

JILALAN

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Monthly Circular of the BRISBANE CATHOLIC BUSHWALKING CLUB Inc.

UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF OUR LADY OF THE WAY

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CONTACTS

For specific enquiries, contact the committee member (from above) concerned. For outings or socials, contact the leader shown in the calendar or article. Visitors - for general enquiries contact Susan Tobin 3366 3193.

Please have all Jilalan articles to Carol Kelly by the 1st 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: kellyhouse@ozemail.com.au

GENERAL MEETINGS

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

OUTINGS

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- Always read the Jilalan article to check the departure point, date and time. (a)
- Walk departures are usually from Red Hill Parish Hall, Musgrave Rd. Check "Jilalan" or phone the leader to (b) determine the location.
- The club will usually organise transport for each outing, but you must nominate in advance to the leader. (c) 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.
- Walkers are responsible for their own transport to and from the departure point. (d)
- Walks are rarely cancelled if they are, all nominees will be notified. Should you change your mind and (e) decide not to come to a club event, please notify the leader as soon as possible.

Visitors who 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.

EOUIPMENT 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.

WARNINGAll 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 2002

DATE 2002	EVENT	LEADER	CONTACT NUMBER	WALK TYPE
April				
13	Bridges of Brisbane	Desley Pedrazzini	3369 5530	D/W
15	Meeting			
20	Binna Burra – Shipstern	Desley Pedrazzini	3369 5530	D/W
24	Social - Coffee Night	Patricia Mackie	3398 7041	Social
25	Anzac Day Dawn Service	John Carter	3290 3621	Social
27	Mt Warning	Terry Silk	3355 9765	D/W
May				
4/5	Hole in the Wall	Phil Murray	3841 0254	D/W
11	Surprise/Mystery Social	Patricia Mackie	3398 7041	Social
12	Mt Coot-tha	Don Keating	3878 7296	D/W
20	Meeting			
25	Annual Mass & Dinner	Maxine Brophy	3203 4699	Social
26 -	Mt Tabletop			D/W
26/27	FMR Training Weekend	FMR		Training
29	Coffee Night	Patricia Mackie	3369 5530	Social
June				
1/2	Mt Barney Lodge Eliz Richards 50th	Desley Pedrazzini	3369 5530	Social
2	Mt Gillies			Daywalk
7-10	Emu Valley / Con's Plains			B/C
15	Mt Edwards / Mt French	Mary Nolan	3355 6851	D/W
17	Meeting			13
23	Mt Ommaney	Matthew Palmer	3279 4490	D/W-Social
26	Coffee Night	Patricia Mackie	3369 5530	Social
28-30	The Amphitheatre, Mt Mistake	Iain Renton	3371 4672	T/W
28-30	Glen Rock			B/C
July				
5-7				D/W
15	Meeting			
21	Karawatha Forest	Phil Murray	3841 0254	D/W
21 or 28	Historic Shepherd's Walk	Terry Silk	3355 9765	D/W
24	Coffee Night	Patricia Mackie	3369 5530	Social
August				
3	Equipment Day - FMR	John Carter	3290 3621	Training
14	Barney Mass			D/W
19	Meeting			
25	Toohey Forest	Phil Murray	3841 0254	D/W
September 1	Fr Ed Memorial Walk - Dave's Creek Circuit	Mary Nolan	3355 6851	D/W
6-8	Pilgrimage hosted by YHA			B/C
14	FMR Training Day - Abseiling Kangaroo Point	John Carter	3290 3621	Training
15	Mt Maroon	Trevor Kelly	3269 4795	D/W
16	Meeting			
29	Muscat & Bailey Creeks	Matthew Palmer	3279 4490	D/W

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KEY - Walk Types

Day Walk
Through Walk
Overnighter
Base Camp

 ½ DW
 Half-day Walk

 TRN
 Training

 FMR
 Federation Mountain Rescue

 SOC
 Social

KEY - Walk Gradings

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.

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Easy. Suitable for beginners
Medium. Reasonable
Required 🐘
Hard. Strenuous, fit
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Club Web Address:

www.geocities.com/briscathbushclub/ email: 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.)

ABOUT MEMBERS

THANK YOU

The club would like to extend a huge vote of thanks to **John Carter** and **Justin Tobin** for the tremendous amount of great work they have done for the club over the past number of years. Thank you also to their spouses for their patience, understanding and allowing us to share some of their husband's precious time. Their boots will be hard to fill.

Sam Leonardi is still in hospital, our best wishes to you Sam, and a quick recovery after your successful surgery.

