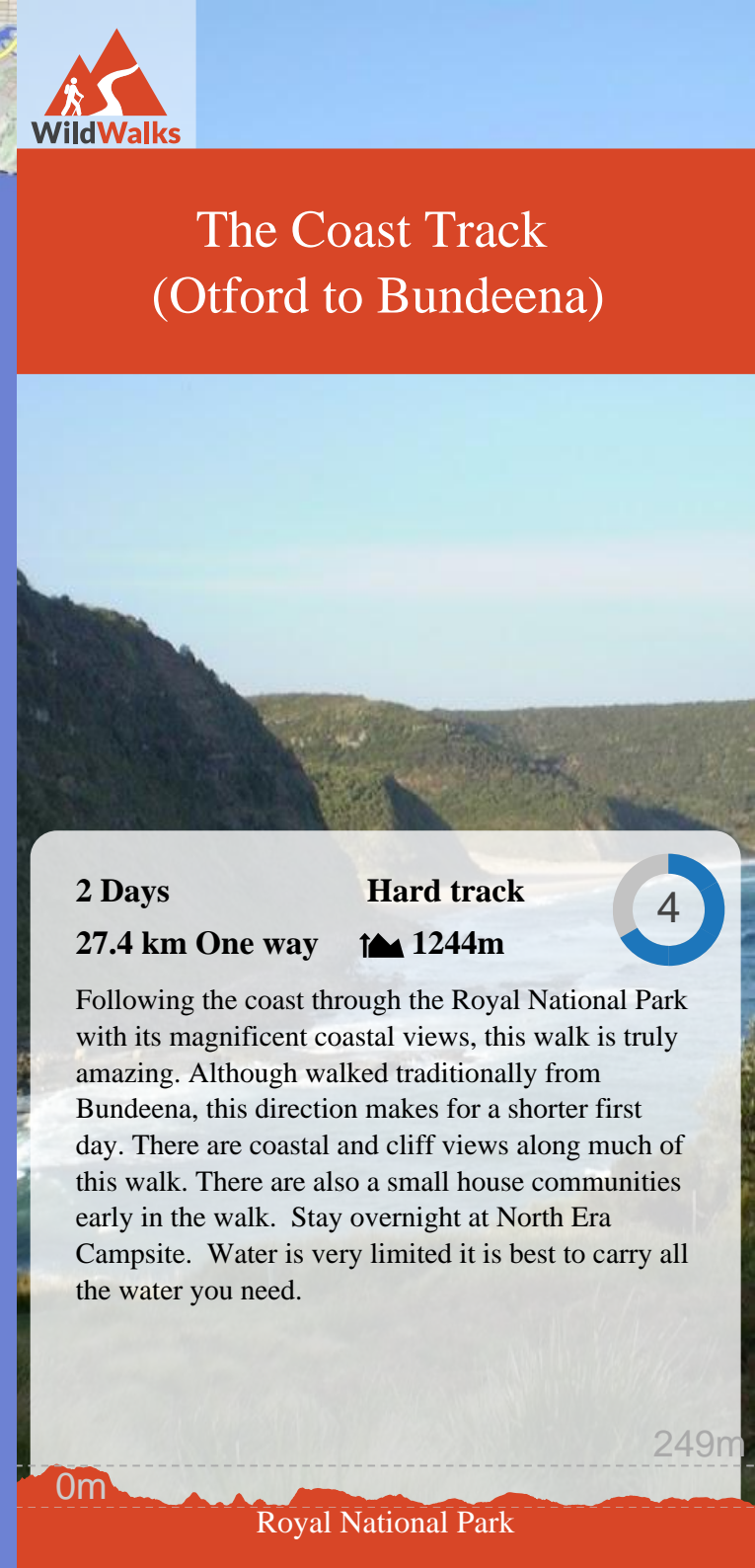
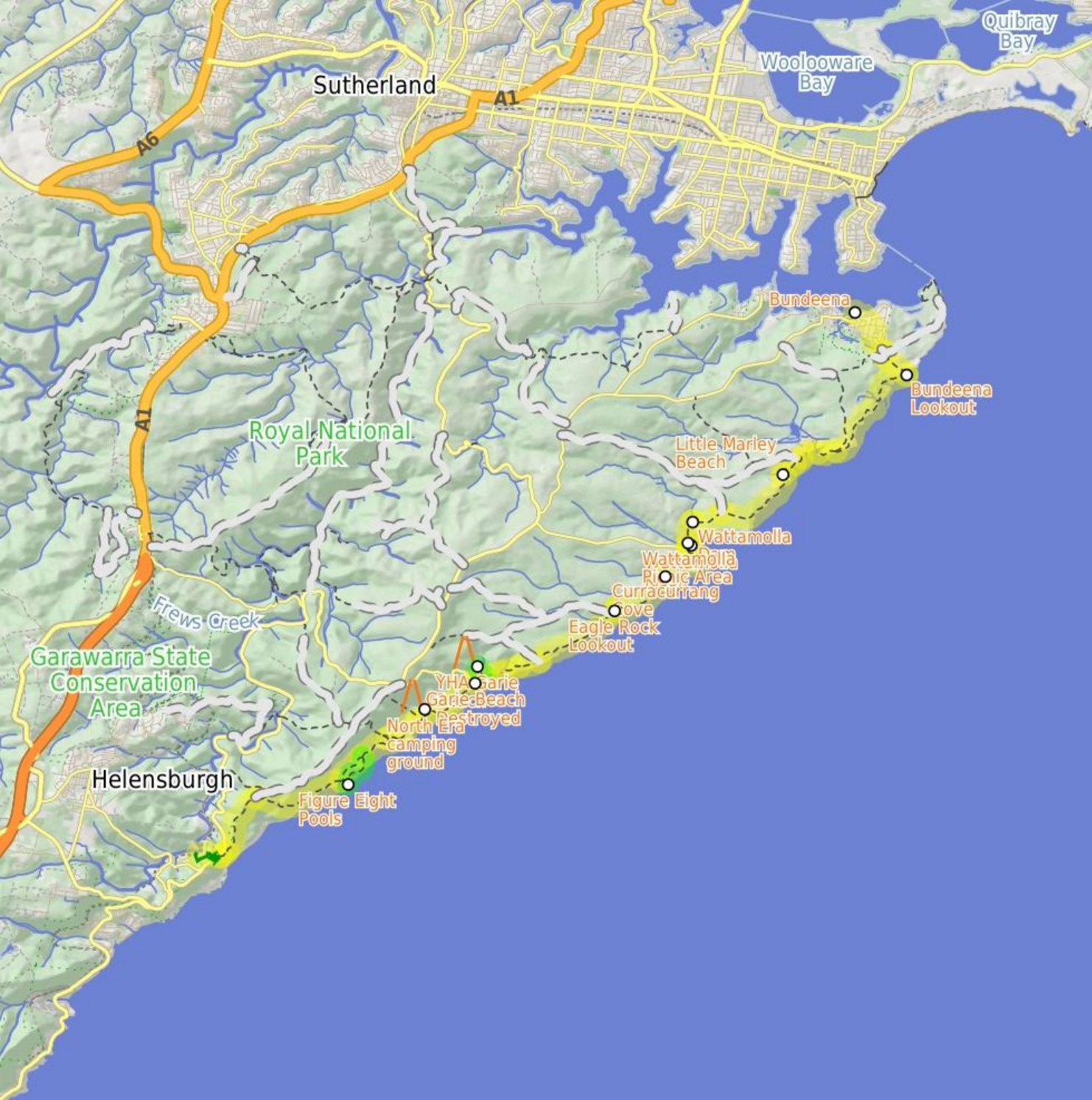


