



Little Beach Trail

(Darkinjung & Guringai Country)

 25 min to 1 h

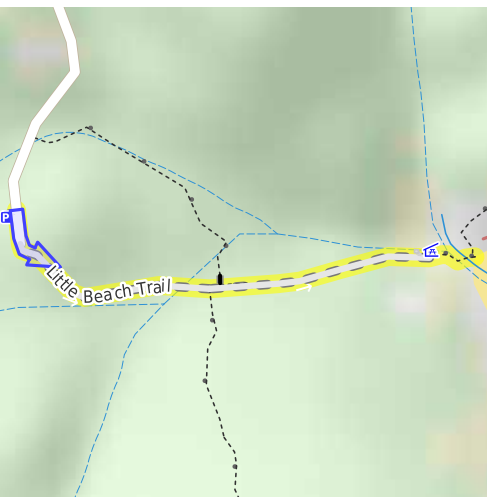
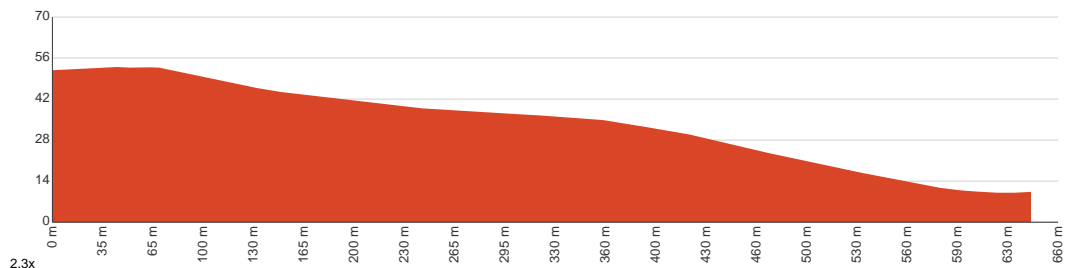

1.3 km
Return


↑ 45 m
↓ 45 m


Moderate track

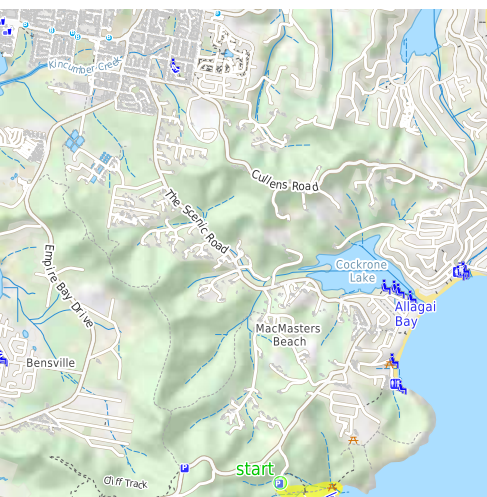


This walk from Graham Drive Car Park to Little Beach follows the service trail straight through the tall forest, down the hill to the isolated beach. The beach is popular with surfers, and the campsite provides a nice place for a rest. A great spot to get your toes wet during a BBQ lunch (great BBQ facilities provided by NPWS). Let us begin by acknowledging the Darkinjung & Guringai people, 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	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	Limited facilities, not all cliffs are fenced (3/6)
Experience Required	No experience required (1/6)
Weather	Weather generally has little impact on safety (1/6)

Getting to the start: From Avoca Drive



- Turn on to Empire Bay Drive then drive for 360 m
- At roundabout, take exit 1 onto The Scenic Road and drive for another 250 m
- At roundabout, take exit 2 onto The Scenic Road and drive for another 5.6 km
- Keep left onto Grahame Drive and drive for another 420 m

