

The Bicentennial National Trail
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The Bicentennial National Trail is “a living trail” and as such conditions and access details are continually changing. Some of the information in the ‘update notes’ may have been provided by trekkers and may not have been verified on the ground by the section coordinator or a BNT Board member. Update notes are only a guide and situations can change from day to day therefore, you must try to contact the section coordinator and not rely solely on the guidebook or the update notes. You travel at your own risk as travelling on the BNT is regarded as self-reliant trekking. Note that these updates are to be used in conjunction with the guidebook identified above.

Could all trekkers please send any information on track changes to the BNT office so the update notes can be as current as possible. Your notes need to be clear and concise.

Please contact your local coordinator prior to trekking to advise of approximate travel dates and to obtain an update on local conditions.

Can you also notify the office or section coordinator of any problems you may encounter, thank you. Happy trekking.

A new print run of Edition 3 was done in April 2010. The trail has some significant changes since the previous edition, so kindly purchase a new guidebook that covers the multitude of changes.

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Book 9 Section Coordinator Amendments:

Maps 1-6 Aberdeen to Cudgegong River: Rosemary Munn. Phone 02 6547 8108

Maps 8-12 Cudgegong River to Hampton: Mal and Denise Keeley. Phone 02 6355 1818 or 0428 551 818

Maps 13-14 Hampton to Jenolan Caves: Genevieve Long. Phone 02 6337 5866 or 0427 718 112

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Trekkers Important Notice: It is your responsibility to be aware of all rules and regulations pertaining to travelling on roads with livestock in each state.

In cases of emergency eg; bushfire, it is your responsibility to notify local authorities as to your whereabouts.

State Forests in NSW have now been opened to hunting (shooting) and additional safety precautions need to be taken when you are in NSW state forests.

TSR permits are required for camping on all TSR's in NSW. A bulk permit is obtainable through the BNT office.

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Please send in stories of your experiences for “Tracks” magazine. Remember it is “your trail” and other people are inspired by your trek. Please support the BNT by retaining your membership.