The Coast Track (Otford to Bundeena)



2 Days

Hard track

27.4 km One way

↑ 1244m

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Following the coast through the Royal National Park with its magnificent coastal views, this walk is truly amazing. Although walked traditionally from Bundeena, this direction makes for a shorter first day. There are coastal and cliff views along much of this walk. There are also a small house communities early in the walk. Stay overnight at North Era Campsite. Water is very limited it is best to carry all the water you need.

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249m

Royal National Park

Figure Eight Pools

The Figure Eight Pools are on the rock shelf, south of Figure Eight Pools gully, near Burning Palms. There are a number of circular sinkholes in the rock, and a few of them have joined over time to form a figure '8' shape. Two sink holes in particular have joined to form a very spectacular figure '8' shape in the rock. The safest time to visit the pools is at low tide when there is only a very low swell in the ocean.

North Era camping ground

North Era camping ground, Royal National Park, is a large dune area situated directly behind North Era Beach. This camping spot is popular with surfers, and it also has a toilet and a cleared area to pitch your tent. A maximum of 36 people (12 sites) can camp here, so there is plenty of room for everyone. Open fires are not permitted, you can carry a fuel stove for cooking. A camping permit is required from NPWS before arriving (Phone:(02) 9542 068). Water is often available from the creek (treat before drinking), If dry you can walk to Garie Beach for water, although the water here may also be dried up, during a dry period it is best to carry all your water with you.

End of day 1

This is the planned overnight stay for the end of day 1, happy camping.

Garie Beach

Garie Beach, Royal National Park, is a large, south-east facing, yellow sand beach. The beach is backed by steep headlands and gullies. There is a large car park at the end of Garie Rd for access to the beach. Garie Beach is popular for surfing, patrolled 9am-5pm from December to January. Facilities include toilets, kiosk, picnic tables, cold showers and Surf Life Saving Club. The water from the shower should be treated before drinking, this water comes from a tank and may be unavailable during dry periods. [More info.](#)

Before You walk

Bushwalking is fun and a wonderful way to enjoy our natural places. Sometimes things go bad, with a bit of planning you can increase your chance of having an enjoyable and safer walk. Before setting off on your walk check

- 1) Weather Forecast ([BOM Illawarra District](#))
- 2) Fire Dangers ([Greater Sydney Region, Illawarra/Shoalhaven, unknown](#))
- 3) Park Alerts ([Royal National Park](#))
- 4) Research the walk to check your party has the skills, fitness and equipment required
- 5) Agree to stay as a group and not leave anyone to walk solo

Think before you TREK

The 'Think before you TREK' program developed by NSW Police & NPWS promotes the benefits of planning ahead for your bushwalking trip by using an easy to remember acronym:

- T** Take adequate supplies of food, water, navigation and first aid equipment.
- R** Register your planned route and tell friends and family when you expect to return.
- E** Emergency beacon (PLB's) should be carried on walks with significant gaps in mobile coverage (check terrain profile).
- K** Keep to your planned route and follow the map and walking trails.

Topo Maps

The maps provided on wildwalks are helpful, but there are times where you may need maps covering a broader area. Maps that cover this walk include;

- 1:25 000 Map Series:**91294S OTFORD, 91294N PORT HACKING
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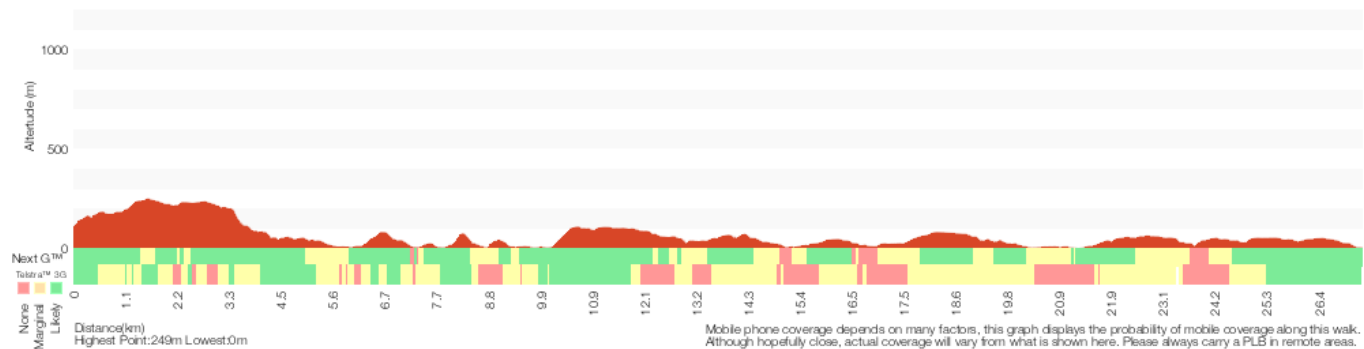
Grade

This walk has been graded using the AS 2156.1-2001. The overall grade of the walk is determined by the highest classification along the whole track.



