

## Rummery Park from Mount Nardi

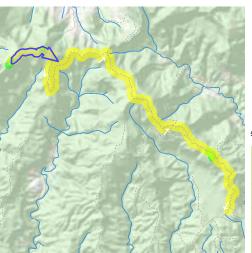








Starting from Newton Drive, Nightcap, this walk takes you to the Rummery Park Campground via the Historic Nightcap Track, Gibbergunyah Range Road and Peates Mountain Road; optionally visiting Mt Nardi, Mt Matheson and Peates Mountain along the way. Embark on a journey through the diverse and lively woodland, and notice the scenery change as you make your way through. The rainforest sections are mostly shaded and cool, where you can see tons of wildlife. Keep an eye on trees to spot koalas and tiger(spotted tail) quolls, but don't be surprised by the parma wallaby that's giving you a suspicious look. The area is also home to some rare and endangered bird species such as the red goshawk and the black-breasted button-quail. You'll have a chance to get good views of Mount Warning(Wollumbin) as well. Keep in mind that you can stay at the Rummery Park Campground and head back to make this a return trip. The track is mostly undemanding, yet the length of it might be tiring. Remember to take plenty of water. Let us begin by acknowledging the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we travel today, and pay our respects to their Elders past and present.





Class 4 of 6 Rough track, where fallen trees and other obstacles are likely	
Quality of track	Formed track, with some branches and other obstacles (3/6)
Gradient	Short steep hills (3/6)
Signage	Directional signs along the way (3/6)
Infrastructure	Generally useful facilities (such as fenced cliffs and seats) (2/6)
Experience Required	Moderate level of bushwalking experience recommended (4/6)
Weather	Weather generally has little impact on safety (2/6)



Getting to the start: From Pacific Motorway, M1

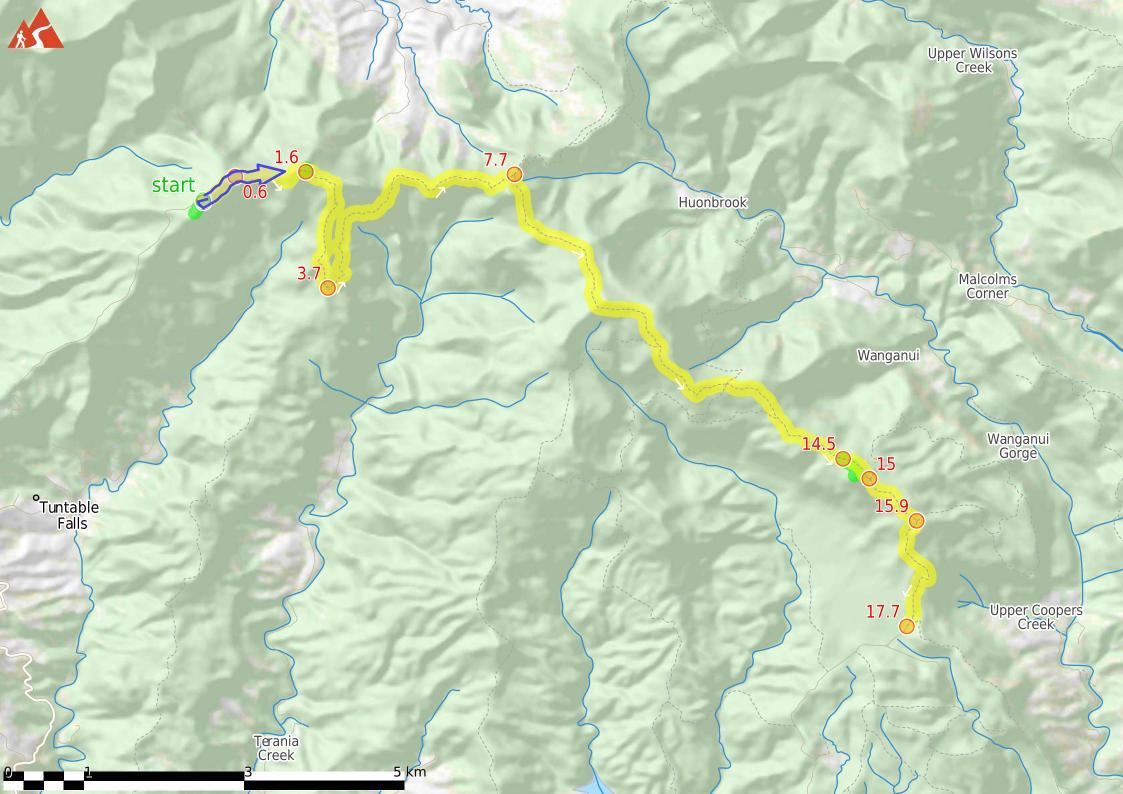
- Turn on to Pacific Motorway Offramp then drive for 285 m
- At roundabout, take exit 3 onto Old Pacific Highway, 40 and drive for another 410 m
- At roundabout, take exit 2 onto Gulgan Road and drive for another 2 km
- Turn right onto Mullumbimby Road and drive for another 3.9 km
- At roundabout, take exit 1 and drive for another 310 m
- Turn left onto Dalley Street and drive for another 6.2 km
- Turn right onto Goonengerry Road and drive for another 8 km
- Turn right onto Repentance Creek Road and drive for another 8.5 km
- Turn right onto Dunoon Road and drive for another 13.3 km
- Turn right onto The Channon Road, 32 and drive for another 17.2 km
- Turn right onto Newton Drive and drive for another 6.9 km

