



# JILALAN

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Monthly Circular of the  
**BRISBANE CATHOLIC  
BUSHWALKING CLUB Inc**

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Under the guidance of Our Lady Of The Way

**MAY 2003**

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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. The 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 2002

DATE 2003	EVENT	LEADER	CONTACT NUMBER	WALK TYPE
<b>April</b>				
14	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
18-21	Washpool/Gibraltar Range	Gabe Romaguera	3856 3842	B/C
21	Mt Samson – Joint walk with BOSQ	Pat Lawton	3366 1956	D/W
25	Anzac Day Dawn Service and BBQ	John Carter	3290 3621	Social
26	Illinbah Circuit	Maxine Brophy	3203 4699	D/W
28	Committee Meeting			
30	Coffee Night	Carolyn Ivanac	3379 9486	Social
<b>May</b>				
3-5	Club Hut	Iain Renton	3371 4672	B/C
10	Toowong/Sherwood Cross River Walk	Maxine Brophy	3203 4699	D/W
19	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
24	Annual Mass & Dinner	Phil Murray	3841 0254	Social
25	Mt Ngungun Train Trip	John Carter	3290 3621	D/W
28	Coffee Night	Carolyn Ivanac	3379 9486	Social
<b>June</b>				
1	Mt. Greville	Majella Deegan	3300 0229	D/W
6-9	Emu Creek	Iain Renton	3371 4672	B/C
14	Ferries of Brisbane Walk	Barbara Eastoe	3355 3639	D/W
16	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
21	Mt Mitchell	Geoff Egert	0412 781306	D/W
25	Coffee Night	Carolyn Ivanac	3379 9486	Social
27-28	Savages Ridge	Iain Renton	3371 4672	O/N
<b>July</b>				
6	Mt Zahel	Nathan Tobin	3424 5700	D/W
11-13	Bald Rock	Elizabeth Richards	3393 5545	B/C
19-20	Mt Mistake to Point Pure	Justin Tobin	3366 3193	T/W
21	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
26	Historic Shepherd's Walk	Terry Silk	3355 9765	D/W
30	Coffee Night	Carolyn Ivanac	3319 9486	Social
<b>August</b>				
3	Barney Creek	John Carter	3290 3621	D/W
13	Barney Mass	Pat Lawton	3366 1956	D/W
17	Bike Ride	Gabe Romaguera	3856 3842	Social
18	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
23-24	Mt Superbus (Site Monitoring)	Christine Harrison	5429 5494	O/N
27	Coffee Night	Carolyn Ivanac	3379 9486	Social
30-31	Girraween	Kerry Mulligan	3876 8125	B/C
<b>September</b>				
6	Father Ed Memorial Walk – Moreton Island	Maxine Brophy	3203 4699	D/W
13-14	Pilgrimage – Glen Rock (BOSQ)			
15	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	
21	Wildflower walk – Mt Maroon	Phil Murray	3841 0254	D/W
<b>October</b>				
19	Sandstone Pt to Beechmere	Pat Lawton	3366 1956	D/W
20	Meeting	Greg Endicott	3351 4092	

**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 scrub, major rock	8-10 <u>Hard</u> Strenuous, fit walkers required.
EXtra Long	Over 20 km per day	8-10 scrambling using hands, technical	

**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 REPORT****ABOUT MEMBERS**

**Birthday wishes** to Chris McCaffrey, Greg Endicott

The Retreat "Iron Woman Award" goes to Patricia Mackie for working both Friday and Saturday nights before driving down to the retreat each day. This is an effort even our insomniac Treasurer would be proud of.

**TREASURERS REPORT**

**Balance 17/03/03** \$ 1371.68

**Plus Receipts** \$ 132. 00

\$1503.68

**Less Payments** \$ 225.15

**Balance 14/04/03** \$1278.53

**Term Deposit** \$1,605.60

*I still have tickets to sell in our latest raffle of a Travel Combination Book Light/Torch /Digital Alarm Clock. At only \$1.00 each, they are good value. So if I have not*

*caught up with you yet, come and see me and I will gladly sell you a ticket or two or three... Terry.*

## OUTINGS NEWS

### Change of Walk Dates

**The walk of Mt M8stake has been changed from May to 19-20 July**

**Thanks Iain**

### 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

### Advanced Notice

**Bald Rock National Park  
Brass Monkey Basecamp  
Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> July  
Daywalk**

**Leader:** Elizabeth Richards  
(3393 5545)  
**Meet at:** St Brigid's Car Park,  
Musgrave Tce, Red Hill.  
**Time:** 7:30pm  
**Cost:** T.B.A  
**Grading:** M 4 4 & S 2 2  
**Emerg Off:** Louise Leonardi  
(3287 1372)

Further details will be advised in the following month's magazine.

