

Moss Vale trip – 24 August

Participants:

Marian and Michaela Markev and family
Bryan and Susan Dixon
Allan Willingale
Conray and Chris Arbon

We all met at Spencer Park in Moss Vale at 10:30.

From Spencer Park we headed off to Fitzroy Falls about 15Km through the Morton National Park, stopping at various lookouts on the way to view the falls from different angles ending up at the kiosk for a pit stop.

We travelled through the Bunneroo National Park up to Carrington Falls camp site, found sites suitable and started pitching. Five minutes later the ranger came trundling along and informed us that we could not set up camp at the site, as some hoons had been through on the Thursday night (full moon) and vandalised the ablutions setting fire to the stalls. As the area is in a water catchment zone we were unable to camp without proper ablution facilities, so we packed up and went back to Kangaroo Valley, ending up at Glenmack camp ground which was lovely. Although we were late getting to Glenmack we still managed to pitch in the light and enjoyed dinner and drinks around the fire.

Sunday morning we were all packed up by 10:00 and headed off to Carrington Falls, stopping off at the Pie Shop where we sampled many, many different pies. Once we had eaten our fill we carried on to the Illawarra Tree Top Walk which was absolutely lovely. Views were amazing.

From there we made our way up to Minnamurra Falls and all hiked the, not too sure of the distance but approximately - 4.4km up to the falls which was well worth the effort. Even the old man (Bryan) managed the hike!!!

We then headed home at about 3:30.

All in all, I think we all had a great, relaxed, stress free weekend. Thanks to Michaela and Marian.