Grade 4/6
Hard track

Length	27.4 km One way
Time	2 Days
Quality of track	Formed track, with some branches and other obstacles (3/6)
Signs	Directional signs along the way (3/6)
Experience Required	Some bushwalking experience recommended (3/6)
Weather	Weather generally has little impact on safety (1/6)
Infrastructure	Limited facilities, not all cliffs are fenced (3/6)



Are you ready to have fun?

Please ensure you and your group are well prepared and equipped for all possible hazards and delays. Check park closures, weather information and Fire Danger Rating before setting out. Optional side trips and alternate routes noted are not included in this walk overall grade, length or time estimate. Please allow extra time for resting and exploring areas of interest. The authors, staff and owners of wildwalks take care in preparing this information but will not accept responsibility for any inconvenience, loss or injury you may experience. Please take care, have fun - Happy Walking.

Getting there You can get to Otford Train Station (gps: -34.2108, 151.0056) by car or train. Car: There is free parking available.

You can get back from Bundeena Ferry Wharf (gps: -34.0827, 151.1511) by car or ferry. Car: There is free parking available.

Find up to date and more information including; travel directions, weather, park closures and walker feedback at <http://wild.tl/tcttb>

0 | Otford Train Station

(800 m 24 mins) From the top of Otford Station, this walk follows the signs to 'Royal National Park' up some stairs. Once at the top of the stairs, the walk turns left and climbs up the steep concrete path for approximately 50m to the top, where it comes to the intersection marked as 'Station Rd'. This walk turns left and follows the flat dirt road, passing an intersection with another road on the left. The walk continues along to the next intersection, where it turns right onto Fanshawe Rd. This walk follows Fanshawe Rd up the long hill until coming to an intersection with an asphalt road signposted as 'Lady Wakehurst Drive'. At the intersection, this walk turns left and crosses the road, continuing for approximately 25m until coming to a car park and the entry into Royal National Park. There is a large green sign here saying 'Otford Lookout'.

0.8 | Otford Lookout

(1.9 km 43 mins) Veer right: From Otford Lookout, the walk heads up the stairs on the seaward side of the car park, winding up the hill and along the fenced of cliffs, keeping the ocean to the right as it steadily climbs up the hill. After a while, the track breaks away from the cliff and continues along the bush track, climbing up the hill until coming to an intersection marked with a signpost saying 'Werrong Beach'.

Continue straight: From the intersection, this walk follows the Coast Track along the bush track, winding up the long hill to the top, where it flattens out and continues along a well-managed bush track through a rather beautiful section of ferns. After quite a while, the track joins onto a flat service trail which it follows, undulating gently until it comes to the signposted intersection of the North Era bush track.

2.69 | The Squeeze Way and Burning Palms Tracks

(3 km 1 hr 20 mins) Turn right: From the intersection, the walk follows the 'North Era' arrow along the bush track, winding through the thick bushland and down a long hill for several hundred metres, gradually steepening before sharply turning left. After the change in direction, the track heads through the 'Palm Jungle' along the narrow bush track. At this point, the track is largely clear but in some places there are obstacles like fallen trees and branches. The track continues in this manner for some time before emerging into grasslands.

Continue straight: From the end of the palm jungle and the start of the grasslands, the walk heads through the grasslands and along the coast for a while before winding down to the signposted intersection with the Burning Palms track, near the rangers' hut.

5.68 | Optional sidetrip to Figure 8 Pools

(900 m 16 mins) Turn right: (only to be attempted at low tide and low swell)

From the beach, this walk follows the rocky passage beneath the rocky headland (keeping the headland to the right). The walk rounds the first prominent headland to a creek that drops off the cliffs above. This walk heads out onto a second prominent headland to the Figure 8 Pools. There are a number of Figure 8-shaped pools, but one main one. The pools are towards the sea, in line with the gully. At the end of this side trip, retrace your steps back to the main walk then Veer right.

5.68 | Figure Eight Pools

The Figure Eight Pools are on the rock shelf, south of Figure Eight Pools gully, near Burning Palms. There are a number of circular sinkholes in the rock, and a few of them have joined over time to form a figure '8' shape. Two sink holes in particular have joined to form a very spectacular figure '8' shape in the rock. The safest time to visit the pools is at low tide when there is only a very low swell in the ocean.

5.68 | Burning Palms Beach (southern end)

(2.1 km 45 mins) Veer left: From the intersection near the rangers' hut, this walk follows the Burning Palms arrow along the bush track winding around the back of the beach (which is to the right), until it joins onto a metal walkway. This continues until the trail passes several small cabins and begins to head steeply up the long hill, until the track reaches an signposted intersection at the top of the hill.

Turn right: From the intersection, this walk follows the 'North Era' arrow along the bush track heading down the hill, keeping the ocean to the right as it winds down to the intersection with the faint bush track in the large grassy clearing on the side of the hill, above some of the cabins at Era.

Continue straight: From the intersection, the walk heads down the hill past the cabins to the bottom where it comes to South Era beach. From here, the walk continues around the back of the beach, keeping the ocean to the right as it continues up the other side to the top of the ridgeline where it comes to the intersection with a faint bush track (heading off to the left).

Continue straight: From the top of the ridge, the walk crosses the headland and open grassy area, down towards the beach (keeping the ocean to the right), coming to a 'North Era Bush Campground' sign just before the beach.

7.75 | North Era camping ground

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7.75 | End of day 1

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7.75 | North Era Bush Campground

(850 m 23 mins) Continue straight: Keeping the ocean and the coast to the right, the walk heads north across the North Era Bush Campground to the base of the large grassy hill, which it climbs steeply to the top. Upon reaching the top, the walk continues down the other side of the hill, winding down the bush track and wooden steps, until reaching the Little Garie Community Hall at the base of the hill.