Bald Rock N.P is located in NSW on the QLD / NSW border along the Mount Lindsay Highway and is in the middle of GRANITE country. Bald Rock is the main feature of the park. On Saturday we will follow a track to South Bald Rock along the fire trail before climbing a section of South Bald Rock.

The summit walk to Bald Rock on Sunday morning is two hours return and offers 360-degree views of the surrounding granite country. On a clear day you can see The Pyramids in Girraween National Park, Mt Lindsay and Mt Barney to the north. On our return we will do a short walk behind the camping ground that will take us out onto a viewing platform. We will return to Brisbane after lunch.

Granite is 'great'.

**Bonus:** For those who will leave Brisbane late Friday afternoon:

If you would like to see your tent already pitched when you arrive at the Park late Friday night, I am prepared to erect them for you (I will already be there) if you get them to me by 10 July 2003.

Elizabeth

**Mt Ngungun Train Trip  
Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> May  
Daywalk**



**Leader:** John Carter (3290 3621)  
**Meet at:** Roma Street Station  
Platform for the North  
Coast line.  
**Time:** Train departs 7:54am  
**Cost:** \$2 plus train about \$8  
(return)  
**Grading:** S 4 4  
**Emerg Off:** Majella Carter (3290 3621  
or 3848 0793)



The walk commences at Roma Street Station. Members can join the train at Northgate (8:09am), Petrie (8:24am) and Caboolture (8:42am). We arrive at 9:03am.

Mt Ngungun at 253 metres is one of the lower peaks within the Glasshouses and lies about 3kms from the Glasshouse Mountains train station. There is a track, which leads to the rocky summit, where there are impressive views. We'll follow Fullerton's Road to the mountain and climb the peak for lunch. We will return via Sahara Road back to town to catch the train around 3pm. Normal walking gear is required including hats & sun cream. The distance is about 8kms and we have about 6 hours to do the walk.

We leave Glasshouse Mountains township at 3:07pm and return to Roma St at 4:37pm.

So give me a call or nominate at the next meeting for a chance to spend a day in the mountains.

John

### **Mt Greville Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> June Daywalk**

**Leader:** Majella Deegan  
(3300 0229)  
**Meet at:** St Brigid's Car Park,  
Musgrave Tce, Red Hill.  
**Time:** 7:00am (sharp)  
**Cost:**  
**Grading:** M 4 4  
**Emerg Off:** Louise Leonardi  
(3287 1372)

Mt Greville is located directly across Lake Moogerah from the picnic area. It is mainly vegetated in open eucalypt forest and wildflower heath, but also has several

major gorges which contain numerous palm trees.

We will be ascending via the South-East Ridge which is the main route to the summit. In early spring this track is renowned for its wildflowers. On reaching the summit, because views are obscured by scrub, we will cross the summit and descend through some scrub to a lookout which provides lovely views out across to the north. We will have lunch up here and then begin our decent. Depending on what walkers want to do we will come down either the same way we came up or down Palm Gorge.

This is a very pleasant walk and can be enjoyed by walkers who are fit and happy to walk uphill. Looking forward to walking with you. Majella

### **Emu Creek Fri 6<sup>th</sup> – Mon 9<sup>th</sup> June**

**Leader:** Iain Renton (3371 4672)  
**Meet at:** St Brigid's Car Park,  
Musgrave Tce, Red Hill.  
**Time:** 7:00pm  
**Cost:** TBA  
**Grading:** Various  
**Emerg Off:** Louise Leonardi 32871372

The weekend will be spent at the old sawmill site on Emu Creek. It is a beautiful open and spacious campsite surround by peaks and ranges. We will be having campfires which are most welcome on those crisp winter nights. A range of walks of 16-17 km are well within the capabilities of all reasonably fit bushwalkers. Much of it is off-track but in open grassy country. More challenging walks are available if there are enough eager walkers.

The area has a wealth of spectacular scenery particularly the dramatic rock

outcrops called “The Steamers”. So come to this great spot for some great walks. Previous basecamps here have all been memorable experiences. You’ll need to bring all the water you need for the weekend.



