



HAMILTON FIELD NATURALISTS CLUB



PO Box 591, Hamilton, Victoria, 3300

MEETINGS AND EXCURSIONS 2001

Meetings of the HFNC are held at **HIRL**, 333 North Boundary Road, Hamilton at **8.00 pm** on the third Thursday of each month, from February to November inclusive.

Special meetings are entirely devoted to a guest speaker and conclude with supper around 10.00 pm.

General meetings are usually held on alternate months and deal largely with conservation matters. These may be followed by slides or short presentations by members.

Excursions are held on the Saturday or Sunday following either special or general meetings. Unless otherwise notified, we depart from outside the Visitor Information Centre, Lonsdale Street, Hamilton at the time stated. There may be late changes to the arrangements. These will be announced at the preceding meeting, but if you can't get to this, it's advisable to ring one of the committee members to check details.

Month	Date	Event	Speaker's topic and description of excursion
March	Thu 15	Special meeting	Rod Bird: Birds & landscapes of Cape York
	Sun 18	Excursion	Pelagic Boat Trip: 7.00 am at wharf or Port Fairy environs 9.00 am in Hamilton
April	Thu 19	General meeting	-
	Sun 22	Excursion	Mt Talbot (Black Range) - 8.30 am
May	Thu 17	Special meeting	Reto & Yvonne Zollinger: Beyond the Tropic of Capricorn
	Sat 19	Excursion	Mt Schank & Mt Gambier - 9.00 am
June	Thu 21	General meeting	-
	Sun 24	Excursion	Mt Eccles & Condah Swamp - 9.30 am
July	Thu 19	Special meeting	Andrew Pritchard: Rare plants of the Green Triangle
	Sat 21 - Sun 22	Campout	Lake Momebeong: parrots & orchids. Campground, Friday night onwards
August	Thu 16	General meeting	-
	Sat 18	Excursion	"The Square Hole", Victoria Range - 8.30 am
Sep	Thu 20	Special meeting	HFNC Members: Best nature slides
	Sat 22	<i>Excursion</i>	Hotspur: regrowth after fire 9.00 am Sat
Oct	Thu 18	General meeting	-
	Sat 20	Excursion	Hopkins Falls & Framlingham - 9.00 am
Nov	Thu 15	Special meeting	Janeen Samuel: Maunderings on marsupials
	Sun 18	Excursion	Lake Repose - 9.30 am

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