



# JILALAN

MONTHLY CIRCULAR OF THE BRISBANE

CATHOLIC BUSHWALKING CLUB

UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF OUR LADY OF THE WAY

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CATEGORY

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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 p.m. Visitors are always welcome.

OFFICE BEARERS

CHAIRMAN	Marnie Conway	360361
PRESIDENT	Kath Vingoe	486178
VICE PRESIDENT	Greg Endicott	978795
OUTINGS SECRETARY	Kathy Palmer	552125
GENERAL SECRETARY	Brian McMahon	964270
TREASURER	Cecily Palmer	552125
SOCIAL SECRETARY	Ted Richardson	
SAFETY & TRAINING OFFICER		

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BRISBANE. 4001.

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 p.m. at the earliest.

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CLUB CALENDARMARCH

8th	Social	
9th	Flinders Peak	Daywalk
10th	General Meeting	
14th/16th	Cooloola	BC/TW
27th/31st	Wyherba	BC/TW

EASTER

APRIL

5th	Social	
11th/13th	CHRISTMAS CREEK	REUNION
14th	Annual General Meeting	
20th	Mt. Greville	Daywalk
24th/27th	Border Loop - Pt. Lookout - Running Creek	BC/TW
29th	F.M.R. Communications Night	

MAY

2nd/5th	Stradbroke Island	BC/TW
12th	General Meeting	
17th	Social	
23rd/25th	Safety and Training	
27th	F.M.R. Theory Night	

JUNE

1st	F.M.R. Rescue Day	
7th	Social	
9th	General Meeting	
13th/16th	Main Range	BC/TW
22nd	Beau Brummel	Daywalk
27th/29th	Barney	BC/TW

CALENDAR SUBJECT TO ALTERATIONMARCH GENERAL MEETING

The March meeting will be held on Monday 10th March 1975 in the P.O.A. Hall 453 Ann Street, commencing at 7.30p.m.

At this meeting we will be calling nominations for all committee positions for the forthcoming year.

AS this is the last meeting for the club year, all members are asked to bring along their favourite bushwalking slides as the feature for the meeting.

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Last Friday, we held a function for those interested in finding out about our club. There was quite an encouraging response, both from New Members, and from the "Oldies". Our thanks to all who helped, especially Liz Keane, who devoted a lot of time to its organisation.



EDITORIAL

You can usually pick a Bushwalker's car by the stickers - "We Need National Parks", "Help Protect Fraser Island", "Queensland Needs Cooloola", "Support Conservation". Yet sometimes we are only paying lip service to the idea of conservation.

It is time that we all examined our consciences in this matter. Do you, as a matter of course, gather up all your rubbish to carry it out? Or is it left to the leader to gather all the old tins, pieces of foil etc. from the fireplace before departure.

Apple and orange scraps are biodegradable, but it takes quite a while before they disappear, so, if you can't carry out those fruit scraps, you should at least leave them somewhere inconspicuous, so as not to spoil the enjoyment of future visitors to an area.

Perhaps we as a club could always remember this verse:-

Let no man say,  
And say it to your shame,  
That all was beauty here,  
Until YOU came.

NEWS FLASH !!!!!

With this month's circular we have included a committee nomination form. Please don't throw it away. If you are an ordinary member of the club and intend remaining financial next year, seriously consider taking on a job on committee. (We are also looking for an editor for "Jilalan", so if you are interested, please mention it at the next meeting to either Marnie or Kath).

As several of the present members of committee are retiring this year, we need your nomination.

OUTINGS POLICY

As previously advised people going on trips are required to arrive at Turbot and Roma Streets a quarter of an hour before scheduled departure time. Trips leave from Turbot and Roma streets and return to that point. During the trip the Leader has full authority. If he or she gives a direction members are expected to comply.



For the benefit of those who may be wondering, we will be participating in the Easter Vigil and Mass at either Stenthorpe or Allingtons on Saturday evening.

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OUTINGS

FLINDERS PEAK

Daywalk

Date 9th March 1975

Cost \$12.50

Leader Cecily Palmer

Emergency

Officer Greg Endicott

Trip leaves Roma & Turbot Streets at 9am SHARP

This trip was originally planned for last Sunday, but as the Mt. Flinders Road was a quagmire, it could not be done then.

If you are interested in climbing Flinders this weekend, please contact Cecily no later than Thursday evening.

COOLCOLA

Basecamp/Throughwalk

Date 14th - 16th March 1975

Cost \$6.00

Leader TW Keith Shapcott 934041

BC Bill Conway 360361

Emergency

Officer Marnie Conway 360361

Trip leaves Roma and Turbot Sts. at 7.30p.m. SHARP

This trip is a perennial favourite with club members. Throughwalkers will be setting out from Rainbow Beach past towering cliffs of coloured sands and numerous freshwater springs to Double Island Point. Then, on past the lighthouse, the group will admire the stranded ship, "Cherry Venture." After camping at a Freshwater Lake overnight the group will head out for the road.

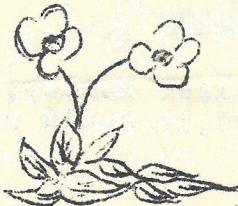
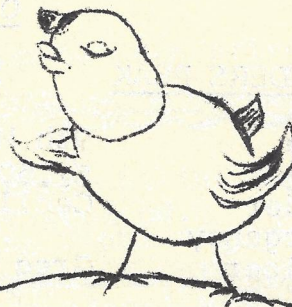
The basecampers will be combining a beachwalk with a visit to the beautiful Lake Poonah, with its white sandy beaches.

