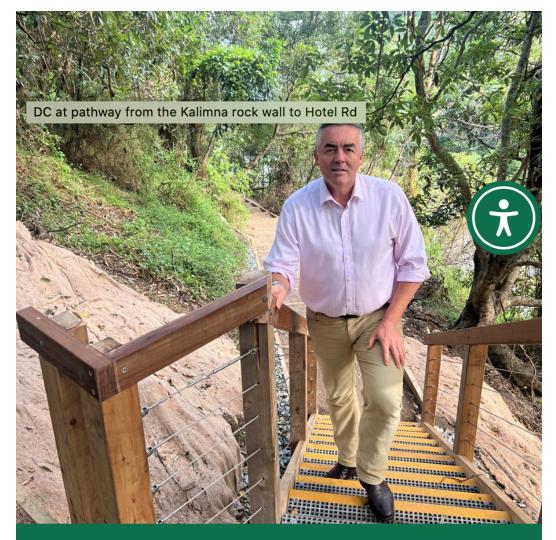
## Ben Cruachan Walking Club - Walk Preview

Please register with Walk Leader before the day of the walk. See website:: http://bencruachanwalkingclub.com/						
Walk:	Kalimna and Lakes Entrance					
Area:	Beach, coastal forest and urban					
Day & Date::	August 4	To be publ	To be publicised in local papers? Yes			
Grade:	M-3-3		Style:	Day Return/Circuit		
Walk Length:	14 Km		Walk Duration	3.5		
Meeting Place::	Kalimna Jetty		Meeting Time:	10:00		
Walk Summary:	Starting at Kalimna we will walk up the new \$2million path through the lovely rainforest to the outlook point over Rigby Island that leads on to the esplanade walk. We will stop to view the lakes and entrance from the viewing platforms along the way. We continue along the esplanade through Teatree groves and the path to the footbridge and past the pop up Gippsland Dairy, craft workshop and historic sculptures to the footbridge, cross it and walk along the coastal track to the entrance. Old fishing properties have recently been renovated, and there are some interesting historical information boards and more sculptures in the area.  There are plenty of seals at the actual entrance and it is a treat if we also see dolphins and fishing boats making their way through.  We will change direction and walk with the wind at our backs to return to the footbridge and to Bullock Island where recently the council has put a great deal of new infrastructure, and if the group is interested we can indulge in Fish and Chips, a drink at the pub or purchase seafood from the co-op. Our return to Kalimna will be on the lakeside path, part of the \$2 million spendand you never know who you will meet.					
	This is a lovely walk, and the last time after I cancelled it due to lack of numbers a couple of days out I got several calls and it was held anyway, and was truly a lovely walk.					
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Pictured: Federal Member for Gippsland Darren Chester inspecting the upgraded pathway from the Kalimna rock wall to Hotel Rd at Lakes Entrance.