Desley Pedrazzini, is recovering well, after fracturing her li'l pinky toe on the dining room chair...... She will now concede that she is less than perfect, because the said toe will now be 10th of an

inch shorter.... Hopefully, this will not hinder her success in the Husband seeking stakes.....

WANTED - A NEW JILALAN EDITOR

Due to other commitments I have, I will no longer be able to continue to do the magazine for the club. Could any interested parties please contact me. The only requirements for the job are a basic knowledge of Word Processing, and to be able to cut and paste. Email access would be an advantage, but not a necessity. It is not a hard job to do and can be quite enjoyable.

Thanks, Carol Kelly. 3269 4795.

TREASURERS REPORT



Balance 18/02/02 <u>Plus Receipts</u>	\$1,688.33 <u>\$424.00</u>
<u>Less Payments</u> Balance 18/03/02	\$2,112.33 <u>\$.60</u> <u>\$2,111.73</u>
Term Deposit Terry.	\$1,537.40

OUTINGS NEWS

Leaders are reminded that Matthew has maps for most areas. So give him a call to get one.

INFORMATION FOR VISITORS

All visitors who have participated in more than three walks and yet are to become a member must sign the 'Assumption of Risk Form'. This is to occur before commencing a walk. This is a requirement of the Insurance Scheme so that the visitor will be covered by the policy.



COMING WALKS

Shipstern 20 April 2002

Leader:	Nathan Tobin/Desley
	Pedrazzini 3369 5530
Meet at:	St Brigid's Car Park,
	Musgrave Tce, Red Hill.
Time:	6.30pm
Cost:	\$15
Grading:	L34
Emerg Off:	Carol Kelly 3269 4795

I will be doing the pre outing for this walk on Easter Monday it is a 19km reasonably easy (but long) walk through rainforest and open forest with numerous lookouts over Numinbah Valley. Desley.

HOLE IN THE WALL Daywalk Sunday 5th May 2002

Leader:	Phil Murray ph 3841 0254
Meet at:	Red Hill
Time:	7-00 am
Grade:	S55
Cost:	\$15
Emergency	Officer: Susan Murray
Ph 3841 02	54

Hole in the Wall - is 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. Terry Silk has lots of photos which show how big the hole is. Apparently, when the sun is shining from the right angle you can see the hole from the highway near Aratula. (However, I am not sure if this is a bushwalking myth or a scientific fact.)

The original plan for the trip was to camp the night at Goomburra on the Saturday night and then do a big walk on the Sunday from Sylvester's Lookout out to Mt Castle and back again. On the pre-outing with Justin and Tobin and Terry Silk it was obvious that the planned trip would be a very, very long day. The easier trip was to do a walk out to Hole in the Wall enabling most members of the club to do the walk in relative comfort. The only drawback is that there is a big drive of '2 hours plus' before and after the walk. However, if anyone wants to independently arrange to camp at Goomburra the night before we can organise to meet you in the morning.

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, although Justin has been fortunate enough to see the falls in flow. 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 cliffline 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.

So come along for a great day in the outdoors on the long weekend. Remember you have the public holiday on Monday to recover from the walk. And yes, we will have a short coffee break at Aratula on the way down. Phil Murray

Mt. Warning Saturday 27th April 2002

Leader: Terry Silk Meet At: St. Bridgid's Car Park, Musgrave Tce., Red Hill. Time: 7.00 am Cost: \$15-00 Emerg. Off.: Carol Kelly (3269 4795)

Well, this should be my first walk as a solo leader. Let's hope that I have somebody to lead. You are welcome to nominate at the meeting or by phoning me on the number shown above. I have not done a pre-outing as I have done this walk a couple of times before, with the last being about ten years ago. From memory it is a graded track that goes up, up and up and then, naturally, down, down and down. In places, the going is rather uneven with numerous tree roots and rocks on the track. Near the summit there is a sturdy chain to help you haul yourself to the top. When I first did this walk, I felt that it was harder than Ayers Rock. Some people have agreed with me but most have not. I guess that it is all a matter of your fitness level. (No pain no gain.) Anyway, I am sure that everyone has heard about Mount Warning and the views which can be obtained from the summit on a clear day, of which we have been having plenty, lately. So, I encourage you to nominate for this trip to New South Wales to meet this challenge. Now that daylight saving is finished, time will not be a problem and you will have Sunday to recover from your efforts. Terry.

