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RAMBLING ALL OVER 2020

TERM 1

*Our walks are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month during Victorian School Term. We suggest you wear good walking shoes and bring your own lunch, water, hat & sunscreen. We have lunch and a chat some time during the walk, however we may stop at places where neither lunch nor coffee is available to purchase. When travelling by train to commence our walk we always travel in the last carriage. Please carry a valid Myki card.*

*In the event the temperature of the day is forecast to exceed 34C, the walk will not proceed.*

***Direct any walk queries to the relevant Day Leader.***

*Our \$5 Term fee is payable to the Day Leader on the 1<sup>st</sup> walk of the Term.*

**12 February      Frankston Waterfront and Kananook Creek      MEL 100A 8A**

Carolyn will lead our first Ramble for 2020, which this year will be a local walk. We will head for Oliver's Hill via the boardwalk, with an option to walk up to the lookout, and head back to walk along Kananook Creek. Easy terrain, approximately 4.5km

**Meet at Frankston's Waterfront Carpark (near Pier) at 10:00am**

**Day Leader: Carolyn Ph:0418 329 746**

**\*\$5 Term fee payable today\***

**26 February      Balcombe Estuary Nature Trail Mt Martha      Mel 144 J12**

The trail will take us along well-trodden paths and the boardwalk adjacent to Balcombe Creek towards Nepean Highway, and return; approx. 5 km of mostly easy walking. Enjoy the diverse flora, fauna, tranquility and shade! Refreshments and toilets at hand in Mt Martha.

Self-drive or car share. From The Esplanade turn into Watson Rd, then left into the Mirang Ave parking area, where we will meet at 10 am.

**Day Leaders: Joan & John**

**Ph:9789 1935**

**11 March**

**City Streets, Laneways and Arcades**

**MEL 99 E3**

We all know Royal Arcade, The Block and AC/DC Lane, but have you explored Duckboard Place, Strachan Lane or Croft Alley? Have you spotted the Banksy rats or noticed the acclaimed portrait of the indigenous boy? Whether you love or loathe graffiti, Melbourne's laneways provide a capricious and ephemeral canvas which showcases vibrant street art, paste-ups, and murals, all of which attracts many thousands of tourists and artists from all over the world. Let's see what the attraction is.      Approximately 4.5Km

**Meet at Seaford Station at 9 am    Day Leader: Suzanne    ph: 0411 420919**

**25 March**

**Coolart to Balnarring**

**Lord Somers Rd: Mel 193 J9**

The visit to the grounds of historical Coolart Homestead will include the bird hide, and if it's open, the Homestead. We will take the walking path to Balnarring Village in time for lunch; there are several cafes or bring your own lunch to eat in the square before we return to the car park. Level terrain.

**Meet at Coolart car park 10am**

**Day Leader: Richard**

**0418 353782**