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Laughter Is the Best Medicine

The eternal conflict between cyclists and walkers

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MELBOURNE WALKING CLUB
2026 CAMPING WALK PROGRAM
UPDATE'S FOR OCTOBER & NOVEMBER

After the success of the recent light weight camp and walks at Wilsons Promontory we have adjusted the future camp programs for an even better experience for members…

Our hikes are going to be 2 or 3 day walks returning to the same basecamp each evening – basically a 'base under cover' camping experience.

So dig out your tent, sleeping bag and camp stove- and bring a comfy camp fire chair for evenings.

WEEKEND CAMPS LATER IN THE YEAR

17-18 OCT, MURRINDINDI/WILHELMINA FALL
21-23 NOV, LAKE CATANI, MOUNT BUFFALO

TO REGISTER YOUR INTEREST PLEASE TEXT RICHARD SIMPSON ON 0419.528.130

Bushwalking News Victoria (BNV)

The Melbourne Walking Club is affiliated with Bushwalking Victoria which publishes **"Bushwalking News"** monthly. The Current and past issues can be read on the Bushwalking Victoria website:

https://bushwalkingvictoria.org.au/bushwalking-newsletter

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Arthur Robertson, Treasurer, MWC.

Vale – John Moore

John Moore died on 22 June 2026 at the age of 95.

The Melbourne Walking Club formed a large part of John's busy life apart from his work and his family. He was an active participant in most of the Club's activities including bushwalking and skiing. He was also heavily involved in the administration and management of the Club.

John joined the Club in 1976 and served on the Executive Committee for a remarkable period of 39 years from 1978 until 2017. He was President from 1992 until 1995 and was the Secretary from 1995 until 2010. He also chaired the Archives Subcommittee from 1985 until 2015. He led many trips for the Club both within Australia and overseas. The overseas trips included walks in the Himalayas, India and the National Parks of the USA. He was appointed a Life Member in 2000 in recognition of his outstanding contribution to the club over a sustained period of so many years.

Those who were privileged to know him always enjoyed his company. He had a wonderful sense of humour and was a great storyteller. On a personal note he was a mentor to me when I first joined the Executive Committee and he encouraged me when I became President to bring about a change to the Club's Constitution in 2015 to allow women to become members of the Club for the first time in its history.

Trevor Rosen

2026 Federation Walks

The 2026 Federation Walks (FedWalks) will be hosted in Portland, Victoria, along the Great South West Walk on the weekend of October 10–11, 2026. The host club is the Friends of the Great South West Walk.

General bookings and ticket registrations for the event are scheduled to officially open on July 31, 2026.

Come and explore one of Australia's best kept secrets – a 262km walking trail located in the beautiful south west corner of Victoria.

Base undercover activity: Cradle Mountain, Tasmania

Dates: 16th – 20th January, 2027.

Group size: max 10 participants.

Still a few spots left

Expressions of interest are sought for a base undercover activity at Cradle Mountain exploring Tasmania's most iconic alpine landscapes.
Cradle Mountain is known for its dramatic peaks, glacial lakes, button grass plains and cool temperate rainforest, making it an ideal destination for walkers who enjoy both scenic beauty and varied terrain.

Transport: The group will travel from Launceston to Cradle Mountain by private bus transfer and stay for 3 nights at Cradle Mountain.

Proposed walks:
This trip is designed with hikers in mind and will include a selection of the region's best moderate/hard walks, including the Cradle Valley Boardwalk, Dove Lake Circuit, Marion's Lookout, Lake Lila, Wombat Pool, Crater Falls, Hanson's Peak and Twisted Lakes. These walks offer a mix of easier boardwalk sections, lakeside scenery, alpine viewpoints and more challenging uphill sections for those seeking rewarding mountain views. January is a popular summer walking season in the area, with longer daylight hours that suit full days on the track, while alpine weather can still change quickly. Overall, this will be a memorable group hiking escape combining comfortable accommodation, convenient transport and outstanding day walks in the Cradle Mountain wilderness.
This trip is best suited to walkers with:

- a reasonable level of fitness
- confidence walking on uneven terrain
- experience with moderate day hikes and happy to self-cater meals
- appropriate hiking gear for alpine weather (option to hire gear).

Participants will need to book their own accommodation and flights. The leader will arrange private bus transfer to/from Cradle Mountain. Please contact Cynthia Lui (0415 038 776 or **cynthialui@mac.com**) for further details or to register your interest.

