

YAHOO Over 55's Bushwalking Club

WALK DETAILS

Walk Name	Baldwins Bluff and Serpentine River.
Meeting Place	North Dandalup (or Serpentine Falls car park)
Grade	Hard (very)
Distance (Approx)	11? Or 14km
Details Updated	September 2016
Reference Maps	DEC 1:50,000 series, Jarrahdale, 3133-3 Baldwins Bluff Map Enlargement
Walk Start	Serpentine Falls National Park car park (\$6 per car entry for seniors) Does not open until 8.30, can park near gate & walk in. (600m)
Comments	Steep and rough climb to Baldwins Bluff. Steep and rough climb after Cooralong brook. Steep descent to Serpentine River.

Walk Description

P to P	Cum.	Description
0.0		From carpark take track heading south past the toilet block
0.5	0.5	Turn right at T junction
1.0	1.5	Turn right at T junction (Baldwins Bluff sign)
1.3	2.8	Baldwins Bluff, views over coastal plain and Serpentine valley. Head back the way you came.
1.3	4.1	Back at T junction. Keep straight on.
1.6	5.7	Serpentine National Park sign. Keep straight on parallel to fence line.
0.5	6.2	Communication tower. Go to north east corner of enclosure fence and head NE through bush.
0.3	6.9	Find track heading SE and follow.
0.6	7.5	Cross track. Turn left down hill.
1.0	7.9	T junction, turn left.
1.0	8.9	Turn right down eroded track to Cooralong brook. (For short walk, do not turn right, follow track down to Spencers Cottage & turn left)
0.2	9.1	Cross Cooralong brook at culvert and head up steep track.
1.0	10.1	Cleared paddock. 2 memorial plaques on granite outcrop. Head NE down hill.
0.4	10.5	Track along Serpentine River. Turn right.
0.02	10.52	Turn left on to track down to the river.
0.1	10.6	Serpentine River (lunch stop). Head back on same track.
0.1	10.7	Turn right on to track along river.
		Can veer off forestry track to right and walk through easy bush along river. May be boggy in places.
		Dog memorial on river bank.
1.5	12.2	Spencers cottage. (Kitty's gorge track joins from right) KSO
		Turn right on to single track down hill along water pipes.
		Pipes cross river, can cross, turn right to Serpentine Falls, or stay on south side of river and follow track to car park.
3.5	14.2	Car park