

10 To go downstream you must first head upstream yet down at the same time – to where you walk, yet your feet do not touch the ground. Your **last letter clue** is here in this cool, dark place, not far from a treefern soft.



11 Emerge upwards and ever upwards from the forest.

*What's the bushranger's name?*

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Head off to the Visitor Centre to claim your share of the reward



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FOR QUESTIONING  
about the Mystery on  
Black Mountain  
£1,000 REWARD  
Can you name this bushranger?



Can you name this bushranger?  
He is wanted for questioning in the colony of New South Wales. Whereas warrants have been issued charging this man with the WILFUL MURDER of Sergeant EDMUND PARRY, Constable SAMUEL NELSON, Constable KELLY and maliciously wounding of several policemen; robbery of £500 from Gold Commissioner KEIGHTLY and other diverse felonies against citizens, robbery of 10 mail coaches, holding up of the village of

QUEANBEYAN and 21 sheep stations and stealing 23 race horses. Now, therefore, I, CHARLES COWPER, hereby notify that a REWARD of £1,000 will be paid by the Governor of New South Wales for the apprehension of this man, either DEAD or ALIVE.

Under the Felons Apprehension ACT, 12 April, 1865, Govt. of New South Wales

# Mystery on Black Mountain

## *The Winding Path*

This is the journey you *have* to make. You must collect all seven letter clues and arrange them to spell the name of this bushranger. Your share of the reward is waiting at the Visitor Centre.

**Warning: Do not step off the paths.**

Remember – every word counts! ..and when in doubt, look at the pictures! The answer is there, but you have to find it ...and it's not easy! Can *you* find the bushranger's name?

- 1 Begin at the Education Amphitheatre. Seek your **first letter clue** under where others sit.



- 2 From where water begins to flow near this place, head northward and westward along different paths, upwards and along to where many paths meet between Rowan and Banks, buildings of red and green. Your second letter clue comes in instruction 4.

- 3 At this place of many paths, choose the Main Path. It is marked with numbers (coloured black on grey) that are 10 big steps apart. You will know that you are on the right path when you find numbers 13 then 14, 15 and on...

- 4 Watch out for the trail that leads away on a *wide black path* – one that Indigenous peoples might take. Turn off the Main Path and follow it. Lomandra holds your **second letter clue**.



- 5 Follow the Aboriginal Walk till you reach the Main Path again. This is where the water falls and where circles grow around circles. The 4th circle holds your **third letter clue**.

- 6 Walk along to Main Path marker 102 where you must walk a full circle. Observe burrawangs closely but beware the fruit. The fourth letter clue is here. Beware others who seek the same treasure! Keep right and emerge by tall candlebark.



- 7 At Main Path marker 109 you can look around and down at the same time to find your **fifth letter clue**.

- 8 Backtrack to 107 where many paths cross. Walk on downward, but *stay hidden in the forest*, past wood of pencil and go where steps proceed yet further down.

- 9 From the right place on Epiphyte Landing, locate your **sixth letter clue**.