8.59 | Little Garie

(750 m 20 mins) Continue straight: From the Little Garie Community Hall, the walk heads down the hill, keeping the sea to the right of the track as it leads into the gully. The walk passes several old cabins as it approaches the bottom, where the track passes a 'Coast Walk' sign, providing information on erosion issues in this area. From here, the walk heads between the ocean on the right and the base of the large grassy hill on the left as the track narrows. This continues until arriving in the Garie Beach car park.

9.34 | Garie Beach

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9.34 | Garie Beach Car Park

(310 m 6 mins) Turn right: From the car park, the walk heads approximately 200m along the beach, keeping the ocean to your right, to the intersection below the stairs (leading up the hill on the left).

9.66 | Optional sidetrip to Garie Beach YHA

(340 m 10 mins) Turn left: From the intersection, this walk follows the stairs away from the ocean. The track winds up the hill steeply then continues for approximately 350m along the hillside, in and out of a gully, to rise up to the cabin signposted as 'YHA Garie Beach'. At the end of this side trip, retrace your steps back to the main walk then Turn left .

9.66 | YHA Garie Beach - Destroyed

**On 02/12/2010 this hut was completely destroyed by fire and plans for the future are not yet decided . Accommodation no longer available Garie Beach YHA Youth Hostel, in Royal National Park, is a basic but comfortable cabin. The unstaffed and locked cabin is situated north of Garie Beach car park, high on the hill behind the next gully. The cabin contains solar lighting, water, gas kitchen, a 'loo with a view' and the capacity to sleep twelve people. You need to provide your own bed sheets and toilet paper. The cabin costs \$17.50/adult per night, with the potential to rent the youth hostel out for a week. The key must be picked up from YHA Kent St, Sydney, prior to arrival at the YHA. The key has a \$50.00 deposit. To make a booking phone 9261 1111. [More info.](#)

9.66 | Int. Garie Beach YHA Trk

(880 m 20 mins) Veer right: Keeping the ocean to the right, this walk follows the beach to the northern end, to the base of a bush track which heads up the hill.

Continue straight: From the end of Garie Beach, this walk heads up the short hill and through the grassy clearing to the base of the large hill. The walk continues up the steep bush track, winding up the steep rock and wooden steps as it climbs to the top of the hill.

10.54 | Garie Beach Lookout

(440 m 9 mins) Continue straight: From the clearing at the top of the large hill, this walk follows the bush track heading away from Garie Beach and through the high scrub, continuing along for a while before coming to the signposted intersection of the 'Curra Moors car park' track.

10.98 | Int of North Rill and Coastal Track

(2.2 km 48 mins) Continue straight: From the intersection, this walk heads along the narrow trail through the scrub, keeping the ocean on the right of the track. In various sections, metal walkways have been built to stabilise the environment in the area. The walk continues like this, occasionally breaking out onto the rockshelf of the cliffs, until reaching a signposted intersection, marked 'Wattamolla 2.9km'.

Continue straight: Keeping the ocean to the right the track follows the bushtrack through the scrub and along the coast for a short while before coming to the information signpost with views of Eagle Rock.

13.21 | Eagle Rock Lookout

Eagle Rock lookout is an informal lookout marked by an information sign on the Coast track in the Royal National Park. The lookout is about halfway between Garie Beach and Wattamolla. Eagle rock is a piece of the cliff line that looks amazingly like the head of an eagle, with the eye and all. The lookout is about 150m west of the Eagle Rock on the other side of Carracurrong Creek. Eagle Rock is often used as an icon for the Royal National Park. Carracurrong Creek also forms a waterfall into the ocean nearby.

13.21 | Eagles Rock Lookout

(1.9 km 44 mins) Continue straight: Keeping the ocean to the right the track follows the bushtrack winding through the scrub for a short while before it drops down a small hill to Curracurrong Creek. From here the track crosses the creek and continues up through the heavy scrub, steadily climbing up a long hill until it reaches the top and continues down the other side following the small arrows and markers. The track continues to winds steadily down the long hill until it opens out at Curracurrong Cove.

15.16 | Curracurrang Cove

Curracurrang Cove is a small cove about 1km SW of Wattamolla, on the coast of the Royal National Park. The cove faces east and is where Curracurrang Creek meets the ocean. The creek, the cove and the surrounding rocks provide great scenery, making this a relaxing place to stop and enjoy. There is evidence that Aboriginal people lived in this cove. There are a few middens in the area, some rock shelters and Curracurrang creek provides a near-permanent water supply. The cove was first occupied 7500 years ago and was used as a regular campsite by the Dharawal people. [More info.](#)

15.16 | Curracurrang Cove

(1.4 km 26 mins) Turn right: Keeping the ocean to the right, this walk heads up the hill along the bush track following the coastline, running close to the cliffs, until coming to a sign saying 'Curracurrang'. At this point, the track widens to a management trail and heads away from the cliffs. Passing two large water towers, the trail heads down the long and gentle hill to an intersection at a large car park, marked by a signpost saying 'Garrie 5.8km'.

16.57 | Overflow Carpark

(340 m 8 mins) Turn right: From the intersection, this walk heads through the car park to the toilet block at the top of the pathway on the other side.

Turn left: From the toilet block, this walk follows the path down the hill and through the car park to the northern end of the picnic area, near the creek crossing.

16.91 | Wattamolla Picnic Area

Wattamolla Picnic Area is found at the end of Wattamolla Road, about halfway along the coastline of Royal National Park. The area is blessed with a great beach, a lagoon and some wonderful creeks and rocks to explore. The small beach faces west and is tucked away in a deep bay. The lagoon sits behind the beach and is lined with sand on one side, and cliffs and rocks on the other shore. The picnic area has large open grassy areas, with some shade provided by trees and some picnic shelters. There is a small kiosk (often open weekends), toilets, electric BBQs and two car parks. There is water here, but needs to be treated before drinking. There is a gate on the road that is locked at night, the gate is open from 7am to 8:30pm.

16.91 | Wattamolla Kiosk

The Wattamolla Kiosk in the Wattamolla Picnic Area provides basic supplies for day visitors. The kiosk does not keep strict hours and opens depending on weather and demand. It usually opens on weekends at around 10:30am and closes between 4 and 6pm. You can buy ice-creams, drinks and some hot food. For more information, call Audley Kiosk on (02) 9521 2240.

