



Lake Osborne

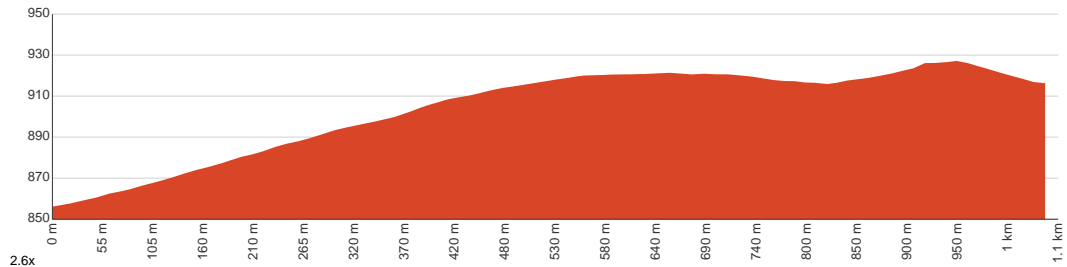
 45 min to 1 h


2.1 km
Return

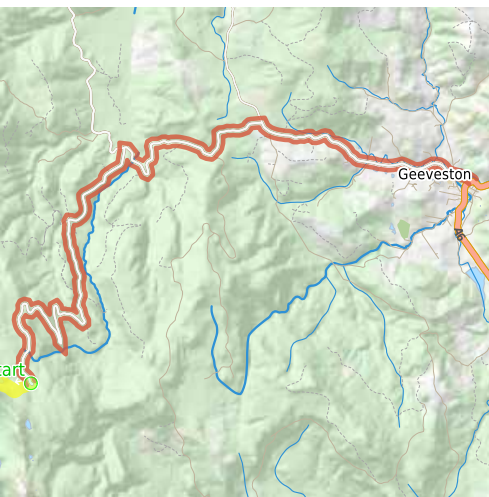

↑ 94 m
↓ 94 m

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Hard track

This walk leads to Lake Osborne and back via the Lake Osborne Track from the main car park at the end of Hartz Road, Hartz Mountains National Park. The well-signed track winds gradually up through the pleasant sub-alpine bush. Interpretive signs describe many of the features of the vegetation and landscape. The track emerges from the bush into a more open area of lower shrubs with good views, passing easily across the moorland before reaching the beautiful glacial lake surrounded by ancient King Billy pines. The lake is in a delightful setting nestled against the base of the Devil's Backbone. There's a seat at the lakeside where you can relax and enjoy the views before returning by the same route. This walk is relatively short and consists of flat tracks and well-made boardwalks for its entire length. 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	Clear and well formed track or trail (2/6)
Gradient	Gentle hills with occasional steps (2/6)
Signage	Clearly signposted (1/6)
Infrastructure	Generally useful facilities (such as fenced cliffs and seats) (2/6)
Experience Required	No experience required (2/6)
Weather	Forecasted & unexpected storms and severe weather may impact on navigation and safety (4/6)



Getting to the start: From Huon Highway, A6

- Turn on to Arve Road, C632 then drive for 6.9 km
- Turn left onto Arve Road, C632 and drive for another 6.2 km
- Turn left onto Hartz Road, C632 and drive for another 13.2 km

Before you start any journey ensure you;

- 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.