What's Up At The Lodge!

News from the Lodge
Whilst the snow took its time to come, it's falling now and the Lodge is ready for visitors with a new coat of paint and a load of repairs done this year.

There are still many nights available for August, and September is completely open for some spring skiing, so jump in enjoy.

For Spring and Summer, we are looking forward to seeing new activities at Mt Buller, so look on the calendar for some Mountain activities once the snow has gone.

The New Lodge Payment System has launched

The Mt Buller Lodge booking system has changed its payment gateway from PayPal to EWAY. VISA and Mastercard credit cards are accepted and we are working to include AMEX soon.
This switch will streamline our work and reduce behind-the-scenes costs.
All prices, availability, and existing bookings will stay exactly the same.
For new bookings you'll simply notice EWAY listed as the payment provider in your emails and on your bank statements. Your emailed receipts will now come from **ewaypayments.com** or bullerlodge@melbournewalkingclub.org.

Thanks for supporting our lodge and here's to more great seasons, all year round, at Mt Buller.

The Mt Buller Lodge Subcommittee.

Lodge Links
Lodge Availability Page
Lodge Bookings Page (Requires a login ID)

Wed 16 Sep President's Walk: Castlemaine to Garfield Water Wheel

In addition to those members of the Club who usually walk on a Wednesday we also encourage other members of the Club to join us on the trip to Castlemaine for this very enjoyable walk.
NB: You must contact the leader if you intend to come on this walk
Leader: Kim Rosen **Phone**: 0422 804 816

Grading: Medium **Distance** 12km
Rendezvous: 8.40am Southern Cross Station outside passenger lounge/ prayer room to catch the 9.01am. V Line Bendigo Service to Castlemaine.

Transport: 9.01am Bendigo Service arriving Castlemaine at 10.37am or private car to meet train at 10.37am. No train booking required, just use your Myki card.

Morning Tea: BYO own morning tea to have on the train.

Lunch: BYO packed lunch to have at the Garfield Water Wheel site. Picnic tables available, but no toilets or shelters here.

If there is wet weather a shelter with picnic tables and a toilet is available in Chewton.

Walk Details: We follow the Goldfields Track through the streets of central Castlemaine up to the famous Burke and Wills Monument and then on through revegetated parkland at Forest Creek. The Castlemaine Diggings Park is entered passing the Manchester Reef diggings and on to the grand foundations of the Garfield Wheel, one of the more spectacular artefacts from the late gold rush era. A different route is taken walking back to Castlemaine, skirting the historic small town of Chewton.

Alternative Easy Walk: Castlemaine is an interesting town to wander around with a helpful Information Centre, many heritage buildings, an attractive Botanical Gardens and many cafes.

Afternoon Tea: for the easy walkers the Mill area has several cafes including Das Kaffeehaus.
Unfortunately, the longer walkers won't have time to visit this area.

NOTE: Trains departs Castlemaine for Southern Cross at 2.53 pm arriving at 4.28pm or 3.53pm arriving at 5.33pm.

SEPTEMBER PROGRAM

Wed 2 Sep Kalorama – Olinda

Leader: Doug Swinbourne Phone: 0438 881 176

Sun 6 Sep Walter Briggs Hut Working Bee

Leader: Trevor Rosen Phone: 0412 136 124

Mon 7 Sep Blowhole, Flinders

Leader: Jim Smith Phone: 0437 077 532

Tue 8 Sep Lunch – Charles Dickens Tavern

NB. Please let the leader know if you are going to attend this activity.

Leader: Charlie Freedman Phone: 0415 558 249

Our regular monthly social lunch occurs on the 2nd Tuesday of each month.

Wed 9 Sep Bonbeach – Yarraman

Leader: Alison Anthony Phone: 0422 424 718

Sun 13 Sep TBA

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Mon 14 Sep Banksia Park

Leader: Bruce Armstrong Phone: 0416 758 204

Wed Sep 16 Castlemaine – Castlemaine (President's Walk)

Leader: Kim Rosen Phone: 0422 804 816

Sun 20 Sep Bridgewater Bay – 16 Beach

Leader: David Adams Phone: 0419 342 663

Wed 23 Sep Kooyong – East Malvern

Leader: Alan Manzoori Phone: 0417 546 604

Sun 27 Sep Tipperary Springs – Hepburn Springs (GT Stage 7)

Leader: Kim Rosen Phone: 0422 804 816

Mon 28 Sep Richmond – South Yarra & return

Leader: Alison Anthony Phone: 0422 424 718

Wed 30 Sep Keon Park – Pipe Track – Watsonia

Leader: Charlie Freedman Phone: 0415 558 249

AUGUST ACTIVITIES

Sun 2 Aug North Geelong – Botanical Gardens – Geelong Art Gallery

NB. You must contact the leader if you want to attend this activity.

