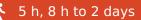


Goldfield Trail

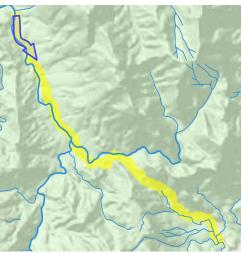








Starting from Mulgrave River Forestry Road, Wooroonooran, this walk takes you to The Boulders Lookout and rock pools via the Goldfield Trail, exploring the rainforest of Wooroonooran NP along the way. This trail was used by gold miners that were travelling to the mining areas in Goldsborough Valley back in the time - hence the name Goldfield. As you walk along the same track that is now surrounded by beautiful king ferns, try to go back to their time and imagine what the environment used to look like then. The rainforest is home to many animals including boars(pigs) and cassowaries. There are multiple campsites, one along the way and one at each end of the track. You can stay the night and even make this a return trip if you'd like to. Don't forget to pack your swimmers to be able to enjoy the rock pools along Babinda Creek, especially at the end. Expect to get your feet wet as four of the crossings are around knee-level. Sandals may come in handy. A decent level of fitness is recommended. You can bring secateurs to help you on the track, but remember to bring bushmans spray no matter what. 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	Rough track, where fallen trees and other obstacles are likely (4/6)
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	Moderate level of bushwalking experience recommended (4/6)
Weather	Foretasted & unexpected storms and severe weather may impact on navigation and safety (4/6)



Getting to the start: From Bruce Highway, A1

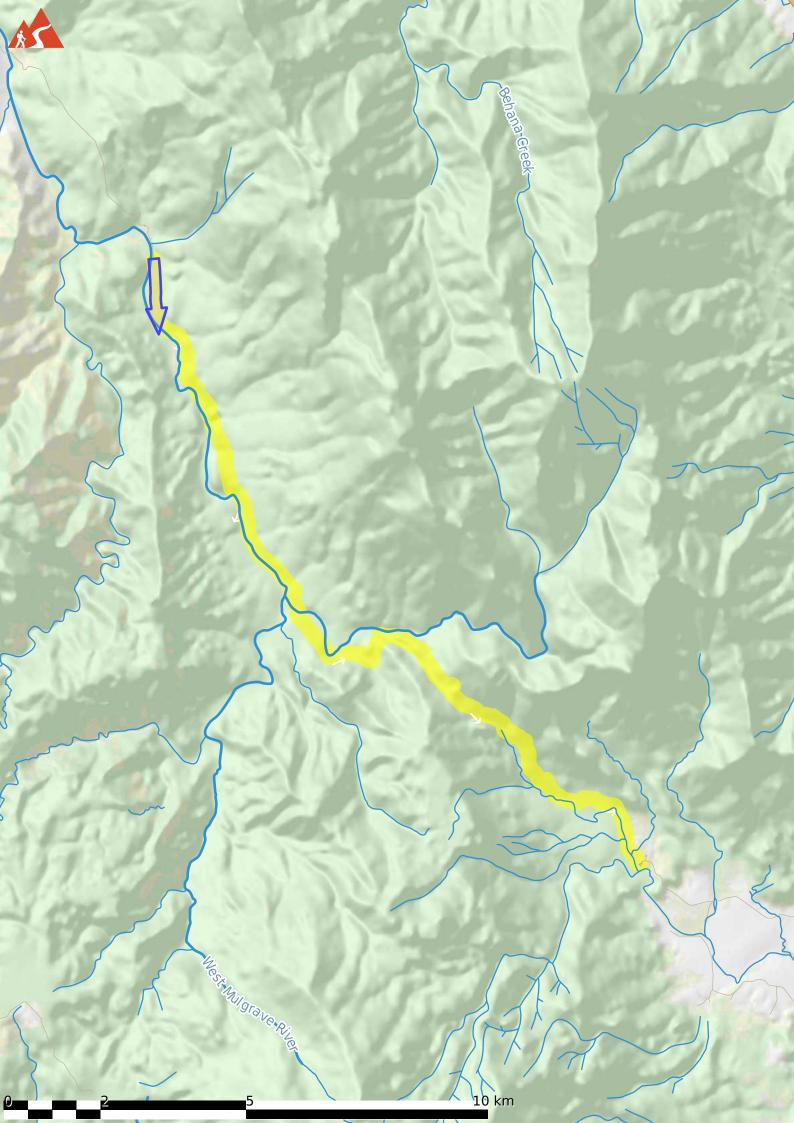
- Turn on to Riverstone Road, 52 then drive for 980 m
- At roundabout, take exit 1 onto Gillies Highway, 52 and drive for another 5.3 km
- Turn left onto Goldsborough Road and drive for another 3.2 km
- Continue onto Goldsborough Road and drive for another 35 m
- Keep left onto Goldsborough Road and drive for another 13.7 km

