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# JILALAN

*10/12 Newstead from 5.30 to 8.30 -*  
 Monthly Circular of the  
**BRISBANE CATHOLIC  
 BUSHWALKING CLUB Inc**



Under the guidance of Our Lady Of The Way

## OCTOBER 2003

*7.30.*

*A Green Tree Frog*



*Sketch by Iain Renton*

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**Please have all Jilalan articles to Louise Leonardi by the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month.** otherwise they cannot be included. Articles, if on disk need to be submitted in RTF (Rich Text Format) with a hard copy included, otherwise a handwritten or typed copy will do. Alternatively, you can e-mail your articles to:

**leonardi@gil.com.au**

**GENERAL MEETINGS**

Meetings are held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month, at 7:30pm. The location is **St Brigid's Parish Hall, Musgrave Rd, RED HILL. VISITORS are always welcome.**

**OUTINGS**

- (a) Always read the Jilalan article to check the departure point, date and time.
- (b) Walk departures are usually from Red Hill Parish Hall, Musgrave Rd. Check "Jilalan" or phone the leader to determine the location.
- (c) The club will usually organise transport for each outing, but you must nominate in advance to the leader. Contacting someone else may lead to your nomination becoming "lost". Nominations should preferably be made by the Monday prior to the activity (Wednesday at the latest) so that transport etc. can be arranged. Note that nominations for some walks may close well in advance of this. Late nominations may not be accepted.
- (d) Walkers are responsible for their own transport to and from the departure point.
- (e) Walks are rarely cancelled – if they are, all nominees will be notified. Should you change your mind and decide not to come to a club event, please notify the leader as soon as possible.
- (f) **Visitors who have done more than 3 walks must sign an Assumption of Risk form for insurance.**

**EMERGENCY OFFICER**

If, within the hour prior to an outing's departure, you can't make it or you are running late, phone the number shown in the Jilalan for the Emergency Officer for that outing. If you have not returned from an outing by 9:00pm your family may ring the Emergency Officer – but please don't panic.

**EQUIPMENT HIRE**

The Club has some tents and through-walk packs to hire to visitors and newer members. Borrowers are responsible for collecting and returning equipment, as well as making good any loss or damage over and above normal wear and tear. Hire rates – Packs \$10/ weekend, Tents \$5:00 – Deposit of \$20:00 required.

**PERSONAL EQUIPMENT**

The Association requires that all walkers on all trips should carry certain minimal basic equipment. This should comprise the following – a first aid kit, a torch, a parka/raincoat, hat, shirt 30+ sunscreen and at least 2 litres of water. Leaders may require that walkers carry other equipment. Advice of this will be given in Jilalan and/or by the leader.

**MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

All members are most welcome to attend a meeting of the Management Committee, but please contact the President beforehand. This means you can be advised of any change of date/venue. If you feel strongly about an issue, bring it along to the Committee Meeting and we'll put it on the agenda.

**WARNING** All persons, adult or child, member or visitor, undertake all activities of the Club at their own risk. The club is not in a position to even state that all care will be taken.

