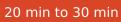


Wallagoot Beach (Yuin Country)



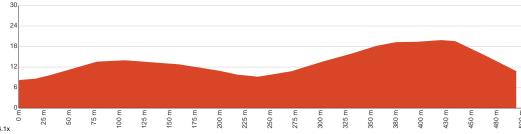








This walk is a short route onto Wallagoot Beach. On the walk down to the beach you are rewarded with views across Wallagoot Lake as well as the long Wallagoot and Bournda Beaches. The beach is a popular place for swimming and in good conditions the rocks on the northern end of the beach provide some opportunities for exploring. Let us begin by acknowledging the Yuin 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 Sapphire Coast Drive, 9

- Turn on to Wallagoot Lake Road then drive for 2.8 km
- · Turn right and drive for another 1.6 km
- Turn right and drive for another 80 m

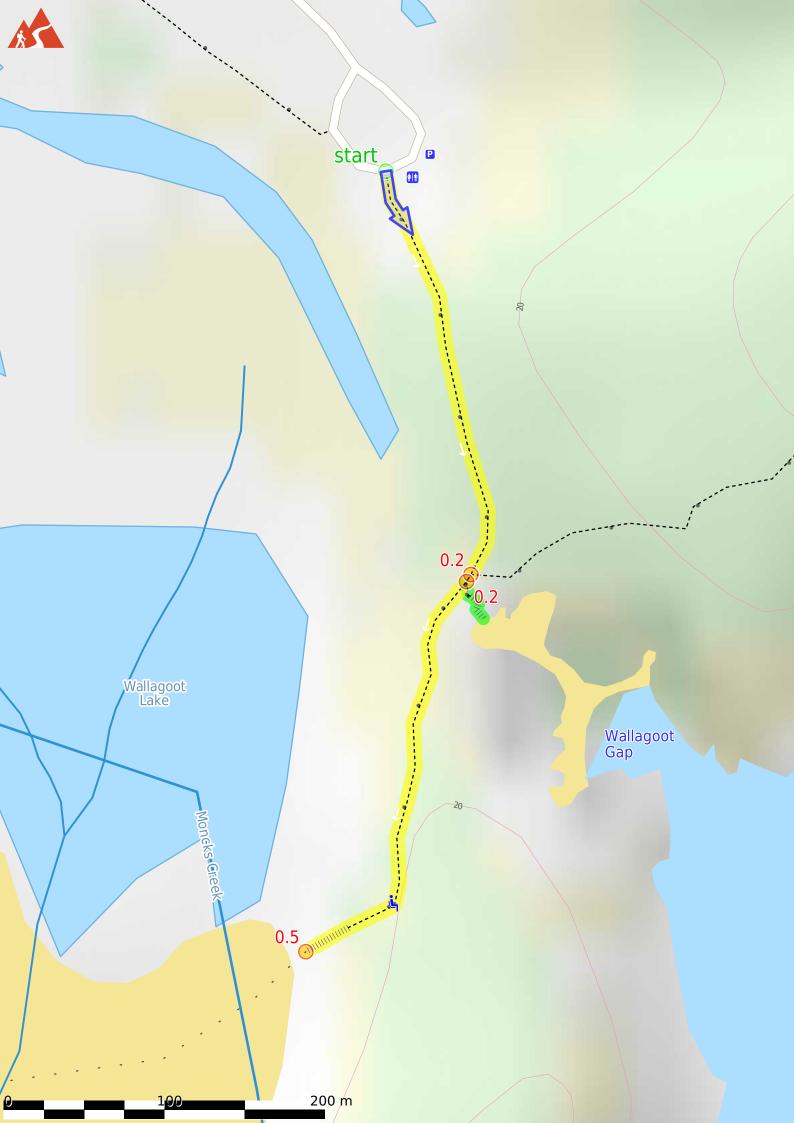


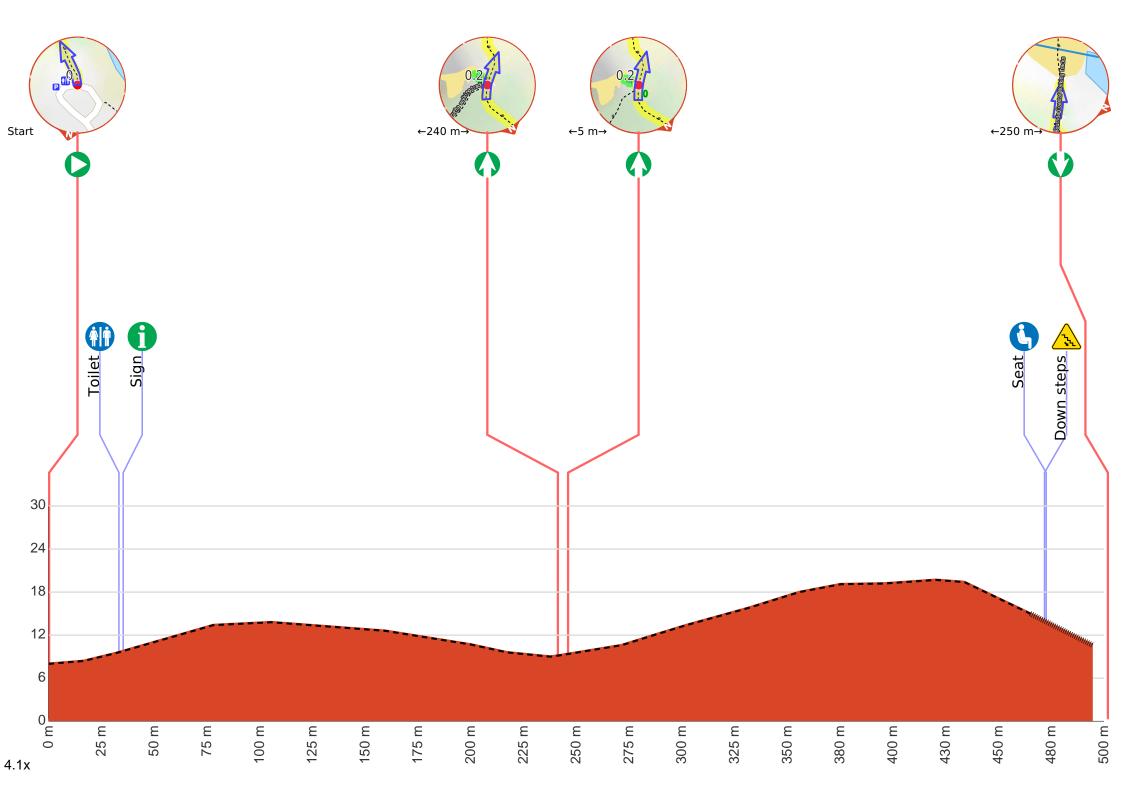
Before you start any journey ensure you;

- · 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.







Getting started: (Wallagoot car park is found at the end of Wallagoot Lake Rd, off the Sapphire Coast Drive.) This walk leaves the car park along the track between the information sign (on the right) and toilet (on the left), heading between two cut logs. The wide track dips through a valley then heads over a rise, coming to a signposted intersection (with a timber platform on the right).



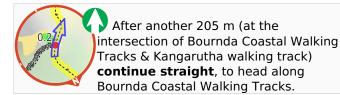
Start heading along Bournda Coastal Walking Tracks.



After 35 m pass the toilet (20 m on your left).



Then pass the sign (10 m on your right).



Start of an optional side trip: An optional side trip to Wallagoot Gap.



To start this optional side trip veer left here. **Start**.



After another 8 m turn left.



Find the viewpoint at the start.



Then head down the 41 surface|wood steps



After another 20 m come to the end.

About 90 m past the end is "Wallagoot Gap".



Wallagoot Gap is situated south of Tathra, facing east out onto the South Pacific Ocean. The gap is created by two headlands that protect the main beach from the wind. A second beach can be found around the corner of Wallagoot Gap, by following the right-hand side wall. Wallagoot Gap is an excellent place for a swim or a play in the sand. The gap can be accessed from Wallagoot Beach car park at the end of Wallagoot Lake Rd or the Kangarutha Track. Turn around and retrace your steps back the 25 m to the main route.



Back at the main route turn sharp left and follow on from the 240 m waypoint.



After another 5 m **continue straight**, to head along Bournda Coastal Walking Tracks.



After another 225 m pass a seat (on your right)., has a backrest.



Then head down the 33 surface|gravel steps

Continue another 30 m to find the end. Then turn around here and retrace the main route for 490 m to get back to the start.