



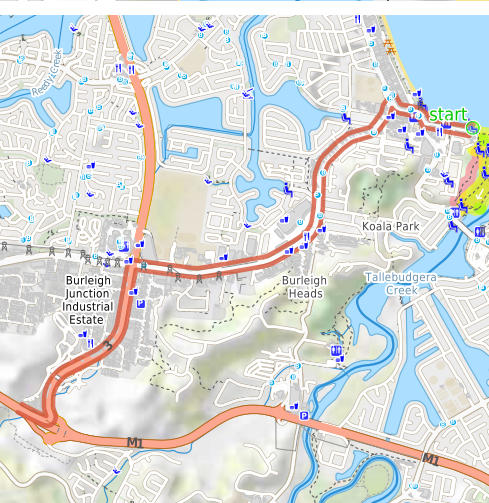
# Burleigh Head Circuit

45 min to 1 h 15 min  
30 min to 45 min

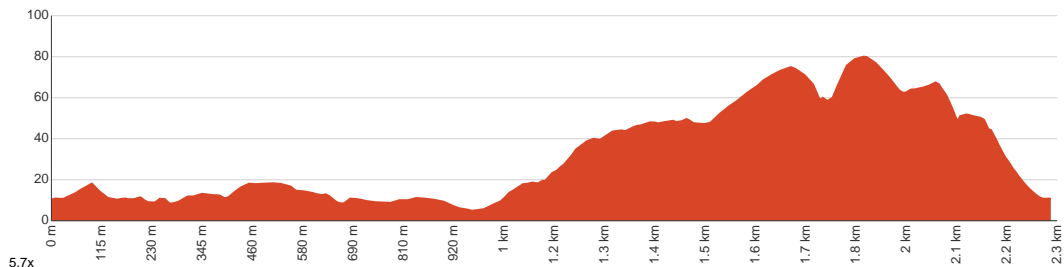
2.3 km  
Circuit

↑ 133 m  
↓ 133 m

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Easy track



Starting from the car park off Goodwin Terrace, Burleigh Heads, this walk takes you on a circuit in the Burleigh Head National Park, visiting a couple of beaches and lookouts along the way. Prepared to be blown away by the amazing views over the headland and the Coral Sea, with a chance of seeing a gorgeous whale breach through the water. You'll be passing by Echo Beach and other swimming areas as you hike on the Oceanview Track, so pack your swimmers and enjoy the lovely waters of Coral Sea. Kookaburras, king parrots and noisy pittas are among the bird species you can spot in the area along with the fellow brushturkeys of Australia. Savor the views and be patient as you observe the waters from the Tumgun and Jebbribillum lookouts to increase your chance of seeing a humpback in the air. There is a restaurant nearby for you to refuel your energy, grab something you can consume at the lookout (without littering ofc) to help you spend time there. The undulating wide tracks are perfectly suitable for small children as well, so don't hesitate to bring your whole family for a lovely coastal trip together. Try to avoid peak hours and weekends as the track is quite popular amongst runner groups and tourists. Remember to keep an eye out for snakes along the track. 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.



