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:	Mt Howitt WildFlowers - car camp				
Area:	Alpine National Park				
Date:	Saturday 19 - Sunday 20 January 2019 To be publicised in local papers? Yes				Yes
Grade:	M - 4 - 3		Style:	Day walk from camp at cars	
Walk Length:	16 km		Walk Duration:	6 hours	
Meeting Place:	Contact leader		Meeting Time:	Contact leader	
Walk Summary:	For those so inclined, we will mosey along to the Howitt carpark at a gentle pace during Saturday afternoon and prepare our camp at the Howitt carpark for an early departure on Sunday morning. Those who do not wish to drive up on Saturday need to be at the Howitt carpark by 9am (3hours from Heyfield) on Sunday morning. Leaving camp at 9, we will walk in to Vallejo-Gantner Hut and Macalister Springs for morning tea then a further 2.5 kms onto the treeless plains of the high country and the fantastic views to be had from Mt Howitt. An early lunch at the top will mean a stressless walk back to the cars leaving for home no later than 4pm. This is a relatively easy walk on an old landrover track across the undulating button-grass snow plains to the hut then walking tracks and a few sharp rises to the mountain top.				
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