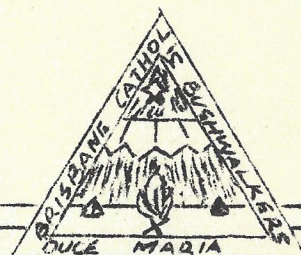


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MONTHLY CIRCULAR OF THE BRI BANE

CATHOLIC BUSHWALKING CLUB

UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF OUR LADY OF THE WAY



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CLUB ADDRESS: P.O. Box 151, North Quay, Brisbane, 4000

Monthly Meetings: Monthly meetings are held on the second Monday of the month at the P.O.A. Building, 453 Ann St., City, commencing at 7.30 pm. Visitors are always welcome.

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EMERGENCY OFFICER

Where a party is overdue, the onus is on parents to telephone the Emergency Officer. The Emergency Officer is listed under each trip. Please do not ring before 9 pm. at the earliest.

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CLUB CALENDAR

JUNE

10th	General Meeting	
14th-17th	Panorama Point-Lizard Point	Basecamp/Twalk
22nd	Social - Club Mass & Dinner	
28th-30th	"Big Lonely"	Basecamp/Twalk

JULY

7th	Mt. Flinders	Day Walk
8th	General Meeting	
13th	Social - City Meal Hunt	
19th-21st	O'Reillys to Christmas Creek	Basecamp/Twalk

AUGUST

3rd-4th	The Bar Mt./Tweed Pinnacle	Basecamp/Twalk
12th	General Meeting	
13th-14th	Barney Mass	Daywalk Only
16th (Fri)	Social - Rural Youth Ball	
31st-1st Sept	Retreat	

SEPTEMBER

6th-8th	Federation Pilgrimage - Ugly Gully	Basecamp
9th	General Meeting	
14th	Social - Back to Childhood Party	
20th-22nd	Springbrook/Upper Tallebudgera	Basecamp/Twalk
29th	Mt. Tamborine	Daywalk

OCTOBER

5th	Social - Car Rally	
11th-13th	Wyberba	Basecamp
14th	General Meeting	
20th	Mt. Sampson	Daywalk
25th-27th	Cordeau to Devlin	Basecamp/Twalk

NOVEMBER

3rd	Social - Boating	
8th-10th	Clarence River	Basecamp/Twalk
11th	General Meeting	
17th	O'Aguilar Range	Daywalk
22nd-24th	Safety & Training	
29th-1st	North Coast Mountains	Roving Basecamp

CALENDAR SUBJECT TO ALTERATION

EDITORIAL

The place is the P.O.A. Hall, the time 7.30pm on the second Monday of the month. If this is a typical meeting, the only ones present will be visitors.

Now for a change of scene - Roma and Turbot Street at 7.30 on Friday night. A new member stands beside her pack gazing forlornly around and wondering whether she's got the date wrong.

We often talk of encouraging people to join the club. However, unless we are more careful about punctuality only the most tenacious of those who enquire about the club will end up joining.

What most people fail to realise is that if a meeting, trip or social is due to start at 7.30 then those participating should arrive early enough to get underway at 7.30. For trips, about 7.20 is reasonable, as passengers must be allocated to cars and gear packed away. Drivers should be able to pull out on time. On meeting nights members should try to arrive before starting time so that they can greet visitors.

Please try to arrive on time in future.

JUNE MEETING

At the June meeting, nominations will be called for the position of Secretary. If possible the vacancy will be filled from the floor of the meeting.

Feature will be slides taken by Marnie Conway on her trip to China. They might not be the best slides you've ever seen, but they'll almost certainly be the best slides you've seen of China.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

The following items of information are repeated for added emphasis.

1. The changed departure point for club trips is the corner of Roma and Turbot Streets, under the overpass. This is outside Brisbane Tool & Hardware.
2. Trips leave at 7.30 pm. That is, the cars pull out at that time.

SLIDE COMPETITION

Entries in the club slide competition will be shown at the July meeting. There are four categories in the competition:

LANDSCAPE Nature POLLUTION CLUB CHARACTERS OPEN

Entries close at the July meeting and should be sorted into the above categories. Entry fee will be 5 cents per slide. Prizewinners will be announced in the August "Jilalan" and prizes presented at the August meeting. Don't be shy. Winners will represent our club in the Federation slide competition.

OUTINGS

PANORAMA POINT - LIZARD POINT - Throughwalk/Basecamp

Date: 14 - 17 June

Cost: \$6.00

Leaders: TW- Mike Keane
BC- Anne Nelson

Emergency Officer: Brian McMahon (964270)

Trip leaves from corner Roma & Turbot Sts. on Friday at 7.30 pm. promptly.

Throughwalkers and Basecampers will start at Hell Hole Gorge. From there the throughwalkers will head up Huntley and to Panorama Point for Saturday's camp. On Sunday, they'll go along the range and camp at Lizard's Point on Sunday night. Then on Monday they will join up with the Basecampers who will have done Hell Hole Gorge on Saturday. It will be necessary to carry 3 - 4 litres of water on this trip.

