

Mount Elm
LOGBOOK

Heysen Trail
2023-2025

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2023

MT ELM CAMPSITE

ADNYAMUTHNA COUNTRY

THE OAKS STATION

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Heyson Trail

7.8.23

Day 7 Heyden EZE SOBO. Stopped at mt Elm for a snack. Have the company of mmm this morning. She will now turn back to Hawker. We both love this spot.

Madi (+Penny) SA 88

11.8.23 A PARTY OF SEVEN ELDERLY MEN HEADING SOUTH PASSED THRU HERE AT 10 AM.

WE FILLED OUR WATER BOTTLES AND PRESSED ON UNDER A CLEAR BLUE SKY.

11.8.23 TONY, PETE & GRAHAM.

DAY 4 OF A 5 DAY HIKE FROM WARRIOR GORGE TO PARRY FARM ROAD. SUPERB WEATHER THE WHOLE WAY THROUGH, STOPPING SLEEPLY AND FEELING INCREDIBLY LUCKY TO EXPERIENCE THIS WOODED TRAIL. LOOKING FORWARD TO A COFFEE & PASTIE IN HAWKER TOMORROW.

25/8/23. Heading south. EZE. "Day 8." Rest day yesterday in Hawker. The pub is a good place to stay. From Parachilna to here is amazing!! Can't wait for more. Roni. Q10

25/8/23 (Friday) Started Saturday at Parachilna after a pub read at Colman's. Laying this and thanks to FOHT for all your work. Last night at Hawker caravan park which was amazing. Now on to Quorn, aiming for Calabrinia tonight. Cheers Alex Adelaide

25/8/23 HEADING TO CALABRINDIA CAMP
BEAUTIFUL SCENERY + HAD A TASTE
VALLEY MARVELOUS ADIRLINDIE
Mon 25 Sept

Started at Jarvis Hill and heading to Calabrinia. Nice coffee stop here. Glade. Port Augusta.
Ps. Doing NOBO in stages.

1 Sept 2023 Kathy + Steve SOBO EZE

Nice morning tea stop - thanks for the water, bench, shade. Lovely spot. On to Calabrinia!

4 September 2023 SOLO SOBO

Iain McIntee. 6 days on the trail now, feeling great after good sleep in Hawker. Thanks Wayne from the caravan PK. He will take you back to the trail if you camp there. Very welcome cold pool was brilliant for sore tired legs.

6th Sept 2023 Bea, SOBO EZE

Lovely spot for a morning break, thanks!

7th September. 2023, Day 7 Bailey, Victoria Parachilna to Hawker. heading into Hawker tomorrow, where I'll finish my walk. It's been beautiful out here. spotted 20 baby emu. 2 yellow bellied rock wallabies.

7/9/23 Tom @ ELE SOBO

wet and wild day today! wearing mud pants!
on my feet!

8.9.23 CURT + NICKI HEADING SOUTH. ☺☺

12.9.23 Fm. Tim NOBO walking
Nk. into Hanks

15.9.23 - Trekking West, first time
back on this section of the trail since
2018. Just as beautiful as I remember



15.9.23 - Knocked knees & Noodle Ankles.
Got in last night... END OF THE ROAD!
Hiking out to Hawker today for a pint

Wild & woolly wind!

Battles us up Jackson Hill.

Reprieve from the heat!

7 days of walking, wind & cold, 1000m, 1000m

Raging winds got us to here

The great escape!

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David,
left my walking pole about 10km
south of here.

I'd love it back if you find it

0411 954 842 Thanks

25/9/23 Brett SB Parachila to Spalding

Warm again. Had a siesta in the shade
on the way up the Yarrumbella Ranges. Great
views although I did regret the lost opportunity
for a sausage roll @ Hawker. Another clear
evening. Lost count of the emus & wallabies

Try for Buckaringa Campsite tomorrow

3/10/23

Stopped for awhile before going for
resupplies to Hawker

Solo thru hiking from Cape Jervis
It seems that in 9+ days I will
be at Parachila.

Argi.

31/3/24: Sue, Jill & Tim (Sam & Mike)

First walkers for the season.

Tim can't think of anything else I'd rather be doing on my 51st Birthday. Saw two Frogmouth's, feel sorry for the ones trapped in the fence wire. We've been walking South to North. Will have an hypole at Hawker. Girls have been excellent company on the story underfoot journey. Nice to reflect on Simon Cameron's notes regarding 'The Valley'.

29/4/24 Lupo Heyden Trail EZE Day 7

What an awesome day this walk on the ridgeline with these fantastic views, love it ♥ And I saw some Stone Wallabys, cute little animals!

14 May 24 Carl/Pilgrim Day 6 of 4th EZE SOBO solo
Walked from Mayo Hut; skipped Hawker as I couldn't deal with the long road walk in! Just love walking the Youambulla Ranges ridgeline. Such a special section of the Heyden Trail. Ran into a crew of fellow Friends volunteers out doing trail marking. The trail gets better every year including this camp! Big thanks! Trail journal/pics: [user.ramblers.com/track](https://www.ramblers.com.au/track)

15.5.24. Day 8 EZE SOBO.

Feeling great after a rest day in Hawker. Excellent food at Flinders Food Co. Grateful for all the work from the trail crews. Thankyou. Onwards to Cape Jervis. Shane & Kas.