## CALENDAR OF CLUB EVENTS 2003

DATE 2003	EVENT	LEADER	CONTACT NUMBER	WALK TYPE
<b>September</b>				
15	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
21	Wildflower walk – Mt Maroon	Phil Murray	3841 0254	D/W
24	Coffee Night	Carolyn Ivanac	3379 9486	Social
26-28	Acacia Plateau	Justin Tobin Gabe Romaguera	3366 3193 3856 3842	B/C
<b>October</b>				
3-5	Training Weekend	Iain Renton	3371 4672	B/C
11	Father Ed Memorial Walk – Moreton Island	Maxine Brophy	3203 4699	D/W
12	Social	Carolyn Ivanac	3379 9486	Social
12	Hike to help Nepal			
19	Sandstone Pt to Beachmere	Pat Lawton	3366 1956	D/W
20	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
25-26	Sylvesters Lookout – Hole in the wall	Phil Murray	3841 0254	O/N
29	Coffee Night	Carolyn Ivanac	3379 9486	Social
<b>November</b>				
8	Mystery Progressive Dinner	Carolyn Ivanac	3379 9486	Social
9				
14-15	Coomera Crevice	Iain Renton	3371 4672	O/N
16	Box Forest Circuit	Barbara Eastoe	3355 3639	D/W
17	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
21-23	Lake Freshwater/Double Island Point	Richard Johns	3353 2822	B/C
26	Coffee Night			Social
28-29	Christmas Party			O/N
<b>December</b>				
6	Fountain Falls	Matthew Palmer	3876 8125	D/W
14	Gap Creek Falls	Nathan Tobin	0413 044 576	D/W
15	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
19	Christmas Carols			Social
24	Coffee Night	Carolyn Ivanac	3379 9486	Social
26	Boxing Day – Lawton's Road – Bris. Forest Park			D/W
31	New Years Eve Party			Social
<b>2004</b>				
<b>January</b>				
10	Mt Cordeaux Night Walk	Terry Silk	3355 9765	Night Walk
17	Social			Social
18	Obi Obi Gorge Li-Lo	Phil Murray	3841 0254	D/W
19	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
24 – 26	Australia Day – Canoe – Noosa River			B/C
28	Coffee Night	Carolyn Ivanac	3379 9486	Social
31	Mt Warning	Barbara Eastoe	3355 3639	D/W
<b>February</b>				
14 – 15	Training Weekend			B/C
16	AGM Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
22	Toooloona Circuit			D/W
25	Coffee Night	Carolyn Ivanac		Social
<b>March</b>				
5-7	Club Hut			B/C

15	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
20	Booloomba Creek			D/W
27 – 28	Stinson Wreck – Point Lookout			O/N
<b>April</b>				
	Easter Weekend			
<b>31 – May 3</b>	Labour Day Weekend - Yuraygir National Park (Northern New South Wales)			B/C and T/W
<b>May</b>				

**KEY – Walk Types**

D/W	Day Walk	½ DW	Half-day Walk
T/W	Through Walk	TRN	Training
O/N	Overnighter	FMR	Federation Mountain Rescue
B/C	Base Camp	SOC	Social

**KEY – Walk Gratings**

The Brisbane Catholic Bushwalking Club uses the following Walk Grading system, which is referred to under each coming walk. If uncertain, please consult with the walk's leader.

<b>1. Distance</b>		<b>2. Terrain</b>		<b>3. Fitness</b>	
Short	Under 10km per day	1-3	<u>Graded or open terrain</u> . No scrub	1-3	<u>Easy</u> . Suitable for beginners
Medium	10-15 km per day	4-7	<u>Bush</u> . Minor scrub rainforest, rock creek Rock hopping, scrambling	4-7	<u>Medium</u> . Reasonable fitness required.
Long	15-20 km per day		<u>Bush</u> . As Above+ thick		
EXtra Long	Over 20 km per day	8-10	scrub, major rock scrambling using hands, technical	8-10	<u>Hard</u> Strenuous, fit walkers required.

**Club Web Address:**

[www.geocities.com/briscathbushclub/](http://www.geocities.com/briscathbushclub/)

email: [briscathbushclub@yahoo.com.au](mailto:briscathbushclub@yahoo.com.au)

The club's calendar can be seen at this site under the heading Event Calendar. (The web site can be located through the Yahoo search engine. Also, there are links from the Federation website.)

## PRESIDENT'S PRATTLE

It was good to see so many new faces at the September monthly meeting such as Sally Courtney, Carla Mackie and Louise Winter.

There were first time visitors as well as a few who had been before. We also saw some members who rarely attended meetings. Thanks to all those who came. The meeting went fast, so all were able to talk over coffee and cake.

Coming up we have the Progressive Dinner, on Sat 8<sup>th</sup> Nov. It is not fancy dress, though, as usual, we are not telling you in advance where you are going. In the past these have been top nights. They work really well when there are a lot of people. The Club provides all the food and tea/coffee. There are 3 courses. We will try to mix people up so that visitors & new members can get to talk to a variety of people. The planning committee are catering for 30, so we need a lot of attendees, otherwise a lot of food is left over. Come along and enjoy.

