

MANNING GREAT LAKES BIRDWATCHERS Inc:

OUTINGS AND CAMPS FOR YEAR 2025

Note - All outings commence at 8:00 am or 7:30 am during Eastern Daylight-Saving Times

Saturday 18th January: CATTAI WETLANDS: Meet at Wetlands Carpark. M/Tea & Lunch at Wetlands (Amenities)

Thursday 6th February: / SAND TRACK FIRETRAIL/CROWDY GAP WALKING TRACK, HARRINGTON FORESHORE: meet at Crowdy Gap Campground. M/Tea at Crowdy Gap Campground (Amenities), lunch at Harrington (Amenities)

Summer Midweek Camp: Tuesday 11th to Thursday 13th February inclusive: Mid-week camp Gloucester. Suggested Arriving Monday 10th depart Friday 14th. Birdwatching starts Tuesday morning early

Thursday 6th March: MUDBISHOPS POINT RESERVE/SALTWATER: Meet opposite Old Bar Caravan Park near airstrip on left. M/Tea & Lunch at Saltwater NR (Amenities)

Saturday 15th March: BIGHT CEMETARY/ BIGHT ROAD /WINGHAM BRUSH NR: Meet at the Bight Cemetery off Tinonee Rd. M/tea & Lunch at Wingham Brush (Amenities)

Thursday 3rd April: MINIMBAH NATURE RESERVE: Meet at corner of McKinnon and Glen Ora Roads Sth of Nابیac. Lunch at Bullocky Wharf (Amenities at Nابیac)

Saturday 19th April: TON O FUN ROAD FIRETRAIL/DARAWANK RESERVE: Meet at the trail entrance (Corrigans Rd) off Ton O Fun Road Darawank. Lunch at Darawank War Memorial Park (Amenities)

Thursday 1st May: GHINNI GHINNI- BLACKS LANE/CROKI: Meet in Moto Rd just after turnoff. M/Tea & Lunch Croki (Amenities)

Saturday 17th May: SEAL ROCKS/LIGHTHOUSE WALK/FIRETRAILS: Meet in carpark at gate to Lighthouse Road. M/tea and Lunch at Seal Rocks (Amenities opposite Caravan Park near car parking area and at both camping areas)

Thursday 5th June: JOHN'S RIVER/REST STOP/FOREST TRAIL: Meet in Thomas St. behind Community Progress Association Building. M/tea & Lunch at rest stop (Amenities) (Takeaways at Fuel station)

Saturday 21st June: LOCKETTS CROSSING/BRUSHY CREEK. Morning Tea/lunch at Brushy Creek amenities Coolongolook Oval. Meet at oval parking in Midge St. behind Ampol Service Station Coolongolook

Thursday 3rd July: FIREFLY PRECINCT/GAY SARGENT'S PROPERTY - Meet corner Wallanbah Road & Mobbs Lane. Morning tea at suitable location and Lunch at Gay's place (amenities)

Saturday 19th July: ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING: Details TBA

Thursday 7th August: SANDBAR BUSH CAMP/ CELITO BEACH /SANDBAR CARAVAN PARK - meet at the Junction of Sandbar Road and The Lakes Way. M/Tea & Lunch at Sandbar Caravan Park Precinct (Amenities) (Takeaways at Kiosk)

Saturday 16th August: REDHEAD/BLACKHEAD R/FOREST WALKS - meet at car park at end of Red Head Road: Lunch at Blackhead Picnic Area (Amenities) (Takeaways)

Thursday 4th September: O'SULLIVANS GAP: MYALL LAKES NP. Meet in car park at the O'Sullivan's Gap Picnic Area off Wootton Way. M/Tea & lunch in Picnic area.(Amenities)

Saturday 20th September: KILLABAKH: Meet at Judi Homewood's property, 1378 Comboyne Road: M/Tea & Lunch at Judi's property

Thursday 2nd October: MINIMBAH NATURE RESERVE/FIRETRAILS: Meet at corner of McKinnon and Glen Ora Roads Sth of Nابیac. Lunch at Bullocky Wharf (Amenities at Nابیac)

Monday 13th October to Sunday 19th October Inclusive – Arrive Sunday 12th depart Monday 20th: SPRING CAMP. Details TBA

Thursday 6th November: BRIMBIN NATURE RESERVE. Meet at the corner Cedar Party Rd/Old Port Macquarie Road: M/Tea & Lunch in picnic area (Amenities)

Saturday 15th November: CATTAI WETLANDS: Meet in Wetlands Carpark. M/tea & Lunch at wetlands (Amenities)

Saturday 6th December: CHRISTMAS LUNCH - Details TBA