

ABW ACTIVITY INVENTORY (AI) - Activity Information Record

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Activity Code W

Area code F

Record No 00010

Activity

Walk

Location

Wilpena Pound

Outline of activity

June 2010 Bus Trip walk starting and finishing at Wilpena Campground

Permits & permissions required, with contact details

All within National Park

Maps required

Wilpena, Oraparinna, 1:50000

Travel: recommendations, times, car shuffling, parking etc.

Annual June Bus Trip

Water availability

Water was available from the tank at the old homestead, in large rock pools in Edeowie Ck and in small rock pool in Wilcolo Ck

Restrictions (fires, gates etc.)

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Route overview

Sat. Followed track thru Pound to Edeowie Gorge collecting water at the old homestead and topping up with the balance of 6litres at 654104. (lunch)
Down Edeowie Ck to 648112. At the creek junction followed the tributary to the east until blocked by a waterfall. Took the steep gully to the East and followed it to the top of the ridge. Serious near miss when the leading climber dislodged rock. Rejoined the creek and camped at 653113.

Sun. Followed creek up to the saddle at 665127. The scrub was very thick and it took 3hrs for the 2km and +150m climb. (lunch)
Went down NE off the saddle contouring around the very steep gully until we could rejoin the creek which was followed down to Wilcolo Ck. Had another rock dislodgement incident on the descent. Camped on Wilcolo Ck at 680142.

Mon. An easy 9k walk along the Heysen Trail to the Wilpena Campground

Campsites used & possible alternatives

Limited campsites available at the saddle 665127

Walk Ratings:

Distance	S: Short, 0-9 km	M: Medium, 10-17 km	L: Long, 18+ km
Gradient	E: Undulating	M: Steep	H: Very steep/exposed
Terrain	E: Track/open, 4 km/h	M: Medium scrub, 2-4 km/h	H: Heavy scrub/rock, 0-2 km/h
Qualifying? (Q)	-- Walk Rating: S, H, H		

Supplementary information

It was planned to climb peak 1111 on the Sawtooth Range. It could not be done from where we camped and we had to get back to the bus on time on the Mon.

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