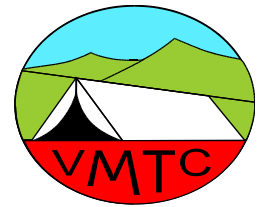

The Victorian Mountain Tramping Club

Clubrooms

Powlett Reserve Community Room
Cnr. Grey and Simpson Streets, East Melbourne
(south of tennis courts) Melway Ref: 2G F2

Incorporated

ACN A628G
PO Box 1340 Melbourne 3001
vmtc.asn.au



The VMTC usually meets on the 3rd Thursday night of the month (except on or before public holidays) from 8 pm until approximately 9.30 pm and there is usually a social or information event. Visitors are most welcome.

The General Meeting is usually held on the 3rd Thursday of February. The Annual General Meeting is held in August.

Summary of the Club Objectives

- To provide opportunities for members to walk in congenial company
- To promote walking and allied activities
- Encourage the appreciation and preservation of our natural assets and wildlife

How to Join the Club

1. Attend one club walk as a visitor
2. Fill in application for membership
3. Pay \$20 entrance fee for prospective membership
4. Attend two more walks within the next six months as a prospective member
5. The application is submitted to the committee for approval
6. Upon committee approval, pay membership fee.

Annual Subscriptions

Full member (18+): \$50/Early bird \$40*

Family: \$90/Early Bird \$80*

**Pay by October 31 to qualify for the Early Bird discount of \$10 off full and family subscriptions*

Visitor fee: \$5 per trip

Office Bearers

President: Susie

Vice President: Colin

Secretary: Alec

Treasurer: Keith

Walks Secretary: Jim

Membership Secretary: Tony

Social Secretary: Nola

General Committee

Ranka

Peter

Agata

Anna

Booking for Trips

Choose a trip (see the current activities program or on the VMTC website).

Members should contact the Leader and then register for the trip using the VMTC online booking. Visitors should either telephone or go into the clubrooms on the designated club nights or contact the membership secretary at membership@vmtc.asn.au. Confirm your booking with the leader closer to the trip as required by the leader.

Transport

Usually shared private car with sharing of travel costs.

Risks and Obligations

Club trips necessarily involve physical activity in areas that may have rugged terrain and be exposed to extremes of weather. The club attempts to ensure that leaders are experienced in the activities that they lead. Participants must understand that they are responsible for their own fitness, experience and appropriate equipment. They accept the risk of injury involved in club activities and that the club, or club members, cannot be held responsible for any injuries incurred.

VMTC recommends that participants have their own personal health/risk insurance and ambulance insurance.

Transport delays etc may prevent club parties returning on schedule. Please ensure that anyone who would worry knows to ring a club Emergency Contact as listed below.

Newsletter Editor (collation)

Rosalind

Emergency Contacts

Angie

Margaret

Fay

BSAR Delegate

Roger

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Type	Date	No. Days	Activity	Grade	Leader
AUGUST					
Ext	26 Jul-15 Aug	21	Larapinta Trail Northern Territory	M/H	Tony
W/E	3-4 Aug	2	Mt St Gwinear ski	M/H	Geoff
W/E	10-11 Aug	2			
Thur	15-Aug		Annual General Meeting Club rooms		President
Ext	17-19 Aug	3	Youngs Hut ski tour	M	Damien
W/E	17-18 Aug	2			
Ext	17-24 Aug	8	Rover Scout Lodge ski trip	M	Trish
Sun	18-Aug	1	Metrogaine and Cyclogiane (Navigation practice) Victorian Rogaining Association	M	Jane
Wed	21-Aug	1	Bentleigh - St Kilda	M	Winston
W/E	24-25 Aug	2	Tocumwal - Barmah kayak trip	M	Peter
Sun	25-Aug	1	Two Bays Walks Mornington Peninsula	H	Agata
W/E	31 Aug - 1 Sep	2	Great Otways National Park - Track clearing BTAC - Bushwalking Victoria	M	
W/E	31 Aug - 1 Sep	2	Mt Feathertop snow caving	M	Damien
Ext	30 Aug - 12 Sep	13	The Carnic Peace trail along the alpine border of Austria and Italy	M	Marienne
SEPTEMBER					
Sun	1-Sep	1	Day ski tour Mt Stirling or Mt St Gwinear whichever has the best snow	M	Trish
Sat	7-Sep	1	Day/Night Navigation Training Victorian Rogaining Association	M	Jane
W/E	7-8 Sep	2	Bogong ski (weather and snow dependent)	H/A	Susie
Sun	8-Sep	1	Brisbane Ranges	M	Peter
W/E	14-15 Sep	2	Paradise Falls and rugged Wabonga wilderness joint with Melbourne Bushwalkers	M	Ray
Wed	18-Sep	1	Croydon to Heathmont	M	Helen
Rhur	19-Sep		Social Night Club rooms		Social Secret
Ext	8 - 20 Sep	13	Lake District England	M	Keith
W/E	21-22 Sep	2	Lady Walker Track - Warburton State Forest track clearing - BTAC - Bushwalking Victoria	M	
W/E	21-22 Sep	2	Hollow Mtn - Stapylton	M	Jurgen