Leader: Susan Crook Phone: 0408 517 381

Rendezvous: North Geelong Railway Station platform 2 at 10:00am. Bus Stop Shelter (Melway 441 K9).

Grading: Easy, well defined paths Distance: 9 km.

Transport: **If travelling by train**, take the 8.50 am Geelong service from Southern Cross to North Geelong arrives platform 2 at 9.47 am. North Geelong Station toilets are on platform 1 (both train platforms are connected by an underpass).

NOTE: Do not get off the train at North Shore station.

If travelling by car, drive to North Geelong Station. Free parking is available at station outside both platforms 1 and 2.

Morning Tea: Approx 10.30 am at Café 42, Rippleside Park (toilets).

Walk Details: Walk from North Geelong Station along Victoria Street to Corio Bay Rippleside. Walk 5km along foreshore to the Geelong Botanical Gardens, view many natural features and the 40 Bollards along the way, plus walk along Eastern Beach. Lunch: Geelong Botanical Gardens. Café serves light lunches. Toilets available. After lunch walk approx. 2km along Little Malop Street to Geelong Art Gallery.

OPTION 1: 2.20 pm. Geelong Art Gallery. See an exciting exhibition "Discovering The Impressionists" with over 70 Impressionist paintings from France never seen before in Australia. If people wish to view this exhibition you must BOOK your tickets online (as soon as possible) for the 2.20pm TIME SLOT. Allow about an hour to view works.

OPTION 2: National Wool Museum.

Return Transport Options: Easy 15 min walk to Geelong Railway Station, a 4.15pm train service back to Southern Cross Station OR Port Phillip Ferry service. A Ferry leaves from Steampacket Pier at 4pm. This pier is on the foreshore near Carousel/Information Centre. The Ferry travels via Portarlington arriving at Docklands 6.10pm, 10 min walk to Southern Cross Station. If travelling by Ferry you have to book this journey on line.

Escapes: Many escape options available.

Mon 3 Aug Redhill – Country Lanes

NB. You must contact the leader if you want to attend this activity.

Leader: Ian Tregear Phone: 0478 624 763

Rendezvous & Morning Tea: 9:45am Corner Point Leo Rd. – Callanans Rd. Melway 191 A7.

Map: Melway 191 Grading: Moderate Distance: 12 km.

Transport: Private car.

Walk Details: From the reserve we walk via Baynes Rd. to Stony Creek Rd. then along a Bridal track on Mornington – Flinders Rd. to the Redhill Showgrounds for lunch and back to the start. This is a pleasant walk through different country scenery, but note there are some long hills on the way.

Wed 5 Aug Clematis – Emerald

Leader: Greg Taylor Phone: 0430 047 218

Please contact the leader if you want to attend this activity

Rendezvous: 9:31am Belgrave Station, main exit.
Maps: Melway 127 & 311 Grading: Medium Distance:13 kms.
Transport: 8:30am Belgrave train ex Flinders Street (Platform 2) arriving Belgrave Station at 9:31am. (Camberwell 8:43; Box Hill 8:51; Ringwood 9:06)
Bus: 695 Departs Belgrave bus terminus Bay 2, 9:45am for Clematis.
Return bus - is ex CFA Emerald 2:15pm for 2:47pm ex Belgrave train.
(Next return bus is 2:45pm for 3:17pm train)

Morning Tea: Emerald Puffing Billy Station – Melway 127-E5.

Walk Details: Pleasant undulating walk with variety, following the Puffing Billy rail line, walking paths, fire access roads through forest & parkland with some street walking.
Note: One steep hill. No escapes.

Walk Details: Has a couple of short steep climbs, but a really pleasant walk south along a small tributary to Steele Ck, then a bit scary bridge crossing of the Calder Freeway. Continue south by the Steele Ck to lunch at the Lily St Park. Spectacular views over the river and the wartime Maribyrnong Explosives Factory. Then a gorgeous walk by the Maribyrnong River south to the tram stop on Maribyrnong Rd. Take either tram #82 to Moonee Ponds Junction or tram #57 into Melbourne.