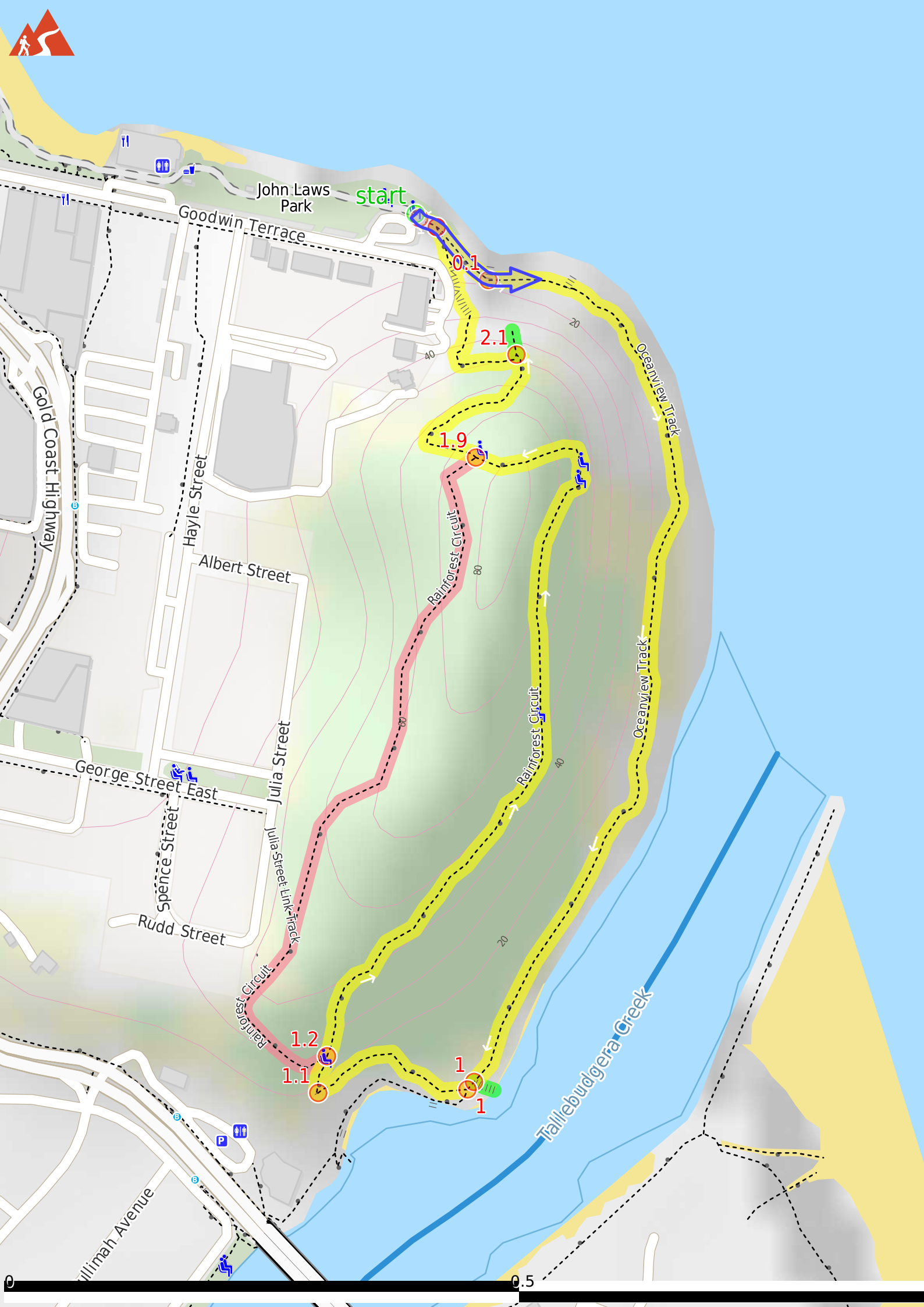
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| Class 2 of 6<br>Clear and well formed track or trail |   |
| Quality of track                                     | Clear and well formed track or trail (2/6)                          |
| Gradient   | Gentle hills with occasional steps (2/6)                            |
| Signage  | Clearly signposted (2/6)  |
| Infrastructure                                       | Generally useful facilities (such as fenced cliffs and seats) (1/6) |
| Experience Required                                  | No experience required (1/6)  |
| Weather  | Weather generally has little impact on safety (2/6)                 |

**Getting to the start:** From Pacific Motorway, M1

- Turn on to then drive for 240 m
- Keep left onto Exit 87 Southport Burleigh Road and drive for another 1.8 km
- Turn right onto Reedy Creek Road, 80 and drive for another 3.3 km
- Turn right onto Gold Coast Highway, 2 and drive for another 340 m
- Keep left onto Goodwin Terrace and drive for another 440 m
- Turn left and drive for another 55 m