*Davies Ridge/The Steamers from Ema Creek  
Sketch by Iain Renton*

### Provisional Itinerary

Sat: Asplenium Gorge M 3 3

Sun: The Steamers – Stern Lookout M 4 4

Mon: The Steamers – The Prow (6km)

S 5 4

(Davies Ridge, The Lincoln Wreck and Mt Guymer are other options)

Iain

## **Ferries of Brisbane**

### **Daywalk**

**Sat 14<sup>th</sup> June**

**Leader:** Barbara Eastoe  
(3355 3639)

**Meet at:** Citycat Ferry Stop at  
Guyatt Park (cnr Sir Fred

Schonell Drive and Laurence St,  
St Lucia) If you live on the Northside  
or Orleigh Park (cnr Orleigh St and  
Hoogley St, (West End) if you live on  
the Southside.

**Time:** 8:00am

**Cost:** \$3.00 + \$8:40 for a Day  
Rover Ferry Ticket

**Grading:** M 3 3

**Emerg Off:** Louise Leonardi 32871372

Last year we had the Bridges of Brisbane, this year it's the Ferries of Brisbane. This walk will take us through some of the more interesting suburbs of Brisbane, including


walking along the river, while making use of what must be the best type of Public Transport in the city. As well, there will be time to stop for the odd cup of coffee (or two)

We'll meet at St Lucia and catch the Citycat across to West End (or at West End to meet the Citycat from St Lucia if you prefer). Please be a little early if you're meeting at St Lucia so that you don't miss the ferry and we leave you behind. We'll wander around the streets of West End before stopping off at the Green Markets. Here you can have a cup of coffee with some home made Greek pastries or buy some fruit for lunch. We'll then follow the river around through Southbank and Kangaroo Point to Dockside where we'll board the Inner City Ferry to New Farm Park where we'll have lunch. Then it's back on the Citycat to Hawthorne where we'll get off and walk to Bulimba. If time permits we can cross to Brett's Wharf and walk around some of the upmarket streets of Ascot before boarding the ferry to come home.

This is a great way to get some exercise, socialise with some great people and see parts of the city from a different viewpoint. All this and a ferry ride thrown in. What better way to spend a Saturday?

Hope to see you there Barbara

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♥A rose only becomes beautiful and♥  
♣blesses others when it opens up and♣

♥blooms. Its greatest  tragedy is to♥  
♣stay in a tight-closed bud, never♣  
♥fulfilling its potential. ♥

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## COMING SOCIALS

### Annual Mass and Dinner Saturday, 24<sup>th</sup> May

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

**Place:** Padua College Chapel  
(behind the church)  
80 Turner Rd, Kedron

**Time:** 6:00pm

**Cost:** A la carte

Our yearly Mass falls on the feast day of Our Lady Help of Christians, a good reason to celebrate and give thanks for another year of walking safely together.

We will meet at Padua Chapel for Mass. This is a beautiful little Chapel and our Mass each year here is very special. We will have the Dore Family with their musical talents and Louise producing the booklets for the Mass.

After Mass it is a short drive to our dinner venue: *STAFFORD TAVERN 51 WEBSTER Rd, STAFFORD*. There will be a buffet dinner with excellent food and ample

room for children and families. This is a great night to see and catch up with old and new friends, talk of walks which have passed and those we have yet to do.

Please book by the May meeting as we will need definite numbers for the dinner.

**Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> June**  
**Southbank - COTAH**

**Where:** Merivale St (cnr Tribune St)  
South Brisbane

**Time:** 7:30pm

**RSVP:** 02/06/03

**Contact:** Carolyn Ivanac - 3379 9486

Come along and join me for a great night of fun & food. The 3 course meals are cooked by apprentice chefs. I am looking forward to you coming and sharing a meal in a relaxed atmosphere. Dress - Smart casual.

There is ample parking and the place is wheelchair accessible.

### Coffee Night Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> May

**Where:** The Coffee Club  
The Gap Village  
1000 Waterworks Road  
The Gap

**Time:** 7:00 - 7:30pm

If you have not yet joined us for a social or coffee night, why not come and join us to find out what you have been missing out on.

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



## PAST SOCIALS

**Coffee Night**  
**26<sup>th</sup> March 2003**

Thanks to Terry, Mark, Majella, Jean, Greg Endicott and Tony Yong who joined me for my first coffee night of 2003.

Come and join me for the next coffee night as I look forward to catching up with you all. Carolyn.



## PAST OUTINGS

### **Retreat Weekend – Marian Valley 22<sup>nd</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> March Daywalk**

There were clear sunny skies after a stormy night as we drove to Canungra. We were all looking forward to our weekend away from busy lives and troubled times overseas. A winding drive down into the centre to find a haven of beautiful Shrines, gardens, birdlife and bushland down in this peaceful valley. Cabins and keys were distributed, cars unpacked with time for morning tea on the balcony at Gabe & Iain's.

