

# 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>	HAZELWOOD SOUTH/JEERALANG NORTH			
<b>Area:</b>	GIPPSLAND			
<b>Date:</b>	Saturday, 17th August 2024	<b>To be publicised in local papers?</b>		Yes
<b>Grade:</b>	M - 6 - 2	<b>Style:</b>	Day Return/Circuit	
<b>Walk Length:</b>	14 km	<b>Walk Duration:</b>	5 hours	
<b>Meeting Place:</b>	Port of Sale toilet block McDonalds carpark Traralgon	<b>Meeting Time:</b>	8 am 8.45 am	
<b>Walk Summary:</b>	<p>This walk is in the foothills of the Jeeralangs over a combination of quite public roads, a forestry/fire access track and walking track.</p> <p>After parking at the corner of Thomson and Glendonald Roads, Hazelwood South, the first 3 km is a steady climb on Thomson Road up to the communication tower where we will pause for morning tea and to admire the view of the Latrobe Valley. We will then continue to Jeeralang North Road, and meander downwards, taking in the views at various points until reaching the Woods Road turnoff. Woods Road is a forestry road through pine plantations that will lead us back to a fire dam on Thomson Road where we will stop for lunch.</p> <p>During the Reccie, a lyerbird was actually spotted in this section!</p> <p>After lunch we will make our way downwards along Townsends Track through natural vegetation to Glendonald Road. The final stage is a moderate climb back to the parked cars.</p> <p>Walking poles and sturdy foot ware are recommended</p>			
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