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			Grampians		
Ext	21 - 29 Sep	9	Whales and Wildflowers Nadgee Wilderness wa	M	Chris
Ext	26-29 Sep	4	Croajingalong National Park track clearing BTAC - Bushwalking Victoria	M	
Ext	27-29 Sep	3	Southern Grampians base camp		volunteer ne
Ext	27-29 Sep	3	Falls Creek explorations	M/H A	Susie

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OCTOBER					
W/E	5-6 Oct	2	Stronachs Camp - Mt St Gwinear Baw Baws	M	Greg
W/E	5-6 Oct	2	Cathedral State park - track clearing BTAC - Bushwalking Victoria	M	
W/E	5-6 Oct	2	Stirling circuit	M/H A	Susie
Sat	12-Oct	1	24 or 8 hour Rogaine (Navigation Practice) Victorian Rogaining Association		Jane
W/E	12-13 Oct	2	Grampians	M	Keith
W/E	12-13 Oct	2	Whroo base camp and navigation practice	M	Chris
Wed	16-Oct	1	Hawkestone Park	M	Bill
Thur	17-Oct		Social night Club rooms		Social Secret
W/E	19-20 Oct	2	Federation Weekend Bushwalking Victoria		
W/E	19-20 Oct	2	Mansfield rail trail bike trip	M	Marianne
W/E	19-20 Oct	2	Hidden Highlights of the Eastern Strathbogies joint with Melbourne Bushwalkers	M	Ray
W/E	26-27 Oct	2	Tyers River base camp	M	Geoff
NOVEMBER					
Ext	2-5 Nov	4	Bowen Mts. The Sisters to Mt Leinster	M	Damien
Ext	2-5 Nov	4	Mt Cope - Youngs hut - Fainters	M A	Jim
Ext	2-5 Nov	4	Snowy Bluff - Mt Dawson	M	Geoff
W/E	9-10 Nov	2	Friends of Bogong conservation	E	Jim
Sun	10-Nov	1	Vertical Rescue Skills Practice Werribee Gorge	M	Damien
Ext	15 - 18 Nov	4	Razor - Viking	M	Keith
Sat	16-Nov	1	Rogaine (Navigation Practice) Victorian Rogaining Society	M	Jane
W/E	16-17 Nov	2	Mt Magdala - Stanley Name Spur	M	Damien
W/E	16-17 Nov	2	Mt Cobbler and its waterfalls	M	Susie
Sun	17-Nov	1	OT Dam to Arthurs Peak	M	Peter
Wed	20-Nov	1	Lower Yarra	M	Laurie
Thu	21-Nov		Social night Club rooms		Social Secret

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W/E	23-24 Nov	2	Mt Howitt and Stanley Name Spur -track clearing BTAC - Bushwalking Victoria		
W/E	23-24 Nov	2	Dock Inlet	M	Chris
Ext	29 Nov - 1 Dec	3	Moreton island QLD	M	Keith
W/E	30 Nov - 1 Dec	2	Mt Bogong area joint with Melbourne Bushwalkers	M/H A	Ray