Mt Coot-tha Day Walk Sat 11th May

Leaders:	Don Keating & Robyn Pugh (3878-7296)
	(04 02 04 3612)
	piralko@optusnet.com.au
Meet At:	St Bridgid's Car Park
Time:	8:30 AM

Cost:	\$5.00
Grading:	S33
Walk:	Coffee Crawl
BYO:	BBQ lunch

This year we plan to explore the more westerly slopes of Mt Coot-tha and sneak up on the coffee shop from behind. We will gather at St Bridgid's at 8:30 and go out to the Chapel Hill Environment Education Centre at the corner of Fleming and Kirkdale Rds. From there we will take the graded Honey Eater track up to the summit restaurant for morning tea. After descending back to the cars we will go back along Russell Tce to have a BBQ lunch at Moore Park.

Join us for a relaxing morning in the bush. Don and Robyn.

COMING SOCIALS

Coffee Night

Please phone PATRICIA MACKIE, on 3398 7041 for details on the coffee night on 24 April.

SURPRISE MYSTERY SOCIAL. MAY 11

Please telephone Patricia Mackie on 3398 7041 for the details of this Mystery Social.

ANZAC Day Dawn Service Thursday 25 April Ann St War Memorial 4.15am

Club members have been attending the Dawn Service for a number of years. It is a moving experience.

After we have a BBQ/ picnic breakfast at Kangaroo Point, down by the river, sometime after 5.15am.

We are thinking of <u>using a different</u> <u>advantage point this year to view the</u> <u>service</u>. Ring John Carter to let him know if you can make it.

PAST SOCIALS

St. Helena Island was cancelled again due to bad weather, so I have given up on this for the time being. Maybe next summer.....

Desley



The Planetarium proved a popular choice for a social with 12 people attending. We saw a 45 minute show about space exploration and the stars currently visible on the Brisbane skyline. We then moved on to Mt. Cootha for coffee and where all sorts of UFO's were identified by our newly qualified experts.

Thanks to Mary, Clare and Michael Nolan, Terry, Margaret Cooper, Margaret and John Smith, Iain, Susan, Mary and Justin Tobin.

Desley

PAST COFFEE NIGHTS

Under a full moon we gathered for coffee at Chez Laila at Southbank in February. Fourteen people enjoyed coffee and cakes to prepare for our strenuous walk across the Goodwill Bridge afterwards. We also had entertainment provided with Mary Tobin and Chris McCaffrey singing and dancing their way across. Thanks to Patricia Mackie (and her uncle Col), Terry, Chris, Susan, Mary, Graham, Liz, Justin, Tony, Jean Maxine and Greg. Desley

PAST OUTINGS

Clean up Australia Day Tinchi Tamba Wetlands Sunday 3 March

Five helpers gathered in the rain with bags, gloves, water and good humour as we walked across the wetlands area to the edge of the Pine River. We filled 17 bags in all throughout the morning along beside the Pine River Bridge and mangroves.

The tide was fast approaching as we stopped for our morning "smoko", most of the work completed.

We dragged bags along for collection later in the week and made our way back to the cars, stopping for a photo shot with Don Deagon, the ranger.

Chris cooked our BBQ lunch while Josua completed the pick up around Deep Water Bend. Time to enjoy a well earned lunch with delicious chocolate cakes from Chris and Patricia.

Sincere thanks to Ian, Chris Mc, Josua (7) and Patricia for the great help.

(collected: mostly bottles, old plastic bags, Datsun hubcap, numerous old broken bottles, plastic containers, diving bottles, food containers, takeaway paper wrapping and much more!) Cheers! Maxine.

MT TAMBORINE Saturday 23 March

It was an overcast morning when 22 of us met (23 if you count the leader) to set out for Mt Tamborine. This was my first walk as a leader and I was a little nervous. I had seen other leaders allocate walkers to cars and there was no trouble so I tried this. It didn't work! What's wrong with me I thought? But being a teacher stood me in good stead. Every teacher knows that you need to have a plan A, B and C. So I moved to plan B and got the car drivers to stand around in a ring and let them find their own cars. Success! I'd still like to know what these other leaders have that I don't!

By the time we reached Tamborine the day had become bright and sunny. We headed off on our first walk at Witches Falls. It was a pleasant walk through rainforest including Picabeen Palms, Strangler Figs, Cycads an huge basalt boulders. It took me back to my days leading students through the rainforest and I couldn't stop myself stopping and telling people about their surroundings. They were a very polite bunch. No one booed and some even complimented me on making the trip more interesting. Maybe they were worried that I would lose them if they weren't nice to me.