16.91 | Northern End Wattamolla Picnic Ground

(650 m 13 mins) Continue straight: From the northern end of Wattamolla Picnic Ground, this track crosses the wide, shallow creek (keeping the ocean to the right). The walk then follows the track marker along the bush track, winding up the other and gradually climbing up a long hill through high scrub to Wattamolla Creek, where there is a small dam creating a swimming hole in the creek. This creek may become impassable after heavy or prolonged rain.

17.56 | Wattamolla Dam

Wattamolla pool (or dam), Royal National Park, is a small water hole on Wattamolla Creek, above the lagoon. The pool is on the Coast Track near Wattamolla picnic area and offers a quiet spot for a dip and a rest. The pool is formed by a small, constructed sandstone dam and fed by a small waterfall above.

17.56 | Wattamolla Dam

(720 m 14 mins) Continue straight: From the swimming hole, this walk follows the bush track (with the swimming hole to the right) up the hill (east) and through the high scrub, as it winds up through some rocks, and up a long hill, to the intersection of the Marley service trail and the Coast Track.

18.28 | Int. Coastal Trk NE of Wattamolla Ck

(2.1 km 54 mins) Veer right: From the intersection, this walk follows the 'Coast Track' arrow along the sandy bush track, which winds out to the coast, then turns left and follows the coast line. In large sections of this track, the trail goes along metal footbridges as it continues through the heavy scrub vegetation, until the track heads down off the clifftop along a well-signposted bush track to the end of Little Marley Beach.

20.37 | Little Marley Beach

Little Marley Beach, Royal National Park, is a yellow sand beach, approximately 140m long. The narrow beach faces north-east and has a rock platform at either end. The beach is not patrolled and has no other services. For information on this beach's pollution levels, follow the 'more info' link below. [More info.](#)

20.37 | Little Marley Beach

(440 m 8 mins) Continue straight: From the end of Little Marley Beach, the walk heads north across the beach, keeping the ocean to your right until coming to the start of a bush track. This walk continues along the bush track as it heads up and onto the ridgeline, where there is a fantastic view of the

ocean. From here, this walk continues along the flat bush track and the cliff's edge until coming to an intersection with a bush track on the left.

20.81 | Int. Coastal Trk and Chimney Trk

(240 m 4 mins) Veer right: From the intersection, this walk follows the bush track along the coast, keeping the ocean to the right for a short while before the track descends steeply off the rock-shelf and down a rough bush track to the end of Marley Beach.

21.05 | West Marley Beach

(400 m 7 mins) Veer right: From the end of Marley Beach, this walk follows the coast across the beach until coming to a large green information sign on Aboriginal culture in the area. This is the start of a bush track that heads up the hill to continue along the coast.

21.44 | East Marely Beach

(3.5 km 1 hr 12 mins) Continue straight: From the end of Marley Beach, the walk passes the large green information sign and climbs up to the top of the long hill. Here the walk continues along the bush track for a short while before coming to an intersection with a management trail heading away from the coast. This intersection is marked with a small sign saying 'Coast Track'. Veer right: From the intersection, this walk follows the bush track heading north-east along the coast, winding through the high heath for about 1.5km until the track descends into a large gully along hardened path. At the bottom, it crosses a small bridged stream. From here, the track continues up the other side of the gully, using the rock steps to the top. From here, the track follows the post markers along the track to the clifftop coastline, however on a few occasions the track will split into two and meet up again a short while later - just stick to the track closest to the coast. After several hundred metres, the track comes to an unsignposted vantage point at the end of the rock platform, where the bush track turns inland.

24.92 | Bundeena Lookout

This unfenced, informal lookout is perched high on the cliffs, looking east over the South Pacific Ocean. The lookout is not signposted nor officially named, but provides great view south along the escarpment. Cliff edge may be unstable and fragile - keep a safe distance.

24.92 | Bundeena Lookout

(690 m 12 mins) Turn left: From the edge of the cliffs, the walk heads north-west up and away from the ocean, following the main bush track for a while before coming to an intersection with an asphalt management trail at the 'Coast Track' signpost.

25.61 | Int of Beachcomber Rd Service Trail and Coast Walk

(1.8 km 34 mins) Turn right: From the intersection, this walk follows the asphalt management trail north past the 'no bicycles' sign to the nearby intersection with the sandy management trail.

Continue straight: From the intersection, this walk heads north around a sweeping left-hand bend along the sealed management trail. Soon, the trail leads past a track (on the right) then passes around a locked gate at the end of of Beachcomber Ave and a 'Coast Walk' information sign.

Continue straight: From the end of Beachcomber Ave, this walk heads along Beachcomber Ave north-west and gradually around to the north, until turning left into Scarborough St. The first right is taken into Bournemouth St, then left into Loftus St. The walk continues along this road until turning right into Brighton Rd. Bundeena Ferry is located at the end of Brighton St.

