



**FOREST & BIRD WELLINGTON REGIONAL TRAMPING GROUP**  
**Winter Programme 2024**

<b>MAY</b>	
Wed 1	<b>Waikanae Station to Paraparaumu Station via Waterstone</b> 4 hrs E Sally Mathieson 04 904 1260, 022 088 9819
	<b>Skyline Walkway, J'ville to Karori Park</b> 6 hrs M/F Keith White 478 9836, Peter Gregg 022 075 8216
Wed 8	<b>Fungal Frolic of Tunnel Gully</b> 3-4 hrs NW Rita Urry 021 257 0425, Jill Goodwin 021 211 7720
	<b>Burrows, Highland Fling Loop Walk</b> 5 hrs M Marijke van der Leij Conway 021 032 3184, Helen Heffernan 027 405 0371
Wed 15	<b>Mana Island Excursion</b> approx 6 hrs E/M Philippa Doig 021 189 8787 Bookings essential : philippa.doig3@gmail.com. Cost is \$80 pp
	<b>Skyline Walkway, Khandallah to Karori Park</b> 4.5 hrs M Paul Oliver 021 034 2870
Wed 22	<b>Over the Farmland to Kaukau</b> 3+ hrs E Brenda Johnston 478 9008
	<b>Takapu to Petone via Horokiwi</b> 6 hrs M/F Colin Brown 028 413 2372
Wed 29	<b>Wellington Station to Karori via Ridgeline</b> 4-5 hrs M Ian Goodwin 021 519 461, Jill Goodwin 021 211 7720
	<b>Titi Traverse, Maungakotukutuku</b> 6 hrs F Gillian Candler 021 375 074
<b>JUN</b>	
Wed 5	<b>Haywards Scenic Reserve</b> 3.5-4 hrs E/M Marion Lloyd 972 9099
	<b>Wellington Streams Part 2</b> 5.5hrs M Chris Francis 386 3517, 021 123 3900
Wed 12	<b>Makara Peak Circuit</b> 4.5 hrs M Paul Oliver 021 034 2870
	<b>Woburn Station to Days Bay</b> approx 5-6 hrs M/F Judy Hedwig 021 109 4274
Wed 19	<b>Annual Mid-Winter Tramp/AGM - Turere Lodge</b> 5 hrs E Extended lunch, shared treats Marilyn Bramley 021 267 6495
Wed 19 - Thurs 20	<b>Further Exploration of the Orongorongo Valley &amp; Overnight Stay in Turere Lodge</b> Self-catering; Numbers limited. Booking will be essential. Contact Ian Goodwin : ianiangoodwin@gmail.com
Wed 26	<b>Porirua Station – Papakowhai – Porirua Station</b> 4.5-5 hrs E/M George Thomson 027 528 1791
	<b>Two Kohekohe Loops, Pukerua Bay &amp; Paekakariki by Train</b> 4 hrs E/M Robyn Procter 021 026 23123
<b>JUL</b>	
Wed 3	<b>Pauatahanui Inlet Circumnavigation</b> 4.5 hrs E Linda Dale 021 029 74051, Philippa Doig 021 189 8787
	<b>Karapoti Exploration</b> 5 hrs M Allan Munro 566 4834
Wed 10	<b>Some Other Tracks in the Whakanui Area</b> 4.5-5 hrs M Brian Queree 027 279 6153
	<b>Wellington Station to Northern Suburb</b> 4-5 hrs M Ian Goodwin 021 519 461, Jill Goodwin 021 211 7720
Wed 17	<b>Working Bee (half work, half walk) Gum Gully (Brooklyn Foothills)</b> 4.5 hrs E Anne Caton 027 606 6733
	<b>Porirua Station – Whitby Village – Paremata Station</b> 6 hrs M/F George Thomson 027 518 1791
Wed 24	<b>Nga Taonga - Five Mile Loop</b> 3.5 hrs E Sally Marx 021 954 380, 479 6907
	<b>Around Te Ahumairangi</b> 4.5 hrs M Paul Oliver 021 034 2870
Wed 31	<b>Whareroa/Te Ara Ramaroa Track</b> 4 hrs E/M Bryony Hales 027 563 6444, Tricia Glensor 021 077 4548
	<b>Rangituhi Crescent to Rangituhi/Colonial Knob Summit</b> 6 hrs M/F Philippa Doig 021 189 8787

