

# Gympie Spinners and Weavers 8th Annual Fibre Retreat

29th September to the 2nd October, 2022

**ALL FEES MUST BE PAID IN FULL UPON REGISTRATION**  
**NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE 14<sup>TH</sup> OF SEPTEMBER.**  
**Due to COVID-19 if you are ill with flu-like symptoms DO NOT COME, we are able to refund your money.**

**Address – 'GARAPINE' - 24 Mountain View Rd, Kybong, Q, 4570.**

**[www.garapine.com.au](http://www.garapine.com.au)**

We will be spacing out sleeping and eating arrangements. We have chosen this venue because all activities are in a central location (spinning/dining/facilities/shops). There are eight steps to the chalet accommodation. We have LIMITED space for attendees with mobility difficulties. If you cannot handle stairs, please advise us on your camp application form.

Arrival is **AFTER 2pm Thursday the 29th September, 2022 or 2pm Friday the 30th September, 2022.**  
Access to accommodation will not be available until after 2 pm.

**Costs** Day visitors \$50 (Friday and/or Sat)      Registration (up to the 14<sup>th</sup> September) 4 days - \$300  
3 days - \$220

Discount for Gympie Spinners and Weavers Club Members - \$10

## **Wine and Cheese Nibbles**

Will only be on Thursday night. Feel free to bring your own drinks and nibbles if you wish. Cold storage will be very limited.

**Saturday Night Fibre Festival** – Please wear something you have made. For example – socks, shirt, hat, scarf, bag, brooch, etc. Be prepared to give a summary and have it admired!

## **Requirements**

Bring All bedding, clothing, Towel, Toiletries **\*\*NO AEROSOLS ALLOWED\*\***, Insect repellent, **Coffee mug, chair** (if possible) and whatever craft requirements you wish to bring.

## **Payment Details**

Direct Deposit is our preferred method of payment. Please put your name in as the reference. Please make cheques or money orders payable to Gympie Spinners Weavers and Crafters Inc

Direct Deposit Details

Account Name: Gympie Spinners Weavers and Crafters Inc

BSB: 064-416

Account Number: 1054 3698

**Please complete and email the form to [gympiefibreretreat@gmail.com](mailto:gympiefibreretreat@gmail.com) or mail to Gympie Fibre Retreat, 21 Curlew Court, Tamaree, QLD, 4570.**

If you have any questions please email [gympiefibreretreat@gmail.com](mailto:gympiefibreretreat@gmail.com)

Contacts: Retreat Co-ordinators **AFTER SCHOOL HOURS ONLY** – Jennie Bryant 0413 939 901

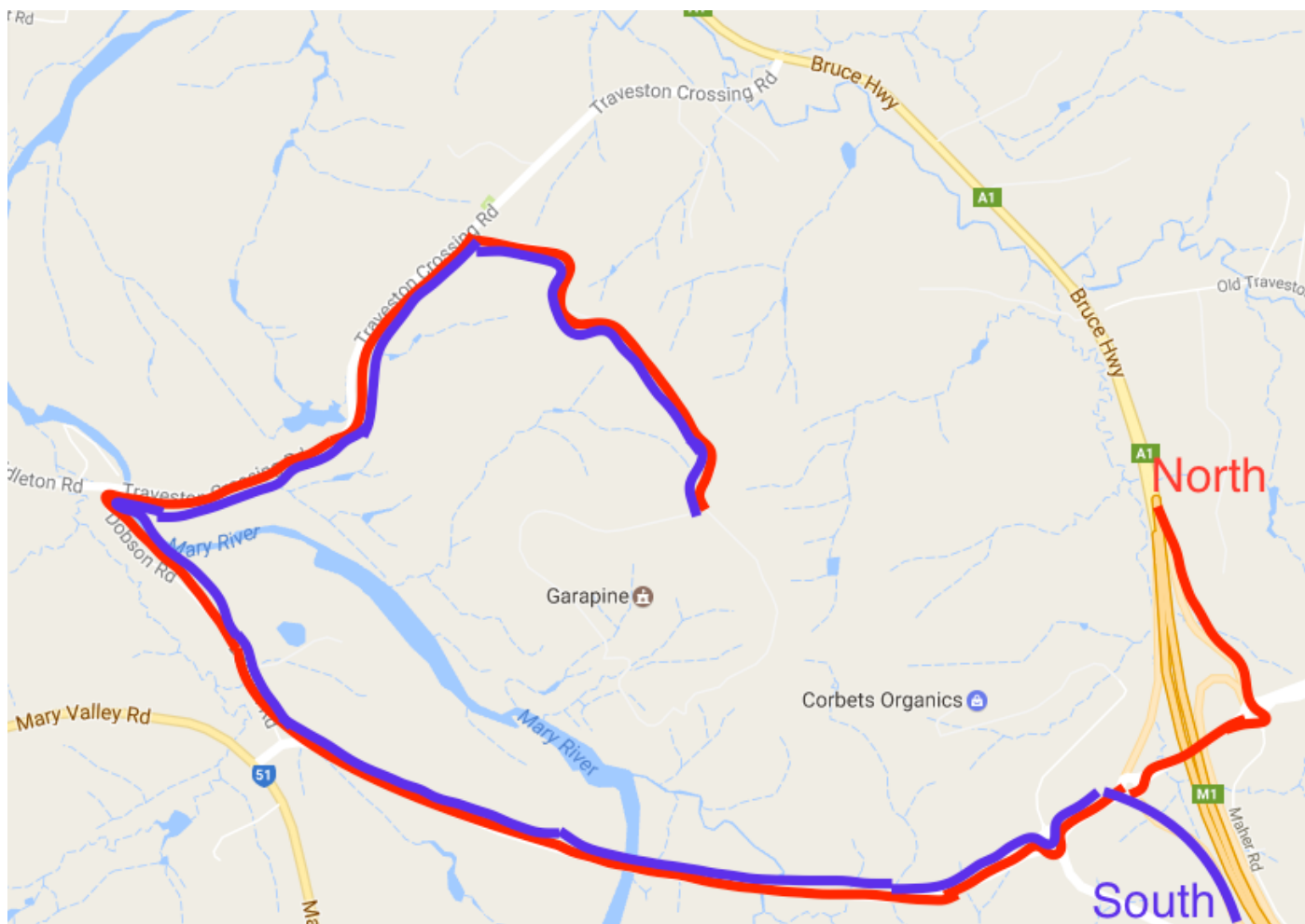
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## How to get there

