

Otago Tramping and Mountaineering Club (Inc)

Trip Programme: Winter 2019

(All weekend trips depart on Friday at 6pm unless otherwise stated)

(All Sunday trips depart from the clubrooms at 9am unless stated)

			Trip Cost
MAY 2019			
4 (Sat)	Tree Planting @ Ben Rudd's, 9am (backup date 5 May)	Sue Williams	021 712 606 \$5
5	Outram to Lee Stream (M)	Richard Pettinger	03 487 9488 \$6
11-12	Routeburn Crossover (M/F)	Rodger Clarkson	03 473 6053 \$60
12	Around Port Chalmers (E/M)	Debbie Guthrie	022 020 3545 \$5
19	Government Track (M)	Jan Burch	027 455 4559 \$8
25-26	St Marys Range Crossover (M/F)	Alex Tups	021 172 0848 \$40
26	Pigeon Rock area - Escarpment Track clearing (M)	Tony Timperley	03 473 7257 \$5
JUNE			
1-2-3	(Queen's Birthday W/E): Port Craig/Waitutu/Hump (ALL)	Wayne Hodgkinson	03 493 0950 \$60
2	No Day Trip (Queen's Birthday)		
9	Bus & Tramp Signal Hill and Ravensbourne (E)	Jane Cloete	03 467 2328 \$8
15-16	Martins Hut, Longwoods (M)	Rose Colhoun	021 151 3791 \$50
16	Stone Hill / Purehurehu Point (M)	Gordon Tocher	021 677 818 \$5
23	Shortest Day sunrise trip - Mihiwaka (6:30am) (E)	Rodger Clarkson	03 473 6053 \$5
30	Rosella Ridge, Cedar Spur (M)	Tomas Sobek	021 279 8339 \$8
JULY			
6-7	Kepler Track (members only) (ALL)	Richard Forbes	021 520 760 \$50
7	Harbour Cone (E)	Sue Williams	021 712 606 \$5
14	Smeaton's Shack/Craiglowan Falls via Ben Rudd's (E/M)	Geraldine Kerr	021 0247 9822 \$5
21	Huriawa Peninsula and Seacliff (E)	Tomas Sobek	021 279 8339 \$5
27-28	Cameron Valley, Hakaterre Conservation Park (M)	Sue Williams	021 712 606 \$60
28	Greenacres/Highcliff/Buskin/Boulder/Paradise (M)	Tony Timperley	03 473 7257 \$5
AUGUST			
4	OTC/OTMC Equilibrium Day - Jubilee Hut & Return (8am) (F)	Antony Pettinger	03 473 7924 \$8
10-11	Snowcaving (Old Man Range) (I)	Richard Pettinger	03 487 9488 \$25
11	Mystery Trip (M/F)	Andrew McConnell	022 089 6537 \$TBA
18	Sullivan's Dam/Cloud Forests of Leith (E/M)	Geraldine Kerr	021 0247 9822 \$
24-25	Snow Skills (I)	Wayne Hodgkinson	03 473 0950 \$15
25	Grahams Bush to Bethunes Gully via Organ Pipes (M)	Russell Knowles	021 167 2722 \$5
Th 29 th	OTMC 96 th Annual General Meeting (8pm)	Committee	
Sat 31 st	OTMC Annual Dinner (TBA)		
SEPTEMBER			
1	Centenary Trip to support TTC's 100 th Anniversary: Re-enactment of the OTC's first Day Trip on 1 Sept 1923 (Ross Ck to Flagstaff) (E)	Antony Pettinger	03 473 7924 \$5
7-8	X-Country Skiing at Snow Farm (M)	Chris Pearson	03 455 4673 \$50
7 (Sat)	Work Party @ Ben Rudd's 9am (backup date 8 Sept)	Sue Williams	021 712 606 \$5
8	Map and Compass Practical Instruction - Mt Cargill (I)	Antony Pettinger	03 473 7924 \$5
15	McKessar/Purakanui (M)	Russell Knowles	021 167 2722 \$5
22	Gabriel's Gully and Weatherston's (E/M)	Jane Cloete	03 467 2328 \$15
28-29	Taieri Mouth Cycle and Camp (Cycle)	Jan Burch	027 455 4559 TBA
29	Around Port Chalmers II (E/M)	Debbie Guthrie	022 020 3545 \$5
OCTOBER			
6	Davidson's Farm on Mihiwaka/Mt Kettle (M)	Alan Thomson	03 455 7878 \$5
12-13	Beech Hut, Eyre Mountains (M/F)	Tim Russell	027 959 3270 \$50
13	Unexplored Silver Peaks, 8am start (F)	Richard Pettinger	027 950 4517 \$8
20	Big Hut on Rock and Pillar Range, 8am start (F)	Rob Seeley	03 472 7646 \$10
26-28	(Labour W/E 3 days): Fiordland (East Eglinton to Hollyford) (ALL)	Antony Pettinger	03 473 7924 \$60
27	(no day trip - long weekend)		
NOVEMBER			
2 (Sat)	Moa Flat Cycling, 8am start (Cycle)	Jane Cloete	03 467 2328 PVT
3	Coal Creek Circuit (M)	Wayne Hodgkinson	03 473 0950 \$5
9-10	Earnslaw Burn (M)	Rodger Clarkson	03 473 6053 \$60

(All trips subject to alteration - please check with leader beforehand, particularly Sunday trips)

The trip cost for every participant on weekend trips using rental vans + additional private transport is as indicated above, payable only to the Treasurer in advance.

The cost listed on the trip card is a guide only and may vary due to fuel pricing.