An easy trip that no-one should miss.



Easter

Wishes



OUTINGS

WYBERBA - Roving Basecamp/Throughway

Date: 27th - 31st April (EASTER)  
 Cost: \$8-00  
 Leader: To be advised at meeting (Nominations to Greg Endicott 978795)  
 Emergency Officer: Brian McLaughlin 964270  
 Trip leaves Roma and Turbot Streets on Thursday at 7.30 p.m. sharp

Wyberba, in the granite belt, is an area well known to Bushwalkers for its spectacular rock formations, glorious wildflowers, great waterholes and enjoyable bushwalking.

With a recommendation like that, no-one will want to miss the trip.

With four days at our disposal, we'll be avoiding the more tourist-prone areas of the Giraween National Park, and concentrating on areas we haven't explored before.

For the benefit of those who may be wondering we will be participating in the Easter Vigil and Mass at either Stanthorpe or Wallangarra on Saturday evening.

CHRISTMAS CREEK - CLUB REUNION

Date: 11th/13th April, 1975  
 Cost: A matter of negotiation between drivers and passengers  
 Leader: Marnie Conway 360361

Join the club convoy on Friday evening at the usual time and place, or come down any time over the weekend.

A grand re-union of all former members is planned. Camp will be in the grounds adjoining the National Fitness Camp at



Christmas Creek.

Main aim is to give present and past Bushwalkers a chance to meet and gossip. However there are plenty of walks possible in the area. Present members will be setting up a child minding centre to give those with young families a chance to go walking again. One of the highlights will be the campfire on Saturday night.

We are depending on present members to spread the word among family and friends who are former "Catholic Bushies". YOU can help make this a success. Please do.

### FIRST AID

There is still time for anyone interested in obtaining their First Aid Certificate to nominate to Kathy Palmer.

Mr. J. Pyke, a member of the Q.A.T.B. will be taking the course which will be conducted on Thursday nights beginning after the May holidays.

The fee would be approximately \$10-00 which would include the \$5-00 registration fee. The course will be 8 weeks' duration.

Nominate to Kathy Palmer.

### S O C I A L S

#### TEN PIN BOWLING - Saturday 8th March, 1975

Place: MILTON BOWLS

Time: Meet there at 8-15 p.m.

Afterwards: Coffee

COST: 50 cents for supper  
Plus cost of bowling.

Come along to the Bowling Night and join up and support your favourite team "The Scunge Bashers" or "The Mudlarks".

Don't let your Captains down - they need you!!

Rival Captains are - Greg Endicott - "The Scunge Bashers" and Cecily Palmer - "The Mudlarks".

Supper will be served afterwards but where is for you to find out.

Have you ever seen a Caveman playing Pool or an Arab doing Strip the Willow? You should have been at the Natives Night which was the last Social.



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OUTINGS IN RETROSPECT:

BOOLOUMBA CREEK On Friday night we camped about a  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile from Booloumba Creek and Lobster Creek at 10.30. On Saturday morning we walked up Booloumba Creek until we reached the Falls at 11.30 where we had lunch at 1.30 we left the falls and downstream back to the original campsite. Camp was made at 4.00. Sunday morning, we walked up Lobster Creek, we continued up past the falls for about  $\frac{1}{2}$  a mile and then came back and followed a branch of Lobster Creek upstream for a while. Lunch was had at the base of the top falls. We then proceeded back to the cars and waited for the return of the Throughwalkers. We stopped for mass at Caboolture on the way back to Brisbane.

The Throughwalkers walked up Lobster Creek on Saturday climbing the falls. We walked up the Creek for most of the day making camp in the upreaches of Booloumba above the falls. On Sunday, we followed the creek down and had lunch and a swim at the falls. We kept following the creek downstream until we met the basecampers in the afternoon.

FLINDERS PEAK - MT. WALKER - 2nd March, 75.

Due to bad conditions on Flinders Road, we decided to climb Mt. Walker instead of Flinders Peak.

After a lengthy conversation with the farmer, permission was given for us to cross his property. We finally started walking about 12.15 pm. The ascent was made via the south ridge which rises fairly gradually.

We stopped for lunch at the south end of the razor back at about 1.40 pm. Unfortunately the views were limited to the farms below us as rain clouds covered the surrounding mountains. It was decided not to attempt the razor back in the rain. We descended via the same ridge.

We reached the cars at 3.30 pm. and returned home via Churchbank Weir.



MORE BEAUT SCANDAL

Liz Keane has her foot in her mouth so often, its obvious she must enjoy the flavour.

Mighty Mazdas, mudbound, missed mountain.

Glamour unlimited when 15 people, dressed mainly in mud, descended on Ipswich.

Tim Mellor seen eating - NOT spaghetti - real food.

Have you ever wondered what a Scotsman wears underneath? For "inside" information see Brian McMahon.

Vince now known as "Big Chief Sitting Duck".

Fred kept losing her veil. OOH!

Majella must be accident prone.

Madonna Power seen trying to prove that an Austin, too, can go anywhere.

Marie McMahon: "I have to wait at least an hour after I get home before I'm human again."

Best wishes to Pat O'Mahoney, who'll be 21 later this month.

Quote from Marcia Richardson: "Ted's at home doing the housework."