This year we will be attending Christmas Carols at Newstead Park on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December. Start practicing your singing on outings now so that you will be in fine voice for the night.

Come to see us at the next club meeting on Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Nov, starting at 7.45pm (the doors are already open at 7.30pm, but the dance class is still in the room). Tell us about the latest outing you were on, talk about the last holiday, ask about a coming outing, find out about equipment & clothing, and stay & talk over a coffee after the business bit is over.

See you at the meeting on the 17<sup>th</sup>.

Greg E.

## ABOUT MEMBERS

**Birthday wishes** to Matthew Palmer, Desley Pedrazzini, Russell Nelson, Maxine Brophy, Nathan Tobin, Trevor Kelly, Julie Hoey and Pat Mackie

A warm welcome to our latest new members, Robin Thorn and Peta Matthewman, both of whom have already done two walks with us. Keep up the good work and we look forward to walking with you again. Please come again and make sure that you stay for supper so that we can have a chat after the formalities of the meeting.

Tracey Wallace was a visitor on Phil's Mt. Maroon walk. All reports indicate that you did quite well on your first walk with us and so we hope to see you again, soon.

Some of the people who made club enquiries in September were, G. Smith, Margaret Anderson, Katalin Gaal and Valerie Ferdinands. Thank you for your interest in our club. Please do not be a stranger as we would be only too pleased to make you welcome in our great, friendly club.

## TREASURERS REPORT



<b>Balance 18/08/03</b>	\$1192.78
<b><u>Plus Receipts</u></b>	<u>\$ 15.00</u>

\$1207.78

<b><u>Less Payments</u></b>	<u>\$ 10.90</u>
<b><u>Balance 15/09/03</u></b>	<u>\$1196.88</u>

<b>Term Deposit</b>	\$1,643.82
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*Our big raffle was finally drawn at our last meeting with Barbara Eastoe, Robyn Pugh and Mark Fredrickson, a visitor on our Mt. Barney walk, being the lucky winners. Once again a big thank you to all those who bought tickets. To all those who did not win, better luck next time, and remember, you have to be in it to win. The club has finally been able to close its cheque account at Suncorp Metway and open one at Queensland Teachers Credit Union in the hope of reducing bank charges. Terry.*

## COMING WALKS

### Advanced Notice Tasmania – January 2004

I'll be in Tassie in January and I hope to get a group together to do some walks and some tourist stuff. I'll be there in the second half of January, (which will be better weather than the first half). I will be there for one to two weeks, probably finishing about the Australia Day long week-end.

Possibilities include: Freycint Peninsular (including Wineglass Bay walk). Tasman Peninsular (Port Arthur and Forkscue Bay), Cradle Mountain, Hobart and Mt Wellington plus a limitless range of other possibilities. I know the place quite well and there are stacks of choices.

Please contact me if you are interested and we will work something out as a group. More precise details later

Iain Renton

### Sylvester's Lookout-Hole in the Wall Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> October Overnight Trip

**Leader:** Phil Murray (3841 0254)

**Meet at:** St Brigid's Car Park,  
Musgrave Rd, Red Hill

**Time:** 3:30pm

**Cost:** \$15:00

**Grading:** S 5 5

**Emerg Off:** Susan Murray (3841 0254)

*SUNDAY*

*2.30*

Last year when we did the trip to Hole in the Wall we only got as far as the top of Laidley Creek Falls. It was only a tantalising 30 minutes further to Hole in the Wall but time was against us. This was due to the fact that the rangers had closed the road from Goomburra to the Sylvester's Lookout junction. Well this year I plan to get to Hole in the Wall come rain, hail or shine.

The plan is to camp out at Goomburra the night before and start early to get the views before the afternoon haze settles in.