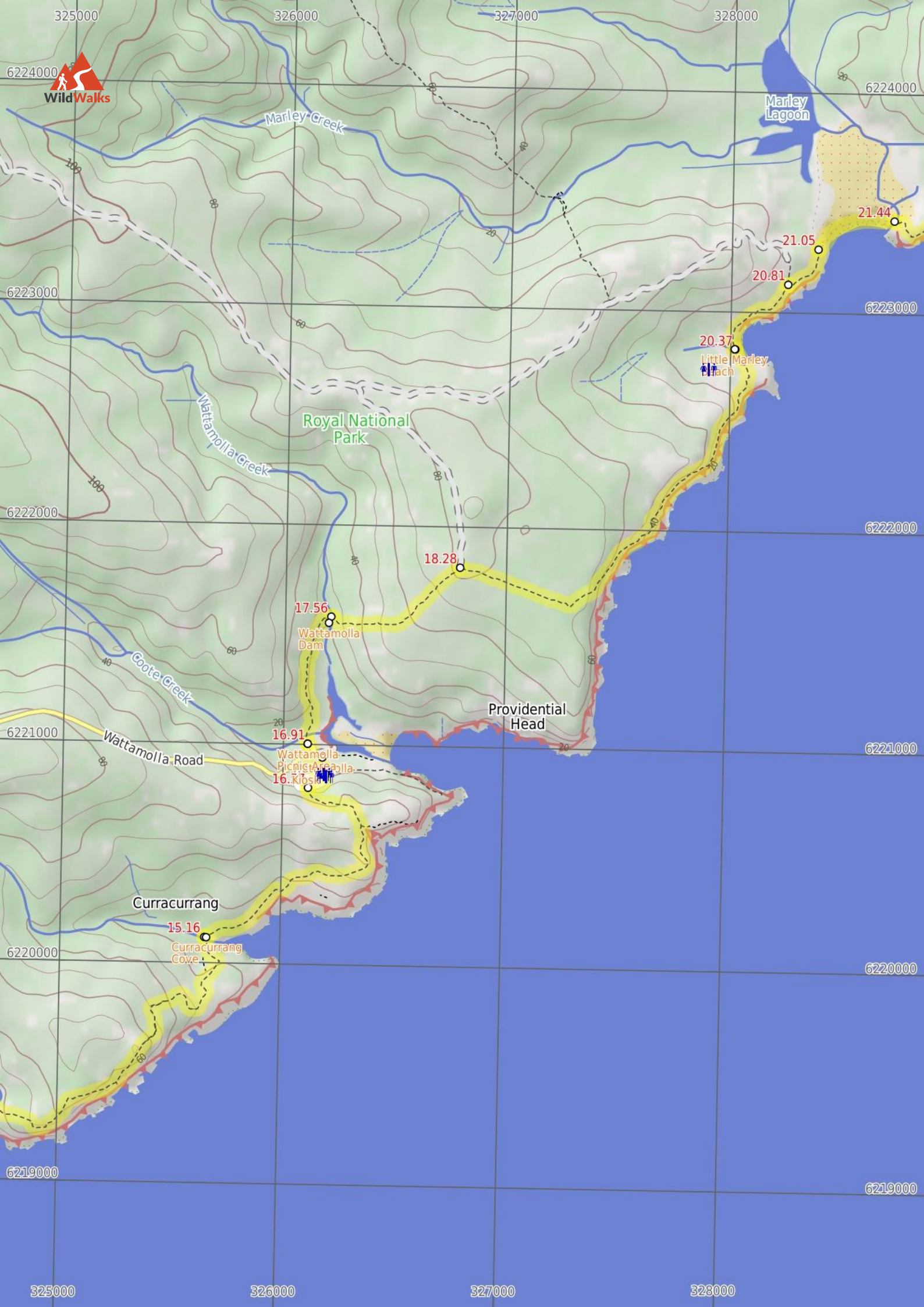
27.37 | Bundeena

Bundeena is a small township at the northern end of Royal National Park and the southern side of the entrance to Port Hacking. The town can be accessed

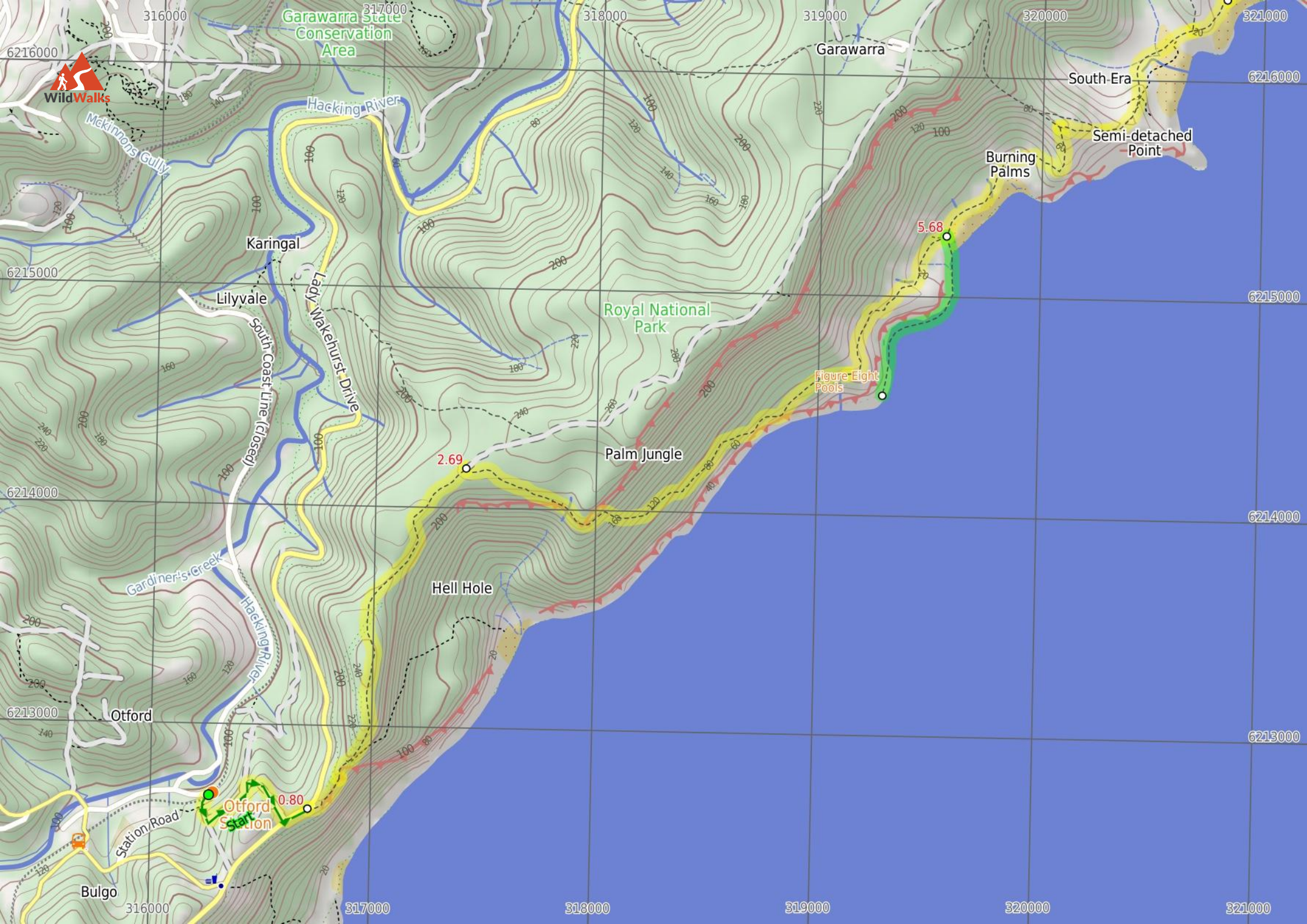
by car or ferry. There are a few B&B's and other accommodation options and a number of cafes to choose from. Bundeena has a mixed atmosphere, partly a beach holiday community but also home to some permanent residents. There are two main beaches - Hordens Beach to the west and Jibbon Beach to the east. Both are nice beaches inside Port Hacking. [More info.](#)











