

## Summer Trip Schedule February - April 2011

Grade	Terrain	+Pace	+Rests	=Duration
E Easy	Easy Tracks	Leisurely	Frequent	4-5 hrs
E/M Easy-Medium	Tracks	Leisurely- Steady	Frequent	5-6 hrs
M Medium	Tracks/ Routes	Steady	Regular	6-8 hrs
M/F Medium-Fit	More Routes	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

### 4-6 Feb Haurangis / Ruahine FP

Tramp E	Kawakawa hut	Garry Skipper
Tramp M	Haurangi crossing	Mika Verheul
Tramp MF	Frog tarn	<i>Leader required</i>
Tramp EM	Mid Pohangina Hut - Ngamoko Rd, Ruahines	Anna Lambrechtsen

### 11-13 Feb Tararua FP - Kaitoke

Tramp EM	Tutuwai	Paul Andrew
Tramp M	Bull Mound - Cone hut	Kevin Cole
Tramp F	Neill Winchcombe	<i>Leader required</i>
Family All	Tramp/camp Palliser Bay	Mike Gilbert
Day EM	Colonial Knob to Mt Kaukau	Ray Walked
Cycle M	Pohangina Valley	Hans Wiskerke/ Mika Verheul

### 18-20 Feb Wanganui FP - Waitotara / Lodge

Tramp E	Trains Hut	Amelia White
Tramp MF	Tahupo Hut	<i>Leader required</i>
Tramp MF	Tararua Northern Crossing	Amanda Wells
Day M	Tongariro Crossing (Lodge)	Andy Hay
Cycle M	Wanganui River road	Anna Lambrechtsen
Day E	Pencarrow Lighthouse	Murray Sutherland
Family All	Breaker Bay daywalk	Beth Piggott

### 23 Feb New members' info night

### 25-27 Feb Tararua FP - Ohau

Tramp E	North Ohau hut	Darren Hammond
Tramp EM	Waiopahu via Blackwater stream	Alistair Young

Tramp M	Deception Spur - Te Matawai	Garry Skipper
Kayak EM	Somes Island daytrip	Kevin Cole
Day M	Mt Reeves (Wairapa)	Murray Sutherland
Cycle E	Morrisons Bush (Wairapa) daytrip	Harry Smith

### 2 Mar Photo competition

### 3-6 Mar (3 day) Nelson Lakes NP / Raglan Range

Tramp E	John Tait hut, Cupola	Amelia White
Tramp EM	Lees Creek hut (Raglan Range)	John Hickey
Tramp MF	Hellfire-Misery-Lees Creek (Raglan Range)	Sharron Came
Tramp EM	Whakanui Kiwi spotting (Rimutaka Range, 2 day)	Megan Banks
Day M	Ngaio/Otari	Helen Law
Day EM	Butterfly Creek (Eastbourne)	Barbara Keenan
Family All	Camping Catchpool	Richard Lyth

### 11-13 Mar Bushcraft / Tararua FP - Putara

Instr All	Bushcraft course	Sue Walsh
Tramp E	Herepai	Michael Lightbourne
Tramp EM	Roaring Stag	Anna Lambrechtsen
Tramp M	Cattle Ridge	Kevin Cole
Tramp F	Arete/Bannister	Richard Lardner
Family All	Ruahpehu Lodge	Mike Gilbert

### 18-20 Mar Ruahine FP - North Block Rd

Tramp E	Sunrise Hut	Helen Law
Tramp EM	Top Marapea Hut	Garry Skipper 0212425826
Tramp M	Sunrise via Waipawa	Kate Cushing
Tramp MF	Middle Stream Hut	<i>Leader required</i>
Family All	Botanic daywalk	Beth Piggott

### 25-27 Mar Tararua FP - Otaki Forks/Kaitoke

Tramp E	Tutuwai	Ray Walker
Tramp EM	Waitewaewae	Mika Verheul
Tramp M	Southern Crossing	Hans Wiskerke
Tramp MF	Otaki Gorge	Amanda Wells
Tramp F	Southern Main Range	Mike Phethean
Family All	Paua Hut tramp	Constanze Schwind

### 1-3 Apr Leadership / Wgtn daywalks

Instr All	Leadership course	Sue Walsh
Day EM	Hemi Matenga	Pete Gent
Day MF	Dry Creek/Belmont	Darren Hammond

### 8-10 Apr Ruahine FP - Kawhata Base

Tramp EM	McKinnon	Andy Hay
Tramp M	Mokai Patea	John Hoffeins
Tramp MF	Mokai Patea/Wakelings hut	<i>Leader required</i>
Tramp F	Waterfall	Sharron Came
Family All	Otari daywalk	Constanze Schwind
MTB M	Queen Charlotte	Pete Gent

### 15-17 Apr First Aid / Tararua FP - Kiriwhakapapa

Instr All	Outdoor First Aid	Steve Austin
Tramp EM	Cow Creek	Melissa Hewson
Tramp M	Arete Forks via Table Top	Murray Sutherland
Tramp MF	Tarn Ridge/Holdsworth	Steve Austin
Day E	Makara Beach	Clinton Hunter

### 21-25 Apr (Easter) Ruapehu/Whirinaki/Arthurs Pass

Tramp EM	Round Ruahpehu	Amelia White
Tramp EM	Central Whirinaki hut	Helen Law
Tramp MF	Mangamate hut	Richard Lardner
Tramp M	Goat Pass/Edwards	Kate Cushing
Alp1 MF	Three passes	Mike Phethean
Kayak M	Lake Taupo	Garry De Rose