At the end of this walk we headed off to The Knoll for a leisurely morning tea. Then off on a circuit which included eucalypt forest, beautiful views and more Picabeen Palms. Then it was time for a long lunch before moving on to Palm Grove where there were (you guessed it) more Picabeen Palms. By now a few were slowing down but finally we all met at the cars and compare how many snakes we had seen (truly!). After a group photo we headed off to the coffee shop.

The coffee shop was a real hit. We had a big deck all to ourselves and ate off bone china with service to match. We had a great time there and it set off a great day. We had walked about 10 Km but with the long breaks in between it didn't feel nearly that far. I'd like to thank all those who came along for being such a great group and for telling me how much they enjoyed the walk. I'd like to also thank our youngest participant Ethan (who has the makings of a great walker) and our oldest walker Eric. There's not many activities where people of all ages can be together and enjoy themselves so much. Barbara Eastoe

HARRYS HUT CANOE TRIP JANUARY 26-28

Thursday's forecast for the long weekend did not really sound ideal for canoeing across open waters---- hopefully they have got it wrong!!

Saturday dawned after strong winds all night, it didn't look too promising. We met at Burpengary BP, loaded cars and departed for Elana Point with a quick stop to collect Patricia, fresh from a weeks holiday with her family.

A cuppa all around as while we paid for canoes, and unpacked cars, wondering what we could do without. The wind was steadily gathering force as we headed out onto lake cootharaba, and an invitation to drive into Harry's was met with definate NO'S!!!!. After all we could always push the canoes across the lake if all else failed. June and Barbara were first around Mill Point, followed by Brian and Patricia. All paddling well against the elements. A few bail outs as the following parties tried to round the Point, but determination had set in by now and these 25-30kt wind gusts were not going to spoil our weekend.

It was a hard paddle over to kinaba with welcome parties helping the weary crews in for a morning tea stop and the promise of calmer waters waiting for us. This National Park Information Centre is a great place built out over the water holding detailed displays and maps of the lake and river systems we were about to venture into. Refreshed from our food stop, spirits were high, from here we were in the sheltered waterways of the upper Noosa river. A short open stretch across fig tree lake and then we were making great progress up through the narrows, past Lake Como. Magical sights awaited us and the past few hours faded from our minds as we slipped quietly into another world of mirror reflections. Paper Bark trees and Palms lined the edges of the river while the bird life was busy catching their lunch, Kingfishers greeting us from overhanging branches.

Ĥarry's appeared around a corner, a pleasant surprise after thinking we had further to go. Quite a bit of activity along the way as we headed for the last jetty to tie up the canoes and set up camp. Welcome swims in the cool river before a late lunch and very welcome cuppa.

By now, our visitor, Brian White, had proved to be our saving grace after his canoeing expertise and all round experience on the water made us all feel a lot safer as we planned the following days adventures.

Tea was early before we were all well ready for a good nights rest. A thick cloud cover put an end to the star show we had planned, maybe the next evening. It was good to listen to the night sounds, the wind amongst the tree tops in the far distance the crashing waves over on the Ocean beach. Warm enough to leave the tend door rolled up and watch the moon breaking out of the cloud lighting up this magical place.

Sunday found the happy canoeists paddling well as we made for camp 3 therefore halving the distance of the walk today. The wind behind us going up the river giving us a help along and we had condensed our manpower and put 3 in each canoe. Welcome, refreshing swims at Camp 3 with the front canoe disturbing four happy skinny dippers. There were a number of craft moored here as this is the furthest point by motor in the Upper Noosa River. Morning tea and we were on the track to the Cooloola

Sandpatch (12km return). Low heat in the open flat area before a gentle climb through open forest with grasstrees as we

followed the ridge along to the sandpatch. Glimpse of blue ocean between the trees and as we reared the end, panoramic views overlooking the lakes and rivers we had come through yesterday. Strong winds were whipping up the bend in the large open expanse, June and a few brave walkers returned out to look over the edge to the ocean. This sand is constantly moving, enveloping the forest on it's edges a unique part of the Cooloola System.

Billy boiled and a break for lunch and a good rest while Barbara gave us an informative talk on the eco system in the National Park. A warm walk back with the South Easterly winds helping us out and the prospect of swimming again before we left to paddle back to Harry's.

We lit a campfire and enjoyed a relaxing evening over dinner with lots of good conversation and we finished off goodies to make the load lighter going home!

Breakfast and packing were over quickly as we knew what lay ahead – hard paddling into this still strong wind. Sad to leave Harry's after a great time but we will return.