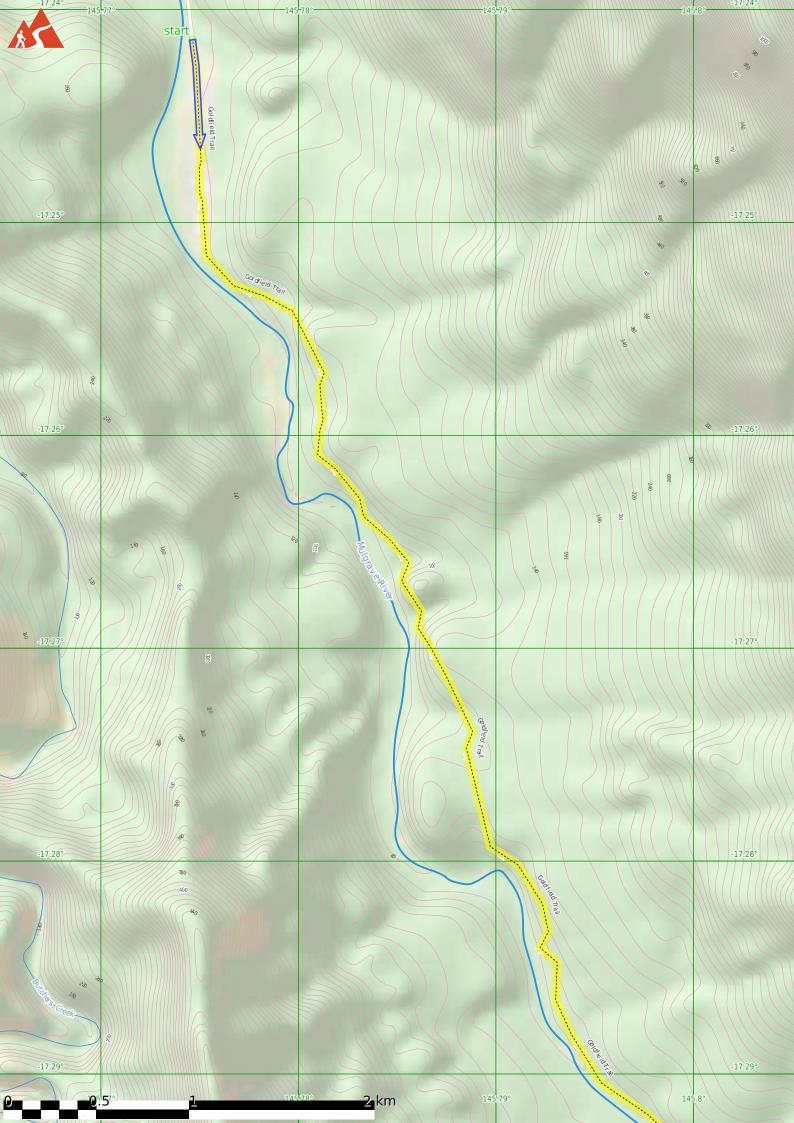
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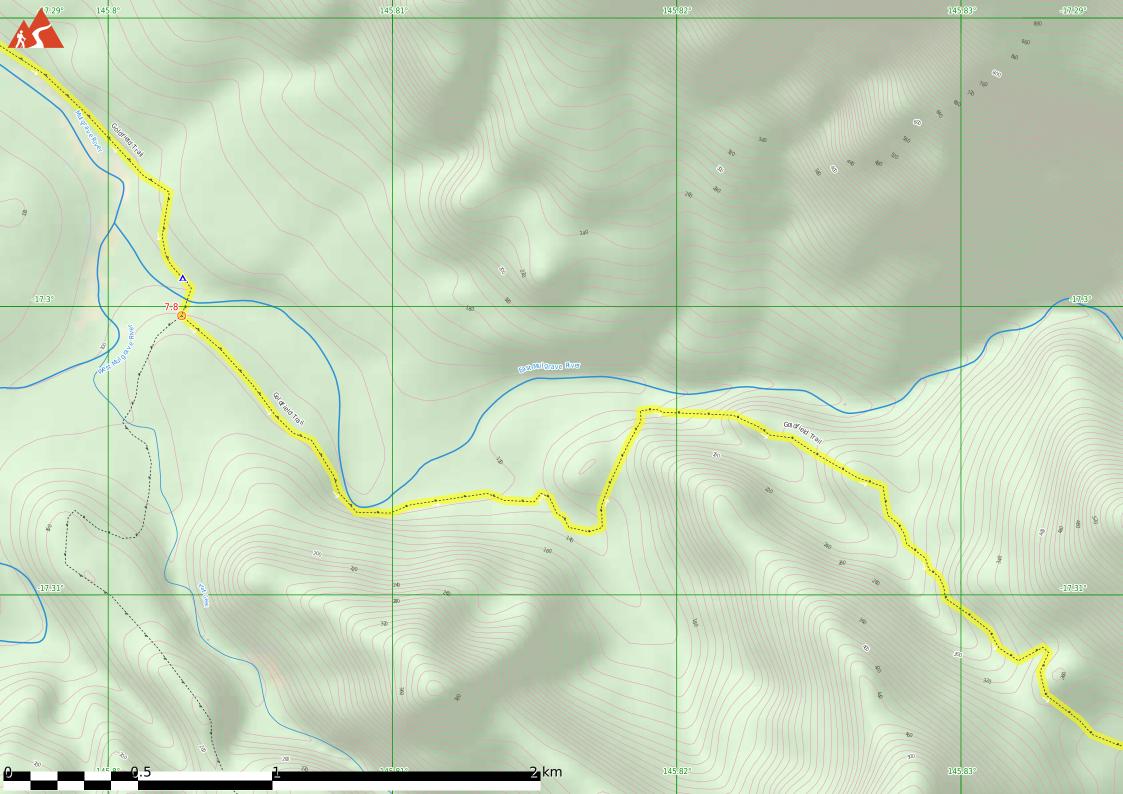
- Tell someone you trust where you are going and what to do if you are late returning
- · Have adequate equipment, supplies, skills & knowledge to undertake this journey safely
- Consider weather forecasts, park/track closures & fire dangers
- Can respond to emergencies & call for help at any point
-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

