

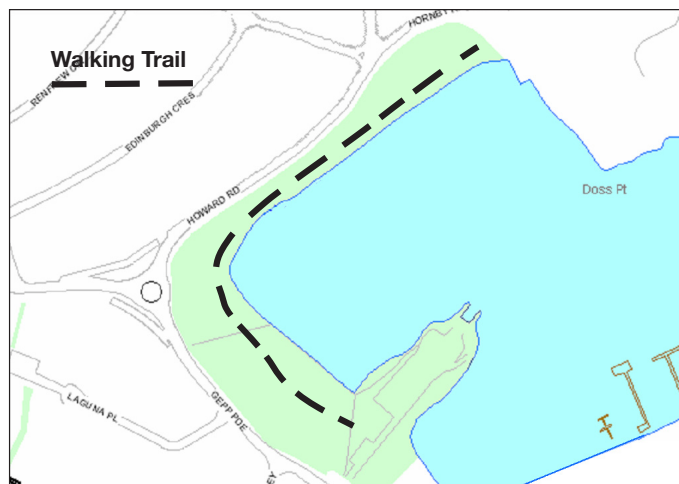
Prince of Wales: 1 km circle. Easy.

Begin at the Prince of Wales Bay Recreation Ground an excellent area for the whole family. Walk around the outside of the softball fields. Public toilets are available on-site. Walk to the Gepp Parade Marina to observe the moored boats. To increase your fitness you may wish to add warm up and cool down laps.



Gibbins Walk: 1.2km return. Easy.

This is a great family walk and a great place for a family gathering. Facilities include public toilets, playgrounds, basketball, picnic shelters and electric barbecues. Begin at the picnic shelter at the southern end of Gibbins Reserve. Follow the path around the foreshore and return. The park provides great views of the Incat shipyard, Prince of Wales Bay and the distant mountains.



Golf Walk: 2km return. Medium.

Begin the walk at New Town Bay Golf Club in Risdon Road.

Follow Risdon Road in the direction of Hobart until you reach Ledwell Lane. Turn right at the intersection with Ashbolt Crescent and walk up towards the industrial area until you reach Ash Street.

Continue along Ash Street to the top of the hill and down into Lutana Woodlands. This reserve is a popular dog walking area and has walking trails linking Lennox Avenue with Bowen Road.

Commanding views of Glenorchy City and the Wellington Range can be seen from this site, as well as native grasslands and stands of Casuarina trees.

Lutana Woodlands has a playground and large oval suitable for ball games and kite flying, turn here and return to retrace your walk.

This is a challenging walk as you climb steeply at the start from the golf club. Coming back is the easy part.

The views from the top of Ash Street are breathtaking and one of the few places where you have a 360 degree lookout.



Amy Street: 1.3km circle: Medium.

Park your car at the top car park and walk down past the playground.

The trail starts for the first 200metres downhill and is bushy with very active bird life.

You will have great views of Glenorchy and looking east across the Derwent River to Lindisfarne.

Follow the trail parallel to the houses for 500 metres.

There are no facilities so it is a good idea to carry a water bottle.

This is a very relaxing and interesting walk with a forest atmosphere amidst an urban area.

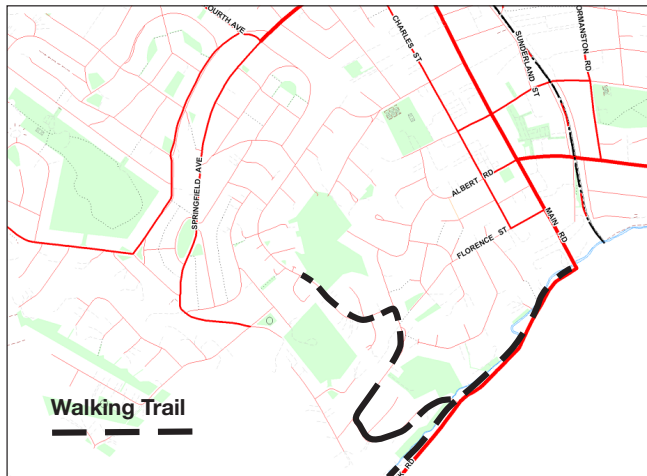


Putters Walk: 2km return. Medium-Hard.

Begin this walk adjacent the Putters car park on Main Road Moonah walking in a southerly direction to Creek Road. Turn right into Creek Road and follow the road on the right-hand footpath adjacent to the New Town Rivulet. Walking on the timber boardwalk in the treetops and looking into the rivulet gives this walk a special feature. Continue walking along the sealed path in Creek Road. It will get more difficult as you follow the climb in the direction of Mt Wellington. By the time you reach Gerrard Street you will have walked 600metres. Continue walking until you come to Augusta Road turn around and return to the start.

(This walk can be extended to reach the foothills of Mt Wellington by using the New Town Rivulet Walk constructed by Hobart City Council. To make this link follow the markers near the community garden that direct you to a gravel path following the rivulet behind the milk factory. If you plan to walk long distances it is important to have warm clothing and refreshments. An excellent and challenging walk to undertake in a group.)

If you want to challenge your fitness you can turn right at Gerrard Street and walk up the steep hill to Highfield Street. Turn right into Highfield Street and follow the footpath until you reach Amy Street. This is a good walk for garden watchers due to the display of beautiful front gardens. The views over Moonah and greater Hobart are spectacular. When you reach Amy Street you will have achieved 2kms. This is not a walk for the beginner! Turn around at Amy Street and return to Main Road on the route you came.



Jim Percy Memorial Walk: 1.8km circle. Easy.

Begin the walk at the park sign in Bowen Road marked 'Jim Percy Memorial Walk' and follow the sealed paths in either direction.

The track is clearly defined and easy to follow.

This is an ideal family walk with plenty of open space to kick a ball, with a playground and trails to walk or ride a bike.

And bring your dog too!



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