



Anakie Gorge Circuit Walk

 3 h to 5 h

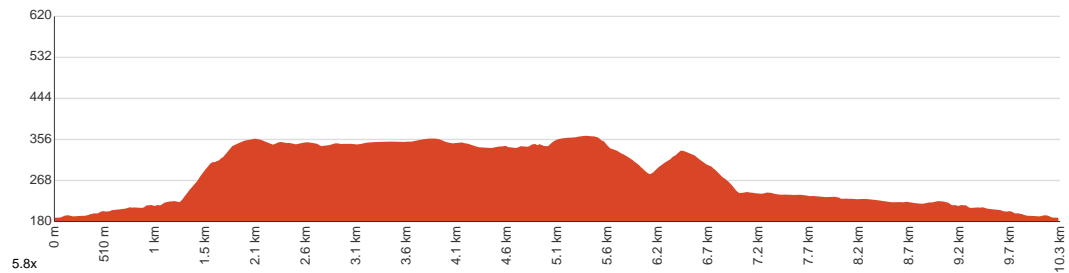
 1 h 30 min to 2 h 30 min


10.2 km
Circuit


↑ 328 m
↓ 328 m

 3
Moderate track

Starting from Anakie Gorge picnic and parking area at the end of Gorge Road and this circuit walk in Brisbane Ranges NP takes you west along Anakie Gorge Walk. Starting with a steeply uphill section to warm you up and get your heart racing, the walk takes you to Nelson Lookout and Outlook Lookout for great views over the area, before reaching the Stony Creek Picnic area. Have a break there and/or take a side trip along the creek to Lower Stony Creek Reservoir. 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 3 of 6 Formed track, with some branches and other obstacles	
Quality of track	Clear and well formed track or trail (2/6)
Gradient	Short steep hills (3/6)
Signage	Directional signs along the way (3/6)
Infrastructure	Limited facilities, not all cliffs are fenced (3/6)
Experience Required	Some bushwalking experience recommended (3/6)
Weather	Storms may impact on navigation and safety (3/6)

Getting to the start: From Geelong Ring Road, M1

- Turn on to Midland Highway Off Ramp then drive for 450 m
- Keep left onto Midland Highway Off Ramp and drive for another 125 m
- Turn left onto Ballarat Road, A300 and drive for another 1.5 km
- Turn right onto Ballan Road, C141 and drive for another 24.6 km
- Turn right onto Staughton Vale Road and drive for another 3.4 km
- Turn left onto Gorge Road and drive for another 730 m

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

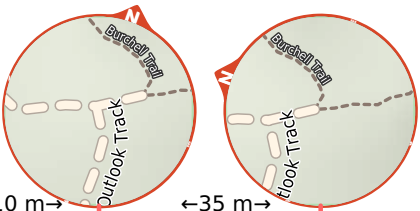
If not, change plans and stay safe. It is okay to delay and ask people for help.

