



# JILALAN

MONTHLY CIRCULAR OF THE BRISBANE  
CATHOLIC BUSHWALKING CLUB

UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF OUR LADY OF THE WAY

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The Club's address is PO Box 151, North Quay, Brisbane 4000 and the telephone contact number is listed in the white pages Telephone Directory under 'B'.

Monthly meetings are held on the third Monday of the month at the Catholic Centre, Edward Street, City, beginning at 7.30pm. To enter the Catholic Centre, use the rear entrance. This is reached by entering the grounds of St Stephen's Cathedral via Charlotte Street (entrance nearest Edward St). From Charlotte Street the door is near a white statue. If the door is locked, please ring the bell. Visitors are always welcome.

Members of the committee are:-

### CHAPLAIN

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EMERGENCY OFFICER: Where a trip is overdue, parents may telephone the Emergency Officer (as specified for each trip). Please do not ring before 9.00pm at the earliest.

EQUIPMENT OF EVERY TRIP: On every trip run by the Club all walkers, both members and visitors, are expected to take the following minimum equipment:-

torch; first aid kit; parka or raincoat;  
and at least  $\frac{1}{2}$  litre of water

### ATTENTION!

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. It is repeated that all persons undertake all activities entirely at their own risk.

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19	Monthly Meeting	
23/24	Clunie to Lindsay - Leader: Justin Tobin	ON
27	FMR Police Communications	
28	Theatre Night - Raising the Titanic	

September:

6/8	Pilgrimage - Charlie Moreland Park	
	Leader: S/Coast Bushwalkers	BC
15	Mt Greville - Leader: Barney Tobin	DW
16	Monthly Meeting	
21	Pokies Trip	
22	FMR Day - Flinders Peak	
27/29	Lost World to Widgee - Leader: Mike Wood	TW

October:

5	Bush Dance - Ipswich Catholic 20th Anniversary	
6	Flinders Peak	DW
11/15	Canoe Trip	
19	Table Top	NW
21	Monthly Meeting	
25/27	Nth Coast Mountains - Leader: Cathy McHugh	Roving BC

November:

9/10	Canungra Creek	
17	Family BBQ	TW
18	Monthly Meeting	
22	Video Night	
23	Westrae's Grave	DW
29/1 Dec	Bunya Mountains - Leader: Greg Endicott	BC

December:

7/8	Christmas Party	
16	Monthly Meeting	
26	Boxing Day - Toohey's Forest	1/2 DW
29	Springbrook	DW

LEGEND:

TW Throughwalk  
BC Basecamp

DW Daywalk  
ON Overnighter  
NW Nightwalk

JILALANREMINDER - STARTING TIMES

Could everyone please try to be punctual when arriving for either meetings or trips. The starting time for meetings is 7.30pm and for weekend and overnight trips is 7.15pm.

The next meeting is starting at 7.30pm.

Cathy McHugh

COMING OUTINGSCLUNIE TO LINDSAY - Overnighter

Date : 23/24 August 1985

Leader : Justin Tobin - ph 260 5065

Cost : \$15.00

Emergency Officer: Jannine Lucas - ph 343 2365

Meeting Time: 7.15pm Friday 23/8/85 at back of Cathedral

Mt Clunie on the Qld/NSW border is normally visited by the Club as a throughwalk on the way to Mt Ballow, so this overnighiter is the chance for the day walkers in the Club to visit this mountain.

Friday night we will camp near the Boonah Border Gate to be up early to follow the rabbit fence up Clunie. Along the fence views of Wilson's Peak can be seen. On the top of Clunie we will have views of Wilson's Lizard Point, Roberts, Superbus and onwards to Maroon Dam, Lindsay, Ballow area.

Descending Clunie, we will follow the fence to Lindsay. Further along the fence good views of Lindsay and Ballow and a rare look at the back of Barney as well as Edinburgh Castle can be seen.

Water can be obtained along the way. It is suggested you carry at least a litre to 2 litres, not forgetting water for breakfast.

A medium overnighiter well within the capabilities of most walkers in the Club. Nominate to me for an enjoyable walk new in the Club itinery.

Justin Tobin

FEDERATION PILGRIMAGE - Basecamp

Date : 6/8 September 1985

Leader : Barney Tobin

Cost : \$10.00

Emergency Officer: Mike Wood - ph 3983018

Location : Charlie Moreland Park - Sunshine Coast

Meeting Time: 7.15pm Friday 6/9/85 at the back of the Cathedral

Well folks, the first weekend of September is upon us once again, and therefore so is the Federation Pilgrimage. Each year a different Club hosts the Pilgrimage, and this year Sunshine Coast Bushwalkers are holding it at Charlie Moreland Park up in the Sunshine Coast region.