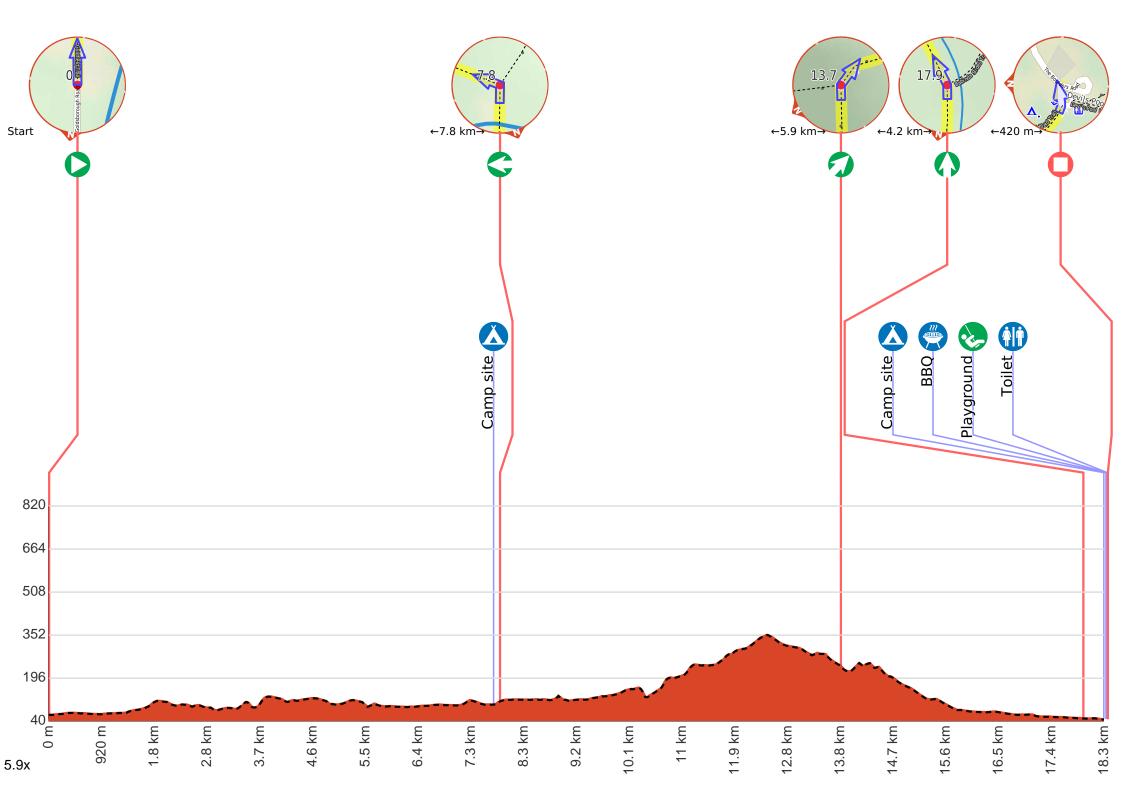












Getting started: From Mulgrave River Forestry Road(530 metres south of Goldsborough Valley Campground), head south along the road as you keep the river to your right. Stay on the said path and cross the East Mulgrave River to continue along the Goldfield Trail(Goldsborough to Boulders).



Start.



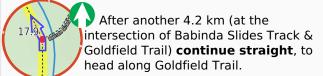
After 7.7 km come to the "Mulgrave River Top Causeway Camping Area" (on your left).



After another 110 m **turn left**, to head along Goldfield Trail.



After another 5.9 km (at the intersection of Goldfield Trail & Green Cliff Falls Track) **veer right**, to head along Goldfield Trail.



- After another 350 m come to the "The Boulders" (25 m on your left).
- After another 35 m pass the BBQ (10 m on your right).
- After another 10 m pass the playground (7 m on your left).



After another 10 m pass the toilet (30 m on your right).



Veer left.



About 110 m past the end is "Boulders Lookout".



About 130 m past the end is "Boulders Main Pool".



The end.