

MOTUEKA TRAMPING CLUB FUTURE TRIPS

May to August 2026

VF = Very Fit F = Fit M = Medium E = Easy VE = Very Easy

INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

Registering for trips

Please book with the leader by Thursday for Sunday trips, by Tuesday for Thursday to Sunday trips and by Wednesday for Saturday trips. There may be specific instructions to register for some trips, especially if booking of accommodation is involved. *Leaders may change the day/s of the trip depending on the weather forecast.*

What to bring for all trips

Car pool money - the correct amount in cash - to be paid to the leader. Cost is calculated at 23c per km.

Personal medication required during the trip (advise the leader of any medical condition that could be an issue on the trip)

First Aid Kit

Survival bag

'In Case of Emergency' form. These can be obtained from the Secretary

Adequate clothing, including a "just in case" layer

Rain wear

Tickets or backcountry pass if staying in DOC huts.

LEADERS GUIDELINES

Receive phone calls/texts/emails from members wishing to join the trip and assess their ability to manage the trip.

Note that children under the age of 14 must be accompanied by an adult who is responsible for them.

Obtain full names of participants, their cell phone number and a contact number for emergencies.

This information should be on the ICE form which each trumper must carry on every walk.

Organize and advise participants of carpooling, departure time and place, and car pool fee.

Arrange accommodation if required for away trips. If using non-bookable backcountry huts limit the number of participants to half the number of bunks in the hut unless tents are carried for the overflow.

Any hut fees and other fees incurred on a trip are paid by the member.

Obtain a beacon (or two if the party is likely to form into two groups) .

Email to all committee members and beacon contacts prior to trip departure the names of those on the trip and include one or two cellphone numbers of those on the trip.

MTC Committee and Beacon holder emails:

While consultation is encouraged, you the trip leader, has the responsibility for decision-making, including cancellation or postponement or abandonment of a trip. Any member ignoring such directions is deemed to be no longer a member of the Club tramping party. Should you perceive any difficulty organising your trip, the members wishing to participate, assessing weather conditions (can be a very hard call), please contact a member of the committee or walks program committee for advice.

If you cannot run a trip you had offered to do, please contact a member of the walks program committee.

For all tramps, please contact the leader for more details.

DATE	DESTINATION	LEV-EL	FUEL COST
Sun 10 May	Chromite Mine from Hackett Track.	M	\$21
3 nights About Fri 15 to Mon 18 May	Lower Goulter hut to Mid Goulter hut and back.	M/F	\$90
Sun 24 May	Adele Island boat/walk. Depart Marahau by Water Taxi at 8.45am. Pick up from the Island at 1.00 and dropped at Appletree Bay, for walk back to Marahau. Boat cost \$30 per person. We will need to clean boots and check gear etc. There will be more specific information closer to the time. As numbers are limited, book early to secure your place. Maximum number of people is 18.	E	\$9
Sun 31 May	Gordon's Knob from Inwood's Lookout.	M/F	\$35
Sun 7 Jun to Tues 9 Jun	Tablelands - Salisbury Lodge and Balloon hut. Bull-ock Track from the Cobb Valley, Salisbury, Balloon, Lake Peel, Mt Peel.	M	\$32
Sun 14 Jun	Trig K, Canaan Downs, Takaka Hill.	E/M	\$15
Sun 21 Jun	Akersten Beach, Abel Tasman Nat Park. Mid-winter swim?!	E	\$9
Sun 28 Jun	Pyramid Rock from Hacket Track.	M/F	\$21
Sun 5 Jul	Nelson Boulder Bank. Boat one way \$40 (10% Gold card discount). Access to the Light-house.	E	\$25
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Sun 12 Jul	Motueka Gorge from Blue Glen Road, Golden Downs – explore as far as we can go.	M/F	\$38
Sun 19 Jul	Wainui hut via Inland Track.	E/M	\$15
Sun 26 Jul	Mt Malita.	M	\$26
Sun 2 Aug	Cable Bay.	E	\$27
Sun 9 Aug	Via Ferrata (climbing), Golden Bay.		\$12
Sat 15 to Sun 16 Aug	Golden Bay – in search of kokaka from Collingwood base. Possible tramps: Shakespeare Flat near the start of the Heaphy Track, Aorere Shelter on the Heaphy Track, Aorere Goldfields, Milnethorpe.	E/M	\$40 Plus local travel
Sun 23 Aug	Mt Campbell/Pukeone. Faster and slower groups.	M	\$15
2 days/1 night: Sat 29 Aug and/or Sun 30 Aug and/or Mon 31 Aug	Dun Mt via overnight at Rocks hut.	M	\$27
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