On the Friday night we will be leaving Brisbane at 7.15pm as usual on weekend trips and travelling up to Charlie Moreland  
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Park where we will camp. There is a donation of \$3.00 to cover the costs of the host Club. Tea, coffee and milo will be available for those who want it. On the Saturday, there will be a variety of walks of different standards from easy to masochist - a total of 10 - 12 altogether.

On the Saturday night there will be a slide night and tea and coffee once again.

On Sunday there will be a talk by the local Forestry officer followed by a games day. A great chance to see all the different clubs and people from them. Nominate to me at the next meeting, please.

Barney Tobin

MT GREVILLE - Daywalk  
 Date : 15 September 1985  
 Leader : Barney Tobin  
 Cost : \$5.00  
 Location : Sth of Aratula  
 Meeting Time: 7.15 am Charlotte Street - back of Cathedral  
 Emergency officer: Anne Besgrove 3492468

DAY PACK

260 5065

On Sunday morning we will be leaving Charlotte St at 7.15 am. After a short goodie stop at Aratula, we will then head off to the start of the walk. We will head up a gradual ridge up to the top of the mountain. On the way up there should be good views of Cunningham's Gap, and Moogerah Dam. After boiling the billy at lunch time, we will be heading down one of the many gorges that Mt Greville is noted for - it is the major feature of this walk as well as the many different types of ferns that can be seen.

This is an easy walk, within the capability of all people - definitely one of the better mountains to climb as your first or one of your first walks.

So nominate to me at the next meeting.

Barney Tobin

PAST OUTINGS

MT MAY - DAYWALK - 14 July 1985  
 Leader: Pat Lawton

Sunday 14 July was fine and sunny and 12 members met at the Cathedral for the walk to Mt May.

During our stop at Boonah we discovered that the bakery is now open on Sunday mornings - also open to all was the Christian Outreach Service - guess which was the more popular!

We arrived at the water reserve camp site at the base of Mt May at 10.30 and, before beginning the climb, visited the small rocky gorge to the left of the camp site. This spot can be a delightful place in summer, however due to the coolness of the day, Justin could not even be persuaded to have a dip.

Our route up was a little steep at the start and began a short distance along the Grace's Hut road. When we had our first

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well deserved rest, Mario wanted to know why we had stopped. About ½ hour later, as we pushed our way through the scunge on the ridge, Mario could be heard shouting from the back, "Will you stop so that I can get my breath".

The top of the smaller peak (2600ft) was reached at 12.30 and, even though it was probably lunch time, we had morning tea instead. From this peak good views are obtained from Wilsons Peak and westwards along the range.

From this peak we dropped steeply to a saddle and then there was a bit of easy rock scrambling to the higher peak (2700ft) and this was reached at 1.30. The views of Mt Barney and Bellow from this point are probably the best one can obtain of those mountains, and as the day was beautiful, these views were first class.

Thanks to Tony (fire lighter) and David Apelt (wood collector) the billy was boiled and we settled down to a relaxed lunch.

On our return trip good views of Mt Maroon were had before we dropped down to a small watercourse and then back up to a saddle linking the smaller peak. We then descended via a different ridge and arrived back at the cars at 4pm. Tony had previously complained that he had seen no wildlife, however just as we arrived back down we saw a rock wallaby - so that made Tony's day.

I enjoyed the walk and I'm sure the other walkers also did. Those on the walk were Mario Bono, Greg Endicott, Anne and Pauline Hayes, Tony Young, Cindy Todd, Peter Walpole, Justin Tobin, Tim and David Apelt, Geoff Egert and myself.

Pat Lawton

COMING SOCIALSRAISING THE TITANIC - THE PLAY

A new opus in the Great TN! Tradition of too deep or not too deep.

Just when you thought it was safe to go back to 112 Brookes St, they proudly present the 1985 remake of the blockbuster to end them all. The story so far:-

Scene 1: The Tempest (they sink the Titanic)

Scene 2: Adrift on the ice (or water, water everywhere - my kingdom for an albatross)

Scene 3: South Sea Buble - a Coral Cay recce

Interval (Lifeboat drill)

Scene 4: 2 years later. Somewhere in Tibet.

The rest: music, gags, a show stopping finale and more. It's unsinkable, it's excruciating, it's a night of pure TN! Fun - it's the most B-grade masterpiece in town. 3-D glasses provided.

As you can see from the above, the Club is holding a theatre night on Wednesday night 28 August at a clst of \$12. We will be meeting at 112 Brookes St at 7.30. Nominations to Barney at the next meeting. Sea-Ya-There! Coffee afterwards at a local coffee shop.

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POKIES TRIP - 21 September 1985

WANTED - 49 PEOPLE!

For all you gambling addicts and "cheap orange juice" fans, on Saturday 21 September there is a trip being organised to Murwillumbah R.S.L. The cost is \$16.00 with a smorgasbord meal inclusive in the cost. Dancing is available at the Club for those not into the pokies or cheap orange juice.