We will begin with a quick little walk to Mt Castle Lookout to enjoy the view of Mt Castle. Then we will drive back 2 km to the start the walk on the Sylvester's Lookout track. We will have a quick stop at the dismantled lookout platform at – 'the pretend Sylvester's Lookout.' We then follow the old track through the rainforest to the real Sylvester's Lookout where there are spectacular views. Then it is up to the nameless peak and down the ridgeline until we come to Laidley Creek Falls. Unfortunately the falls are usually dry. We will have lunch above the falls and enjoy the view of Mt Castle and the Laidley Creek valley to the north. After lunch we will clamber down past the falls and walk along below the cliff line to get to Hole in the Wall. There will be time to take numerous photos and write in the visitors' book. Then we will continue out to Boar's Head where there are spectacular 360 degree views of Mt Castle, Flinders Peak,

Mt Barney and the panorama of the multitude of peaks that form the Main Range. Then there is the walk back up the 'somewhat steepish' ridge back to the cars.

The name Hole in the Wall – is in reference to the unusual geological feature of a hole in the razorback ridge. The ridge joins the Main Range to Mt Castle. Over time the ridge has been eroded away and caused a curious but cute feature in the rocky ridge. I can't remember how big the hole is, perhaps 4 feet to 8 feet in diameter. When the sun is shining from the right angle you can see the hole from the highway near Aratula. Please note this is a scientific fact not some ancient bushwalking myth.

The reason I wanted this trip planned for late spring was to see the magnificent Spear Lilies in flower. I was hoping to visit Sylvester's again as early as next year but Ian Renton kindly scheduled it for this year. Sylvester's Lookout is probably the best place I have seen the spear lilies. They have formed a sea of plants and I want to get there in spring to see them in flower. The flowers are just enormous. The flowers are large up to 6 inches each and they are arranged in flowers heads about 1 metre long that cram about 40 flowers together. The flower head is on a spike about 4 metres long. The spike often bends over due to weight of the flowers. The spectacular flowers remind me of the book the "Day of the Triffids". The Triffids were a huge flower from outer space that took over the world. From memory I think the Triffids were able to walk and talk but I will have to check the book. For those with a scientific interest rather than science fiction the botanical name of the spear lily is *Doryanthes palmeri*. The etymology of the botanical name is doratos which is



*Sketch of Rock Orchids*  
By Iain Renton

Greek for spear and anthos which is Greek for flower. Such a mundane translation of the common name into a scientific name seems to take some of the magic out of the process for me. The palmeri is named after Sir James Palmer the Mayor of Melbourne and a keen botanist.

It should be a terrific day in the great outdoors so come along and enjoy.

Phil Murray

### **Coomera Crevice** **Fri 14<sup>th</sup> - Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Nov** **Overnighter**

**Leader:** Iain Renton (3371 4672)  
**Meet at:** St Brigid's Car Park,  
Musgrave Rd, Red Hill  
**Time:** 7:00pm  
**Cost:** \$15:00 + camping fees  
**Grading:** M 5 4  
**Emerg Off:** Terry Silk (3355 9765)

This is a spectacular walk with a difference. Spectacular, because you'll be walking right to the end of Coomera Crevice where sheer cliffs tower above you and several waterfalls fall in long straight drops from great heights. This is different because some of it will be creek walking in the water (so you will need to wear KT26's

or similar with good tread, as your feet will be getting quite wet).

After camping overnight at Binna Burra, we will be taking part of the Illinbah Circuit down to Coomera River and then heading upstream. There are plenty of rock pools and cascades bordered by luxuriant rainforest. We'll be returning by the same route.

Access to Coomera Crevice is open but I am waiting to hear from park rangers as to whether there will be some restrictions to the area below the new lookout (because there have been reports of people throwing stones from the lookout).

If you would also like to do Barbara's walk on Sunday you could stay overnight on Saturday and turn it into a basecamp.

