

Ben Cruachan Walking Club - Walk Preview

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| Walk: | OLD WEIR SITE @ GLENALADALE | | |
| Area: | MITCHELL RIVER NATIONAL PARK | | |
| Date: | Saturday 18 th July 2020 | To be publicised in local papers? | No |
| Grade: | M - 6 - 4 | Style: | Day Return |
| Walk Length: | Approx. 14 kms | Walk Duration: | 6 hours |
| Meeting Place: | Den of Nargun Carpark | Meeting Time: | 8:00 am |
| Walk Summary: | <p>Starting at the Den of Nargun carpark, we will walk downstream on an old track for about 7 kilometres to the site of the ill-fated weir which was constructed between 1881 and 1893 then collapsed following heavy floods in 1893/94. This is one of Victoria's great rivers and there'll be plenty of time to investigate native flora and seek out great photo opportunities, particularly for those interested in the quirky history of this place. Following lunch at this fascinating and peaceful place, we will return along the same track. The walk is mainly along ridges high above the Mitchell River, travelling through open forest and occasionally dipping into lush gullies. There's a wide variety of birdlife and other fauna such as wallabies and goannas. Some of the river views are quite stunning.</p> <p>Topographical Map: Cobbannah - Tabberabbera 8322-N 1:50,000 Rooftop Map: Bairnsdale - Dargo - Omeo Adventure Map 1:100,000</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Please register with Walk Leader before the day of the walk.</p> | | |
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