



DRAFT AMOC BEECHWORTH APRIL 2018

Friday 13 April

Early rise for some, for your approx. 3-hour trip, via the Hume Highway to arrive by **1230** at The Long Track Pantry Riverside Dr, Jugiong 02 6945 4144, for lunch. (It's on the main road, so you really can't miss it)

1400 The group will need to leave for the 3-hour drive to Beechworth. Directions will be issued at Jugiong for the drive to Carriage Motor Inn, 44 Camp St, Beechworth 03 5728 1830. Rate is \$129/night (no breakfast)

1800 We will have drinks and nibbles in the pool area.

1900 Dinner is approx. 30 meters up the road, at Hibernian Hotel, 40 Camp St, Beechworth. Extensive menu and you pay separately on ordering.

Saturday 14 April

Breakfast at any of the many cafes, that are all within a few hundred metres. The Beechworth Bakery is recommended, but you couldn't go wrong, with any place in town.

Visit the information centre on the Saturday morning for guidance on Beechworth and surrounds.

1030 Meet at in the Carriage Motor Inn car park and drive the cars approx. 500 meters to the lawn behind the old Courthouse, on Ford St. If it's raining, then we will just park on the street.

1100 In the Courthouse, a re-enactment of the arrest etc. of Ned Kelly. Cost is \$6.00 per person. Cash to Terry

1200 An approx. drive of 40 minutes, via Myrtleford, to Eurobin, for a sandwich lunch, at the Red Stag Deer & Emu Restaurant, 324 Hughes Lane, Eurobin 03 5756 2365
Sandwich lunch @\$16/person. Cash to Terry

After lunch, proceed via Bright, (worth a stop and a look around), and onto Mt Beauty. The Mt Beauty turnoff is a few kilometres out of town. If you are running early, you may wish to continue onto Falls Creek. If not, proceed back to Beechworth, via Dederang and Yackandandah.

1730 We will have drinks and nibbles in the pool area.

1830 Board the Bus (return fare is \$10/person – Cash to Terry) for a 10-kilometre run to dinner, at Amulet Vineyard, where you will receive a glass of Champagne on arrival. Sit down to a beautiful three course dinner. Wine and other drinks to your account.

Bus will return us to the hotel, whenever we are ready to go.



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Sunday 15 April

It's a free day, for all, and with the many attractions in Beechworth and the surrounding towns, you won't be bored. Beechworth is recognised as Australia's best-preserved gold mining town, and exploring it could take you all day. A few suggestions

- The Jail tour
- The Asylum Ghost tour
- Walk through the historic Chinese Burning Towers / Gardens
- Visit the Powder magazine, built to store the black powder used in Gold mining.
- Etc etc etc

And if you want to stray a little from Beechworth, the surrounding towns are also beautiful

- Rutherglen (wine)
- Glenrowan (Ned Kelly)
- Chiltern (Car Museum)
- Yackandandah
- Milawa (Brown Bros and Cheese)
- Or go for a drive around the Hume Weir

1800 Drinks in the pool area, and then walk to the restaurant of your choice. It's peak season in Beechworth, and I couldn't find a place in town, (outside the hotels) who wanted to cater for 58 people on a Sunday night. So, what you have to do, is book a place for dinner, (suggest 1900) before you go to Beechworth. Most will take separate bookings of 4/6/8, but probably no more, so organise a group and make a booking at your preferred venue. If you have not made a booking, either the Empire or Hibernian Hotels could easily cater for your dinner requirements.

Some suggestions

- The Ox and Hound in Ford St (03) 5728 2123
- The Press Club in Camp St (03) 5728 2360
- Provenance in Ford St (expensive) (03) 5728 1786
- Chinese Village in Camp St (03) 5728 1717
- Bridge Road Brewers in Ford St (03) 5728 2703
- Tanswell's Commercial Hotel in Ford St (03) 5728 1480

Monday 16 April

Most direct route back to Sydney is Via Albury / Wodonga and the Hume Highway and it's about six hours driving time.

Queries please direct to Terry 0418 675 253 and the cash you will need to give to Terry to receive your rare memento of the weekend totals \$200 a couple.

- Ned Kelly Show @ \$6/person \$ 12.00
- Red Stag Lunch @\$16/person \$ 32.00
- Bus Fare @\$10/person \$ 20.00
- Amulet Winery dinner@\$68/person \$136.00