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start

John Laws Park

Goodwin Terrace

Gold Coast Highway

Hayle Street

Albert Street

Julia Street

George Street East

Spence Street

Rudd Street

Millmah Avenue

1.9

0.1

2.1

1.2

1.1

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Tallebudgera Creek

Oceanview Track

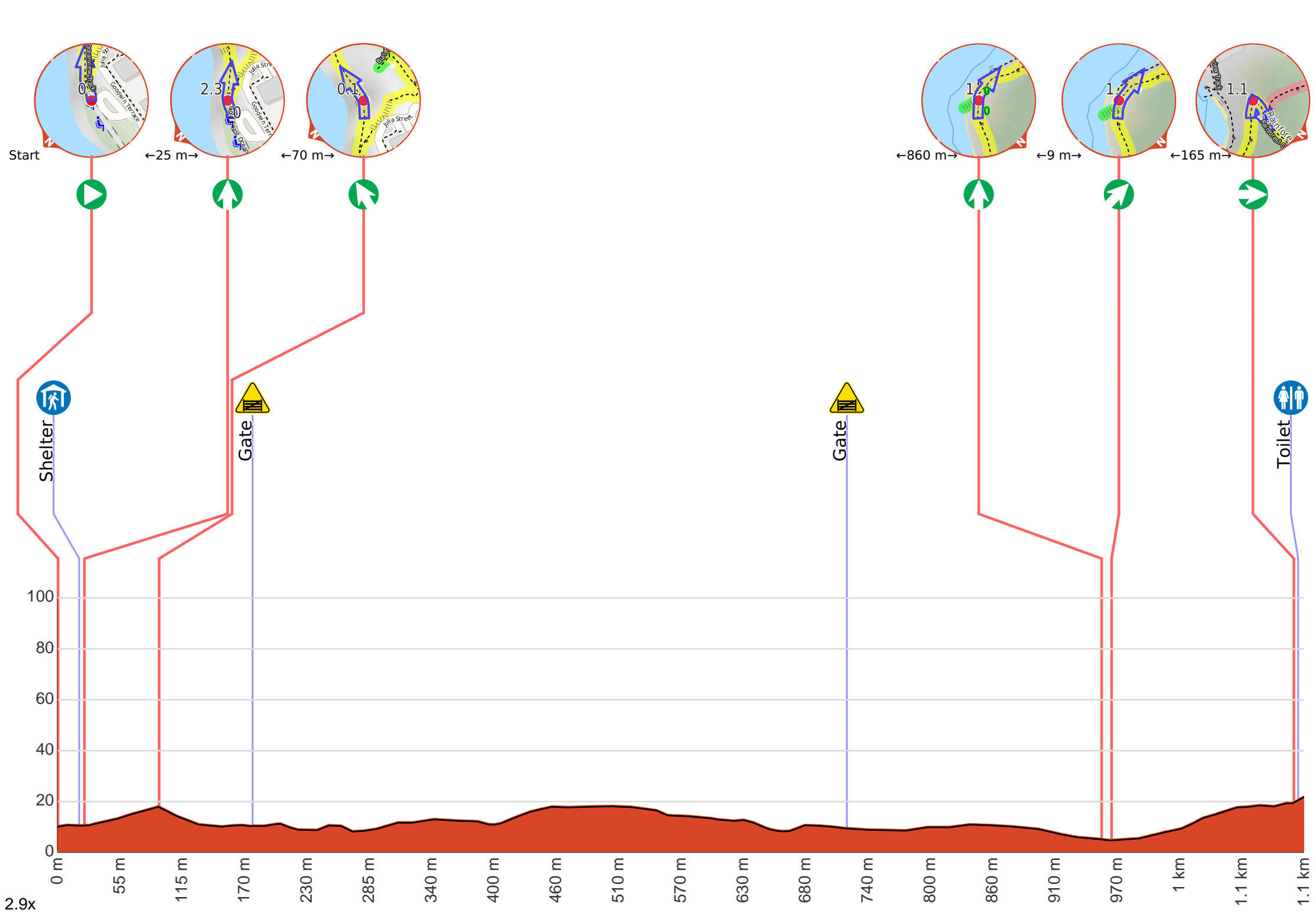
Oceanview Track

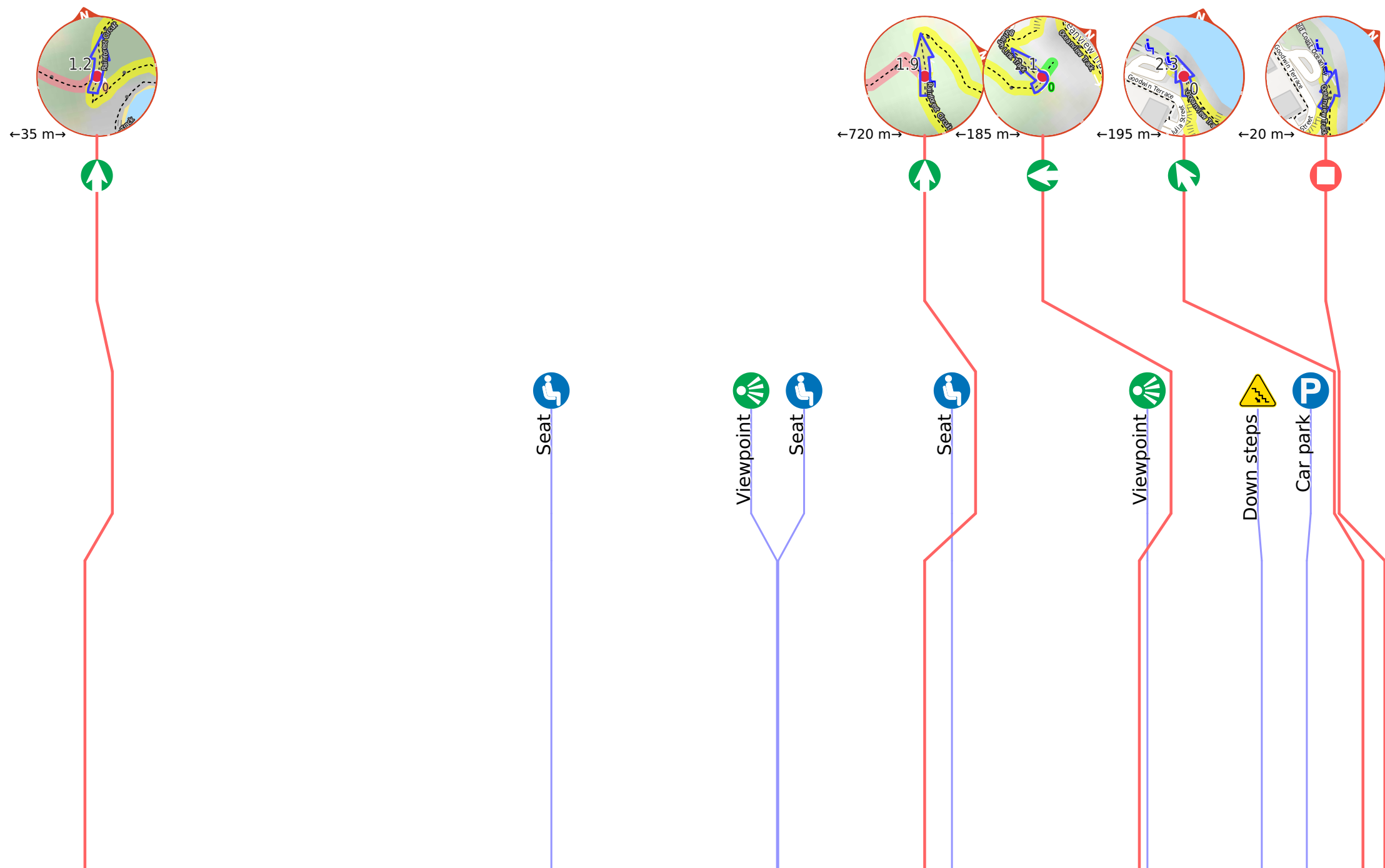
Rainforest Circuit

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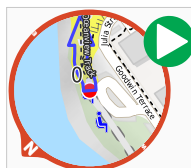




Shape must have at least 2 pairs of points



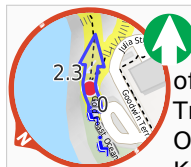
**Getting started:** From the car park off Goodwin Terrace (near John Laws Park), head towards the paved track leading you towards the sea between the green-roofed seating area and the monument nearby. Follow the track as you keep the sea to your left, then pass through the brown and white wooden bicycle barrier/gate. Shortly after, keep left and follow the fenceline (to your left) as the track splits into two to continue along Burleigh Head Circuit (counterclockwise).