We gathered for Rosary prayers in the Chapel followed by 11am Mass. Part of the Chapel was outdoors with the sounds of nature blending with the prayers making this a very special ceremony for us all. We were welcomed afterwards by Fr Andrew Dembicki who invited us to enjoy the amenities at the centre and places of prayer at the Shrines. Patricia and Terry had joined us for Mass. Pat having come from night shift and little sleep before the drive down. We had lunch together looking out over bushland with Canungra in the near distance.

Our first session after lunch was with Iain leading us into time for reflection in our life journey. This brought about some colourful and personal stories as we shared our experiences and paths in life. We spent a relaxing time visiting the Shrines in the gardens following the path down to the rainforest and Our Lady of the Southern Cross set in the trunk of a large fig tree. All of these Shrines have been donated and built lovingly by many communities near and far for devotion to Mary.

Tea time was out under the trees with delicious aromas coming from the BBQ fire. Many hungry bushwalkers and Mary

Tobin enjoying their dinner shared stories as the night sky drew in bringing flashes of lightning up over the ridge. A quick pack up as the storm clouds gathered with a relocation to the undercover area next to the chapel.

Coffee and cakes with more stories and jokes told. Light rain and thunder rumbling as we made for warm beds and sheltered cabins and a blackout for a few hours. It added to the weekend lying and listening to the forces of nature descending upon this peaceful valley.

Sunday dawned clear and warm, some up early to walk or join in the early morning devotions in the Chapel. We gathered at Mary and Michael's cabin for readings with Iain, taking us through the Easter Story and relating this to our everyday life. A cuppa before morning Mass with Pat arriving back and taking out the "Best Effort" Award after another night of night shift before driving down.!

Lunch to complete the weekend joining the many regular visitors to the Shrine of Our Lady and this amazing valley tucked amongst the hills. Please take some time out to visit this beautiful place of devotion if you are ever driving past. Thanks to Iain and Majella Deegan for their planning, preparation and a wonderful weekend, and those who came. We were all enriched from the experience.

Maxine

### **Lepidozamia Track Sunday 13 April Daywalk**

A beautiful clear day greeted the ten of us for the walk, after an uneventful trip via Samford to the Mt Tennyson Woods carpark, a few kilometres past Mt Glorious. We followed an old logging trail

northwards along the top of a ridge. Views to Moreton Island in the distance and nearby Mt Samson were enjoyed.

There was plenty of birdlife including wrens, currawongs, catbirds, fruit pigeons and a scrub turkey. There were plenty of lepidozamias (a type of cycad) in the shrubby understorey, with orchids and elk horns in the trees towering above us. Smoko was eaten before we descended into a southern branch of Kobble Creek. It was a steep drop into the valley via a track. This led to a small creek which had a good flow. Nearby the 20 metre waterfall, which was a good spot for lunch tumbled into a small gorge. There were views to the north. We relaxed by the cool stream and enjoyed a brew.

The return route was rather steep initially, as we climbed back onto the range. As we slowly climbed higher the forest became lush. Of course this meant a few leeches. We were able to glimpse the Glasshouse Mountains to the north. We completed our circuit and returned to our cars by mid afternoon. We stopped at Mt Glorious village for a well-deserved break before returning home.

Thanks to all who came along - Terry, Elizabeth, Justin, Richard & Michelle and visitors Cheryl, Viv, Martlyn and Eric. Also thanks to Richard for driving.

John

### **Mt Samson Monday 21<sup>st</sup> April Daywalk**

Easter Monday was a fine sunny day for our walk to Mt Samson. The walk featured twice in articles in the "Courier Mail" and as a result 10 more people phoned for details. It was indeed pleasing to see that 6 of these people decided to join us on the walk. It was also a combined trip with

BOSQ. The total attendance for the day was 22.

After meeting some at Red Hill, we finally regrouped at Samford where we pooled cars for the drive to the start of the walk at Samsonvale. There was no flat ground for a warm up – it was straight into the steep disused road. The grade was relentless and much puffing and panting was heard. Janette Keating had eaten too much apple pie and was twice seen lying horizontal on the road. Once she got rid of the apple pie she took off like a rocket.

We had a relaxing morning tea at the remains of a home on the ridge. There was much inspecting of rubbish and rubble and many treasures were found. The view from this point was wonderful. Moreton Island was clearly visible, the tall inner city buildings stood out, North Pine Dam glistened in the sun and the Samsonvale valley below was green and lush. John Robertson was eagerly looking for his blue roof in the valley below.

We continued along the ridge and did a short detour to a rocky outcrop for good views towards Mt Lawson and Mt Samson. After a steep drop down to a saddle, the final climb up through rainforest to the top began.