Morning tea at Fig Tree Lake with Brian and Michael coming back for the last canoe battling the head wind. A quick call into Kiraba and we toped up our food for the long stretch back to Elanda Point in the far distance. An hour's canoeing in very choppy waters and relief on all our faces to pull up the canoes onto the beach. It had surely been a survivor's weekend and grateful thanks to the brave souls who put in such an effort. Mary, Michael, Brian, Jean, June, Barbara and Patricia. With special thanks to Brian for all his help and expertise.

Cheers! - Maxine.

Queensland Federation of Bushwalking Clubs

Federation meetings are held on the fourth Thursday of each month at the Baroona Special School, Milton from 7.30pm.

Federation web site address is: http://www.geocities.com/qfbwc/index.htm]. The email address is qfbwc@yahoo.com.au

FEDERATION MOUNTAIN RESCUE

NAVIGATION NIGHT TUESDAY 23 APRIL 2002 7.30 PM NORWEGIAN HALL PARKER STREET NEWMARKET

TOPICS Instructor Dave will include:Refresher of basics. map coordinates, grid references, back bearings, converting from magnetic to grid, change in map coordinates etc BRING: compass if you have one (some will be available) pencil, plate of supper to share (optional) - tea and coffee will be available COST: \$5 includes map photocopy To enroll or make NOMINATION: enquiries Ring Cathie 33941030 after 5pm or email duffyma@powerup.com.au

FMR meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month at the Baroona Special School, Milton at 7.30pm.

FMR has a web site and its address site is htp://130.102.84.99/quanta/org/fmr/fmr.ht m and the email address is fmr@chem.chemistry.uq.oz.au

MAGAZINE ARTICLES

Could everyone please have their articles for the magazine, to me by the 1st of every month. IF I DO NOT RECEIVE ARTICLES BY THIS DEADLINE,

THEY CANNOT BE INCLUDED IN THE MAGAZINE.

Email is: <u>kellyhouse@ozemail.com.au</u> Address is 10 Townsend Street, Brighton 4017. PH: **3269 4795** MOB: 0411 286 885

More Beaut Scandal!!!!!!!

Which lady, while doing a recent preouting, mentioned to walkers that they were keeping an eye out for a "good looking bloke" On same walk, lady reportedly got 9 leachbites, a scratch, and a supposedly unexplained bruise in an odd place. Monday morning, same lady at work, was ADAMANT that the red marks on her neck were definitely the said leachbites, and she swears she doesn't know how she got the bruise!!!!!!!! We wonder whether the "good looking bloke" had something to do with it.

Same Walker as above, different story, was recently discussing when she would know that the time had come to stop bushwalking and start staying at home and knitting and crocheting. She promptly stood up, and fractured her li'l pinky toe on the kitchen table!. She has decided that she is safer in the bush.

What MALE Club member proudly showed off his doiley collection after a recent club walk? And why was he being so possessive when someone tried to take it off him?

What does the well-dressed stuffed cane toad rest on? Who is the interior decorator in the Pugh/Keating household?

Which two committee members have taken to "bowing and curtseying" and pulling chairs out for our first ever female El Presidente? Was her sidekick, the one that's into all the "Vice" stuff, one of them? We think they are after SOMETHING!. Which lady at the Deegan Wedding, was swept off her feet, LITERALLY, and was carried from the drinks area, to the reception area? And, by WHOM????

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Robertson-Deegan Wedding. This wedding ceremony was, probably one of the SWEETEST weddings I have ever been to besides my own. The absolute love and joy that poured from Majella and Mark, was a wonder to see.

I am so glad that I was invited to be a part of it. The bride was beautiful, and wore a gown that was a wonder to behold..... And.... Of course, Mark looked gorgeous too. The happy couple, and both their families were beaming with pride, and joy.

Thank you, Majella and Mark, for sharing your day with us. It was beautiful. The bestest of wishes to you both for your life together, and your safety on your honeymoon...... Carol.

*** DATES TO REMEMBER ***

June 1-2 Weekend at Larkin's to help Elizabeth Richards celebrate 50 great years. Relax beside the roaring fire, views untold. Black Tie Dinner. Bring your favourite dish to share. Cooking facilities available. BYO sleeping bag and pillow. Maxine. 3203 4699

*** THOUGHTS TO PONDER.....***

"Truly great friends are hard to find, difficult to leave, and impossible to forget."

"True friendship comes when silence between two people is comfortable."--David Tyson Gentry

"A friend is someone who knows the song in your heart and can sing it back to you when you have forgotten the words." If undeliverable return to Brisbane Catholic Bushwalking Club Inc PO Box 151 Brisbane ALBERT ST QLD 4002

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