We will be leaving by bus from Garden City car park at 2.00pm. For those who wish to, the McCarrons have once again lent us their yard to park cars in and also sleep the night for those who wish to.

See me at the next meeting. Phone 260 5065.

Raffles are once again being organised - \$50.00 note and an esky full of happiness.

Barney Tobin

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Present balances of the Club's financial accounts are as follows:-

Westpac A/c	\$439.64
SGIO A/c	\$561.55
C'th Term Deposit	\$500.00

There are currently 47 financial members in the Club.

As reported at the last monthly meeting, the Club is in a healthier financial position than it was during July/August 1984, although membership numbers are slightly down.

A raffle was conducted at the July Club meeting to raise funds to assist Eugene to acquire some replacement bushwalking gear. The raffle was very successful with a total of \$50.00 being raised. Thanks to all who helped to make the raffle such a success.

Geoff Dower

SUMMARY OF GENERAL BUSINESS FROM JULY GENERAL MEETING:

- Flight over the Scenic Rim is being organised for either the 3rd or 10th of August. Cost will be \$30 per head leaving from Archerfield.
- Stickers cost \$1 and cloth badges \$3.

Margaret Anderson  
General Secretary

JILALANTHINKING CATHOLIC:FOOTPRINTS

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the LORD. Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For each scene, he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand; one belonged to him, and the other to the LORD.

When the last scene of his life flashed before him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand. He noticed that many times along the path of his life there was only one set of footprints. He also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest times in his life.

This really bothered him and he questioned the LORD about it. "LORD, you said that once I decided to follow you, you'd walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why when I needed you most you would leave me."

The LORD replied, "My precious, precious child, I love you and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."

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FEDERATION CLEANUP - 19/21 JULY 1985

Five Club members spent the weekend helping Tony Kelly, an ex-Club member, and Ranger at O'Reilly's. They, with the assistance of six members from BBW, cleaned up the old Foresters Camp plus delivered some signs. By all accounts the meeting of members from the two clubs was a success from both a cleanup point of view as well as socially.

Three other members plus one late arriver joined a large group of walkers from BBW plus three from YHA at Christmas Creek. Their work resulted in the removal from Point Lookout, Stinson Wreck and Westray's Grave, rubbish which filled an industrial rubbish bin. In addition, the lower end of the track to Westray's Grave had a great deal of lantana cut back.

As at O'Reilly's, the work at Christmas Creek was a success from a work point of view as well as socially.

The only cloud on the weekend was that so few people from BCBC participated in it.

Russ Nelson

BRISBANE CATHOLIC BUSHWALKING CLUB

P O Box 151, North Quay 4000

MEMBERSHIP FORM

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(PLEASE PRINT)

SURNAME \_\_\_\_\_

GIVEN NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS Home \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_ Ph \_\_\_\_\_

Work \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_ Ph \_\_\_\_\_

RELIGION \_\_\_\_\_

AGE \_\_\_\_\_

NEXT OF KIN \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Ph \_\_\_\_\_

I realise that in participating in the Club's activities  
I do so entirely at my own risk and that the Club or its  
agents does not accept any liability for injury, loss or  
damage, suffered or caused by a member, prospective member  
or visitor whilst participating in the Club's activities.

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent or Guardian  
if under 18 years \_\_\_\_\_

In what year did you first join the Club? \_\_\_\_\_

RELIGION \_\_\_\_\_

AGE \_\_\_\_\_

NEXT OF KIN \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Ph \_\_\_\_\_

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HELP WANTED

St. Vincent de Paul needs your help.

St. Vincent de Paul hostel at South Brisbane requires males and females to help every night of the week, but particularly on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights from 5.15 to 8.30 pm. If you can offer your services in any small yet helpful way, please phone Father Ferdy on 572021 and 573171 between 6am and 9am. Please give this your consideration.

MBS

Not the Kingswood, oh no not the kingswood gone. Geoff Egert is now driving in style

Michael Rae has left the walking flock and taken up smoking.

On what recent preouting did the legendary J.C. say, "Well, I wont be doing this walk"

Mother Inferior is leaving her novices to their own resources now. Therese Lacey is engaged to Peter Nally. Congratulations.

Ten bushwalkers recently enjoyed scenic flight over Tambourine, Mt. Barney seeing the club hut, o'Reilly's, all along the scenic rim, Cunningham's Gap, and turning back to Brisbane after viewing Mt. Castle. Another flight is leaving in September and at present has two vacancies. If interested contact Therese Lacey.

Walk of the month Mt Greville.

Well I was cold on my last walk, and I carried all my gear in my arms because my very valuable bushwalking gear no longer lives with me. Would the person who borrowed my bushwalking equipment bring it to the next meeting, thank you,

the very patient Master Nathan Tobin.

CRISIS M B S

At this present collation, Tobin'S have no tea.  
In desperation, Justin was last seen running barefoot round Toombul looking for a grocery store.