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←510 m→

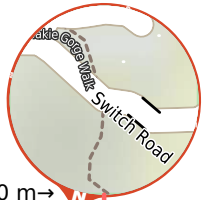
←35 m→



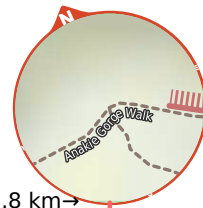
←1.5 km→



←110 m→



←80 m→



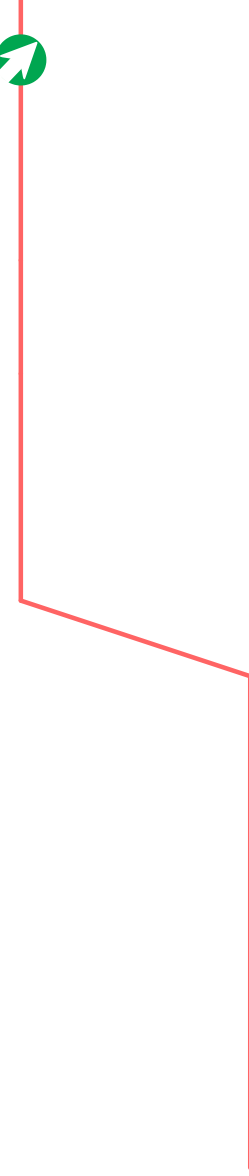
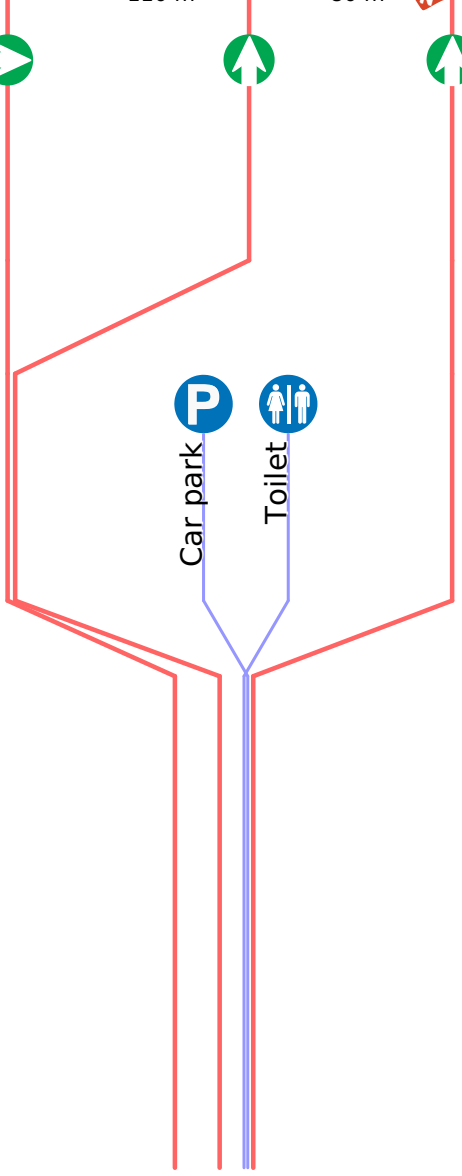
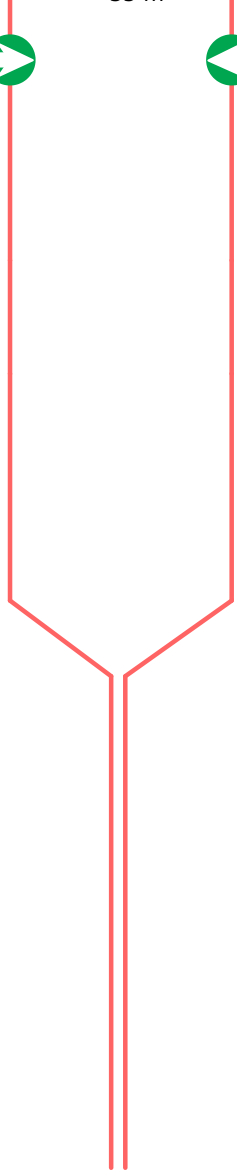
←1.8 km→




Car park

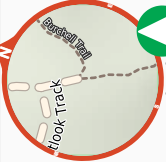



Toilet










 Back at the main route turn right and follow on from the 5.5 km waypoint.



  After another 35 m (from the Burchell Trail) **turn left**, to head along Burchell Trail (a walking track).



Start of an optional side trip: Side trip to Lower Stony Creek Reservoir


  To start this optional side trip turn left here. at the intersection of Burchell Trail & Anakie Gorge Walk **Start** heading along *Burchell Trail* (a walking track).


  After another 45 m (at the intersection of Anakie Gorge Walk & Wadawurrong Walk (Burchell Trail)) **continue straight**, to head along Anakie Gorge Walk.



  After another 320 m (at the intersection of Anakie Gorge Walk & Burchell Trail) **continue straight**, to head along Anakie Gorge Walk (a vehicle track).


  After another 100 m (from the Anakie Gorge Walk) **turn right** (a walking track).


  After another 35 m come to the end.


 Turn around and retrace your steps back the 500 m to the main route.



 Back at the main route turn left and follow on from the 7 km waypoint.

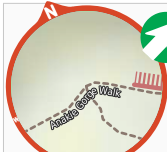

  After another 1.5 km (at the intersection of Anakie Gorge Walk & Burchell Trail) **turn right**, to head along Anakie Gorge Walk.

  After another 110 m (from the Anakie Gorge Walk) **continue straight**, to head along Anakie Gorge Walk.

 After another 70 m pass the car park (15 m on your left).

 Then pass the toilet (20 m on your left).

  After another 20 m (at the intersection of Anakie Gorge Walk & Switch Road) **continue straight**, to head along Anakie Gorge Walk.

  After another 1.8 km (at the intersection of Anakie Gorge Walk & Ted Errey Nature Circuit) **veer right**, to head along Anakie Gorge Walk.

