

Wednesday Walk – Mt Aggie – 28 January 2015

Mt Aggie is in the Brindabella Mountains and is accessed from Mt Franklin Road – between bulls Head and Mt Franklin. The walk is a steady uphill climb through *Eucalyptus pauciflora* woodland before the final steep ascent to the summit which is open and rocky. There was a lot to see which made the climb bearable. There was a great display of red fruit on *Acrothamnus hookeri*. Many things were flowering - *Persoonia chamaepeuce*, *P. subvelutina*, *Stylidium armeria*, *Brachyscome aculeata*, *Xerochrysum subundulata*, *Helichrysum rutidolepis*, *Lomatia myricoides*, *Velleia paradoxa*, *Craspedia variabilis*, *Wahlenbergia stricta*, *W. gloriosa*, some amazingly large Yam Daisies - *Microseris lanceolata* – as well as *Picris angustifolia*, *Goodenia hederacea* ssp. *alpestris*, *Stackhousia monogyna*, *Pelargonium australe* and many other things. As we broke out of the forested area there were many daisies - carpets in fact - *Rhodanthe anthemoides* and *Leucochrysum alpinum* mainly but right at the top there were patches of another white brachyscome - *B. diversifolia*. Some other plants of interest which were not flowering were *Acacia obliquinervia*, *Leionema lamprophyllum*, *Linum marginale*, *Bossiaea foliosa* (a few flowers), *Oxylobium ellipticum* and *Podolobium alpestre*. We also saw many lovely grasses and there were fantastic views.

For the images below: JG = Jean Geue, LS = Linda Spinaze, MB = Martin Butterfield, RF = Roger Farrow, JW = John Wilkes



The track JG



Oreomyrrhis eriopoda JW



Coprosma hirtella JG



Ranunculus lappaceus RF



Bossiaea foliosa RF



Microseris lanceolatus



Picris angustifolia LS



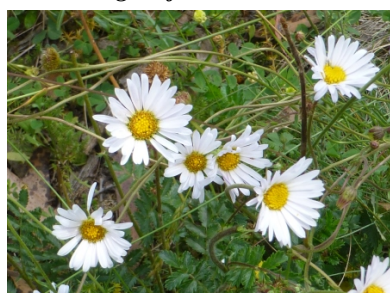
Wahlenbergia stricta LS



Brachyscome diversifolia LS



Leucopogon gelidus RF



Brachyscome aculeata RF



Persoonia subvelutina RF



Wahlenbergia gloriosa MB



Acrothamnus hookeri JW



Eriochilus magenteus MB



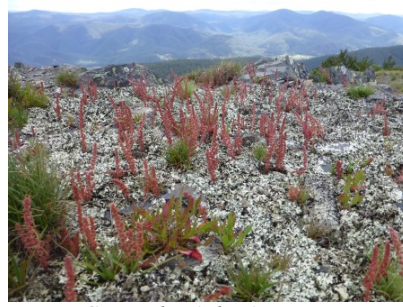
Diplodinium decurvum



Diplodinium aestivum MB



Lunch view JW



Crassula sieberiana RF



Pelargonium australe RF

Plant List for Mt Aggie – 28 January 2015

? indicates that those present were unsure of the plant name

Acacia dealbata
 Acacia melanoxylon
 Acacia obliquinervia
 Acaena novae-zelandiae
 Acaena ovina
 Acrothamnus hookeri
 Agrostis bettyae
 Anthosachne scabra
 Arthropodium milleflorum
 Asperula scoparia
 Asplenium flabellifolium
 Bossiaea foliosa
 Brachyscome aculeata
 Brachyscome diversifolia
 Brachyscome spathulata
 Bulbine glauca
 Celmesia ? tomentella
 Cheilanthes sp.
 Clematis aristata
 Coprosma hirtella
 Craspedia variabilis
 Crassula sieberiana
 Cynoglossum australe
 Cynoglossum suaveolens
 Daviesia ulicifolia
 Dianella tasmanica
 Dichelachne sp.
 Diplodinium aestivum
 Diplodinium decurvum
 Epilobium billardiereum

Eriochilus magenteus
 Eucalyptus pauciflora
 Euchiton japonicus
 Euphrasia collina ssp. paludosa
 Exocarpos strictus
 Geranium solanderi
 Glycine clandestina
 Goodenia hederacea ssp. alpestris
 Helichrysum rutidolepis
 Hypericum gramineum
 Leonema lamprophyllum ssp. obovatum
 Leptospermum myrtifolium
 Leucochrysum alpinum
 Leucopogon fletcheri ssp. brevisepalus
 Leucopogon gelidus
 Linum marginale
 Lobelia pedunculata
 Lomandra longifolia
 Lomatia myricoides
 Luzula sp.
 Mentha diemenica
 Microlaena stipoides
 Microseris lanceolata
 Olearia erubescens
 Oreomyrrhis eriopoda
 Oxylobium ellipticum
 Ozothamnus stirlingii
 Pelargonium australe
 Persoonia chamaepeuce
 Persoonia subvelutina

Picris angustifolia
Pimelea glauca
Poa labillardierei
Poa sieberiana
Podolobium alpestre
Polyscias sambucifolia
Polystichum proliferum
Poranthera microphylla
Ranunculus lappaceus
Rhodanthe anthemoides
Rubus parvifolius
Rytidosperma pallidum
Scleranthus biflorus
Senecio gunnii
Senecio quadridentatus
Stackhousia monogyna
Stellaria pungens
Stylidium armeria
Stylidium graminifolium
Stylidium montanum
Tetratheca bauerifolia
Thelymitra sp.
Themeda triandra
Velleia paradoxa
Veronica calycina
Veronica derwentiana
Viola betonicifolia
Wahlenbergia gloriosa
Wahlenbergia stricta
Xerochrysum subundulatum
Xerochrysum viscosum

Bird List

At Bulls Head
Flame Robin

At Mt Aggie
Pallid Cuckoo
Laughing Kookaburra
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo
Australian King-Parrot
Crimson Rosella
Superb Fairy-wren
Yellow-faced Honeyeater
White-browed Scrubwren
Grey Fantail