



UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND BUSHWALKING CLUB  
PROGRAMME - FIRST TERM 1956.



We hope the Freshers will find the programme interesting and we expect to see plenty on the trips. Any enquiries should be addressed to those people whose names appear at the end of this.

Sunday 11th March ..... Day Walk ..... MT. NEBO.

The walk will be through the Bell-Bird National Park to Mt. Nebo and then to a set of falls on the South Pine River where there are plenty of good swimming holes. The area provides splendid scenery in the Beautiful Samford Valley - rainforest and open eucalypt type.

Transport will be by bus and truck and will leave Central Station (Ann Street) at 9.30 am unless otherwise notified - SO WATCH YOUR NOTICE BOARDS FOR INFORMATION.

Don't forget to bring togs and lunch - (and girls do not wear skirts).

Wednesday 14th March ..... First General Meeting.

George St. Refectory. 7.30 pm.

We shall hear and see all the details of the Central Australia trip to Ayre's rock at this meeting. Don't miss it !!

Also here is the chance for the freshers to find out what gear is useful and how much it costs and where to obtain it. Also they can find what food to take on bushwalks. e.g. plenty of it !!!

There will be supper if you bring it. (Freshers please note).

Monday 26th March ..... General Meeting.

George St. Refectory at 7.30 pm.

Please note this is MONDAY night not Wednesday.

Arrangements will be made for the Easter trip and there will be some Kodachromes as well.

EASTER TRIP. (29th March-2nd April) ..... ALBERT RIVER.

BASE CAMP... from which many interesting sections of Lamington National Park can be visited. e.g. Lost World, Black canyon, Red Rock Cutting, Thunder Falls, Lightning Falls, Moran Falls, Mt. Widgee, Buchanan's Ford etc.

THROUGH WALK. ...which will come from Border loop on the Interstate Railway Line to Running Ck. Falls. From here it may break up into two parties, one going direct via Buchanans Fort to Albert River in two days and the other veering off to Pt. Lookout and the old Stinson Crash and then to Albert River by any of a number of routes taking 3 to 3½ days.

If you wish to come on the Easter trip a deposit of 10/- must be in the hands of one of the Committee by Friday 23rd March. Don't forget to watch the notice boards.

Wednesday 18th April ..... General Meeting.

George St. Refectory 7.30 pm

Several of our members visited New Zealand during the long vacation. A group of them will give a talk illustrated by Kodachromes of the areas which they visited.

20th-22nd April .....MT. EDWARDS.

This is an area that has been on the club list for several years but has somehow been avoided. However we are definitely going to make it this weekend. The scenery is typical of that which occurs in the vicinity of many of the volcanic plugs around S.E. Queensland.

Wednesday 25th April ..... SWIM-N-BAR.B.Q.

This is to take the place of the usual Anzac Day long week end that the calendar managed to dodge this year. It will be an afternoon-evening affair at one of the crossings on the Pine and will be by private transport. Arrange your transport well in advance and watch notice boards for the time and the place. Dress Formal. If you cannot find transport ring John Comino ...FW 1317.

MAY DAY WEEKEND. (4th-7th May).....FLINDERS PEAK.

A trip will definitely be organised this year and will be by train. Time of departure will be notified later.

Wednesday 16th May .....General Meeting.

George St. Refectory at 7.30.

Apart from making arrangements for the 1st Vac. trip. and Queens Birthday weekend, there will be a little instruction on First Aid for all those interested in knowing something about the treatment of accidents to their fellow bushwalkers.

FIRST VAC. TRIPS. This year we hope that people will arrange their own trips more and to that end the only trip arranged will be a through walk along the Barney Spur. This trip is a real challenge but not for the inexperienced.

If you wish to arrange a private trip and find that you are the only one going, let us know and we shall try to get others to come.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY (8th-11th June) .....Mt. BARNEY HUT.

This is a work weekend to get on with the Barney Hut. We feel that by utilising a long weekend a great deal more work can be put in. The trip will be private transport if possible.

LEADERS. Would the older members please note that leaders are required for all the foregoing trips and we would be pleased if a few of you would volunteer instead of having to be conscripted as is usually the case.

Don't forget the club equipment is for hire to all members -  
RUCKSACKS - TENTS - SLEEPING BAGS.

Also DEHYDRATED POTATOE is available at 6d. an oz. This is definitely an essential on any long walks.

HOBNAILS can be purchased at 1/2d each. Indispensible if you only have leather soled boots.

REMEMBER! - IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES CONTACT ONE OF THE COMMITTEE.

David Dunstan - President FW.1296 (Engineering Dept.-Day)  
Byron Holdaway - Secretary UX.2526 (Applied Sc.Chemistry - Day)  
Nell Cole - Treasurer UX.2275 (Chemistry Dept. - Day)  
Alan Timmins - Equipment Off. JW.3323 (Engineering Dept.-Day)  
John Comino - Outings Officer. FW.1317 (Chemistry Dept. - Day)  
Erica Steedman - Librarian - LM.1974 (Phys.Ed. - Evening)