

Lost City and Baal Bone Gap

Participants:

- Glenn (**trip leader**) & Margaret Evans – Patrol
- Mitchell Evans- Patrol
- Rick, Bizewwa & Diawh Teuma – Pajero
- Jason, Rassel, Caitlin, Ryan & Jorja Morgan – Prado
- Tim, Joanne, Bradley & Matthew Dale – Landcruiser
- Conray Arbon- Bravo
- Sebastian Fox – Prado
- Iainn Maxwell- Prado
- Brett Clark- Hilux
- Frank (**tail end charley**), Louise, Ashleigh, Caitlin & Luke Pace - Hilux

The freezing air was defiantly felt against everyone's faces on Sunday the 4th of August 2013, but that didn't stop us. After checking in and briefing at the Zigzag the 10 cars proceeded to venture towards the Lost City and Baal Bone Gap, with Glenn the leader and Frank, tail end Charley.

The journey lasted around 5 minutes until we reached the wombat holes where the Prado got stuck and was forced to winch him out by the Nissan belonging to Glenn. Mitchell was next to go through the wombat holes, for him it was simply a breeze.

The group continued the journey heading towards the Lost City at Glenn's lead, where we were kindly informed of its location by a vandal through the use of a blue marker on a power box. Thanks for that. The views there were amazingly spectacular. The wind picked up and we continued our rough journey to blackfella's hand trail where we stopped for morning tea, we travelled a little further down the track where we climbed up a hill to get to the aboriginal paintings on the wall. Most of the paintings had unfortunately eroded so we only managed to see a faded few hand prints.

The journey continued along the track, in which consisted of quite a large amount of hills and ravines, till we came across a steep hill with a hole positioned perfectly in the middle of it. Each car made their way down the hill perfectly despite the Hilux needing some support by a winch attached to both Sebastian's car and a tree.

We continued our journey to a magnificent lookout, where the scenery was just spectacular and breathtaking, and it was there that we took a group photo before heading to an open area to eat lunch.

We concluded the trip by venturing through the rainforest to meet the highway where everybody aired up before heading home.

The trip was a great success and the group is thankful for Glenn's leadership skills that were evidentially shown throughout the day.

Caitlin and Ashleigh Pace