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1

Hartz Road

start

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1060

1020

1000

980

960

940

920

900

920

900

820

840

860

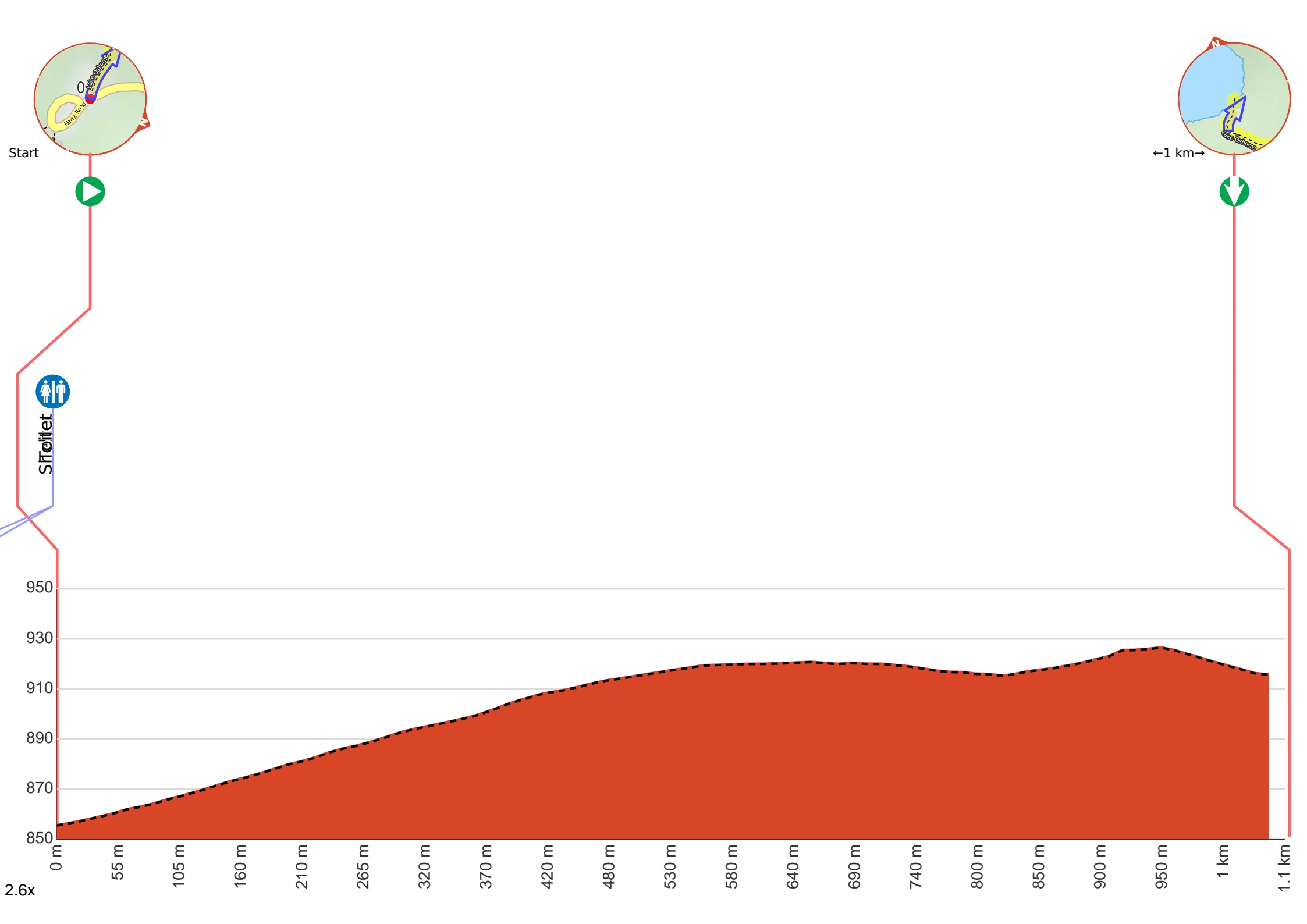
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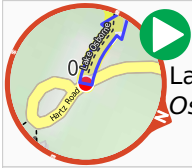
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1 km

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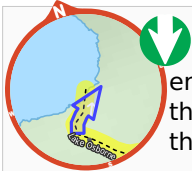
At the intersection of Hartz Road & Lake Osborne **Start** heading along *Lake Osborne* (a walking track).



There is a shelter (about 95 m back from the start).



There is a toilet (about 75 m back from the start).
This toilet is wheelchair accessible., equipped with a hand-washing basin.



Continue another 1.1 km to find the end. Then turn around here and retrace the main route for 1 km to get back to the start.