AUG	
Wed 7	<b>Hutt River Challenge #1, Te Marua to Silverstream</b> 5-6 hrs M Judy Hedwig 021 109 4274, Kristen Wickens 021 023 46804 <b>Makara Peak</b> 5 hrs M Rick Hughes 022 071 0064
Wed 14	<b>Miramar, Seatoun, Breaker Bay, Bush and Beach</b> 3.5-4 hrs E/M Robyn Ching 021 066 1475, Anne Caton 027 606 6733 <b>Owhiro Bay to Zealandia</b> 5-5.5 hrs M John Larkindale 385 2933, 021 082 23733
Wed 21	<b>Wellington Station to Awarua Station</b> 4-5 hrs E/M Sally Munro 021 519 734, Pat Duigan 021 975 000 <b>Makara Loop Walk</b> 4-5 hrs M Jeanie Truell 027 437 3705, Gail Kettle 027 455 5041
Wed 28	<b>Kaitoke to Te Marua - Ridge Track</b> 4 hrs M Robyn Procter 021 026 23123 <b>Wellington Station Loop via Brooklyn Windmill</b> 4.5-5.5 hrs M/F Ian Goodwin 021 519 461, Jill Goodwin 021 211 7720
SEP	
Wed 4	<b>Te Whiti Riser</b> approx 4 hrs E/M Pam Nash 021 169 2304 <b>Hutt River Challenge #2, Silverstream to Petone</b> 5-6 hrs M Judy Hedwig 021 109 4274, Kristen Wickens 021 023 46804
Wed 11	<b>Otari-Wiltons Bush</b> approx 4 hrs NW Friends of Otari/Gillian Candler 021 375 074 Bookings essential, details to follow <b>Eastern Walkway with Rangitatau Reserve</b> 4 hrs M Helen Heffernan 027 405 0371, Pam Nash 021 169 2304
Wed 18	<b>Te Ahumairangi - Wadestown - Karori Cemetery Circuit</b> 4+ hrs E/M Sally Gray 021 027 97472 <b>Akatarawa Ramble</b> 4-5 hrs M Allan Kelly 526 6962, 027 740 0059
Wed 25	<b>Porirua to Whitby</b> 5 hrs E/M Gary Sims 027 8077 159 <b>Abbotts Creek to Remutaka Saddle</b> 6 hrs F Ian Millard 021 117 3400
OCT	
Wed 2	<b>Seton Nossiter/Newlands Escarpment</b> 4+ hrs E Brenda Johnston 478 9008 <b>McKerrow and Clay Ridge Tracks</b> approx 6 hrs M/F Kerry Finnigan 027 484 7037, Marilyn Bramley 021 267 6495
Wed 9	<b>Hutt River Trail/Riverstone Terraces Loop, Upper Hutt</b> 4.5 hrs E/M Colin Brown 028 413 2372 <b>Karori Heights</b> 5 hrs M Andrew Macbeth 027 2929 888
Wed 16	<b>Te Ahumairangi Hill</b> 4-4.5 hrs M Chris Francis 386 3517, 021 129 3900 <b>Orongorongo Track &amp; Cattle Ridge, Butcher Track</b> 5 hrs M/F Rita Urry 027 257 0425, Jill Goodwin 021 211 7720
Wed 23	<b>Karori Hills Figure of Eight</b> 4.5 hrs M Paul Oliver 021 034 2870 <b>Catchpool to Sunny Grove</b> 6 hrs F Ian Millard 021 117 3400
Wed 30	<b>Wind Turbine, Red Rocks</b> 5 hrs M Marijke van der Leij Conway 021 032 3184 <b>Hutt Forks via Norberts Track and Golden Road</b> 6 hrs F Stuart Hammond 526 7224

#### LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY:

We use the following criteria for our tramps:

- E – EASY** Approx 4 hours on formed undulating tracks/paths;
- M – MEDIUM** Approx 5 hours on good tracks with climbing;
- F – FIT** > 5+ hours, steeper climbing on bush tracks/routes, possibly stream crossings;
- NW – Nature Walk** Slow, with many stops and a focus on flora and fauna.

#### YOUR COMMITTEE:

Marilyn Bramley, Philippa Doig (Co-convenors), Anne Caton, Ian Goodwin, Max George, Paul Oliver