BIG LONELY - Throughwalk/Basecamp

Date: 28 - 30 June

Cost: \$5.00

Leaders: TW- Brian McMahon
BC- Ted Richardson

Emergency Officer: Anne Nelson (702170)

Trip leaves from corner Roma & Turbot Sts. on Friday at 7.30 pm. promptly.

Friday night camp will be made at Burnett Creek on the Boonah/Woodenbong Road. On Saturday, the party will climb a long easy ridge to Mt. Ballow and cross a high saddle to nearby Nothafagus Mtn. From here there are extensive views of the surrounding plains down into Northern N.S.W., and of course, Big Lonely, very close to the east, where the Throughwalkers camp will be made that night.

The next day for Throughwalkers will commence with a Creek walk to the Upper Portals, followed by a walk along a four-wheel drive track by Back Creek to Grace's Hut. From here, the walkers will cover a short distance by road and then a quick dash over a range to the west will bring the party back to the Boonah/Woodenbong road again and then back to the cars. Here they will join the Basecampers who will have climbed Double Peak that day.

This trip will not be super hard, so if you're looking for an opportunity to do your first throughwalk or enjoy a throughwalk without being exhausted, nominate at the June meeting.

FLINDERS PEAK - Daywalk

Date: 7 July

Cost: \$2.50

Leader: Marcia Richardson

Emergency Officer: Russ Nelson (702170)

Trip leaves from corner Roma & Turbot Streets on Sunday at 9.00 am. promptly.

A long walk, but not too difficult to the top of the well known Flinders which dominates the skyline near Ipswich. The views from the top are magnificent, so don't miss it.

OUTINGS IN RETROSPECTMistake Range

The Throughwalkers climbed up the Range on Saturday and down again on Sunday. They were unable to walk as far as they had intended, as the scunge was very thick and there were some new Throughwalkers. The Basecampers walked to Laidley Falls for lunch then climbed to Hole in the Wall. After Saturday night Mass they dined in Laidley. On Sunday they drove to the Thornton turnoff then climbed Beau Brummell. The views were magnificent - Mt. Mistake, Laidley Gap, Castle and all around the area. Lunch was a hasty meal as a storm was approaching. The two parties met up at Mulgowie and returned to Brisbane.

S. & T. Weekend

Three new members and six "oldies" braved the elements and walked into the hut on the Friday night. Most were up next morning at 6 am. and after breakfast went on a compass march and on the way back found two "injured" people who had fallen off a cliff. Emergency first aid was performed and both patients lived. In the afternoon bush survival was practised and everyone learnt by experience, how not to build a temporary bush shelter, also how to collect water on the top of plastic when trying to collect it under the plastic. Unfortunately, an early exit had to be made due to the rising creek, and all were back in Brisbane by 3 pm.

HAVE YOU SORTED OUT YOUR ENTRIES IN THE SLIDE COMPETITION
YET ?

MASS AND DINNER - 22nd June, 1974.

Mass Carmelite Monestry, 451 Gregory Terrace
6.00 pm. Saturday.

Dinner The Courtyard Restaurant,
67 O'Connell Terrace,
Bowen Hills.

Fully licensed
Parking available
Band and Dancing

Dress As you please.

Price Main Course - \$3.30 approx.

This is the most important social of the club year and we hope that all members will try to attend. Mass will be celebrated by a Carmelite priest. Dinner should be most enjoyable.

Nominations must be with Cecily Falmer by the 17th June, so that a firm booking can be made.

Ice Skating - May 25th, 1974.

Eleven people outside the Four Seasons Ice Palace at Toombul between 7.30 pm. and 8.00 pm. Tickets started selling at 8.00 pm. Admission is \$1.00 and hire of skates is 30c. The night was divided in sections; General; Ladies only; Fast Ladies; Gents; Fast Gents; Couples only.

Those in the group who couldn't skate were given helpful hints by those who could skate and the only discomforts incurred were wet seats.

The skating rink closed at 10.30 pm. and we proceeded to Bernadette Kents place for supper. After a very good supper, we finally left some time after 1.00 am. A very enjoyable night for all.

FEDERATION

Mr. B.B. Kelaher, the president of Brisbane National and Recreational Park Committee attended the last Federation meeting and gave us an informative address on the description and development of the proposed area. We commend the idea that Brisbane needs an area to be developed as a recreational reserve to cater for the city's expanding population. We hope that in future it will absorb that portion of the population which visits national parks but do not appreciate and look after them as we do. It is therefore important that you do your bit by writing to the Premier, enquiring about the stage of development of the idea.

At the last meeting it was suggested that in future, circulars should be produced every second month. While the meeting overwhelmingly rejected the proposal, it certainly merits further consideration. The following are points both for and against the proposal.