**Start.**



Find the shelter at the start.



After another 5 m (at the intersection of Burleigh Link Track & Oceanview Track) **continue straight**, to head along Oceanview Track. Keep left.



After another 70 m **veer left**, to head along Oceanview Track.



After another 75 m **continue straight**, to head along Oceanview Track.

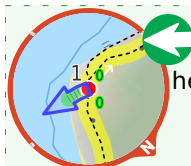


After another 8 m head through/around the gate.



After another 540 m head through/around the gate.

**Start of an optional side trip:** This tiny side trip takes you to the beach where the Tallebudgera Creek meets the Coral Sea. Involves steps.



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



Then head down the steps



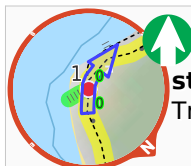
After another 20 m come to the end.



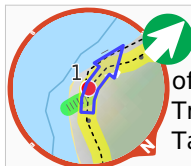
Turn around and retrace your steps back the 20 m to the main route.



Back at the main route turn left and follow on from the 950 m waypoint.



After another 235 m **continue straight**, to head along Oceanview Track.



After another 9 m (at the intersection of Tallebudgera Link Track & Oceanview Track) **veer right**, to head along Tallebudgera Link Track.



After another 165 m **turn right**.

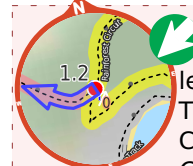


Then pass the toilet (95 m on your left). This toilet is wheelchair accessible.



After another 35 m pass a seat (on your left), has a backrest.

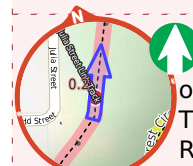
**Start of an alternate route:** An alternate route via the inner section of the Rainforest Circuit, skipping Tumgun Lookout.



To take the alternate route turn sharp left here. at the intersection of Tallebudgera Link Track & Rainforest Circuit **Start** heading along *Rainforest Circuit* (a footpath).



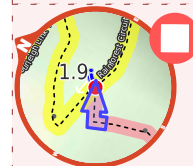
After another 140 m **continue straight**, to head along Rainforest Circuit.



After another 50 m (at the intersection of Rainforest Circuit & Julia Street Link Track) **continue straight**, to head along Rainforest Circuit.



After another 480 m come to a seat., has a backrest.



The end.



At the end of this alternate route, rejoin the main route.



The alternate route finishes here. Turn left to rejoin the main route at the 1.9 km waypoint.



At the intersection of Rainforest Circuit & Tallebudgera Link Track **continue straight**, to head along Rainforest Circuit.



After another 400 m pass a seat (on your left).



After another 195 m come to the "Tumgun Lookout".



Then pass a seat (on your left).



After another 150 m pass a seat (9 m on your right), has a backrest.



The alternate route finishes here. Turn left to rejoin the main route at the 1.9 km waypoint.

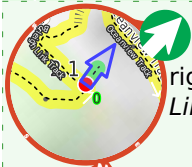


At the intersection of Burleigh Link Track & Rainforest Circuit **continue straight**, to head along Burleigh Link Track.



After another 190 m come to the "Jebbribillum Lookout" (25 m on your right).

**Start of an optional side trip:** This little side trip takes you to the Jebbribillum Lookout where you can spot a whale. Remember, patience is a virtue.



To start this optional side trip veer right here. **Start** heading along *Burleigh Link Track*.



After another 20 m come to the end.

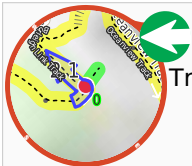


"Jebbribillum Lookout".



Turn around and retrace your steps back the 20 m to the main route.

Back at the main route ERROR >360 and follow on from the 2.1 km waypoint.



**Turn left**, to head along Burleigh Link Track.



After another 105 m head down the steps (about 50 m long)



Then pass the car park (15 m on your left).



After another 50 m (at the intersection of Oceanview Track & Burleigh Link Track) **veer left**.



After another 20 m come to the end.