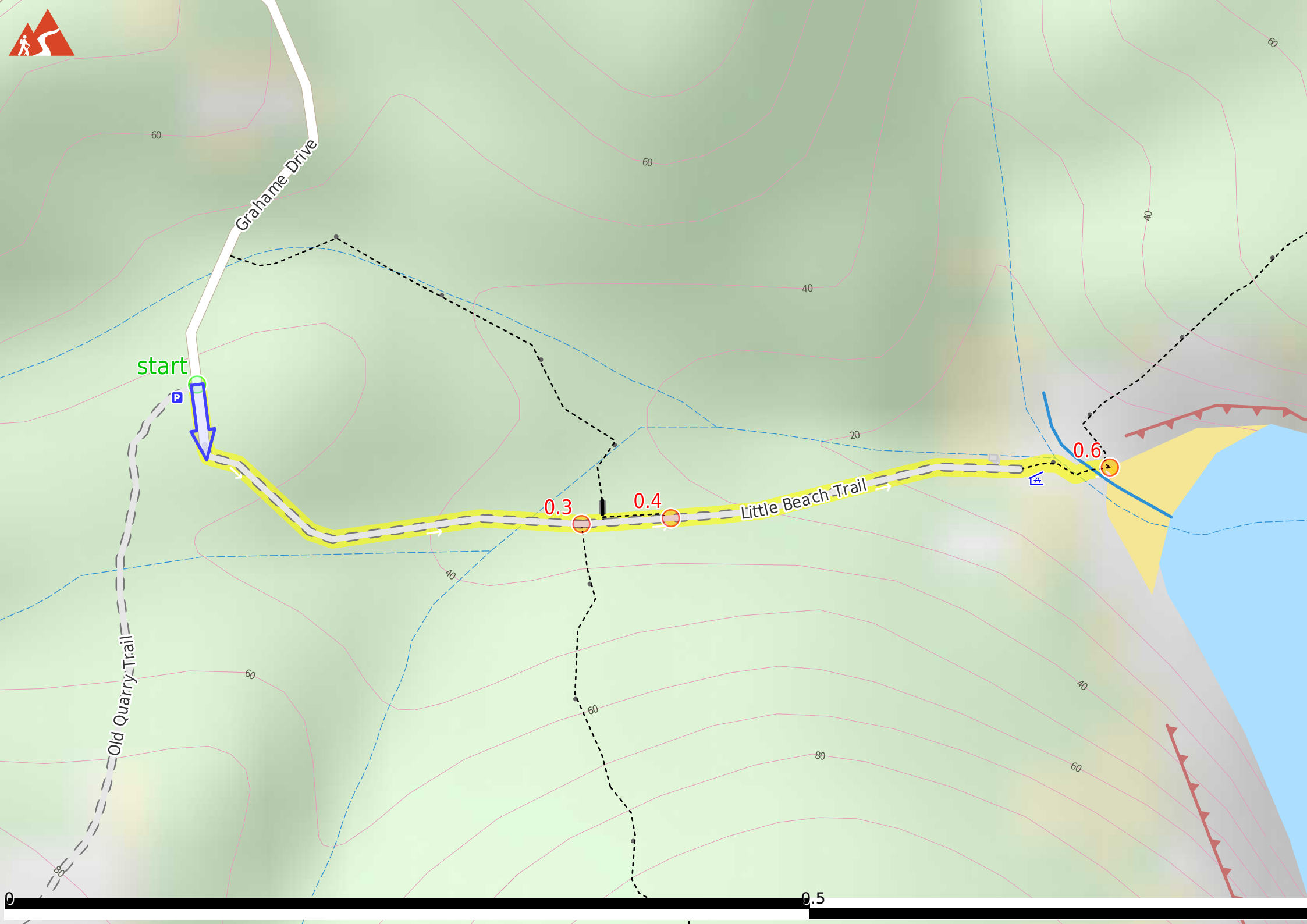
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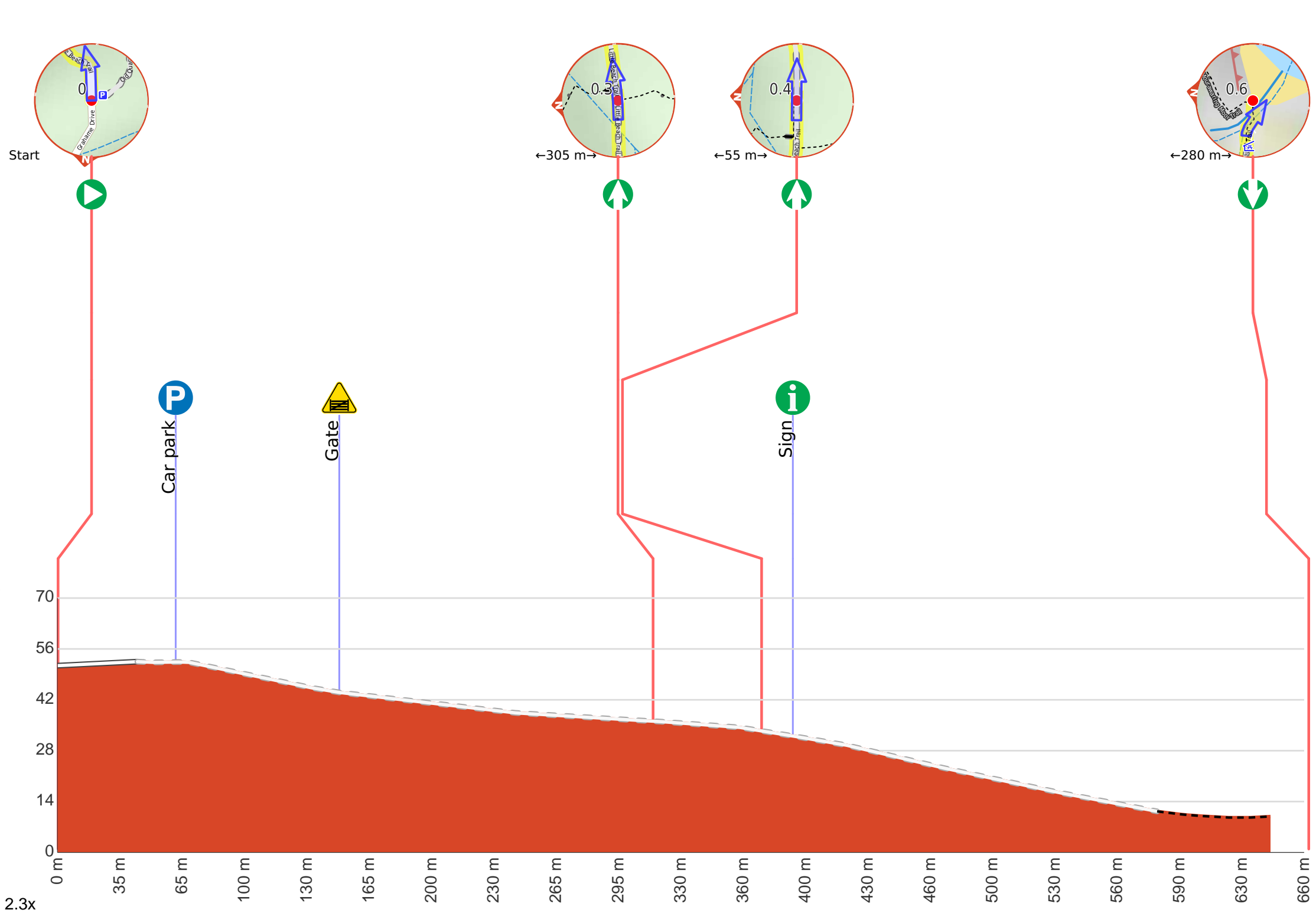
- Tell someone you trust where you are going and what to do if you are late returning
- Have adequate equipment, supplies, skills & knowledge to undertake this journey safely
- Consider weather forecasts, park/track closures & fire dangers
- Can respond to emergencies & call for help at any point
- Are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