Iain Renton

### **Box Forest Circuit Sun 16<sup>th</sup> November Daywalk**

**Leader:** Barbara Eastoe  
(3355 3639)  
**Meet at:** St Brigid's Car Park,  
Musgrave Rd, Red Hill  
**Time:** 7:00am  
**Cost:** \$10:00  
**Grading:** M 2 3  
**Emerg Off:** Sam Leonardi (3287 1372)

Are you looking for a walk that is long enough to qualify as a bushwalk but short enough to let you arrive home without feeling exhausted? Do you want to extend yourself with a track that goes down and then up without any really steep climbs or rock scrambling? Do you want to leave yourself time to have a leisurely cup of coffee after the walk and still be back in Brisbane before it gets dark? If you

answered yes to any of the above then the Box Forest Circuit is the walk for you.

Come and join me for my favourite short (10.9 km) walk from O'Reilly's. We'll start out on the Border Track for 1.7 km and then branch off to the left and descend gradually through rainforest. We'll then take the Box Forest Circuit (taking care to walk it in a clockwise direction as instructed) towards West Canungra Creek. The track is steep and a little narrow in places but is well graded and should not prove to be difficult. On the way down we pass through a stand of giant Brush Box trees which are a truly magnificent sight. These have the largest trunks of any tree in Lamington National Park. They look like a eucalypt but actually belong to the family Myrtaceae which also includes the tea-trees.

When we get down to the creek, the path follows it for some way past deep pools and large boulders. Somewhere along here will be a perfect spot to stop for lunch. The track upwards is much less steep than the one downwards and should be just the thing to walk off our lunch. We'll make a short detour to look at the Elabana Falls before joining the track back to O'Reilly's.

Of course, no bushwalk would be complete without the obligatory cup of coffee. Is there a more spectacular coffee place than the verandah at O'Reilly's (well, perhaps the one at Binna Burra but it's arguable)? We should be able to share our table with the large number of birds who come to see if they can sneak some leftover food. Then, it's back to Brisbane early enough for you to get psyched up for work on the Monday.

This should be a great walk so come along and enjoy what must be one of the most beautiful areas in the world.

Barbara Eastoe

## COMING SOCIALS

### Progressive Dinner Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2003



**Starting Point:** 24 Maraket Street  
Toowong  
**Time:** 5:30pm  
**Cost:** \$20:00  
**Contact:** Carolyn Ivanac  
(3379 9486)

As you finish one course, you will then be told where the next location is. It will not be a hurried night – you will have a lot of time to eat slowly and to talk. We will attempt to put as many people into as few cars as possible – to make it easier to get from course to course with the minimum of time & fuss.

The Club will cater for all the food, you will need to bring your own plates, bowls, mug, cutlery etc, and wash it up yourself as you go. The Club does not provide alcohol. These are always good nights.

### Coffee Night

Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> October

**Where:** Café Majella  
359 Gympie Rd  
Kedron  
(Across the road from KFC)  
**Time:** 7:15 – 7:30pm

For further information please contact me  
on Ph: 3379 9486. Carolyn

## Congratulations...

... to our fearless leader, Greg Endicott, for the sterling job he did advertising upcoming events in last month's Jilalan. Word has it that he spent hours getting the colour and shape of the inserts just right (none of this same size, same colour for our Greg!). His hard work seems to have paid off as there were more people at the monthly meeting than we've had for some time and 13 intrepid souls fronted up for Phil's Mt Maroon trip. Keep up the good work Greg.

*P.S. Is there any truth in the rumour that Phil Murray considered showing up at the meeting disguised in a floppy hat and sunglasses so as to appear invisible? Evidently, the unbiased (?) words of admiration for his upcoming walk were as much of a surprise to him as they were for the rest of us.*

## PAST SOCIALS

### Coffee Night

Thanks to those who came. Peta, Maggie (Peta's friend), Jean, Maxine, Elizabeth R, The Endicott family, The Tobin's, Gabe and Terry. A few of us met early for dinner and it was terrific. Others came for coffee and a chat.

Mary Tobin had a very busy night sticking stickers on everybody's hands. Thanks to all for coming and I look forward to seeing many more of you at the next one.