Greg Miller set up a portable tea and coffee shop and did good business – even had disposable cups! When I attempted to dispose of my apple core my aim was not good – I missed Neil Douglas's face by a few centimetres! I might have better luck next time, Neil.

With all fed and refreshed it was time to make our way back down. A little yellow orchid was spotted in flower on the rocks. We were soon back at the house remains and the treasures discovered earlier in the day were collected. Phil Murray vowed and declared he wasn't taking any rubbish home – famous last words! He was even



seen picking up rocks on the road to take home.

The Glass House Mountains popped their heads up to the north as we descended the road. It was then that we realized just how steep it was and knew then why we puffed and panted our way up. We all arrived back safely and the day was finished off with a coffee at the Samford bakery. It was a lovely finish to a great day.

Thanks to all who came to enjoy the day with me. Everybody contributed something (even if it was somebody falling on their bottom and making someone else laugh). A particular thankyou to all our visitors and to those whose words of encouragement enabled all to get to the top. The interaction between members of both clubs was good and I'm sure a lot was learnt by all as a result.

Those who came along were: **B.O.S.Q** – Keith Bartlett, Bronwyn Menkens, Keith Cordwell, Ellen Pezet, Neil Douglas, Jonus Bernotus, Joanne McLaren, Colin Mann, Kerry and Janette Keating.

**B.C.B.C** – Terry Silk, Phil Murray, Greg Endicott and Greg Miller

**Visitors** – Stan Saunders, John Hegerty, John Robertson, Vanora Livett, Peter Gardener, Drew O'Brien and Lin Taylor.

Pat Lawton

### **Anzac Day Dawn Service Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April**

We had gathered in the pre-dawn darkness by 4.15am, for another moving ceremony at the Cenotaph, especially when the Last Post was sounded. There was a good crowd at the service. We enjoyed the new position on the elevated walkway balcony on the southern side of the Square. The weather was mild. Fortunately it didn't rain.

Afterwards, we headed to the base of Kangaroo Point cliffs, by the river for a sausage sizzle. It was a beautiful, clear dawn. We observed the ferries (Nos 3 & 4) as they came in quite close to the bank. There were plenty of people enjoying the early morn. Thanks to Elizabeth R, Liz L, David and Terry for accompanying me.

Elizabeth & John

### **Queensland Federation of Bushwalking Clubs**

#### **N.B Change of address.**

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>

1. The email address is

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

#### **FEDERATION MOUNTAIN RESCUE**

#### **TRAINING WEEKEND 23 – 25 May 2003-05-01**

**VENUE:** MT BARNEY LODGE (Hall with Power, Showers & Toilets)  
M/S Rathdowney Qld 07 5544 3233

**DATE:** 23rd-25th May, 2003

**COST:** \$20.00 (Excludes camping fees,  
but includes supper, hall hire  
and equipment charge)

#### **AIMS:**

1. To help members learn, in an enjoyable and interesting way, some of the skills of use to bush walking groups.
2. To encourage members to lead and participate in adventurous walks
3. To enhance the skills of present



bushwalkers.

**PROGRAMME OUTLINE:** FMR Sales all weekend

### FRIDAY 23TH May, 8.30 PM

Optional - Arrive at Mt Barney Lodge Campsite for Supper (Tea, coffee & biscuits)

From **SATURDAY 24TH May** several workshops are being held. Some of these include:-

Navigation by vegetation/Bush Tucker (David Haliczzer)  
Medical Emergency (Frank Bowling)  
Maps and Navigation (Richard Kolarski)  
Looking for a Lost Party (Neil Gray)

Equipment and Ropes display (Phil Box)  
Emergency First Aid (Richard Kolarski)  
Emergency Communications EPIRB, GPS, Mobile Phone (Peter Webster)  
Knots (Phil Box)

Ethics (Pam Collom)

This is open to all members of all clubs and will have UNLIMITED places available.

Postal address: G.P.O. Box 1573,  
BRISBANE, QLD 4001.)  
(WWW URL:  
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E-mail: [ron\\_farmer@pocketmail.com.au](mailto:ron_farmer@pocketmail.com.au)

## OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

### M.B.S

Who was the walker who recently dived fully clothed into a flooded creek to test out his new water-proof camera? A clue;

he is someone who normally goes to great lengths to remain dry. The things you miss by not going on walks.

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

**An angry man opens his mouth and shuts his eyes. Cato the Elder**

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Yours in Christ Louise



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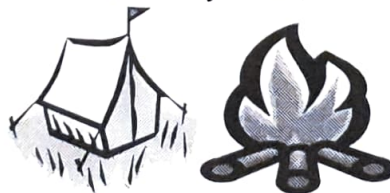
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