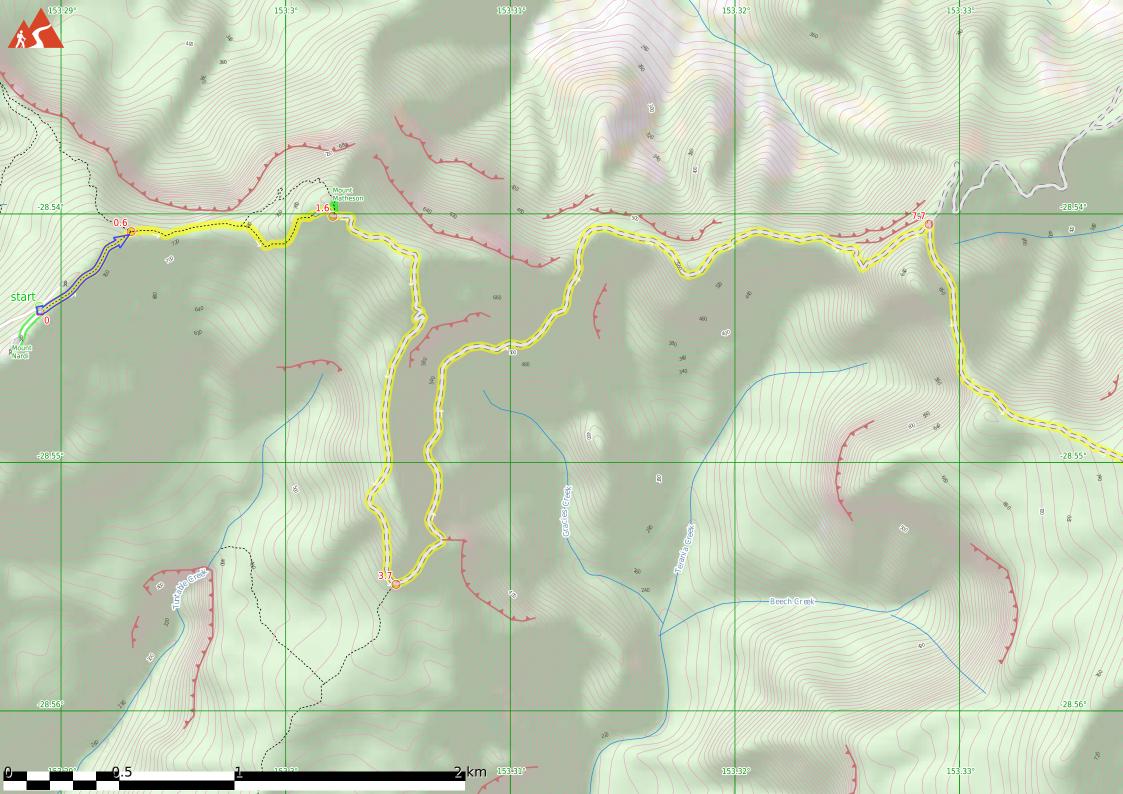
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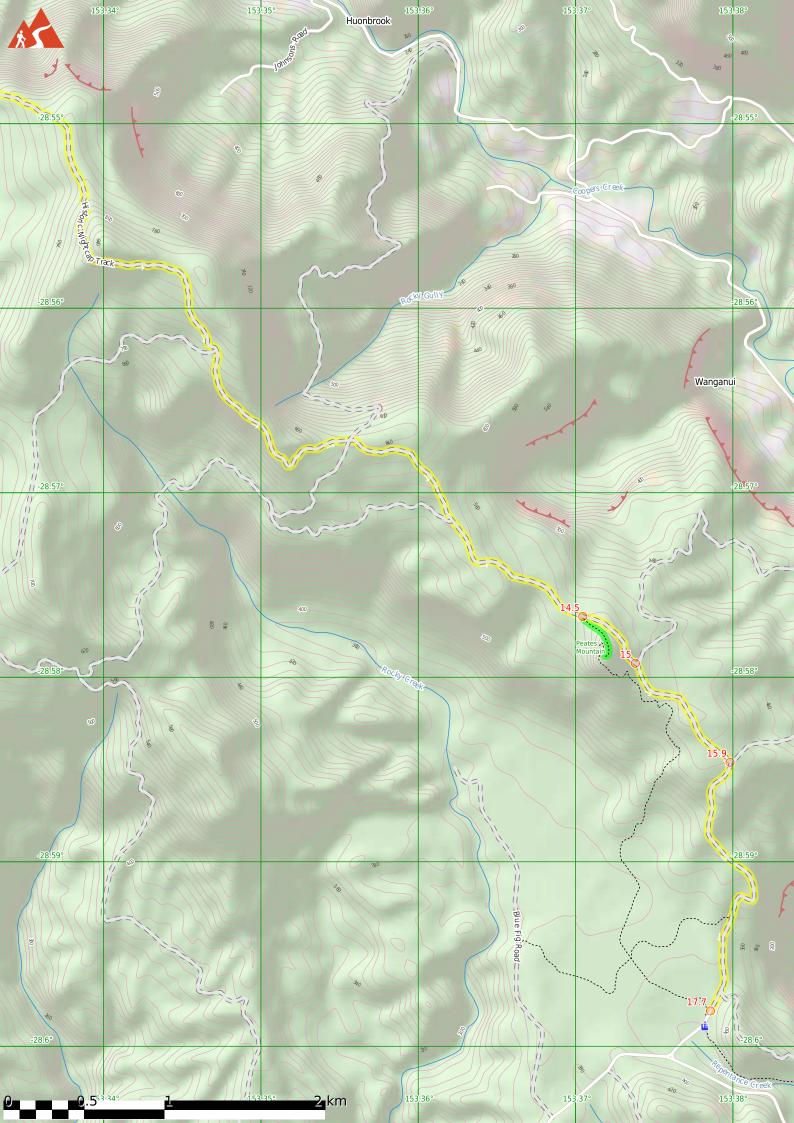
- Tell someone you trust where you are going and what to do if you are late returning
- Have adequate equipment, supplies, skills & knowledge to undertake this journey safely
- Consider weather forecasts, park/track closures & fire dangers
- Can respond to emergencies & call for help at any point
- · Are healthy and fit enough for this journey

