

BATEMANS BAY BUSHWALKERS INC. Walk Proposal Form

Walks Organiser:

Charles Stuart, 2/14 Graydon Avenue
Denhams Beach 2536. Tel: 4472 5097Please complete form with as much detail as possible and pass it to Walks
Organiser by the due date shown on the current Program.**Please use black ink, otherwise it won't photocopy or scan clearly. Thanks!**

Assistant:

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PROPOSED DATE Saturday 20 October 2012

DATE LAST WALKED/NEW WALK 2005.039 18/6/05

NAME OF WALK Big Tree Circuit Behind Richmond Beach

WALK LEADER Karen MacLatchy

HOME PHONE 4474 3857

MOBILE PHONE Optional 0447 299 679

MAP NAME Durras

 New Series GDA94 Old Series AGD66

GRID REF Start 533470

GRID REF Finish same

BBBW GPS Yes NoBBBW PLB Yes No**Compulsory to carry a BBBW (or your own) GPS and spare batteries
on all BBBW walks****Compulsory for difficult walks, or any walks in remote country not
easily accessible by vehicles****WALK GRADING**

- EASY Good tracks, relatively flat terrain
- EASY/MEDIUM Good tracks, some hills or more difficult sections
- MEDIUM Rougher tracks, fairly steep hills
- MEDIUM/HARD Rough tracks, steep hills, possibly rock scrambling & creek crossings
- HARD Up to 8 hrs, rough terrain, maybe no tracks; for fit & capable walkers
- EXPLORATORY Walks in terrain unfamiliar to leader; fit & capable walkers only

NATURE OF TERRAIN

- G Good Track CkX Creek Crossing
- H Hilly RS Rock Scrambling
- RT Rough Track BW Beach Walking
- NT No Track
- BR&F Bring Refreshments and Fluid

DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY 13 WALK TIME inc breaks 3 hrs TOTAL TIME inc drive 3.5 hrs

CAR SHUFFLE Yes No WALK DISTANCE 8 kms DRIVE return from BB 40 kmsASSEMBLY POINT AND DEPARTURE TIMES WILL YOU BE AT CP? Yes No

BATEMANS BAY (CP) 0930 hrs MOGO hrs MORUYA (CPM) hrs

OTHER MEETING PLACE at hrs

DESCRIPTION OF WALK Through Murramarang National Park near South Durras, visiting a hug spotted gum and the coast at Richmond Beach.
2 lines (300 characters) of description for Program pace will be Easy.

MAP OF ROUTE Attach a to-scale map with route marked; or a drawn facsimile of route; or description of walk using grid references. eg. Kioloa GDA map, Start at 573674 (18 Mile Peg Road). Walk east to 582672 (road junction on right), turn south – follow road to 489663, take left fork to 586669 etc.

* See attached map. This is a walk explored and led by the late Jock Cumming.

To get to start @533470 on North Head Road. Turn right off the South Durras Road onto North Head Road (signposted) and follow it past Carls Mountain Road, Skid Ridge Road and Pine Knob Road. Small parking area for about 5 cars on the western side of road.

Take the track heading NE opposite parking area and follow it to the Big Tree at 545479. Stop here for morning tea.

Continue along track until it meets Richmond Beach Road at a T junction. Turn right. Continue for about 300m and take first track on right which leads to a crossroads at the Old Highway. Straight ahead is the road which leads down to Richmond Beach for lunch. There's plenty of shade and rocks for sitting on the northern end of beach. Retrace beach road back to crossroad at Old Highway and turn left onto Old Highway. Almost immediately pass a large cleared area on the right, and take the first track very soon after that.

This is the tricky bit. Follow this track downhill to the first gully containing a usually dry creekbed. Immediately after you cross the creek there is an indistinct track through lomandra to the left along the bank of the creek. Follow this over a couple of big fallen trees and up the hill to a major road. Turn right and follow this road until you reach a T junction signposted North Head Road. Turn right and walk 500m to cars.

Walks Organiser's use only

DATE ALLOCATED Sat 20 Oct 2012

WALK NO. 2012.750

WALK APPROVED PASSENGER CONTRIBUTION Batemans Bay \$ 3.00
Other \$ -