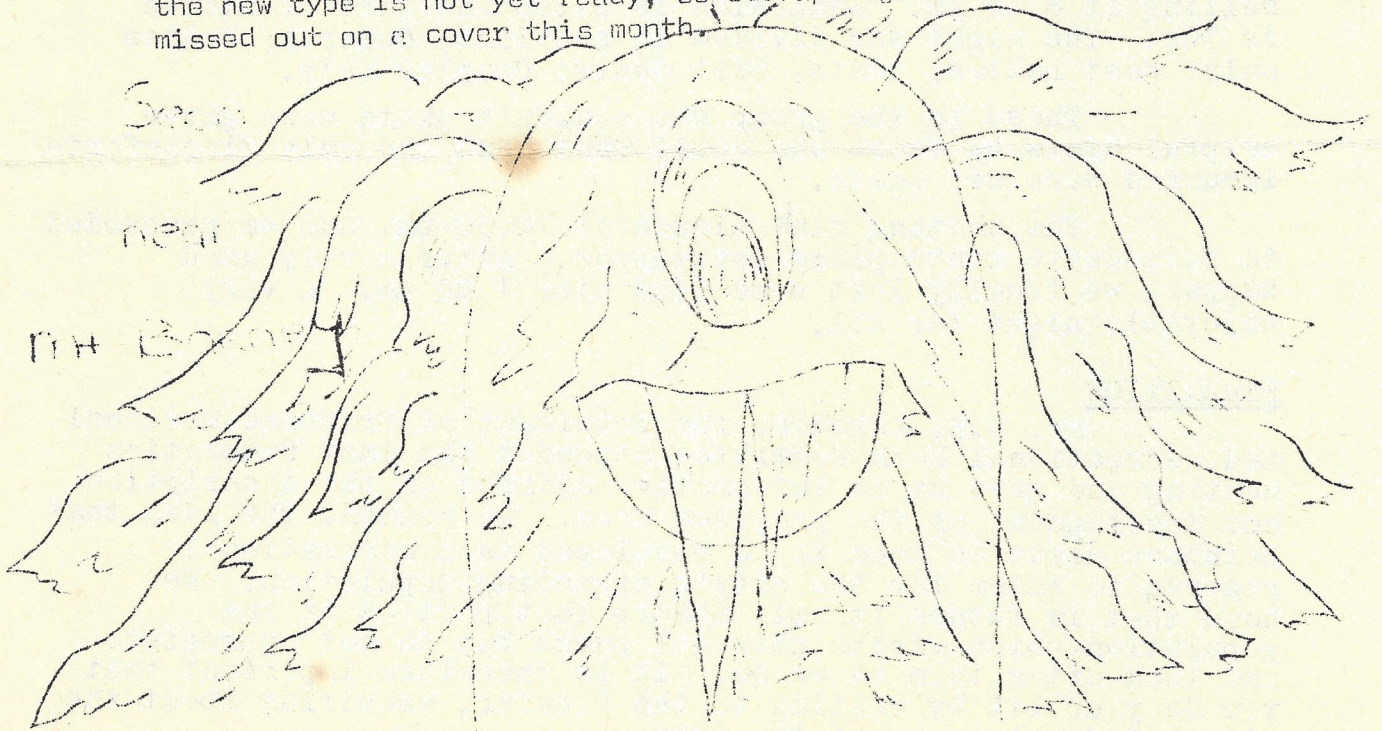
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The major point in favour of producing bi-monthly circulars is the saving involved. Each circular costs approximately 15 cents to get to your mail box. With complimentary copies this amounts to about \$12.50 per month. Thus by producing 6 less per Year (allowing for extra paper and stencils in the remaining six issues).

AGAINST

The case against producing fewer circulars is not so tangible. Firstly, the circular is a link between members and the club. It reports on coming events in a manner aimed at encouraging member participation. If circulars were less frequent, such reports would lose some impact. Secondly, receipt of the circular reminds members that a meeting is imminent. Thirdly, it is important for members who, because of study commitments, geography etc., are not able to attend meetings but wish to keep up their contact with the club.

At this stage, committee does not intend to discontinue every second circular. However, the suggestion has definitely sparked off discussion on different aspects of circular production. As a result it has been discovered that a similar cover can be made through a different process at a saving of approximately \$45 per year. There were not enough of the old type of covers for this issue and the new type is not yet ready, so our apologies to those who missed out on a cover this month.



MORE BEAUT SCANDAL

Were there any fast ladies at the Ice Skating night? Ask Fred.

Ted Richardson claims to have done nothing scandalous lately.

Greg Endicott thinks S. & T. Weekends should include a segment on first-aid to G.A. Mobiles.

Where did Brian McMahon get his lovely turf?

Cecily Palmer leads from behind.

Barney Monster didn't visit S. & T. Weekenders, but his brother led the trip.

Happy bush sounds

1. Large rock hitting sump
2. Wild bulls attacking club hut at midnight.
3. Lantana gently piercing lilos on the way to the lower portals.
4. Screams as people enter tepid (?) water. (Entry by Mellor family in Club Hut Log Book).

Congratulations to Mike Laherty who recently announced his engagement to Teresa Kennedy.

Killing the President is ASSassination.

Marnie took her Escort on the S. & T. Weekend. White cars should not go bushwalking on wet weekends.

After drawing on injuries with red felt pen, the two S. & T. "victims" discovered that it won't wash out in Creek water.
