

Ben Cruachan Walking Club - Walk Preview

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| Please register with Walk Leader before the day of the walk. See website: Upcoming Walks - Ben Cruachan Walking Club | | | | | |
| Walk: | SALE COMMON WETLANDS TRAIL | | | | |
| Area: | GIPPSLAND | | | | |
| Date: | Saturday 29th March 2025 | To be publicised in local papers? Yes | | | |
| Grade: | S – 3 - 3 | Style: | Day Return | | |
| Walk Length: | 12KM | Walk Duration: | 3 – 4 hours | | |
| Meeting Place: | Cox's carpark Sth Gippsland Hwy Sale | Meeting Time: | 9.00 am | | |
| Walk Summary: | <p>I am adding this walk to coincide with the Official Opening of the Flooding Creek Section of the Sale Common Wetland Trail Network, at 10am, followed by a sausage sizzle.</p> <p>We can stay for the sausage sizzle, which would be morning tea and then continue on towards Cox's carpark, having lunch at the Swing Bridge.</p> <p>Please wear club shirts if you have one.</p> <p>Sale Common hosts a combination of freshwater marsh and red gum woodlands which support an enormous variety of bird life. The boardwalk gives us a chance to observe the wetland at a closer level. There is a bird hide where we can view pelicans,, swans and ducks to name a few. So bring your camera and binoculars. Further down the track near the river there are whistling kites and swamp harriers, with their nests high in the trees.</p> <p>Even during the driest part of summer there is a lot of greenery about, which makes this an ideal easy hike.</p> <p>After the walk we can either go to The Dock for refreshments, if you have time you can go into our Art Gallery or wait till 3 pm to watch the opening of the Swing Bridge.</p> | | | | |
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