

Ben Cruachan Walking Club - Walk Preview

Please register with Walk Leader before the day of the walk.

Walk:	HORTONS TRACK & HONEY HOUSE			
Area:	MITCHELL RIVER NATIONAL PARK			
Date:	Saturday 19 June 2021	To be publicised in local papers?		Yes
Grade:	S - 3 - 4	Style:	Day Return	
Walk Length:	7 kms	Walk Duration:	4 hours	
Meeting Place:	Stratford Lindenow	Meeting Time:	8:00 am 8:30 am	
Walk Summary:	<p>This is an off-track walk through open forest, with some sections of thick scrub. After carpooling at Lindenow, we will travel along the eastern edge of Mitchell River National Park via Weir Lane, Wattle Creek Road and Sandy Creek Road until we reach Five Ways where we will travel along Calvi Track and Horton's Track to a point where we will leave the vehicles.</p> <p>From here we will follow a ridge southwest then westwards until we make our destination, a rugged escarpment near the top of the Mitchell River Gorge opposite Rock Creek. This will be our lunch stop before returning to our vehicles.</p> <p>On our way back to Lindenow we will stop off at the southern end of Mitchell River National Park for a short walk near Stoney Creek to the ruins of an historic hut which was built in the 1920s to process honey,. The remains of the "Honey House", used by the Rising Sun Apiary Company, is a stone building with a foundation stone dated 1923.</p> <p>Topographical Map: Tabberabbera 8322-N 1:50,000 Rooftop Map: Bairnsdale - Dargo - Omeo Adventure Map 1:100,000</p>			
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