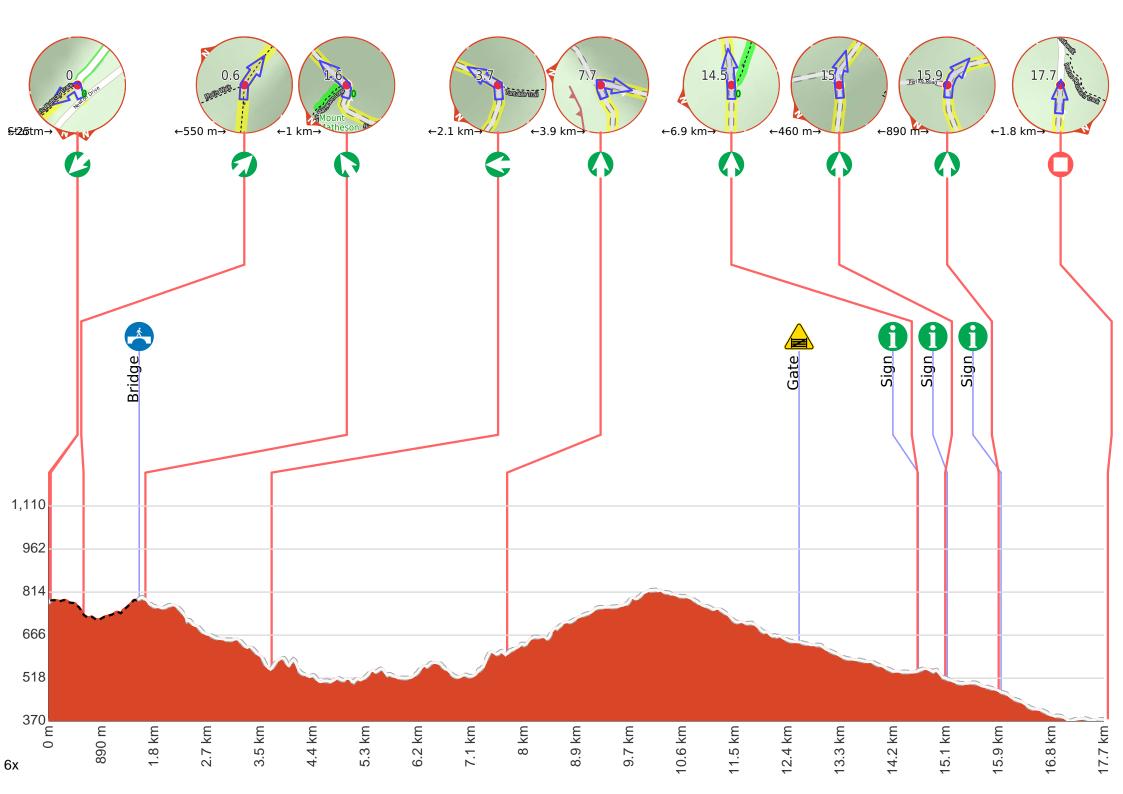
If not, change plans and stay safe. It is okay to delay and ask people for help.



