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Monthly General meeting are held on the third Monday of each month in the Temperance Hall, Canberra Hotel (Edward St.entrance), at 7.30 p.m. Visitors welcome.

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Emergency Officer

Where a party is overdue, the onus is on parents to telephone the emergency Officer if they are concerned over their son/daughter's safety. The Emergency Officer is listed under each trip. Please do not ring before 9.00 p.m. at the earliest.

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1st - 3rd Sec. Hell Hole Gorge T/alk

Note. Nominations close on the Monday before the trip or social.

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MT. BYRON. DAYWALK

CBI CBI THROUGH LINK

Date: 3rd - 5th Nov.
Price: \$4.50
Time: 7.00p.m.
Leaves: North Quay behind Tritons
Leader: Peter Herzog
Emergency: Maunie Conway. 360361.

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Thanks!, to those people who have given me articles for Barranii our Club magazine. However more short stories, jokes ect. are still needed so get out the quills and start writing. You may even surprise yourself with your sub-conscious literary skills, but..... then again you may not. Anyway Barrani wants your articles, so call, write or phone Brian McMahon.

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FEATURE: Oct General Meeting.... 16th Oct

"GET IT ON FOR MOTHER EARTH!"

For our next General Meeting Peter Hanley, an engineer with the Co-ordinator Generals Dept. and a keen Beshwalker, is giving a talk on polution, and what we can do to protect our enviroment.

Come along and find out whot YOU can do about air polution and water polution ect.

There will be slides as well and a discussion on the talk.

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IF you want to find out
"WHAT REALLY GOES ON",
when the club goes on a walk,

Come to the NEW MEMBERS DAY WALK,
to Mt. Byron on the 22nd Oct, thats not this Sunday but
the one after. Its a very easy walk near Esk.
Bring dinner and food for a Bar-B-Q afterwards.
All old and new members are invited. Ask your friends or
enemys along.
Nominate Now.



CLUB HUT WORKING PARTY.

The Club Hut now boasts about 100 square feet of timber flooring a new window pane and a vastly improved front door. About 60 lbs of bottles, tins etc., were carried out and the area around the Hut was really cleaned up. Fourteen Club Members had a great weekend with a riotous Saturday night (ask Bill Conway for his tape recording).

Swimming in the Lower Portals was lively, especially during disputes over John Wards lilo. Margaret Wilson just ~~couldn't~~ Do any good, "I always Miss out!" she said. However we did like her jokes on Saturday night. Two Landrovers carried the heavy gear into the Hut and a big thankyou goes to Bill Burley, Ian and Rosemary.

The statue of Our Lady of the Way was installed in its place over the front door and the Hut now looks complete. Thanks to Mr. & Mrs. Conway for their generous gift.

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SAFETY AND TRAINING

"When it rains at Lost World you are likely to get injured by falling buckets" - old Chinese Saying.

Thirteen walkers set up camp by the Albert River on the Friday night boiled the billy and had a sing-a-long. On Saturday, despite persistent light rains, everyone climbed up to the waterfall on the Lost World. We could see O'Reilly's across Castle Crag but they weren't expecting us so we didn't hop across for afternoon tea.

Saturday night was educational..... for those with leaky tents. (hey .. Lydia!) The rain continued all Saturday night and Sunday dawned very wet and green. Abdulling the tents was no good and there was nowhere to have our S&T instructions so we shifted camp to Beaudesert and had breakfast. The rest of the day was spent recovering from mild food poisoning.

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COMING TRIPOBI OBI

This walk would be the easiest walk the Club has ever had. Apart from this Obi Obi Crk. boasts some of the best country around this area. Wildlife around this area is also the best yet to be seen. The campsite last year was reached by 3p.m. and it took two hours from here to walk out to the cars.

This walk is so short it was considered making it a daywalk. A worthwhile and easy trip. Lilo's are a boom on this trip and lots of plastic bags.

FINAL EXAMS.

