



THE LOGAN AND BEAUDESERT BUSHWALKERS Inc.

NEWSLETTER JANUARY 2020

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Next Meeting

Tuesday 11th of February

Logan Village Community Centre Old School

30 Wharf Street, Logan Village

At 7:00 pm

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**Minutes of General Meeting
Logan & Beaudesert Bushwalkers
14 January 2020**



Meeting opened 7.00 pm

Attendance:

Members: Jill Belford, Scherie Thompson, Brian Watson, Peter Rice, Lynne Lucas, Malcolm Hill, Andrew McLeod, Sue McLeod, Gail Vascotto, Marija Basic, Jon Zablocki, Su Jewell, Bruce Ludlow, Sean O'Donoghue.

Apologies: Suzanne Kerrison, Mark Filius, Alena Bonaventura, Alice Bennet-Alder, Chris Symons.

Visitors: Andrea Marsh, Karen Vieyla, Olivia

Minutes of previous meeting:

As per December newsletter. Lynne accepted the minutes as being accurate. Seconded by Peter.

Business arising from the minutes:

- Correspondence sent to Bunnings Browns Plains re Sausage Sizzle – awaiting confirmation.
- Australia Day walk/swim/kayak.
- Camino presentation held in November attended by thirteen members. Very interesting. Some brochures.

Treasurer's Report:

Accepted by Bruce, seconded by Brian.

Correspondence:

In:

- Reply from Bunnings re sausage sizzle – application will be reviewed.
- Scenic Rim Council – grants available for volunteers
- Scenic Rim Council – request for any changes in contact details of president and secretary

Out:

- Our newsletter

Accepted by Scherie, seconded by Su.

General Business:

- Su Australia Day walk/swim/kayak
- FMR have released training schedule for 2020
- Friends of Plunkett offer some informative walks. Have added us to calendar for notification of events in the reserve.
- Cape to Cape walk in WA reviewed by members who have been previously.
- Andrew – SEQ Water have opened up Wyaralong Dam – will take overnight camp 8/9 Feb.
- Marija's camp on Australia Day long weekend is at Bunya Mts. Book through National Parks, two walks.
- Dinner this Friday at Pub Lane Tavern, Greenbank
- Some walks reopened since bushfires, such as some at O'Reilly's and Springbrook. Leaders to be mindful of weather and fire conditions when planning.

Meeting Closed: 7.45 pm



The Logan and Beaudesert Bushwalkers Inc

TREASURERS REPORT

For the period ending 14/1/2020

Balance as at Last Report	4086.52
Income	
Gold Coast Marathon	0.00
Deposit Refund	0.00
Membership	<u>0.00</u>
	0.00
Less Expenses	
Rent	75.00
Deposit Camps	0.00
Equipment	<u>0.00</u>
	75.00
Balance at Close	
4086.52	
Account Balance	3705.98
Cash on Hand	305.54
Balance	4011.52
4086.52	

Lynne



Walk Report – Lota to Wynnum

We met at Lota Camping Reserve at 5.30pm. Nice quite spacious park along the foreshore with BBQ's and amenities. The weather a little balmy. 17 enthusiastic walkers given the we had not had any club walks due to the bush fire threat and Xmas, we headed towards Wynnum.

The tide was in and a light breeze made for a pleasant walk into Manly where they were setting up for the free movies on the park. Onto the Wynnum, a not so pleasant odour from the algae and tonnes of seaweed that has gathered along the foreshore. By this time the group had spread out with those keen to stretch their legs out in front and those enjoying a stroll and catching up with chat pulling up the rear. The Esplanade was a buzz of people out enjoying the surroundings, how it has changed in the last 10 years. Many of the old Queensland homes have been replaced with more modern buildings.

The breakwater at Wynnum Creek was our turnaround point, some chose to walk out along the narrow breakwater, a few pelicans could be seen from here. On our return we stopped at the Wading Pool around 7pm to grab some fish and chips, before heading back to Lota. A pretty walk at night and the path well lit. Around 10km in all.

Great company and a really pleasant evening walk.

Scherie





UPCOMING WALKS AND EVENTS

February					
Date	Walk	Grading (D-T-F)	Coordinator	Leader	Contact No.
Mid Week Walk- Sue Simpson often arranges a short walk on Tuesday Morning. An email will be sent out prior to the walk. Contact Sue on Ph. 0414 575 509					
Sat 1st	Albert River Circuit	DW	L-3-4	Jenny	0452 258 402
Sat 8th	Twin Falls	DW	s-3-3	Scherie	0400 184 477
Sat 8th	Lake Wayaralong	DW/Kayak		Andrew	0404 480 214
Sat 8th/Sun9th	Lake Wayaralong	TW	L-4-2	Andrew	0404 480 214
Tues 11th	Monthly Meeting Logan Village Community Hall 7pm start				
Sat 15th	Toolona Circuit	DW	L-3-4	Scherie	0400 184 477
Fri 21st	Club Dinner at Windaroo Lakes Golf Club - Activities Coordinator Suzanne Jewell 0409 079 473				
Sat 22nd	The Pinnacle	DW	L-3-4	Scherie/ Brian	0400 184 477