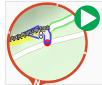








**Getting started:** From Newton Drive(180 metres northeast of Mount Nardi summit), head northeast along the dirt path to join the Historic Nightcap Track, moving away from the summit. 575 metres into the track, veer right at the 3-way intersection to continue along Rummery Park from Mount Nardi Track. This is the recommended direction of travel.

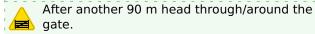


Start.

**Start of an optional side trip**: This little side trip takes you to the summit of Mount Nardi where there is a transmitting station. Keep in mind that access may not be allowed.



Find the sign at the start.



After another 80 m come to "Mount Nardi".



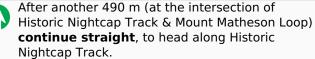
Turn around and retrace your steps back the 200 m to the main route.

Back at the main route turn right and follow on from the 25 m waypoint.



After another 25 m turn sharp left, to head along Historic Nightcap Track.





After another 440 m cross the bridge (about 7 m long)

**Start of an optional side trip**: This little side trip takes you to the summit of Mount Matheson.

To start this optional side trip turn left here. at the intersection of Historic Nightcap Track & Mount Matheson Loop Start heading along Mount Matheson Loop (a walking track).

After another 65 m come to "Mount Matheson".



The end.

Turn around and retrace your steps back the 65 m to the main route.

Back at the main route turn sharp left and follow on from the 1.6 km waypoint.

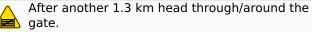
After another 95 m (at the intersection of Historic Nightcap Track & Mount Matheson Loop) **veer left**, to head along Historic Nightcap Track.



After another 2.1 km (at the intersection of Tuntable Trail & Historic Nightcap Track) **turn left**, to head along Historic Nightcap Track.



After another 3.6 km (at the intersection of Gibbergunyah Range Road & Historic Nightcap Track) **continue straight**, to head along Gibbergunyah Range Road.



After another 8 m (at the intersection of Tungun Road & Gibbergunyah Range Road) **continue straight**, to head along Peates Mountain Road.

After another 900 m (at the intersection of Old Fire Road & Peates Mountain Road) **continue straight**, to head along Peates Mountain Road.

After another 1.1 km pass the sign (on your left).

**Start of an optional side trip**: This optional side trip takes you to the summit of Peates Mountain, where you can get better views over the land.

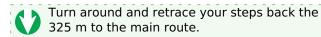
To start this optional side trip turn right here. at the intersection of Peates Mountain Road & Peates Mountain Track Start heading along Peates Mountain Track (a walking track).

After another 325 m come to "Peates Mountain".

About 25 m past the end is "Peates Mountain Lookout".



The end.



Back at the main route turn right and follow on from the 14.5 km waypoint.

At the intersection of Peates Mountain Track & Peates Mountain Road **continue straight**, to head along Peates Mountain Road.

After another 500 m pass the sign (on your right).

At the intersection of Peates Mountain Road & Eastern Fire Break **continue straight**, to head along Peates Mountain Road.

After another 930 m pass the sign (9 m on your right).

At the intersection of Peates Mountain Road & Perlite Road **continue straight**, to head along Peates Mountain Road.

After another 1.2 km **continue straight**, to head along Peates Mountain Road.

After another 440 m (at the intersection of Peates Mountain Road & Eastern Boundary Trail) continue straight, to head along Peates Mountain Road.

After another 155 m come to a gate.

About 85 m past the end is "Rummery Park".

About 115 m past the end is a toilet.

