

Club Nights:

Every Wednesday Night at Tararua Club Rooms, 4 Montcrieff Street, Mt Victoria (Off Elizabeth Street). Doors open at 7:30pm, meeting 8pm.

Hut Use:

Tickets or a hut pass are required for most trips staying at or camping near huts. Tickets can be purchased from the gear room. Annual Passes must be purchased from DOC. There is no charge for club members at Paua Hut.

Transport:

Departs from platform 9, Wellington Railway Station, Friday night, unless otherwise notified. Pickups can be made en-route by prior arrangement.

	Load Gear	Depart
North Island	5:15pm	5:30pm
South Island	5:00pm	5:30pm

* Please do not make your own transport arrangements as they are arranged by the club.

Trip Fares:

Payment of fares is required before the trip. Fares should be paid by cheque if possible. Any person whose name appears on a trip list two Wednesdays before North Island trips and three Wednesday before South Island trips will be liable for the fare.

Transport sub-committee

Andrew Trembath
Stuart Palmer (bus maintenance)
Victoria McGregor (trip money)
Peter Silverwood

Club Gear—Handle With Care!

Club gear is shared gear. Please return it as you would expect to receive it. Collect or return gear (clean & dry) from the gear room between 7:30-8pm on Wednesday nights. Please report any repairs required when returning gear. If you have gear out longer than necessary then you will be charged accordingly. Deposits are required from non-members for alpine gear.

Chief Guides sub-committee

Wayne Stevens (SAR)
Sharron Came (training)
Simon Lillico (skiing)
Grant Newton (huts)
Ali Hawke (emergency contact lists)

Trip Overdue / Emergency Contact Lists

Each club overnight trip is allocated a contact person to provide an important point of contact for family/flatmates etc. The contact person holds the details of each group's intentions and a list of punters on the trip. Family/flatmates etc should first call the contact person if they feel concerned if a trip member or party is overdue. Trip leaders must ensure that their intentions are with the contact person and that they call the contact person when the trip is out.

Description of Trips

Tramp	Overnight tramp
Day Walk	One day walk, not overnight, usually local unless based at Ruapehu Lodge or otherwise specified.
Alpine 1	Requires alpine skills equivalent to snowcraft level (ice axe & crampon use)
Alpine 2	Requires alpine skills equivalent to AIC level (ice axe, crampons & rope skills)
Alpine 3	Requires Alp 2 skills plus significant alpine experience
SAR	Search & Rescue training courses
Instruct	Instruction courses—may be run by the club or by the Mountain Safety Council.
Kayak1	Sea kayak trip suitable for beginners
Kayak2	Experience of rescue techniques
Kayak3	Significant experience needed/open sea
MTB	Mountain biking trip
Cycle	Road cycle or cycle tour (overnight trips require panniers)

Grade	Terrain	Pace	Rest	Duration
E Easy	Established tracks	Leisurely	Frequent	4-5 hrs
EM Easy-Medium	Tracks	Leisurely/ Steady	Frequent	5-6 hrs
M Medium	Tracks and routes	Steady	Regular	6-8 hrs
MF Medium-Fit	Routes with navigation	Steady/Quick	Regular	6-10 hrs
F Fit	All terrain	Quickish	Few	7-11 hrs
FE Fitness Essential	All terrain	Fast	Few	9-12 hrs

Paua Hut Bookings

Gerard Galvin

Ruapehu Lodge Bookings

Simon Lillico (answerphone) 233 2143
[lodgebookings @ wtmc.org.nz](mailto:lodgebookings@wtmc.org.nz)

Club Lodge, Ruapehu

07 892 3874

Wellington Tramping & Mountaineering Club



Spring Trip Schedule September—December 2006

Club Officers April 06/07

President	Sue Walsh
Vice President	Darren Hammond
VP Ex Officio	Grant Newton
Secretary	Gail Shuttleworth

Assisted by:	Renee Habluetzel
Treasurer	Simon Ward*
Chief Guide	Craig McGregor
Asst. Chief Guide	Alistair Young
Social Convenor	Sarah Cartmell

Assisted by: Lynda Bushe & Yvette Cehel

Newsletter Editor	Michael Lightbourne
Journal Editor	Michael Hirst
Promotions Officer	Amanda Wells
Ruapehu Lodge Maintenance	Barrie Noyce
Transport Officer	Andrew Trembath
Gear Custodian	Peter Silverwood
Membership Officer	Caroline Dodson

No Casual Phone Calls after 9pm please!

Club Rooms:	4 Montcrieff Street Mt Victoria
Mail Address:	PO Box 5068 Wellington
Web Address:	http://www.wtmc.org.nz

Spring Trip Schedule September—December 2006

If you are interested in leading a trip which is listed as *Leader Required*, please contact the Chief Guide.

September 1-3—Taranaki (North Egmont)

Tramp	M	Pouakai Circuit	Sarah Cartmell
Alpine 1	F	Mt Taranaki Summit	<i>Leader Required</i>
Alpine 2	MF	Ice-climbing	David Jewell
Cycle	M	Around Taranaki	Craig McGregor

September 2 or 3—Wellington Day Trips

Daywalk	E	Colonial Knob	Barbara Keenan
Daywalk	M	Lowry Bay/Gollans	Amanda Wells
Kayak1	EM	Chocolate Fish	Ali Hawke

September 8-10—Taranua Forest Park (Otaki Forks)

Tramp	E	YTTY	Andrew Mann
Tramp	M	Rae Ridge	Melissa Hewson
Tramp	MF	Elder-Renata	Victoria McGregor
Alpine 1	F	Southern Main Range	Amanda Wells

