## Ben Cruachan Walking Club - Walk Preview

Please register with Walk Leader before the day of the walk. See website: <u>Upcoming Walks - Ben Cruachan Walking Club</u>						
Walk:	Hotham to Harrietville					
Area:	Alpine National Park					
Date:	Sat 06 Jan 2024 (arrive a Fri 05 Jan)	To be publicised	To be publicised in local papers? No			
Grade:	X – 10 – 7  22 km of Alpine hiking, some very exposed, before a long, steep downhill in to Harrietville		Style:	One way but a paid transfer to the trailhead		
Walk Length:	Around 22 km		Walk Duration:	10 hrs		
Meeting Place:	Meet transfer at 7.30 am on Sat 06 Jan and start walk at Feathertop trailhead		Meeting Time:			
Walk Summary:	After leaving Diamantina Hut area, which is the trailhead for Mt Feathertop walk, it's a long and solid walk out along The Razorback to Mt Feathertop. Time and energy permitting, there's scope to walk up the very steep Mt Feathertop. Either way, from Federation hut, (pit toilet available) it's down Bungalow Spur track in to Harrietville. This section is notoriously steep and with variable track surface.					
	Hikers will require a solid level of fitness and carry all water needed for the day.  Costs involved are Spowded Transfers from Harristville to the trailboad, and 2 nights accompate					
	Costs involved are Snowdog Transfers from Harrietville to the trailhead, and 2 nights accom at Harrietville.  Payment will be required before Thurs 28 Dec – amount to be confirmed, but around \$200 pp for accomm (maybe less) and Transfers (around \$40 pp)					
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