage's crossing and follow the Brisbane River further upstream to Wyvernhoec Crossing. A small hill which affords a good view of the surrounding countryside will be climbed on the way. The walk along the shady riverside is not a long one so as to afford time for swimming. So don't forget your togs.

NEW MEMBERS NIGHT.

The venue for this evening will be the Temperance Hall of the Canberra Hotel on Tuesday November 30th. at 8.0p.m. All new and not so new members are urged to attend. Old, or should we say experienced members and visitors are also welcome. The evening will consist of instructive talks on bushwalking by senior members, demonstration of equipment, a question period, and slides giving a general idea of how a bushwalking club should function.

BASE CAMP - O'REILLY'S. LAMINGTON NATIONAL PARK.

<u>Date-</u>	December 10/12th.	<u>Fare-</u>	£1/10/ 0.
<u>Leader-</u>	Peter Robinson.	<u>Nominations-</u>	3rd. Dec.
<u>Time-</u>	6.30p. m. Friday.	<u>Departure-</u>	Cnr. Roma & Turbot Sts.

O'Reilly's in the 50,000 acre Lamington National Park, must surely be one of the grandest Bushwalking areas

to visit in Australia, and more particularly so at this time of the year. The graded walking tracks will take us if we so desire to such diversified places as the Antarctic Beech Forest with its ice age trees - to the Border Lookouts from where it is possible to see the length of the Gold Coast and as far as Byron Bay - to Lower Morans with its spectacular water race and to the open forest and farmlands of the Lost World Valley. There are also many beautiful waterfalls, flowing into icy cold pools which are just right for swimming during the hot summer months.

The campsite will in all probability be near the lone pine, which is quite close to the Guest House.

This trip is a must for those contemplating their first Club outing, for those who have never visited this Plateau before and for those who have lost count of the times spent there but who never grow tired of its beauty.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY.

Please note change of date and location.

Due to many requests by members and to various other considerations, the Christmas Party has been changed from its usual location at Bowen Hills, to the Hall at Upper Kedron where we held our recent successful Hay Ride. The date will now be Friday 17th. December instead of Wednesday 15th. as previously advised. All members and visitors are asked to meet at the Enoggera Tram Terminus at 7.45p.m. from where transport will be arranged for those who do not have their own. So be early! If you think you cannot be there in time, please contact the Social Secretary who might be able to arrange alternate transport. For the advantage of latecomers with transport, directions to the Hall are as follows- After leaving Enoggera Tram Terminus, proceed along the Samford Road until you reach the Ferny Grove Turnoff, which goes to the right. Do not go to the right. Follow straight ahead until the bitumen becomes a dirt road, two and a half miles from the beginning of which, you should find the Upper Kedron Hall.

Our Annual Christmas Party is the biggest Social event of the Club Year, and members usually excell themselves in the sketches and comedy acts performed. It is rumoured that this year Mary Christmas may make her appearance. Everyone is asked to bring a present costing about 3/0. Don't forget this because if you do not bring a gift, someone else may miss out when Santa comes around. Admittance to this night of nights - only 5/0. Do come.

DECEMBER GENERAL MEETING.

The December meeting will be held in the Temperance Hall, Hotel Canberra on December 20th. at 8.0p.m.

We hope that the feature for this evening will take the form of a Singalong, with all present joining in the singing of Folksongs, and anything else they fancy.

FROM COMMITTEE.

Frank Power, brother of foundation member John Power, now Brother Arthur in the Carmelites, will judge this month's photographic competition.

No one has attained full membership this month.

Have you started writing an article for "Barrani" yet? If not the Publicity sub-committee will soon be on your tail.

Pat Lawton has been appointed as Safety and Training Officer, and will attend lectures on the subject of Safety and Training to be conducted by the Federation.

Imelda Endicott has now filled the vacancy on the Social Committee since the resignation of Merrilyn Andrews.

Keep those donations coming in for the Club Hut.

The post Office has now accepted the Club's Application for transmission of this circular by post as a periodical. This will mean a saving in postage fees each month. All circulars will be posted to members before the meeting each month.

Remember your Contact Officer is still Brian Horan. If you are unable to attend a weekend trip at the last moment or if you think you will be late please ring Brian's number at 69.2801 and advise. Just prior to the departure of the trip the leader will ring Brian's number for any messages left by members.

NEWS AND VIEWS.

The Club extends its deepest sympathy to Pat Twoomey on the recent loss of her Mother.

Congratulations to Barry and Mary Ferro on the birth of their son, Gregory John.

Congratulations also to club member Pat Gall who will be married on November 20th.

Rosemary O'Brien has now set sail for England. Our best wishes go with you Rosemary.

Mel. Andrews has also left us - fortunately she has not gone so far. Merrilyn is now working in Gladstone.

Greg Huddy was "real cool" on recent trip.

Leon Buchanan drunk in the current Villanova Play "The Shifting Heart." This could be worth seeing. Merv. Holman also in play (not drunk).

Madonna Stratford heard to say "I'm not going to fall for anyone."

BRISBANE CATHOLIC BUSHWALKING CLUB.

Post to- The Outings Secretary,
Brisbane Catholic Bushwalking Club,
P.O. Box 151,
BRISBANE NORTH QUAY.

I/We wish to join the Club Outing to.....
on.....and will proceed by:-

(a) Official Club Transport. (b) Private Transport.

I nominate.....(Who has attained the
age of 16 years) as a visitor.

I/We enclose £.....and I and my visitor agree to
participate in the above outing entirely at our own
risk.

I/We realise that, should I/We cancel such nomination
after the closing date, any application for refund must
be given in writing to the Committee before the closing
date of the next outing, noting refund will be made only
at the discretion of the Committee.

Phone Nos.....(Home).....(Business)

Signed.....

