

YHA Social and Outdoors Club, Sydney Activities Program

JULY 2010

Friday 16 July. RESTAURANT NIGHT.

Japanese Restaurant Night (Newtown) @ 7:00pm. Contact is Chris and RSVP via the meetup.com website. (<http://www.meetup.com/YHAClubSydney/calendar/13998068>)

Sunday 18 July. BUSHWALK

The greater Sydney Metropolitan area has some really great walks. This will be Part 2 of the Harbour Circle Walk and it gives you the opportunity to explore coastal bushland, parks and suburbs of Sydney Harbour. Starts from Circular Quay at 9am. For more details, contact Chris via Meetup - <http://www.meetup.com/YHAClubSydney/calendar/13998159>

Monday 19 July. TRAVEL NIGHT - TBA.

7.30 pm Level 9 Sydney Central YHA Cnr Pitt St and Rawson Place Sydney (Opposite Central Station). Presentation TBA. Admission free but come early for a sausage or veggie burger for \$4.00, or for \$5.00, a kangaroo burger.

Sunday 25 July. ROCKS AROMA FESTIVAL

The Rocks Aroma Festival 2010 is a divine world of coffee, chocolate, tea and spice tastings. Explore tastes, sights and sounds of Europe, Asia, South America, and the Middle East. Admission is free, and the festival is on all day. 2pm start. Contact Ross on 0414 898 035 or see it on Meetup - <http://www.meetup.com/YHAClubSydney/calendar/13990179> .

Tuesday 27 July. TRIVIA NIGHT

7.30pm at The White Cockatoo Hotel Petersham. Lots of food at good prices plus a nice atmosphere always makes for an enjoyable night out, and sometimes we do quite well - but only sometimes. Contact Geoff via Meetup <http://www.meetup.com/YHAClubSydney/calendar/14087421>

AUGUST 2010

Sunday 1 August. BUSHWALK

Glenbrook area - easy medium. Meet in Parramatta or at Glenbrook. Contact Lance for further details. Mob: 0422913275 or lance.Carter@tafensw.edu.au. Will be on Meetup soon !

Sunday 8 August. BUSHWALK

Berowra to Bobbin head area (easy-medium), meeting Parramatta or at Berowra. Contact Lance for further details. Mob: 0422913275 or lance.Carter@tafensw.edu.au. Will be on Meetup soon !

Sunday 8 August. MUDGEE FOOD AND WINE FAIR, BALMORAL

The picturesque sands of Balmoral Beach on Sydney Harbour will host the 'Mudgee Food and Wine Fair' on Sunday 8 August 2010. Connoisseurs of wine can taste their way around 30 of the region's premium and boutique wineries, and gourmands can devour the fresh, regional produce from this renowned foodie region. Set to attract 10,000 people, the event is one of Sydney's longest standing regional food and wine fairs, now in its 20th year. 2pm start. Contact Ross on 0414 898 035 or see the event on Meetup - <http://www.meetup.com/YHAClubSydney/calendar/13915102>

Sunday 15 August. BUSHWALK

Faulconbridge to Springwood (Blue Mountains). A pretty walk down and then back up some creeks near Springwood. Easy-medium walk meeting Parramatta or Faulconbridge. Contact Geoff for further details, mob: 0419 296 267 or via Meetup <http://www.meetup.com/YHAClubSydney/calendar/14087165>. Please confirm no later than Friday 13th.

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Saturday 28 / Sunday 29 August. HAWKESBURY HEIGHTS HOSTEL - MAINTENANCE WEEKEND.

Spend a day or the weekend keeping this historic hostel in the Winmalee area neat and tidy. General maintenance only is involved with no special skills required. There are set amounts paid to participants for petrol & food expenses. Those coming for the weekend can stay overnight for free on Saturday night. Contact Reg (02) 9354 3403 (W) or at Reg.Ousley@ato.gov.au

Sunday 5 September. BUSHWALK

Wiseman's Ferry area - a loop walk up an historic convict road and looping back to the ferry. An easy-medium walk (11km) with meeting points to be arranged. Contact Geoff for further details. Mob: 0419 296 267 or via Meetup <http://www.meetup.com/YHAClubSydney/calendar/14087232> . Please confirm no later than Friday 13th.

ADVANCE NOTICES

Sailing Dates for next season are currently planned for Wangi Wangi on 25/26th September and 16/17th October then going to Canton on 20/21st Nov and 11/12th of December. More details closer to the dates (about a month before)

There will be a work party (maintenance weekend / day) for the Garie Beach YHA on October 23/24

USE OF MEETUP.COM

We have started to use the Meetup.com website as a way to both book on activities and better advertise the club. Our meetup site is at <http://www.meetup.com/YHAClubSydney>. You'll need to register for free with the website to access it. There are about 160 people there currently.

As you can see above, there's already a couple of activities there on our Meetup site, and more will come ! If you have any questions, please reply to us.

MAIL SERVER CRASH

Earlier this year, our mail server crashed leading to the disappearance of our mailing list and all emails. This means that anyone who subscribed or un-subscribed between the end of January and mid-April will need to do this again. We apologise for the inconvenience.

The next program should be distributed in the 2nd half of August 2010.

Our website is at <http://www.yhaclubsydney.org.au>.

Meetup : <http://www.meetup.com/YHAClubSydney>

If you would like to organise an activity, please contact us at program-coordinator@yhaclubsydney.org.au with the proposed activity and preferred date.