

Ben Cruachan Walking Club - Walk Preview

Please register with Walk Leader before the day of the walk. See website: Upcoming Walks - Ben Cruachan Walking Club			
Walk:	LOGIE TRACK, ENSAY ART GALLERY, CASSILIS GOLD MINE		
Area:	CASSILIS HISTORIC AREA		
Date:	Saturday 1 - Sunday 2 February 2020	To be publicised in local papers?	Yes
Grade:	S - 4 - 3	Style:	Overnight Car Camp (possible day walk Sunday)
Walk Length:	2.5 km x 2	Walk Duration:	1.5 hrs x 2
Meeting Place:	Ensay Football Ground (left just before Ensay)	Meeting Time:	10 am Saturday, optional 8.30 am Sunday
Walk Summary:	<p>After driving approximately 30 minutes east from Ensay, we will reach the Logie Track. After walking for about an hour, we will enter private property belonging to a local artist, and continue on this remote and picturesque bush track, through gullies and tree ferns - a haven for lyrebirds. Returning to Ensay, there may be an opportunity to visit the artist's gallery. That afternoon we will drive to the Swifts Creek camping ground on the banks of the Tambo river for a swim before walking to the pub for dinner.</p> <p>Sunday will start at 9 am with a drive from Swifts Creek camp ground to the Cassilis gold mining area west of Swifts Creek to walk a short section of the Jirnkee water race, built in 1899 - 1902 to supply various gold mining operations. This involves a steep ascent and descent, but on a clear track. After this we will explore the King Cassilis mine and treatment works, before returning home. Although this is planned as a 2 day car camp, walkers may join for individual days only.</p> <p>https://vhd.heritagecouncil.vic.gov.au/places/67937</p> <p>www.omeoregion.com.au/files/16/New-category/9/Track-Notes---Cassilis.pdf</p>		
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