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

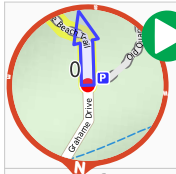
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Getting started: From the car park, this walk follows the 'Little Beach' sign along the management trail, passing around a gate. The walk heads down the hill, crosses a creek, and climbs up the hill out of the gully. The walk then winds down to a signposted intersection, with a bush track to the right.



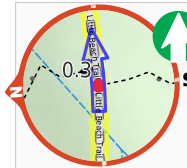
Start.



After 60 m pass the "Little Beach Car Park" (15 m on your right).



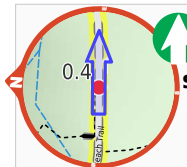
After another 85 m head through/around the gate.



After another 160 m **continue straight.**



After another 15 m **continue straight.**



After another 40 m **continue straight.**



After another 15 m pass the "Bouddi Coastal Walk" (20 m on your right).



After another 265 m come to a toilet.



A sign.



Then pass the shelter (on your right).



Then pass the BBQ (on your right).



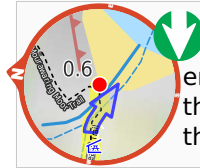
Then pass the picnic table (10 m on your right).



Then find the "Little Beach Campsite" (8 m on your left).



Little Beach campsite is a small grassed area, wedged between the hills and set back from the beach. The campsite has six designated sites, a composting toilet, rubbish bins, Gas BBQ's and a shelter. There is no drinking water onsite and the beach is only 20m away.



Continue another 30 m to find the end. Then turn around here and retrace the main route for 640 m to get back to the start.



About 60 m past the end is "Little Beach".



Little Beach, Bouddi National Park, is a small 100m-long stretch of sand and rocks, facing out to the Tasman Sea and South Pacific Ocean. The beach is backed by a gully and sided by steep rocky headlands. The beach has a south easterly aspect and has its own campsite.