

Club Whittley Qld
Tweed Trip 3rd-4th September 2022-08-15

Come along and travel up the Tweed River as far as Murwillumbah on the Saturday then to Condong for the night, then wake up on the river on Sunday morning to Celebrate father's Day. If possible we will also explore Stott's Island in our travels in our tenders.

Friday 2nd

Linda and I will be heading down this morning and launching around midday from Fingal Head Boat ramp on Fingal head Road. We will head for Jack Evans Boat harbour for the night.



This Harbour is a great place stay the night with lights from adjacent buildings and also Twin Towns is only a stone's throw away. There is a great Fish and chips shop/ Hamburger Cafe' nearby for dinner. If you can get the day off and join us it will be a great night.

Tony please note: this harbour is a 4 knot zone.

Please note: Caution is required when entering this Harbour. Entry is from the Southern entrance as shown on my photo. The entry is quite narrow and there will be a current on the river side. Enter the harbour with sufficient power to maintain steering, once inside anchor close to the middle of the harbour. This area has a Min depth of 1 meter at Low tide.

Some information for you:

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Saturday 3rd

Fingal heads boat ramp is an ideal ramp to launch from as it has its own little protected harbour with no current and a pontoon once you drive of your trailer you can tie up on for 5 minutes. One point about this Harbour is it is used by a little Yacht club and there could be little yachts in the waters. **Please give them right away under all circumstances.** For all members launching this morning please be in the water no later than 10.30 am at the Fingal Heads Boat Ramp as we will be heading up stream approximately 10.45.

From here we will cruise up the Tweed River taking about 50 minutes to reach the township of Murwillumbah where we have lunch at the Riverview hotel at 12 pm. I have booked for 20 people at this stage so a few days before hand I will need to reconfirm those numbers to the Hotel. Shown in the map is where we will anchor up and tender to the public boat ramp. We have tied up on the pontoon in Gypsea in the past for the entire time so if you do not have a tender that is an option for one boat.

After lunch w will venture downstream to the township of Condong where we will anchor close to the pontoon for the night. (Also shown in a photo)
 At the top of the ramp is a public park where we will have happy hour approx 3.30pm
 During the Happy hour I will be holding a mystery quiz. Should be an interesting challenging.
 CWQ is suppling a sausage sizzle for dinner this evening. We will also have our CWQ fire place to keep warm during the later hours of the night. If you have a bit of fire wood lying around the house please bring it along. As well as your mush mellows.

Sunday Fathers Day

This means all dads have to stay in bed and get bacon and eggs cooked with an orange juice to finish off. We will see about that.

I would like to do a tender trip around Stott’s Island Late morning, I will decide on that while down there. It is a great little venture.

Jack Evans boat harbour could be your lunch stop also.

Whatever you do today, just enjoy this special day for Dad on the Tweed.

Fri 02		5:34 AM AEST 0.32 m	12:04 PM AEST 1.43 m	6:18 PM AEST 0.48 m			5:59 AM AEST	5:32 PM AEST	9:21 AM AEST	11:10 PM AEST
Sat 03	12:11 AM AEST 1.24 m	6:24 AM AEST 0.35 m	1:08 PM AEST 1.45 m	7:38 PM AEST 0.52 m			5:58 AM AEST	5:32 PM AEST	10:02 AM AEST	
Sun 04	1:18 AM AEST 1.12 m	7:27 AM AEST 0.37 m	2:24 PM AEST 1.48 m	9:10 PM AEST 0.50 m		First Quarter	5:57 AM AEST	5:33 PM AEST	10:50 AM AEST	12:16 AM AEST
Mon 05	2:43 AM AEST 1.06 m	8:43 AM AEST 0.37 m	3:42 PM AEST 1.56 m	10:32 PM AEST 0.42 m			5:55 AM AEST	5:33 PM AEST	11:45 AM AEST	1:23 AM AEST