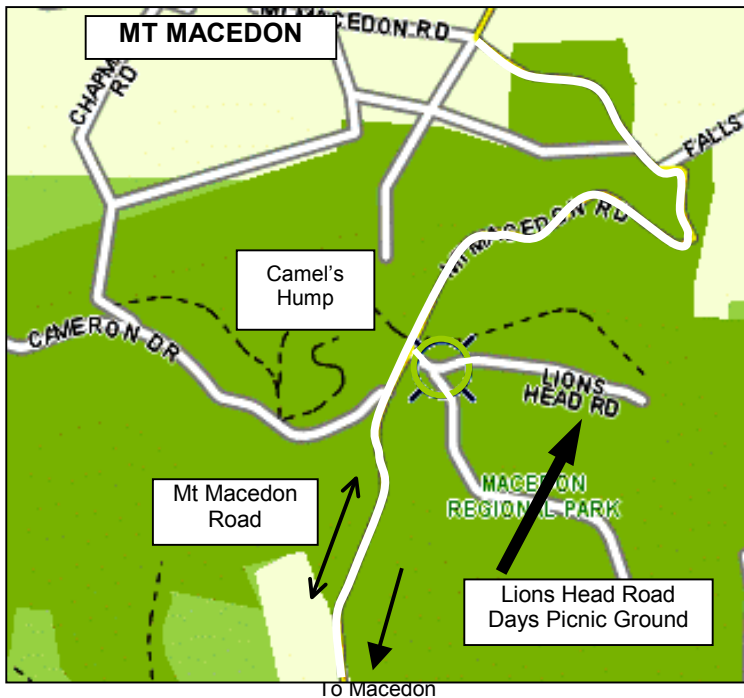


# Picnic Fun Walk



**Sunday, 4 March**  
**11.00 am**

**MT MACEDON**  
Days Picnic Ground  
Lions Head Road

**This will be a short easy walk so everyone and their dogs and puppies are welcome.**  
**Bring your picnic lunch.**

**Start time:**

The walk commences at 11.30 am - please arrive by 11 am to allow enough time to register and get ready.

**Cost:**

\$3.00 per or \$5.00 per Family  
Backpack Hire: \$5.00 per day – please contact co-ordinator to per book a club backpack

**Who Can Join In?**

Anyone and their dog(s) are welcome to come along. You don't have to walk the entire distance, and your dog does not have to have a backpack - it's up to you. Please note that young puppies should only walk a short distance.

**How to get there:**

From Melbourne: follow the Calder Highway past Gisborne. Take the Macedon/Mt Macedon turn-off and turn right at the T-intersection, heading under the freeway. Continue straight ahead at the roundabout and stay on the Mount Macedon Road, go through Mt Macedon. Turn right towards Sanatorium Lake/Barringo Road taking the left fork into Lions Head Road (near the Camels Hump). Hike registration will be on your left at the far end of the picnic ground.

**Weather & Temperature:**

Please note that the temperature at Mt Macedon is several degrees cooler than in Melbourne, so even on a hot day it can be quite pleasant at Mt Macedon.  
The event may be cancelled if the forecast temperature on the day is for 30oC or over – if so please contact the Backpacking Co-ordinator or Secretary for confirmation.

**The Walk:**

We will be walking from Days Picnic Ground to Sanatorium Lake, a round trip of approximately 4 km.



**What to bring:**

Sturdy lead & collar, backpack (if you have one), water & water bowl for your dog, basic first aid items, rubbish bags, sensible footwear & clothing, human backpack, food & drink, sunscreen, hat, insect repellent, etc. Please also bring a suitable means of tethering your dog. The AMCV will have some backpacks that can be hired on the day.

**NOTE:**

Dogs are to be kept on lead or suitably tethered at all times and remain the responsibility of their owner/handler.

**Facilities:**

There are toilet facilities and picnic tables at the parking area. Rubbish must be taken home with you.



**Further information:**

Contact Stuart Vanderpol on 0413 118 305 or send an email to [amcv@bigpond.com](mailto:amcv@bigpond.com)