Along the perilous road that runs from Matriculation to Graduation, every student must pass through a valley of Dipsair called a Final Exam. At first glance a Final Exam appears to be nothing more than a few



hundred questions, all carefully worded to be vague and then sloppily mimeographed to be illegible. Actually, a Final Exam is many things. It is a Third Degree with no safeguards against self-incrimination. It is a mis-matched fight with no rest periods between rounds. It is a stretch in maximum security confinement with no bread and water. It is an Inquisition with no chance to confess and be painlessly executed.



There are many traditional ways to prepare for a Final Exam. You can make teensy-weensy crib notes that the Proctor will never detect, but you will never decipher them. Or you can memorize all the answers to last year's Exam.... which won't fit any of this year's questions. Or you can stay up all night and cramso you'll learn everything and you'll be too sleepy to write about it when the time comes.

What many people do not know is that a Final Exam is cleverly devised to test much more than the student's mere knowledge of a Subject. It also tests his instinct for Desert Survival by placing the drinking fountain "off limits" for the duration. It measures his resistance to Suffocation by trapping him in a windowless, airtight room with 75 other oxygen-breathers. It finds his Breaking Point by forcing him to sit jammed between a rhythmic sniffer and a pathological knuckle-cracker.

The only people who really enjoy Final exams are the Proctors. A Proctor is a person who isn't quite bright enough to be a professor, or isn't quite dumb enough to be a student. So he spends his time supervising exams. Unfortunately many a bright student does poorly on a final exam. That's because he attaches too much importance to it, and develops a mental block against it. He fails to realize that he can always skip a tough question and go on to the next. He fails to realize he can rely on pure guess-work in the True-False section and probably score 50%. And he fails to realize that even after he's skipped the tough questions and relied on guess-work and skipped the exam, he'll always have a chance to take another one.



Good luck to all students.

For all those budding photographers, the club has decided to hold a slide competition. The results will be announced at the December Monthly Meeting. There the winning slides from each section and others worthy of showing will be screened as the feature for the meeting. The judging will be done in four sections:-

Landscape and Seascape
Club Activities
Club Characters and Portrait
Open

The judge will be that ace photographer and through walker Pat Lawton. There will be an entrance fee of ten cents for each section. The prize for the winners has not been decided yet but rumor has it that each winner will receive an autographed photo of each of the eleven committee members. I would like to have your slides by 20th November but the date for closing will be 27th November.

Russell Nelson
Vice President

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More Beaut Scandàl

Tom Plunkett and Paul Elliot will be holding public viewings of their tick bites.

7pm. -8pm. Mon. - Thurs. Please use rear entrance.

A drastic outbreak of hatnapping accured on the last Saftey and Training weekend, "Oh! no not my favourite green, flappy towelling hat," cried Cecily, "that's a family hairloom." Meanwhile Greg Endicott was showing a suspicious bulge as he smirked along the Lost World razorback.

Shades of Charlie Brown! Mardi Confesses to being washy-wishy during orienteering Competition. Don't worry, next time we'll make sure the checkpoints are put in before the competition.

Congratulations to Denise Thompson and Anthony Floyd on their recent engagement. Also Donna Ransom has announced her engagement. Congratulation Donna and Graham.

Brian and Russell are Retreating..... Hey?

After renovations to the Club Hut there should be no trouble starting fires is wet weather.

Mardi Clifford's got a lot of won't power!

Good to see that Stephen Graham is back on the recovery list after a recent car accident.

The editor has been taken away.....Too doo loo.....

RETREAT IN RETROSPECT

The Club members and four nurses from the Holy Spirit Hospital attended the Retreat held at the Ave Maria Retreat House. The style of the retreat can only be described as swinging. Although the retreat was rather free and easy, I feel sure that each individual who attended found the Retreat worthwhile.

As for as attendance goes I think that the Club should have been able to provide another ten members. I hope that next year more males will turn up as only four came this year. It was because of this fact the males didn't get to bed till 2a.m. Saturday morning.

Russell NELSON
VICE PRESIDENT.

SOCIAL REPORT.

The next social is the Supper Dance on the 14th of October, see last page. Hope your all coming.

Don't forget..... our fabulous Beach Picnic Sunday the 12th November. What better way to relax after those final exams. More at the Next Meeting.



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