

# Ben Cruachan Walking Club - Walk Preview

Please register with Walk Leader before the day of the walk. See website: <a href="#">Upcoming Walks - Ben Cruachan Walking Club</a>			
<b>Walk:</b>	Wirilda Circuit		
<b>Area:</b>	Tyers Park		
<b>Date:</b>	Saturday 19 September 2020	<b>To be publicised in local papers?</b> Yes	
<b>Grade:</b>	S - 4 - 3, If including option S - 4 - 7	<b>Style:</b>	Day Circuit
<b>Walk Length:</b>	9km	<b>Walk Duration:</b>	5 hours
<b>Meeting Place:</b>	Tyers Kindergarten Car Park	<b>Meeting Time:</b>	9:00am
<b>Walk Summary:</b>	<p>From our meeting point we will travel to the Lime Kiln site on W3. The walk will follow W3 to the Pipeline Access Track, we will do a deviation to check out what is possibly a Sydney Rock Orchid, rear for this area. We will follow the Pipeline Access Track past the Connon Park Scout Camp and onto Boola Road. We will cross the Tyers River on the concrete bridge on W12. We will then follow up W12 and look down on the old weir which was part of the Traralgon Water supply in the early 1900s. The pipe line from this weir passed through a tunnel under a ridge. We will do an optional off track deviation to the portal of the tunnel aka "bat cave". This requires a bit of a scramble. After lunch we will follow the Wirilda Walking Track back to W3 through a glen of ferns and down a steep ridge.</p> <p>Most of this walk is on roads and well formed tracks.</p> <p>Bring a torch if you want to explore the "bat cave"</p>		
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Fern Glen



Remains of Lime Kiln operated in 1930s