JARRAHDALE WALKS

1872 HERITAGE RAILWAY TRAILS

* 8 km return — Start from info bay, cnr Nettleton & Jarrahdale Rds
* 4 km loop — Start from Jubb Rd

(1) *8km trail leaves carpark at info bay, along historic, 1872 rail track then over ex-bauxite rail track at Buckland Rd. Follow markers left, then keep sharp lookout for left turn down single file path to gravel road. Enjoy the views to coast. A right turn takes you back onto 1872 track and so to Jubb Rd to join 4km loop.*

(2) *4km trail starts at Jubb Rd and turns left onto historic railtrack through wandoo woodland (tall eucalypts with pale bark) and kangaroo grass.*

(3) *On Pipe Clay Curve, note the dry stone work and box drains made of jarrah sleepers which have lasted for 125 years. You'll also see old sleepers on the track and perhaps a rusted metal spike used for holding rails in place. Turn right up steep hill. Stop often and enjoy wild flowers and views.*

(4) *Forest track turns right by granite outcrops. Look down to Gingagup Brook to see the huge tree ferns. Take time at the bridges for a paddle or picnic by huge Black Butt trees (Eucalyptus patens)*

(5) *Stop at the tall jarrah stump. This is a rare sight in the forest - often we see notches cut in stumps so that pegs could be placed for fallers to stand on, but to have one with a peg still in place after 120 years is a real find.*

(6) *Sharp right turn down single file path through the forest to join a steep forest road, then turn right and rejoin the historic rail track. Note white clay ponds. 8km trail leaves sharp left and 4km trail follows rail track back to cars on Jubb Rd.*

tree ferns
Gingagup brook
granite outcrop
black butt
regrowth after timber cutting
Reed Rd
N
Map not to scale
coral vine
spring
yellow hibbertia
winter spring summer
white clematis early spring
forest track
steep section
marri
chunky bark with weeping red gum
large nuts
small nuts
jarrah stringybark
tall jarrah stump with peg, which tree fallers stood on to cut the tree in the late 1800's
Turn sharp right
regrowth
JUBB ROAD
purple flags
spring
single file track
forest road
purple scaevola
spring summer
milkmaids white - spring summer
steep section
grass trees flower spike in late spring
track continues on private land
No entry
to Rockingham
pipe clay curve
dry stone work
box drain
Kangaroo grass
Smooth pale bark
wandoo woodland
views to coast
blue lady orchid spring
spring greenhood orchid
white clay pit
Timber railway constructed 1872
Modern railway - carried bauxite 1963-1998
Turn left down single file track
BUCKLAND ROAD
to SW Hwy
Jarrahdale Rd
Millbrook estate
LANGFORD PARK
Lake side picnics
walk trails
Bridle paths which link with Jubb Rd.
to Byford
Scenic drive
Information Bay
NETTLETON ROAD
1km to Jarrahdale

Location Map
Armadale
Byford
S.W. Hwy
Albany Hwy
Jarrahdale

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