Escapes: We plan on reaching Lily St Park just around lunchtime (Melway 27 J4). Near there are two Buckley St buses. #465 goes to Keilor Village or Essendon Station & the other bus #903 goes both to Altona or Mordialloc, but also Essendon Station.

Sun 30 Aug Goldfield Stage 6: Sailors Creek Rd – Tipperary Springs

Note: Please contact the leader if you want to attend this activity.

Leader: Kim Rosen Phone: 0422 804 816
Rendezvous & Morning Tea: 9.30am at the carpark at Tipperary Springs Picnic Area, Daylesford. Bring own morning tea. There are picnic tables and a toilet here. Car shuttle from Tipperary Springs back to Sailors Creek Road for the start of the walk.

Distance: 14km Grading: Medium Map: Melway X909 C9 & Google Maps

Transport: Private car. Approx.120km and 1hour 30mins drive from the eastern suburbs of Melbourne via Westgate Bridge and Western Highway. Take the C141 exit to Daylesford.

Walk Details: This is the sixth stage of the Goldfields Track (GT). The walk starts at the intersection of the Goldfields Track and Sailors Creek Road and continues through to the Hepburn Regional Park. We will divert to admire the Sailors Falls and then continue through forest behind Lake Daylesford to Twin Bridges and then on to Tipperary Springs which is the end of the walk. Lunch will be on the track.

Afternoon Tea: To be decided.

There are several toilets on the way, including Lynden Park, Hartwell Sports Ground & Burwood Reserve.

Escapes: A number of escapes are available along the way: Riversdale Rd tram (3 km); Toorak Rd tram (5 km); Holmesglen Station (10 km); Alamein Station (11 km).

Mon 24 Aug Seaholme – Williamstown

Leader: David Watkins Phone: 0414 547 190

Email david39mwc@gmail.com

Maps: Melway 54, 55, Distance: 8kms

Grading: Easy

Rendezvous/Transport 9.00am Werribee Train ex Flinders St Station (S.Cross 9.04am, Footscray 9.13am) Arrive Seaholme 9.28am

Morning Tea: W.G.Cresser Reserve (Melway 55 A10/11) Toilets, seating , cover.

Lunch; Play Area near Hoffman Terrace (Melway 55 J10) No toilets

Walk Details; An easy walk crossing Altona Boat Launching area to enter the Altona Coast Park. Walking through the park we will pass the remains of the Williamstown race course grandstand, then cross the Koroit Creek which we follow to Williamstown Cricket Club. From there we follow the Coastal trail passing the Jawbone Conservation Area to turn left to our lunch spot near Hoffman Terrace. From lunch we head north to our finishing point at North Williamstown Station.

Escape; At 4.5kms to bus #415 to North Williamstown or Altona Station.

Wed 26 Aug Airport West – Maribyrnong Rd

Leader: David Blackwell Phone: 0407 877 028

Rendezvous: 9.15 am. at East side of Essendon Station (Russell St).

Maps: Melway 16, 15, 27 & 28 Grading: Moderate Distance: 10km.

Morning Tea: Small park at corner of Parer Rd & Louis St, Airport West (Melway 16 A6).

Lunch: Lily St Park, Essendon West (Melway 27 J4). Seating only.

Transport: Take 8.53 am. Craigieburn train from Flinders St. to Essendon Station, arriving 9.13 am. Meet outside on east side in Russell Street, by bus stops. Then walk to tram #59 stop on Mount Alexander Rd. Alight at stop 58 just past Victory Rd.

Sun 9 Aug Metro Walk Port Melbourne – Albert Park

Leader: Dean Howe Phone: 0422 494 333

Grading: Easy – Flat Distance: 10 km.

Rendezvous: 10:00am Port Melbourne Light Rail line 109 Stop:129 Beacon Cove (End of the Line) Map: Melway 57 A3

(There are many PT escapes along the way.)

Morning Tea: 10:00am At the start at Station Pier (bathrooms and Coffee available)

Walk Details: A flat and easy walk along the beach paths around Port Phillip bay, past some new installations, including an interactive wall talking about some history of the area.

Then on to the newly finished St Kilda Pier for lunch. This is the home of Melbourne's Little Penguins. Also following the Solar System Trail

Lunch: On the Pier if weather permits, otherwise there are a few shelters about. **St Kilda Pier Kiosk** Pier Rd, St Kilda VIC 3182

Then we'll head toward Albert Park Lake, the home of the Melbourne F1 Gand Prix, we can see the pit lane buildings and then around the man-made lake. Take a break at the Cormorant Picnic Area 35 Lakeside Drive.