Garawarra State Conservation Area

Garawarra

South-Era

Semi-detached Point

Burning Palms

Royal National Park

Palm Jungle

Hell Hole

Otford

Otford Station

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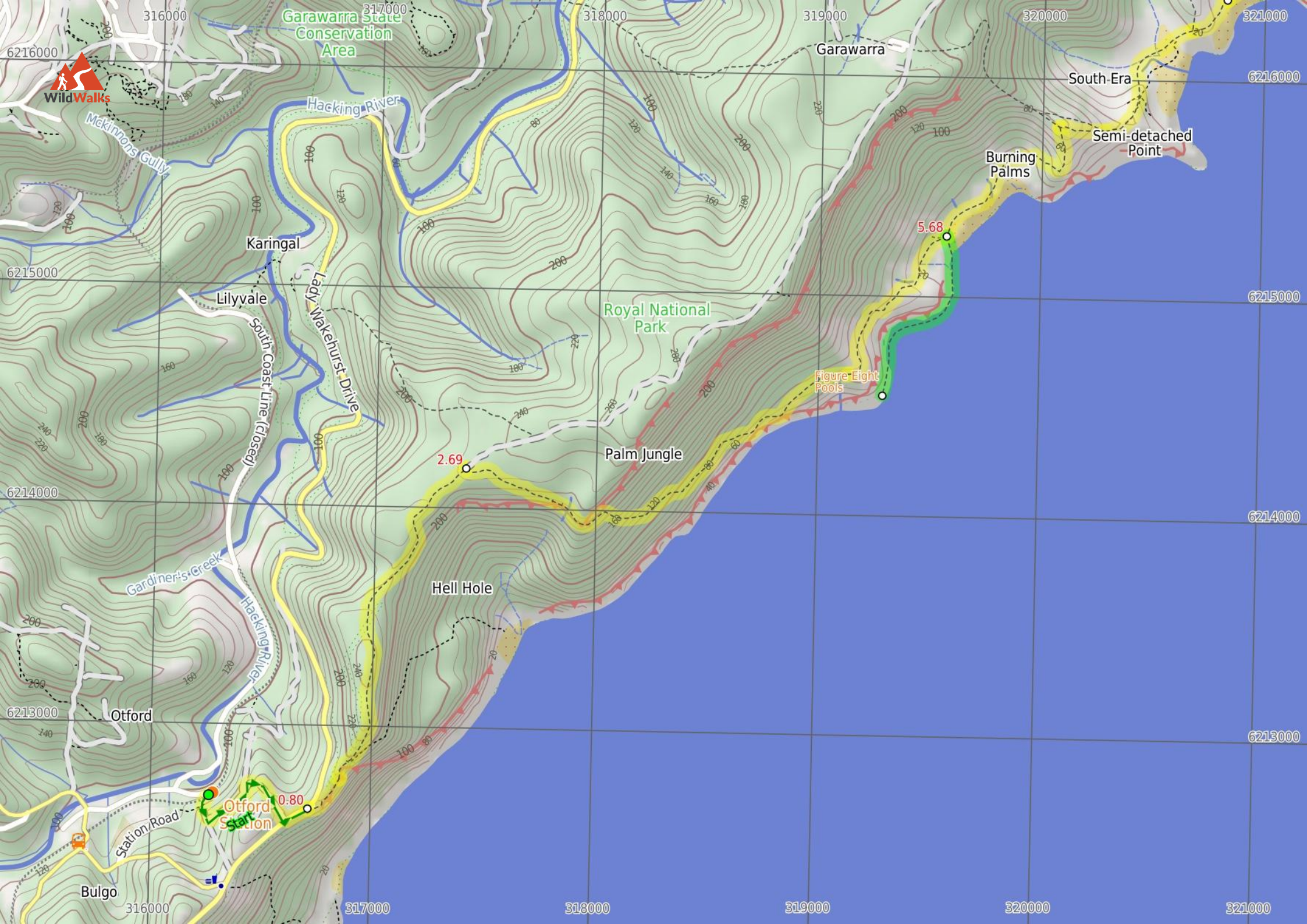
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Figure Eight Pools

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Summary navigation sheet for the The Coast Track (Otford to Bundeena)