Carolyn

## PAST OUTINGS

### Bald Rock Basecamp 11<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> July

*Location, location, location !!!* Where exactly is South Bald Rock located? I jest! We found it! Mind you ....had the front line (Liz and Ray) not been so occupied solving the big issues of the universe, they may have noticed it the first time passed. And ..... had the rest of the party been less sheep like in their following, they may have spotted it looming large on the left. Never-to-mind ...there is was rearing up to the right on the return. Isn't it something of a club record to have located it at all? We saw it, admired it, climbed it, ate our lunch at the base of it, and were able to point other walkers in its direction.

Bald rock itself was easier to identify as we were camped at its base. We chose the very pretty, graded track for the ascent, but descended by the much shorter and sharper "down the face" route. Views from the summit were spectacular. The visitor's book was a curious novelty and Iain's boiling billy was a welcome treat.

A trip into town on Friday night enabled us to pay our respects to the Tenterfield Saddler, fix Michelle's car with a carving knife (successfully resisting cutting off the tail of the local blind mice), and feast on corn meat and mustard sauce at the local pub. Log fires in the bar and dining room were duly appreciated. Bathroom facilities were exploited before the return to the single composting toilet at the campsite.

The weather was kind. A few spots of rain provided an opportunity to air raincoats but the rain was not inconvenient. (June got to show off her cool backpack rain cover!) The cloud cover ensured mild conditions. A ground sheet, a tent, a space blanket, a therma rest, a sleeping bag, two blankets, another sleeping bag, another space

blanket, a tracksuit, thermal underwear and woollen socks provided adequate overnight insulation. Although, ..... Ruth's airless airbed didn't contribute much warmth.

We commandeered the exclusive "Bald Rock Heights" area of the campsite, complete with private fireplace and picnic table. A bottomless rubbish bin and the already mentioned composting toilet were a safe distance downwind of our settlement. Some friendly neighbours alerted us to their frustration at being unable to get the firewood alight. The poor souls lacked our secret weapon - the fearsome fire starter, Ray!

This trip was not all recreation. It was educational for some. Young Joseph, who did a stirring job of completing both walks, learnt a valuable lesson about collecting rocks on walks - don't!

The names of the happy campers are a mystery, but here are some singing clues (in alphabetical order to make it easy for you).

- ◆ *God save our gracious queen*  
.....
- ◆ *Waited while his billy boiled* .....
- ◆ *..... and his amazing*  
*technicolour dreamcoat*
- ◆ *After the merry month of* .....
- ◆ *Shorter version of 'God save our*  
*gracious queen'* .....
- ◆ *..... ma belle*
- ◆ *Our little* ..... *of 'Sunshine on*  
*my shoulders'*
- ◆ *..... 's Song*

Clayton's story

## Scarborough-Clontarf



*' Oh, I do like to be beside the Seaside  
I do like to be beside the sea '*

The sun was warm, the breeze was gentle and the lay of the land was **FLAT**. Perfect conditions for a Saturday afternoon adventure.

Afternoon tea with the beautiful people on the Redcliffe Pier was relaxed and elegant. Beside us whale watches disembarked from the catamaran 'Eye Spy' captained by Kerry Lopez (nee McTaggart).

At Suttons Beach we admired the Redcliffe Surf Lifesaving Club but could not spot the surf anywhere.

In boots and packs we blended into the beachside wedding party nicely but were disappointed not to get a good look at the bride. Who cares about the groom? He was only going to be wearing the predicable suit anyway.

*'I love this'* sums up the appreciation of all on this outing. It was exclaimed by the youngest participant, Josh, and that was before he spotted the wreck of the 'Gayundah' at Woody Point.

*'Another deviation from the pre outing, Too much stress...'* was Terry's favourite saying as time and again this group of risk takers ventured onto cement paths previously unexplored.