Non-member surcharge is an additional \$13-00 for all weekend and longer trip

Trip Notes

1. The Trip Programme is subject to alteration. Intending participants should consult the Trip Leader or Chief Guide for details.
2. You must ensure your gear is adequate (see lists), if in doubt consult the Trip Leader or Chief Guide
3. Medical Conditions should be discussed with the Trip Leader before the trip. This is for your own safety and that of your companions.
4. Bad weather may make trips harder and/or longer than planned.
5. The Committee / Trip Leader reserve the right of attendance on club trips.
6. No firearms or dogs on club trips.
7. No alcohol or smoking on club transport.
8. We recommend newcomers do a day trip before a weekend trip.

Weekend Trips

1. Names should be entered on the **trip list** in the clubrooms. **Closing date is 8 days before departure, and full payment for the trip must be made before that date.** Some trips may have an earlier Closing Date. Persons whose names are on the list, but have not paid by Closing Date, might miss out due to transport planning. Refunds only by written application to the Committee.
2. Club **transport** will be arranged - normally in hired vans, or sometimes by private cars. Trip costs are payable to the Treasurer only in advance. The cost for weekend trips is \$50 unless stated otherwise.
3. **Non-members** and anyone else not known to the Trip Leader must contact the Leader before signing the list. There is a non-member surcharge of \$13.
4. The Trip Leader will arrange **parties** of 3-6 people and nominate a suitable party leader. Non availability of suitable party leaders may limit trip grade options. Party leaders organise (and charge for if hired) **party gear** (tent or

fly, stove, fuel, billies, food, maps, compass and a comprehensive first aid kit) which is to be divided amongst the party.

5. Should a party be late returning, any enquires should be made to the **SAR** contact appointed before the trip, or any office bearer.
6. Weekend trips generally depart at **6pm** on the Friday evening, from the clubrooms - check with the trip/party leader.

Day Trips

1. Non-members are welcome on Day Trips but **must contact the trip leader or Day Trip Convenor beforehand.**
2. Winter Day Trips **leave** the clubrooms at **9am**, unless stated otherwise on the trip card or in the Bulletin (aim to be at the clubrooms by 8:50am). **Note changed time.**
3. A list of names, addresses, vehicles, intended route and the name of a SAR contact will be left at the Clubrooms (*additionally, email or message a photo to the SAR Contact if possible*).
4. **The trip leader has the authority to refuse to take persons without adequate clothing or equipment.**
5. Transport is by car pool. **Costs will be charged to cover driver's expenses.** The costs shown on the trip card are the recommended amounts at the time of printing, payable to the driver.

Trip Grades

Trip grades are guidelines. If in doubt, try an easier trip first.

EASY (E): Generally suitable for beginners, but proper clothing and equipment are ESSENTIAL (see lists). About 3-5 hours tramping per day.

MODERATE (M): A reasonable standard of fitness and experience needed. About 5-7 hours of tramping per day.

FIT (F): These trips are expected to be longer and may be more difficult. About 7-9 hours tramping per day.

FITNESS ESSENTIAL (FE): A high level of fitness, experience and self-reliance is essential. Most available time will be spent tramping, 10-24 hours per day.

CLIMBING (C): Climbing equipment, experience and fitness essential.

Attendance on FE and C trips is by prior arrangement with the Trip Leader only.

INSTRUCTIONAL (I): Priority given to club members. Trip cost calculated to cover instructor's expenses. *Only open to non members if sufficient space available.*

Minimum Gear List - Day Trips

Sturdy boots, thick socks, waterproof raincoat, non-cotton mid and outer layers, shorts or walk trousers, (**no jeans**), fleece, lunch, snacks, torch, waterbottle (*fill at home*), balaclava or similar warm hat, mitts, sun protection, sun hat, first aid kit. **Optional, depending on trip / preference,** longjohns, over-trousers, gaiters, camera.

Minimum Gear List - Weekend Trips

As for day trips plus: Pack, packliner, sleeping bag, sleeping mat, gaiters, personal first aid and toilet gear, bowl, mug, knife and spoon, hut / camp shoes, plastic bags, maps, spare clothes in vehicle.

Party Gear

Party leaders are responsible for: - tent or fly, stove and fuel, billies and food, PLB, maps and compass, comprehensive first aid kit, (all to be divided and carried amongst party). Additional equipment is required on climbing and alpine trips - consult Trip Leader.

Otago Tramping and Mountaineering Club (Inc)

Winter 2019 Trip Card

Postal Address - P.O. Box 1120,
Dunedin

Internet – www.otmc.co.nz
Email – otmcnz@gmail.com

Clubrooms - 3 Young Street,
St Kilda, Dunedin

Meetings - 7.30pm Thursdays at the
Clubrooms.

OFFICE BEARERS 2018 - 2019

President Antony Pettinger 473-7924

Vice President

Joe Bretherton 027 362 1221

Immediate Past President

Richard Forbes 453-1327

Secretary

Sharon Bretherton 027 362 1220

Treasurer

Sharen Rutherford 027 229 1961

Chief Guide/Transport

Wayne Hodgkinson 473-0950

Bushcraft / Website / Centenary

Antony Pettinger 473-7924

Membership Secretary

Debbie Pettinger 473 7924

Bulletin Editor Barry Walker 477 5018

Day Trip Convenors

Tomas Sobek 777 3047, Andrew

McConnell 022 089 6537

Gear Hire Rodger Clarkson 473 6053 &

Joe Bretherton 027 362 1221

Club Meeting Organisers TBA

Clubrooms Peter Loeber 477 4895

Clubrooms Hire

Peter Loeber 477 4895 & Barry Walker

Conservation / Recreation / Advocacy

Chris Pearson 455 4673