September 15-17—Tongariro National Park

Alpine 1	E	Tongariro Crossing	Andrew Trembath
Alpine 1	MF	Tongariro/Ketetahi/ Ngauruhoe	Alison Stevenson
Alpine 1	FE	Three Peaks	Craig Jones
Cycle	M	Ohakune/Raetahi/ Wanganui	Christian Hoerning

September 16 or 17—Wellington Day Trip

Daywalk	E	Baked Beans/Belmont	Paul Jeffries
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September 22-24—Ruahine Forest Park (Rangiwahia)

Tramp	E	Rangiwahia Hut/ Mangahuia	Marie Henderson
Tramp	M	Triangle / Heritage	Simon Ward*
Tramp	F	Triangle / Irongate	Alistair Young

September 23 or 24—Wellington Day Trip

Daywalk	EM	Mt Climie	Barbara Keenan
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Sunday Walkers

Day walk group running separately from the regular schedule, on the 3rd Sunday of each month. Contact Heather Jones .

September 29 — October 2— Inland Kaikoruas (3 days)

Alpine 1	MF	Tapuaenuku	Sharron Came
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September 29 — October 1— Richmond Range (2 days)

Tramp	EM	Wakamarina/ Onamalutu	Bronwyn Bell
Tramp	MF	Riley/Sunday/Baldy/ Royal	Sarah Cartmell

September 30 or October 1—Wellington Day Trips

Daywalk	M	Te Ikaamaru Bay	Constanze Schwind
Daywalk	E	Northern Walkway	Gerald Dreaver

October 6-8—Taranua Forest Park (Kaitoke)

Tramp	E	Tutuwai	Darren Hammond
Tramp	M	Omega/Tutuwai	<i>Leader Required</i>
Tramp	MF	Mystery Nav Special	Sue&Allen Higgins

October 7 or 8 —Wellington Day Trip

Cycle	MF	Haywards	Craig McGregor
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October 13-15—Wellington Day Trips

Daywalk	EM	Plimmerton/ Pukerua Bay	Victoria McGregor
Daywalk	M	Cannons Point/ Birchville Dam	Alistair Young
Cycle	MF	Akatarawa/Waikanae	Craig McGregor
Instruct		MSC First Aid	Sharron Came

October 20-23—Taranua Forest Park (Labour Weekend)

Tramp	MF	Neill Winchcombe	Dirk Naish
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October 20-23—Kahurangi National Park

Tramp	EM	1000 Acre/Poor Petes	Tracy Wilkinson
Tramp	M	100 Acre Plateau	Paul Christoffel
Alpine 1	MF	Needle & Haystack	Craig & Victoria McGregor

October 20-23—Nelson Lakes National Park

Tramp	E	Bushline/Lake Rotoiti	Yvette Chtel
Alpine 1	MF	St Arnaud Range	Amanda Wells
Alpine 2	F	Mt Travers	David Jewell

October 20-23—Taupo

Kayak2	M	Caves/Carvings	Ali Hawke
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October 27-29—Wellington Day Trips

Daywalk	E	Butterfly Creek	Ailsa Taylor
Daywalk	M	Skyline/Makara Peak	Sarah Cartmell
Daywalk	F	Eastern Hutt/Quoin	Laurayne Robb
MTB	MF	Mystery Tour	Anna Lambrechtsen

October 30—Summer Trip Planning	Chief Guide
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November 3-5—Guy Fawkes—Paua Hut Social

Tramp	Intro	Five-Mile Track	Victoria McGregor
Tramp	EM	McKerrow Track	Melissa Hewson
Tramp	MF	Tapopoko Stream/ Mukamuka	Alistair Young

November 3-5—Taranua Forest Park

Work	M	Marking Taranua Peaks	Grant Newton
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November 10-12—Tongariro Lodge Day Trips

Daywalk	E	Whakapapaiti-Mahuia	Clinton Hunter
Alpine 1	M	Crater Walk	Stuart Meiklejohn
Alpine 1	MF	Ruapehu	Andrew Chisholm
MTB	M	42nd Traverse	Simon Ward*
Instruct	All	River Safety	<i>To be confirmed</i>

November 11 or 12—Wellington Day Trip

Daywalk	M	Mt Maunganui	Paul Abbott
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November 17-19—Ruahine Forest Park (Kashmir Rd)

Tramp	EM	Longview-Pohangina- Top Gorge	Constanze Schwind & Paul Jeffries
Tramp	M	Howletts—Daphne	Michael Lightbourne
Tramp	MF	Toka Biv—Pohangina	Stuart Meiklejohn
Tramp	F	Sawtooth Ridge	Sharron Came

November 18 or 19—Wellington Day Trip

Daywalk	E	Field Hut	Barbara Keenan
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November 24-26—Richmond Forest Park (Hacketts)

Tramp	E	Rocks Hut	Darren Hammond
Tramp	M	Starveall	<i>Leader Required</i>
Tramp	F	Starveall/Dun Mtn	Andrew Chisholm
Kayak	MF	Cable Bay	Ally Clark

December 1-3—Taranua Forest Park (Holdsworth)

Tramp	EM	Holdsworth/Jumbo	Andrew Mann
Tramp	M	Baldy/Broken Axe/ Jumbo	Spencer Clubb
Tramp	F	Atiwhak/Baldy/Dorset Crk/ McGregor Biv	Laurayne Robb

December 2 or 3 Wellington Day Trips

Work	EM	Smiths Creek Shelter	Grant Newton
Kayak	EM	Tour de Café/Harbour	<i>Leader Required</i>

December 9—End of year social / BBQ (All)

Party organisers: Yvette Chtel, Sarah Cartmell & Ailsa Taylor