Wedding guests included:

*Carolyn - Chief Bouquet hunter*

*Terry - Eco friendly 'Charlie'*

*Josh - 'Short' pavement interpreter*

*Patricia - Coffee flavoured chocolate brownie queen*

*Liz - Barney (the Mountain) Extraordinaire*

*Elizabeth - The Clayton Leader of the Clayton Walk*

**The Best Walk Ever – Scarborough to Clontarf – 14 kms, 3 hours 40 mins**

## Queensland Federation of Bushwalking Clubs

Federation meetings are held at 7:30pm on the fourth Thursday of each month at the Little Kings Movement, 33 O'Keefe St, Buranda.

Federation web site address is:

<http://www.geocities.com/qfbwc/index.htm>

The email address is

[qfbwc@yahoo.com.au](mailto:qfbwc@yahoo.com.au)

## FEDERATION MOUNTAIN RESCUE

### M.B.S.

Who was the "strange" blue-shod, green dressed male seen exiting Terry's blue Datsun 1200 on the Claytons Walk? Alas, the red back pack gave him away, or did it? Where was the real Terry? After all, the 6th September was the date of Australia's round of the World Rally Championship.

Just why were some mature-aged club members seen reliving their youth at our recent training week-end? Terry maintained that hop-scotch and skipping rope were not part of his youth as far as he could remember. You should have been there. Much fun was had by all and as a bonus, some knowledge and new skills were learnt thanks to Iain's sterling efforts.

## OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

### How about a Club T-Shirt?

A couple of months ago a group of us got talking about the idea of getting a **BCBC t-shirt**. This was discussed at the July meeting and people seemed interested.

A club t-shirt:

- ❖ Could be worn when we go out as a group. Many people wouldn't want to wear it for all bushwalks but it would be a good way to advertise the club if we are going to places where we are likely to meet a number of people.
- ❖ Could also be worn anywhere by individuals. This would also act as a form of advertising.

I have been talking to Antipodes clothing about the cost of shirts. I have been given a quote of \$22.95 + GST for an all cotton polo shirt with the collar in a contrasting colour. This price applies for up to 50 shirts. The club logo would be embroidered on the shirt. If we decide to have the logo in several colours it may be slightly more. The shirt is unisex and comes in a wide range of sizes. You would order your desired size.

We will be making a decision on whether to go ahead with the shirt at the next meeting. We will also have fabric samples

to allow us to choose the colour. So, if you want a say in the club t-shirt, come along to October's meeting.

If you would like to have a say about whether to get the shirt and/or what colour it should be and can't get to the meeting. E-mail Greg Endicott at [endhouse@bigpond.net.au](mailto:endhouse@bigpond.net.au) before the meeting on October 20.

Barbara Eastoe

### \* A THOUGHT TO PONDER.....\*

*"Everyone has a photographic memory. Some don't have film."*

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### A note from the Editor.....

Please forward your magazine articles by the **1<sup>st</sup> of the month**. You may forward your articles to either:

25 Harburg Drive  
Beenleigh Qld 4207 *or*  
e-mail address: [leonardi@gil.com.au](mailto:leonardi@gil.com.au)

"Gracious is the Lord, and righteous;  
yes, our God is compassionate."  
*Psalm 116:5*

Yours in Christ Louise



Sketch by Iain Renton

THE GIRLS PRAYER

*Our cash  
Which art on plastic  
Hallowed be thy name  
Thy Cartier watch  
Thy Prada bag  
In Myer  
As it is in David James  
Give us each day our Platinum Visa  
And forgive those who stop our Mastercard  
And lead us not into Katies  
And deliver us from Sussans  
For thine is the Dinnegan, the Akira and the Armani  
For Chanel No 5 and Eternity*

*Amex*



LAST WORLD FROM THE START OF THE BUCHANAN FORT RAIL

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*ARE YOU*

*Tired,*

*Worn-out*

*Listless*

*Weary*

*Bored*

*THEN,*

*Come To The Meeting on*

*MONDAY 20<sup>th</sup> Oct, at*

*St Brigid's Hall, Musgrave  
Rd, Red Hill*

*Commencing 7.45pm.*

*Stay for Supper Afterwards.*

*ALL WELCOME*



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