Then on to go past the rowing sheds, and MSAC and Victoria Sports park the home of many track and field records.

Finally, past the Melbourne Golf park and rounding up at the Middle Park Light Rail station on route 96.

Mon 10 Aug Metro Monday Slater Reserve, Blackburn North

Leader: Graeme Barker Phone: 0437 006 938

Distance: Morning 4 km, Afternoon 2.5km. Grading: Easy.

Transport: 09:40 Lilydale train ex Flinders Street, arriving Blackburn 10:05. Then take the 10:20 Airport West bus #901 from north side of station to Burcote Street, Get off at Surrey Road, at about 10:30.

Opposite the bus stop is Grosvenor Street so proceed along it to Slater Reserve, about 100 metres.

Those coming by car enter the reserve via Grosvenor Street.

Return from Slater Reserve to Blackburn Station by 901 bus at 20minute intervals, then to Melbourne, 15-minute service.

Morning Tea: 10.30 at Basket Ball stadium.

Walk Details: Morning. A 4km circuit walk along Koonung Trail, adjacent to the Eastern Freeway heading east and returning on the opposite side. A pleasant walk with plenty of trees and vegetation.

Afternoon. A similar but shorter circuit to the west through Boronia Grove Reserve to Slater Reserve.

NOTE: There is minimal shelter and seating at lunch stop, however there is plenty of timber railing to sit on. Suggest that car drivers could bring an extra folding chair or two. Toilets at lunch spot.

Tue 11 Aug Lunch - Charles Dickens Tavern

NB. Please let the leader know if you are going to attend this activity.

Leader: Charlie Freedman Phone: 0415 558 249

Our regular monthly social lunch occurs on the 2nd Tuesday of each month (except January) at the Charles Dickens Tavern in the basement of 290 Collins Street Melbourne at 12 noon. All members and visitors welcome.

Wed 12 Aug Frankston – Seaford (Kananook)

Leader: Les Littlejohn Phone: 0409 400 302

Rendezvous: Ballam Park at 1015am. Maps: Melway 101&102.

Grading: Easy/Medium. Distance: 12.6km

Transport: 8.38 am Frankston train ex Flinders Street, arrives Frankston at 9.43am. Then catch 9.57am route 790 bus from bus bay J accessed via subway arrives Ballam Park at 10 07am.
Leader will be at Frankston and will travel on bus.

Morning Tea: Ballam Park in shelter near Cranbourne Road after a short walk around homestead

Details: After a quick walk around Ballam Park homestead followed by morning tea we will cross Cranbourne Rd and walk uphill on a right of way to enter Bunarong Park. This is the only hill on the walk.

After admiring the view, we will descend to the path beside the Stony Point railway line. This is followed to Leawarra station where we pass through the University grounds before crossing busy Frankston/Flinders Rd. We then pass through the Frankston Botanical Gardens, Beauty Park and the Frankston football ground before arriving at the Nepean Highway.

After crossing the highway lunch will be enjoyed on the foreshore.

Toilets available here.

After lunch Kananook creek is followed north to the Mile Bridge. From here there are three options, one along the foreshore path to Seaford, another along Kananook Creek to Seaford. The other shortens the walk by a couple of kilometres and finishes at Kananook station.
Escapes: There are two. One after crossing Frankston/Flinders Rd, the other just after lunch, entailing a short walk to Frankston station

Sun 16 Aug Bridgewater Bay Beach

Please contact the leader to attend this activity.

Leader: John Gates Phone: 0428 761 644

Wed 19 Aug Canterbury – Alamein

Leader: Greg Burkhalter Phone: 0411 779 716
Rendezvous: 9.30 am Canterbury Station platform 3
Maps: Melway 46, 60 Grading: Easy Distance: 11 km
Transport: 9.07 am Lilydale train ex Flinders Street station, arriving Canterbury 9.23 am.
Morning tea: The “Mall on Maling Road. Plenty of seating here plus adjacent coffee shop.
Details: Pleasant walking along streets and through a range of parks and bushland. From Maling Rd we generally head South to Lynden Park then cross Toorak Rd and head to Burwood Reserve for lunch. We then go East to Gardiners Creek and through Ashwood Reserve and Holmesglen Reserve before crossing under Warrigal Rd and making our way to Alamein Station.