



# The Barry Vivian Walking Group Program – November, 2023

**Note:** This month, walks start at **6.30 am**

## Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> Nov.

### Quail Trail and Goanna Trail

**Meet at the Gap Creek Reserve picnic area, Gap Creek Road.** Follow the Quail Trail, then west along Highwood Rd, and return to the picnic area via the Goanna Trail. Coffee back at The Gap (perhaps try Kahlo under the trees overlooking the golf course?) - to decide on the day. About 6 km, fire trails and some road. Hilly, with some steep sections, moderate. *[At the Shed this morning: **Melbourne Cup Lunch (from 11.30). Back in plenty of time!**]*

## Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Nov.

### Wynnum Bird Hide, Mangrove & Coast Walk

**Meet at the inbound bus stop 33 at The Gap Village at 6.25 am.** Catch the 6.29 am 385 bus to Roma St Station. Proceed to **platform 5** to catch the 7.05 am Cleveland Train to Wynnum North Station. Walk via Wynnum N Rd (past the historic Nazareth House) direct to the **Wynnum North Conservation Site**: first, visit the bird hide, hopefully see any migratory birds arriving for the summer (binoculars perhaps?), then continue onto the Mangrove Boardwalk to enjoy the water views above the expected high tide (9.07am). Follow the esplanade south via Elanora Park to the Wynnum Foreshore/Pandanus Beach, then inland towards the station. Suggest coffee at Capacillios Cafe in Florence Street. Return on the 11am train from **Wynnum Central** Station (trains run half-hourly). About 6.7 km, mostly flat, urban roads, bike paths, and boardwalk, easy. *[At the Shed this morning: Normal activities, then **Lunch at the Broncos (12.30pm). Back in good time for that.**]*

## Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> Nov.

### Mermaid Reach of the Brisbane River

**Meet on Amazons Place, Sinnamon Park.** Discover the Mermaid Reach of the Brisbane River, Seventeen Mile Rocks, and some ghosts of Brisbane's early industrial history. Coffee at Two Teaspoons in Goggs Road. About 7.5km, some hills, urban roads, bush tracks, & bike paths, reasonably easy to moderate. *[At the Shed today: **Talk by Val Bonney (10.30 – 12.00). Back in plenty of time!**]*

## Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> Nov.

### Enoggera Ck and Bank St Reserve

**Meet near the northern end of Tennis Ave, Ashgrove.** Walk upstream along the Enoggera Ck bikeway to Bank St Reserve. Circumnavigate the reserve before returning to Gerbino's in Ashgrove Ave for morning tea/coffee. About 6km, bike paths, bush tracks, and some urban roads. Mostly flat along the creek, some hills in the reserve, reasonably easy. *[At the Shed this morning: **Possible Shed Talk (10.30 – 12.00) Back in plenty of time!**]*

*Enjoy the walks! Danny Kennedy Ph. 0418 632 669*