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ROGAINING IN N.S.W. AND THE A.C.T.

Another year of rogaining is over. This relatively unknown sport is increasing in popularity with each event held and you can look forward to some top events in 1985.

Rogaining is really starting to fire in both N.S.W. and the A.C.T. Phil Creaser, Paul Rand and Andrew Calder are really spreading the word in the A.C.T. If anybody else is interested in event organisation (either holding an event or helping) contact Ian Dempsey or Bert van Netten.

As yet our 1985 calendar is not fully finalised, however, the following events are on the drawing board.

Proposed Rogaining Calendar for 1985

<u>Event</u>	<u>Proposed Date</u>	<u>Contact</u>
ACT 6 hour	21st April	Phil Creaser
NSW 24 hour Championships	25/26 May	Bert van Netten/Ian Dempsey
ACT 12 hour Championships	28/29 September	Phil Creaser

Another 12 hour event, venue and date undetermined, will also be held.
Information regarding further events will be in future newsletters.

I am also including the Victorian Proposed Rogaining calendar for 1985 (complete with full moon dates):

<u>Full moon date</u>	<u>Proposed event date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Co-ordinator</u>
7 January			
5 February	23 February	Metropolitan Rogain 10 hour	Graham Foley Paul Sharp
7 March	10 March	Alpine Summer 6 hour	Required
5 April	30 March	Autumn 12 hour	Required
5 May	4/5 May	Aust. Champs. 24 hour	Rod Phillips/ David Rowlands
3 June	1 June	Winter 8 hour #1	Required (minimum organization)
2 July	29/30 June	MUMC 24 hour walk	MUMC

Victorian Proposed Rogaining Calendar continued

<u>Full moon date</u>	<u>Proposed event date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Co-ordinator</u>
1 August	Best Snowfall	Winter Alpine 6 hour	Required (Mt St. Gwinear?)
30 August	24 August	Winter 8 hour #2	Required (minimum organization)
29 September	28 September	Spring 12 hour	Required
29 October	26/27 October	Spring 24/8 hour	Mornington Bushwalkers
27 November	30 Nov/1 Dec	STR 24 hour hike	STR
27 December	25 Dec.	Christmas 6 hour	R Reindeer

1st ACT 12 HOUR ROGAINE
3/4 November 1984 - The Great Dividing Range

Dianne asked me to put a few words together on the event - so here they are.

I'm not just sure where to start. Perhaps I can start by thanking you all for fronting up. It was certainly very gratifying to see such a good response (105 people - 47 teams) and it is certainly a good base to build on. There were a few things I know I didn't get just right and a few things I wanted to try (e.g. reflective tape on controls) which unfortunately I didn't get round to. Nevertheless, most people seemed to enjoy it.

If anybody has any further comments on the organization etc. please let me know - it is very much a case of learning from experience. See you all next year!

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P.S. Perhaps Dianne would like to give her impression of the event?!*?

Dianne's Impression Of The Event

If future ACT events are as good as the one at Bungendore then we have something to look forward to. The whole course was very well run. The course setting was accurate and the venue well chosen. I am sure that all competitors enjoyed the event. As far as I know there were no criticisms. So, Phil, give yourself and those who helped you, a big pat on the back.

RESULTS - 1st ACT 12 Championships
Maximum Points : 117 points
 * = 6 hour

<u>OPEN MEN</u>	<u>pts</u>	<u>OPEN MEN</u>	<u>pts</u>
1. Paul Rand, Dave Booth	117	11. * Tony Falkland, Dave Skellern,	
2. Paul Frylink, Ben Harvey	107	Mike Walsh	67
3. Peter Kinny, Trevor Ireland	107	12. * Godfrey Lewin Team	58
4. Adrian Spragg, Andy Blakers	106	Bruce Cooper, Ray Robinson	58
5. Arthur Watson, Tom Wodzinski	100	14. * Tony Baker, Dave Buckley	53
6. Wayne Gregson, Peter Roberts,		15. * Andrew Brook, Tony Booth	
Ian Booth	94	Hugh Lawrence, Stewart May	49
7. Zac Zaharias, Jim Truscott	82	16. * John Dawson, Doug Mein	47
8. Julian Robinson, Greg Dunstone	81	17. * Warren Toft, Adam Kay	42
9. Doug Stewart, Ross McNair	76	18. * Ken Anderson, N. Luffy	31
10. David Noble, Grahame Cooke	67	19. * Wilf Deck, Peter Deck,	
		Mark Korac	28
		20. * Von Klimpel, Paul Walker	19

<u>OPEN WOMEN</u>	<u>pts</u>	<u>JUNIOR</u>	<u>pts</u>
1. Mary Myerscough, Netta Holmes	71	1. Bernard I'ons, Mark McLean	89
2. Kirsti Gobius, Candida Braithwaite	35	2. * Andrew Saw, Graham Cassells	62
3. * Pat Miethke, Rene Lays	20	3. Peter Saw, Nigel Anderson	54
		4. * Matthew Anderson, Klaus Pinkas	39
		5. * Andrew Henley, Tony Lautenbach	30
		6. * Simon Anderson, Andrew Pinkas, Adam Henderson	Participated
<u>OPEN MIXED</u>	<u>pts</u>	<u>VETERAN MEN</u>	<u>pts</u>
1. Bert & Dianne van Netten, Ian Dempsey	102	1. Mike Cassells, Bryant Allen	84
2. Robyn & Gordon Jones	80	2. Daryl Erbacher, Tony Hancock, John Struik	84
3. Robyn & Peter Tuft	76	3. Pat Barley, Bob Marshall	73
4. * Margaret Larkin, Ian Cooper	66		
5. Peter Cooke, Vireena Rowe	47	<u>VETERAN WOMEN</u>	<u>pts</u>
6. * Chris & Phil Bee	39	1. Kathy Saw, Ann Sawkins	59
7. Gary Drysdale, Stephanie Groves	34		
8. * Ann Baylis, Henry Burmester	30	<u>FAMILY</u>	<u>pts</u>
9. * Clive & Robyn Banks	26	1. * Dennis & Blair Trewin	64
10. * Anita Rickli, Susuma Sakata	25	2. * Jack, Peter & David Palmer (Peter & David got an additional 24 pts).	47
11. * Greg Thomas, Lucy Corleone	19		
12. * Gary Quinlivan, Pam Christensen	Participated		

SURREY THOMAS ROVER ROGAINE

For the past 4 years Bert and I have travelled to Victoria in order to compete in the STR annual rogaime. This year's event was the 14th rogaime organised by the STR crew and was held at Mt. Worth on the 8th/9th of December. Mt. Worth is about 1½ hours south-east of Melbourne. The event was well worth travelling down for. The terrain was physically demanding and patches of blackberries and stinging nettles added variety. The markers were accurately placed and the catering was well planned.

The STR rogaime is always a popular event with 300-400 entries each year. The following are a few selected results.

<u>OPEN</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>ROVERS</u>	<u>Pts</u>
1. D. Rowlands, K. Miller	1160 (max)	1. G. Parsons, E. Fothergill, R. Lang, M. Spencer	780
<u>MIXED</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>VENTURERS</u>	<u>Pts</u>
1. B. & D. van Netten, A. Tait	750	1. R. Buxton, B. Lewis, C. Babek	260
<u>VETERAN</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>SCOUTS</u>	<u>Pts</u>
1. P. & A. Miller	630	1. B. Parry, D. Herman	410

CHRISTMAS CHEER

The N.S.W.R.A. wishes all members a healthy, happy Christmas and a jolly New Year. See you at next year's events.

DIANNE VAN NETTEN