



Perth Bushwalking Groups

FEDERATION OF WA BUSHWALKERS

Ph: 9250 0006

Website:

www.bushwalking.org.au/westaust

The federation was set up to present a united voice for all bushwalkers in WA. The website provides useful links to Perth bushwalking activities and groups.

FRIENDS OF THE BIBBULMUN TRACK

Ph: 9481 0551

Website: www.bibbulmuntrack.org.au

Email: friends@bibbulmuntrack.org.au

Organises and promotes introductory walking tours and other activities

FRIENDS OF THE CAPE TO CAPE TRACK

Ph: 9757 6327

Website: www.mronline.com.au/capetrack

Maps, publications, and advice on walking the Cape Leeuwin to Cape Naturaliste Track.

HIKING CLUB OF WA

Ph: 9362 1614

Conducts hikes every Saturday in a 50km radius of Perth, and is open to all people between the ages of 18-80 with a reasonable level of fitness. Club hikes are graded from easy to hard, can cover distances from 5 to 25 kms and may take 2-8 hours.

PERTH BUSHWALKERS CLUB

Ph: 9487 7990

Website: www.perthbushwalkers.asn.au

Email: info@perthbushwalkers.asn.au

The club offers a variety of bushwalking events throughout the year, with several day walks each Sunday and overnight or longer backpack walks held at least once a month.

WA FAMILY BUSHWALKING CLUB

Ph: 9203 6163

The club organises short bush walk for families with children of all ages. Contact Mavis on the above phone number for further information.

Other Useful Websites:

AUSTRALIAN BUSHWALKING AND CAMPING REFERENCE SITE:

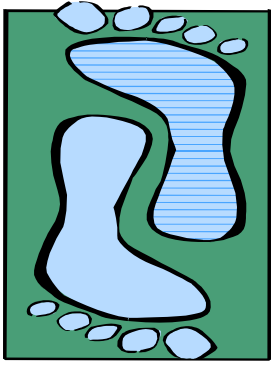
www.galactic.net.au/bushwalking/main.html

AUSHIKER: HIKING IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA

<http://aushiker.com>

Has links to very useful WA websites including information on the following tracks:

- Coastal Plain Walk Trail, a 46 km track starting in the Yanchep National Park
- Stirling Ranges



Walking Opportunities

You might consider joining the walking groups listed below and enjoy the local surroundings and social opportunities:

➤ **Over 55's Walking Association**

Recreational walking in various locations around Perth.

9279 2092 or 9385 4865

marielm@bigpond.com

The club meets every Tuesday from mid March to mid November. Bring your own lunch & socialise after walk. Social club arranges a monthly function ranging from Darlington, Wungong Dam to Melville and Wanneroo.

➤ **Action Outdoors Association**

Walking & cycling activities for all ages

9343 6783

<http://www.aoa.iinet.net.au>

Walking in the City of Perth

For those of you who walk at present or are keen to do more walking in the future and have access to a computer, why not visit the City of Perth's webpage at www.perth.wa.gov.au/html/vis16_discovery_trail.php to find out more about the Convicts and Colonials; Boom or Bust; Icons of Influence and Parks and Gardens Walk Trails.

Walking in the Town of Vincent

For those with access to a computer, you might consider visiting the Town of Vincent's web page at www.vincent.wa.gov.au to find out more about places of interest such as heritage sites, parks and gardens or recreation centres.

Walking in the City of Stirling

Stirling also offers an extensive network of shared paths, including several picturesque coastal walks. A range of brochures detailing shared path facilities running through local parks and reserves is produced by the City of Stirling can be accessed at: www.stirling.wa.gov.au/home/recreation or in the Your City @ Your Leisure booklet available at libraries or the City administration building.

Other

If you are planning to walk, you might like to take a look at the Local TravelSmart Guide for your area. It has maps showing routes and local facilities such as supermarkets, delis, public toilets, skate parks, playgrounds and post boxes.

One side of the guide is for walking and cycling and it shows Perth Bike Network routes, shared paths (for cyclists and walkers), bike lanes, walking trails, bike shops and bike parking.

<http://www.dpi.wa.gov.au/travelsmart> - Maps, guides and brochures