### 29 Apr - 1 May Ruahine FP - Mangelton Rd

Tramp E	Gold Creek Hut	<i>Leader required</i>
Tramp EM	Parks Peak	Garry Skipper
Tramp MF	Kylie Biv/Colenso Spur	Bernie Smithyman
Tramp F	Barlow Hut/River	Steve Austin
Day EM	City to sea	Pete Gent

If there is a trip you would like to lead that is marked as leader required, please make contact with the Chief Guide on club night or at [chiefguide@wtmc.org.nz](mailto:chiefguide@wtmc.org.nz)

## Club Nights:

Every Wednesday Night at the Tararua Club Rooms,  
4 Moncrieff Street, Mt Victoria (off Elizabeth Street)  
Doors open at 7.30pm, meeting 8pm

## Hut Use:

You will require tickets or an Annual Hut Pass for most trips or camping around huts. Obtain tickets from the Gear Custodian or DoC. Annual Hut Passes may only be purchased from the DoC. Club members may stay at Paua Hut for free.

## Transport:

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

	Load Gear	Depart
North Island	5.15pm	5.30pm
South Island(ferry terminal)	5.00pm	5.30pm

\*Please do not make your own transport arrangements as this is arranged by the Club

## Trip Fares:

Payment of fares is required before the trip. Fares should be paid by Internet banking if possible. Any person whose name appears on a trip list up to two **Wednesdays** before North Island trips, and three **Wednesdays** before South Island trips is liable for the fare.

## Club Gear-Handle With Care!

Club gear is shared gear so please return it as you would expect to receive it. Pick up or return **clean and dry** from the gear custodian between 7.30-8.00pm on Wednesday nights. Please report any repairs needed. If you have gear out longer than necessary, you will be charged accordingly. **Deposits are now required from non-members for alpine gear.**

## Chief Guide's Sub-committee

### Phone

Position vacant (Gear Custodian)  
Wayne Stevens (SAR)  
Simon Lillico (Skiing)  
Sue Walsh (Instruction)  
Steve Austin (Huts)  
Richard Lardner (Trip sheets)  
Position vacant (Statistics)  
Jackie Foster (Club weekend contacts)

## Membership Address & Phone List

### Phone

Jenny Beaumont [membership@wtmc.org.nz](mailto:membership@wtmc.org.nz)  
Update your details online: [www.wtmc.org.nz](http://www.wtmc.org.nz)

## Paua Hut Bookings

### Phone

[pauahut@wtmc.org.nz](mailto:pauahut@wtmc.org.nz) (Phil Kendon)  
Maintenance: Mike Pratt

## Ruapehu Lodge Bookings

### Phone

Brian Goodwin (answerphone)  
[lodgebookings@wtmc.org.nz](mailto:lodgebookings@wtmc.org.nz)  
Club Lodge, Mt Ruapehu

## Transport Sub-Committee

### Phone

Sally Colbeck (trip money)

## Editor's Sub-Committee

### Phone

Jackie Foster (Journal)  
Mike Gilbert (Website)

## Search and Rescue (SAR) Advice

### Overdue Trips

Each club overnight trip is allocated an emergency contact person for family and flatmates etc. The contact person holds the details of each group's intentions and a list of people on the trip. Family and flatmates etc. should first contact the emergency contact person if they feel concerned when a trip member or party is overdue. Trip leaders must call the contact person when an overdue party is out, and send a courtesy text or call after the trip when everything runs as planned.

Experienced club members contribute to SAR by undertaking training and searching for missing and injured trampers.

## Description of Trips

Tramp	Overnight tramp
Day	1 day walk, not overnight, usually local, unless based at Ruapehu lodge or other
Alp 1	Requires skills equivalent to snowcraft course level (ice axe & crampon use)
Alp 2	Requires skills equivalent to AIC course level (ice axe, crampons & rope skills)
Alp 3	Requires Alpine 2 skills plus significant alpine experience and confidence
NAV	Navigation trips: Tramp with an emphasis on navigation skills. Expect the unexpected!
AIC	Alpine Instruction Course
SAR	Search and Rescue training courses
Instr	Instruction courses-may be run by the club or the Mountain Safety Council (MSC)
Kayak	Sea kayak trip
MTB	Mountain Biking trip
Cycle	Road cycle or cycle tour (overnight trips require panniers)
Rock	Rock Climbing trip
Tubing	River travel in a truck inner tube or similar
MTN RN	Mountain Running

## Buggy/Family Walkers

### Email

Mike Gilbert [WtmcFamilies@gmail.com](mailto:WtmcFamilies@gmail.com)

## Weekend cyclists

### Phone

Hans Wiskerke

# Wellington Tramping & Mountaineering Club



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## Club Officers-April 10/11

President	Darren Hammond
Vice President	
Secretary	Mika Verheul
Treasurer	Steve Austin
Chief Guide	Amanda Wells
Asst. Chief Guide	Melissa Hewson
Social Convenor	Donna Maher
Newsletter Editor	Michael Lightbourne
Promotions Off.	Megan Banks
Ruapehu Lodge Conv.	Sue Walsh
Transport Off.	Gareth Morton
Membership Off.	Jenny Beaumont

*No Casual Phone Calls after 9pm please!*

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