km	From	Up/Dwn	Length	Initial directions (Use full tracknotes and maps for more detail)
Start	Otford Train Station -34.2108,151.0056 (GR Otford, 163127)	97 -37	800 m 24 mins	From the top of Otford Station, this walk follows the signs to 'Royal National Park' up some stairs.
0.80	Otford Lookout -34.2114,151.0105 (GR Otford, 167126)	118 -58	1.9 km 43 mins	Veer right: From Otford Lookout, the walk heads up the stairs on the seaward side of the car park, winding up the hill and along the fenced of cliffs, keeping the ocean to the right as it steadily climbs up the hill.
2.69	The Squeeze Way and Burning Palms Tracks -34.1974,151.0183 (GR Otford, 174142)	83 -307	3 km 1 hr 20 mins	Turn right: From the intersection, the walk follows the 'North Era' arrow along the bush track, winding through the thick bushland and down a long hill for several hundred metres, gradually steepening before sharply...
5.68	Burning Palms Beach (southern end) -34.1879,151.042 (GR Otford, 196153)	15 -17	900 m 16 mins	Optional sidetrip to Figure 8 Pools. Turn right: (only to be attempted at low tide and low swell) From the beach, this walk follows the rocky passage beneath the rocky headland (keeping the headland to the right).
5.68	Burning Palms Beach (southern end) -34.1879,151.042 (GR Otford, 196153)	99 -100	2.1 km 45 mins	Veer left: From the intersection near the rangers' hut, this walk follows the Burning Palms arrow along the bush track winding around the back of the beach (which is to the right), until it joins onto a metal walkway.
7.75	End of day 1 -34.1782,151.0559 (GR Otford, 208164)	0 0	0 m	This is the planned overnight stay for the end of day 1, happy camping.
7.75	North Era Bush Campground -34.1782,151.0559 (GR Otford, 208164)	74 -62	850 m 23 mins	Continue straight: Keeping the ocean and the coast to the right, the walk heads north across the North Era Bush Campground to the base of the large grassy hill, which it climbs steeply to the top.
8.59	Little Garie -34.1752,151.0617 (GR Otford, 214167)	47 -59	750 m 20 mins	Continue straight: From the Little Garie Community Hall, the walk heads down the hill, keeping the sea to the right of the track as it leads into the gully.
9.34	Garie Beach Car Park -34.1702,151.0664 (GR Otford, 218173)	6 -5	310 m 6 mins	Turn right: From the car park, the walk heads approximately 200m along the beach, keeping the ocean to your right, to the intersection below the stairs (leading up the hill on the left).
9.66	Int. Garie Beach YHA Trk -34.169,151.0692 (GR Otford, 220174)	48 -9	340 m 10 mins	Optional sidetrip to Garie Beach YHA. Turn left: From the intersection, this walk follows the stairs away from the ocean.
9.66	Int. Garie Beach YHA Trk -34.169,151.0692 (GR Otford, 220174)	110 -17	880 m 20 mins	Veer right: Keeping the ocean to the right, this walk follows the beach to the northern end, to the base of a bush track which heads up the hill.
10.54	Garie Beach Lookout -34.1664,151.0769 (GR Otford, 227177)	11 -22	440 m 9 mins	Continue straight: From the clearing at the top of the large hill, this walk follows the bush track heading away from Garie Beach and through the high scrub, continuing along for a while before coming to the signpos...
10.98	Int of North Rill and Coastal Track -34.1653,151.0813 (GR Otford, 231178)	57 -116	2.2 km 48 mins	Continue straight: From the intersection, this walk heads along the narrow trail through the scrub, keeping the ocean on the right of the track.
13.21	Eagles Rock Lookout -34.1533,151.0979 (GR Otford, 247192)	82 -108	1.9 km 44 mins	Continue straight: Keeping the ocean to the right the track follows the bushtrack winding through the scrub for a short while before it drops down a small hill to Curracurang Creek.
15.16	Curracurang Cove -34.1453,151.109 (GR Otford, 257201)	49 -28	1.4 km 26 mins	Turn right: Keeping the ocean to the right, this walk heads up the hill along the bush track following the coastline, running close to the cliffs, until coming to a sign saying 'Curracurang'.
16.57	Overflow Carpark -34.1392,151.1141 (GR Otford, 261208)	4 -21	340 m 8 mins	Turn right: From the intersection, this walk heads through the car park to the toilet block at the top of the pathway on the other side.
16.91	Northern End Wattamolla Picnic Ground -34.1374,151.1141 (GR Otford, 261210)	31 -17	650 m 13 mins	Continue straight: From the northern end of Wattamolla Picnic Ground, this track crosses the wide, shallow creek (keeping the ocean to the right).
17.56	Wattamolla Dam -34.1322,151.1153 (GR Otford, 262216)	59 0	720 m 14 mins	Continue straight: From the swimming hole, this walk follows the bush track (with the swimming hole to the right) up the hill (east) and through the high scrub, as it winds up through some rocks, and up a long hill,...
18.28	Int. Coastal Trk NE of Wattamolla Ck -34.1302,151.1216 (GR Otford, 268218)	96 -174	2.1 km 54 mins	Veer right: From the intersection, this walk follows the 'Coast Track' arrow along the sandy bush track, which winds out to the coast, then turns left and follows the coast line.

Summary navigation sheet for the The Coast Track (Otford to Bundeena)



km	From	Up/Dwn	Length	Initial directions (Use full tracknotes and maps for more detail)
20.37	Little Marley Beach -34.1212,151.1352 (GR Port Hacking, 280228)	11 -5	440 m 8 mins	Continue straight: From the end of Little Marley Beach, the walk heads north across the beach, keeping the ocean to your right until coming to the start of a bush track.
20.81	Int. Coastal Trk and Chimney Trk -34.1186,151.1378 (GR Port Hacking, 283231)	4 -4	240 m 4 mins	Veer right: From the intersection, this walk follows the bush track along the coast, keeping the ocean to the right for a short while before the track descends steeply off the rock-shelf and down a rough bush track ...
21.05	West Marley Beach -34.1172,151.1393 (GR Port Hacking, 284233)	8 -9	400 m 7 mins	Veer right: From the end of Marley Beach, this walk follows the coast across the beach until coming to a large green information sign on Aboriginal culture in the area.
21.44	East Marely Beach -34.116,151.143 (GR Port Hacking, 287234)	148 -127	3.5 km 1 hr 12 mins	Continue straight: From the end of Marley Beach, the walk passes the large green information sign and climbs up to the top of the long hill.
24.92	Bundeena Lookout -34.0977,151.1626 (GR Port Hacking, 305255)	27 -4	690 m 12 mins	Turn left: From the edge of the cliffs, the walk heads north-west up and away from the ocean, following the main bush track for a while before coming to an intersection with an asphalt management trail at the 'Coast...
25.61	Int of Beachcomber Rd Service Trail and Coast Walk -34.0933,151.1575 (GR Port Hacking, 300260)	23 -71	1.8 km 34 mins	Turn right: From the intersection, this walk follows the asphalt management trail north past the 'no bicycles' sign to the nearby intersection with the sandy management trail.