

# 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](#)

<b>Walk:</b>	Snow Shoe Shuffle - Mt St Gwinear				
<b>Area:</b>	<b>Baw Baw National Park</b>				
<b>Date:</b>	Saturday 9 August 2025	<b>To be publicised in local papers?</b>		Yes	
<b>Grade:</b>	M - 7 - 7	<b>Style:</b>	Day Return		
<b>Walk Length:</b>	11km	<b>Walk Duration:</b>	5 hours		
<b>Meeting Place:</b>	Erica Ski Hire	<b>Meeting Time:</b>	9:00am		
<b>Walk Summary:</b>	<p>This exhilarating walk starts at the Mt St Gwinear car park and follows the ski trails to Phillack Saddle and returns via the same route with some variations. This walk among the snow gums takes you over the top of Mt St Gwinear with great views to the east and then goes on to join the Australian Alps Walking Track. Expansive views to the east and west are a feature of Phillack Saddle. The extent of the walk will depend on the amount of snow and the prevailing weather conditions.</p> <p>Walkers need to be prepared for snow and sudden deterioration in the weather. As a minimum full wet weather gear should be carried. Gaiters are also recommended.</p> <p>Bring your lunch, possibly a hot drink, high energy snacks, water and something to sit on.</p> <p>We will hire snow shoes and wheel chains if required from Erica Ski Hire. Dress snugly.</p>				
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Properly equipped, a walk in the snow is exciting and exhilarating.