UPCOMING EVENTS				
Date	Activity/ Event	Location	Coordinator	Link
8 Feb - 9 Feb 2020	Through Walk	Wayaralong Dam shoreline walk	Andrew McLeod 0404 480 214	https://www.visitscenicrim.com.au/attractions/natural-attractions/wyaralong-dam/
10 Apr - 13 Apr 2020	Easter Weekend BC	Lady On The Lake Moogarah	Su Jewell 0409 079 473	https://www.ladyonthelake.com.au/
1 May - 4 May 2020	Kayaking Trip	Noosa River	Andrew McLeod 0404 480 214	https://findapark.npsr.qld.gov.au/parks/coooloolu/upper-noosa-river-waterway-track
3 July - 5 July 2020	Christmas in July BC	Hardings Paddock	Su Jewell 0409 079 473	https://www.mustdobrisbane.com/visitor-info/accommodation-camping-weekends-weekends-away-ipswich/hardings-paddock-ipswich

Federation Mountain Rescue Training Dates	
8-Mar	Basic Navigation - limit 15, free
5-Apr	Advanced Navigation - limit 15, free
19-Apr	First Aid Refresher - limit 12, \$2
16-Aug	Basic Navigation - limit 15, free



Please Note

- Contact the Walk Coordinator (email, text or phone) your intention to walk, refer to deadlines.
The walk coordinator will always reply to confirm that you are listed for the walk and provide you with any necessary details.
- Please check the walks list to see if you have been nominated to coordinate walk
- The weekly walks will also be on the Facebook page which is updated by Thursday night www.facebook.com/loganbeaudesertbushwalkers
- THURSDAY is the deadline to notify the Coordinator for through walks, base camps and Saturday walks
- FRIDAY is the deadline to notify the Coordinator for Sunday walks
- Some walks may be changed at the last minute due to weather or other conditions

Phone numbers for Park Rangers

- Binna Burra - 5533 3996
- Boonah - 5463 5041
- Main Range - 4666 1133
- O'Reillys - 5544 0634

Park alerts:

- Department of National Parks, Recreation, Sport and Racing web site <http://www.nprsr.qld.gov.au/park-alerts/index.php>

Emergency Numbers

if you are unable to get through to 000 use 112 on your mobile phone

In Your Pack

Hat	First-aid Kit	Torch	Insect Repellent
Food	2ltr Water	Phone/Watch	Sunscreen
Warm Jacket	Paper & Pencil	Whistle	
Raincoat	Lighter / Matches		



WALK GRADINGS

Participants are required to read and understand the Grading System for activities as listed.

They should ensure that they are able to complete the listed walk.

New members will normally start with two shorter and easier walks with the Club, such as easy terrain, easy fitness, and or short to medium length and progress by one grading step per activity.

DISTANCE

S Short – under 10km

M Medium – 10 – 15km

L Long – 15 – 20km

XL Extra Long – over 20km

TERRAIN

1. Smooth, reasonably flat path
2. Graded path/ track with minor obstacles
3. Grade track with obstacles; rocks, roots, fallen debris or creek crossings
4. Rough, unformed track or opened terrain with obstacles; rocks, roots, fallen debris or creek crossings
5. Rough or rocky terrain with small climbs using hands or rock hopping
6. Steep, rough or rocky terrain with large climbs using hands or rock hopping
7. Climb/ descend step rock using hands or footholds, maybe some exposure, good upper body strength required
8. Climb/descend near vertical rock with exposure, climbing skills may be required
9. Sustained climbing or descending of vertical or near vertical rock with exposure, advanced climbing skills required, good upper body strength

FITNESS

1. Basic – suitable for beginners, up to 4h walking, flat terrain
2. Basic – suitable for beginners, up to 4h walking, minor hills
3. Easy – suitable for beginners, up to 5h walking, undulating terrain
4. Reasonable level of fitness – up to 5h walking
5. Moderate level of fitness – up to 6h walking, agility required
6. Medium level of fitness – up to 7h of walking, agility required
7. High – up to 8h or longer walking, high level of fitness, endurance and agility required
8. Challenging – up to 12h walking, very high fitness, endurance and agility required

Activity

DW	Day Walk	EDW	Easy Day Walk
O/N	Over Nighter	BC	Base Camp
TW	Through Walk	CW	City Walk
B	Boat Trip	BK	Bike Ride
K	Kayak	S&T	Safety & Training
AB	Abseiling	NW	Night Walk

Easter Long weekend camping info
LADY ON THE LAKE
Moogerah Dam



The Club has hired entire place.

The cost is approx. \$90 per person for 3 nights camping. There is accommodation for 4 people in the small room (2 Queen beds). There is a charge for the use of the facilities per day and then each camper per person per day.

Easter - 10th to 14th April 2020

For all additional information please contact Su Jewell 0409 079 473

The link below will take you to the website which gives plenty of information.

<https://www.ladyonthelake.com.au/>