Address – 24 Mountain View Rd, Kybong, Q, 4570.

### FROM THE BRUCE HIGHWAY:

- Take exit 253 - MARY VALLEY LINK ROAD exit.
- Go through the roundabouts, following the signs to the MARY VALLEY LINK ROAD.
- Turn right onto Dobson Road, approximately 1.5 kms after the third roundabout.
- Turn right at the T-intersection (Traveston Crossing Road).
- Drive for approximately 2 kms before turning right into Mountain View Road.
- Follow to the end of the road. Drop off your gear in the circular driveway and park where directed.



Name	
Postal Address Including State and Postcode	
Email	
Phone/Mobile	
Name of Craft group (if any)	
Next of Kin and Contact Details	
Any Dietary Requirements eg Lactose Intolerance, Gluten free, coeliac, vegetarian, allergies	
Who would you like to share a room with? (we will do our best to accommodate your request)	
Sleeping requirements:	Sleep apnea machine :Yes/No  Snorers room: Yes/No
Can you walk up a flight of 8 stairs?	Yes/No (please be aware that we ONLY have 10 beds available for those unable to climb stairs)
Do you require space for a Trade Display? Yes/No (Maximum of 8 trade spaces available) Trade Displays may enter from 12pm Payment for trade space is a donation of product for use in our raffle. Please give this to Jacquie Kendall on arrival	
Workshops  Please circle your selection and include payment to guarantee your place.	Silk hanky flowers workshop \$25 Portuguese knitting technique \$5 Ravelry Q & A \$0 <b>Friday</b> Natural basket weaving workshop \$20 <b>Saturday</b> Natural basket weaving workshop \$20 Adjusting a pattern \$5 Knit Companion Demonstration \$0
Day Visitors (Please Circle)  <b>Friday</b> from 9am to 5pm - \$50  <b>Saturday</b> from 9am to 5pm - \$50  \$10 discount for Gympie club members	<b>Full 4 day Retreat</b> - Thursday 29th September to Sunday 2nd October  Registration (up to the 14 <sup>th</sup> September) \$300  <b>Full 3 Day Retreat</b> - Friday 30th September to Sunday 2nd October  Registration (up to the 14 <sup>th</sup> September) \$220  \$10 discount for Gympie club members

**Retreat Form – PLEASE RETURN THIS PAGE ONLY WITH PAYMENT**

Club Use only - Date Received

Receipt #

## WORKSHOPS

**Registration in a workshop is on a first paid first served basis. To guarantee your place in a workshop please pay when you register for camp. If limits are reached, your name will be placed on a waiting list and money refunded if need be.**

FELTED SILK HANKY FLOWERS - Cost \$25. Make an everlasting flower from silk hankies and wool. All materials supplied.

Time: Friday 2pm, approximately 1 hour. Maximum 10 people.

PORTUGUESE KNITTING TECHNIQUE - Cost \$5. Learn a different technique to expand your knitting skills. This could help if you have arthritis or suffer from RSI. You will be creating "swatch" to learn this technique. Please bring yarn and appropriate needles with approximately 10cm of cast on stitches and a few completed rows to learn this technique.

Time: Friday 3:30pm, approximately 1 hour. Maximum 12 people.

RAVELRY Q & A - Cost: nil. All your Ravelry questions answered. Be prepared to ask away!

Time: Friday night after shops, 30 minutes.

NATURAL BASKET WEAVING WORKSHOP (2 workshops). Cost \$20. Receive the instructions and materials to start making your own basket from natural materials, specifically Rosemary and Lomandra. Learn basic twining techniques. All materials supplied.

Time: Friday 9am, or Saturday 9am, 1 hour. Maximum 8 people per workshop.

ADJUSTING A PATTERN TO FIT HAND-SPUN YARN - Cost \$5. Watch and learn as a pattern is adjusted to fit a hand-spun yarn swatch. Learn the maths behind the adjustments to help you use those fabulous hand-spun yarns to create garments that actually fit.

Time: Saturday 10:30am, 1 hour.

KNIT COMPANION DEMONSTRATION - a guided tour to this popular knitting pattern app. Learn how to upload patterns, create charts and mark your pattern. This is for IOS users only (Android Knit Companion is very different). If you have Knit Companion already loaded on your device you may bring it along but this will be primarily a demonstration session.

Time: Saturday 1:30pm, approximately 1 hour.