31-5-24 MelQ Solo SOBO EZE

Stopped for a short break on my way to Calabrinia. Everything looks fresh after the rain yesterday... from dusty to muddy boots! Thanks FOHT! The loo is amazing compared to last time I visited. LOL! Happy hiking ☺

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30/4/23 SOBO E6E.

Day 6. Camped in Wauvoka Creek last night. Leaving here at 1:30 for Calabinda Trevor Pratt.

1/5/24 Three of us: Garry, Anne & Carolyn arrived (Day 7 from Parachilna)
SOBO C → Burra, G+A → Quorn.

Very enjoyable & scenic walk from Hawker. We do 'walking for pleasure' so happy to spend a night at this picturesque & well set up campsite. We have enjoyed the trail a lot. Like others we needed to keep alert in places where signage confusing but map & Far Out does the trick. > GN

Another easy day for us to Calabinda tomorrow. The pink markers are out for a long distance run or two starting Weds. (We met organiser in Flinders Food Co this morning in Hawker) Highly recommend this cafe for those going NOBO!

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FRIDAY 3RD MAY 2024

PLEASANT SPOT FOR A BREAK
LEFT HAWKER THIS MORNING
DOING E-E FROM PARACHILNA
MY FIRST DAY SOBO MY WALKING
BUDDY HAD TO DROP OUT AT HAWKER
GARRY THOMPSON

MONDAY 6 KM. Sunny Day & PLEASANT WALK
FROM CALABINDA IN STATE OF ALL THE
ROAD WALKING. PLEASANT CAMPSITE WITH
VIEWS OF MT ELM. ANNETTE MILLER, BRISBANE

Wed 8 May I'm BACK SOBO.
Beautiful view. Heading off to
Calabinda creek Camp. Happy Hiking (in)
Tina

WED 8 MAY 2024

Arr & Tiger on way to Quorn.
Longest road improved - Great!
Shin skin & slight breeze.
Walking well. 😊

7.6.24 Nobo (2E) Lena - R
Late lunch here. It is a beautiful spot,
much better than Calabinda Creek.
Happy Liking ☺

9.6.24 Murray Waters
Trail Running Portacoona to
Jarvis Hill 30K today
Yesterday did the range near
Hawker. Amazing!

9/6/24 Colleen Klee (Flemington, VIC)
Hawking to Quorn. Resupply in Hawker
expensive at General Store. Great pies
at the cafe, however. Attached to

26/6 at SCOT SOB
REST STOP ON WAY FROM HAWKER TO
CALABINDA CR.

12/7/24 Walked here today on a nice day from
Calabinda Creek. Not a long walk so very nice to have
time to rest. On to Hawker tomorrow.

Richard Simms

12/8/24 EZE SOBO MotHe + Daub
Glorious afternoon. Have just
spent \$400 at the Hawker
Hotel watching the Crows
smash the Bulldogs. Does life
get any better?
Campsite fantastic as always.
Go Crom.

15/8/24 Sarah, Section hiking Quorn to
Hawker. Camped at Calabinda Creek last
night - just a nice breeze, as the nights
have been so warm this week. I'm here
for lunch and top up the water before
going as far as Jarvis Hill, then down
into Hawker, to end my 6 day solo
adventure. I really hope to finish the
HT next year! Have loved meeting 4 EZE
hikers during this stretch! Beautiful, isolated,
challenging at times too.... I wonder if
all my toencils will survive?!

18 AUG 2021

IN FOR THE NIGHT UNDER A CLEAR,
STARRY SKY & BRIGHT FULL MOON.

MAGIC DAY TODAY.

INTO HAWKER TOMORROW FOR BURGERS
& BEER.

KEEP ON FIGHTING!

Safari

20/8/24 TOWN WOODS

LEFT HAWKER 6:30am here at 8:30
onto Calabrinde Creek.

SBW PILOT SB WILDT

OVER AND OUT!

21/8/24 Aka EZE SOBO, left Mago hut
bam before walking down the creek to Hawker,
picking up my food from a very rude post
office guy & onwards to here for a 1:30pm
finish. Glad to recharge batteries in Hawker.
Put up the FFZ (fly free ^{zone}) for the
area. FYI on the wall left of the toilet is service.

19 SEP 24.

SOBO out of Hawker this morning
headed to Calabrinde today. Warm
sunny and a slight breeze, great day
for a hike. Pops Swift

19 Sept

SOBO. Heading slowly to Quorn. Peter

19-09/24 - Nic SOBO SOLO ADL

Hiked from Mago hut this morn, lots of creek and mud. Wish I caved
and hitched a ride to Hawker for my drop. Spending the night here
then onto Buckaringa North. Peace.

6/10/24 Arrived from Buckaringa North 12:45.
Heading to caravan park in Hawker. NOBO
Shawn (camperdown Victoria) Nice day.

12.10.24 Flo France SoBO. EZE
From Hawker this morning, the section so cool!!!
Heading Calabrinde Creek for today.

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13/10/24 Cape Hough - winning
My second day on the track. Running
from Pt. Mearns to Cape Jervis
to raise funds for Beyond Blue.
82km yesterday. Currently at 88km.
To donate to my run, go to
'Copers Hough Run' on the website.
Thankyou!

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