## 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:	Hoddle Trail.						
Area:	Fish Creek/Foster Area						
Date:	Saturday 9/11/2019 To be publicised in local papers				papers?	No	
Grade:	M-6-3		Style:	One way with car shuffle			
Walk Length:	10 km.		Walk Duration:	4 hours			
Meeting Place:	Fish Creek.		Meeting Time:	10AM			
Walk Summary:	On this walk we will take in most of the Hoddle trail that is not the rail trail. We will commence this one way walk at the Mount Nichol car park and pass through the Hoddle's diverse indigenous bush flora till we reach the Mount Nichol Lookout and its stunning panorama. This will include great views of Wilsons Promontory (weather permitting of course). We will then follow the track over a stile and pass through part of a South Gippsland Water Catchment property to an old wool shed and exit via another stile. We then travel through regenerating bushland skirting a quarry and will be treated to some great views of the Strzelecki Ranges. Then it's a short section of road before the track turns to a path through farmland and down to the rail trail just on the edge of Fish Creek, hopefully in time for a coffee before the trip home.  See photos on next page.						
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