



Amateur Geological Society of the Hunter Valley Inc. PROGRAM of ACTIVITIES 2007



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- 20th January 2007** **Social Activity – Gosford Art Gallery and Japanese Gardens**
Located Point Frederick, Gosford
- 3rd February 2007** **Annual General Meeting**
AGM & Election of Officers for 2007. Payment of fees.
Suggestions for activities taken.
Geo-Log 2006 distributed to members in attendance.
- 24th February 2007** **Spoon Bay and Forresters Beach**
Explore the rock ledge at low tide and Wamberal Lagoon Nature reserve.
- 17th March 2007** **Stockton Historical Walk**
An easy stroll around Stockton learning about its early history. Lunch at the Boat Rower's Hotel.
- 28th April 2007** **Goat Island – Sydney**
Goat Island, west of the Harbour Bridge, was once the fledgling colony's gunpowder store and the source of the sandstone used in some of Sydney's finest buildings. This 13 hectare island was also the headquarters for the Sydney Water Police who kept an eye out for smugglers and escaped convicts.
Guided tour from 12:45 – 15:30 Bookings Essential so advanced notice is required.
- 19th May 2007** **Singleton Convent and Glendonites Fossicking**
Guided tour of the Convent with morning tea. Cost about \$9 per person.
After lunch fossicking for Glendonites
- 1st – 4th June 2007** **Kiama District**
A long weekend trip to explore the geology in the Kiama/Gerroa district. View spectacular columnar jointed Bumbo Latite at Bumbo Headland, explore the blowhole at Kiama, examine one of the classic sites of Australian paleontology at Black Head and generally enjoy the magnificent scenery.
- 23rd June 2007** **Soup & Slides**
The usual excellent social evening incorporating the photographic competition, soup and slides. (Digital projector will be available for laptop PC's)
- 21st July 2007** **Paterson Historical Walk**
Ramble around the Paterson district and township. Historic buildings, marine fossil beds and lava flows will be explored.
- 18th August 2007** **Nelson Bay Walk**
Covers the Three Peaks Walk. Easy walk of 4 km return with wildflowers and birds.



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- 8th – 21st September 2007** **South East Victoria Safari**
View the magnificent scenery at Lakes National Park, walk the granite outcrop (was part of land bridge to Tasmania) in Wilsons Promontory, Philip Island and much more.
A meeting in March will be held to organise a draft program.
- 3rd October 2007** **Social Activity - Hawkesbury River Ferries**
Step back in time with a ride on Australia's Last Riverboat Postman! Departs daily at 9.30am Monday to Friday from Brooklyn Wharf.
Note that this outing is on a Wednesday.
- 27th – 28th October 2007** **Lane Cove National Park**
The picturesque Lane Cove River winds through a peaceful bushland valley within 10km of the City centre.
Cabins/Camping is available at the Lane Cove River Caravan Park. Phone 9888 9133 for bookings.
- 17th November 2007** **Kitchener Fossils**
Revisit the marine fossil deposits hopefully on a cooler day.
- 8th December 2007** **Christmas Evening**
Our Annual Christmas social evening
Organisers: Social Committee
- January 2007** **Maitland Art Gallery**
Date and time to be decided
- February 2007** **AGM**
AGM & election of officers.

Suggested Safari for 2008

On the drawing board is a trip via SW Victoria to Kangaroo Island. It is planned for October 2008. Please add this to your diary.