

Warners Track



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Region: Central Tasmania

Experience: Wet forest, alpine rainforest

Suggested time: Trailhead to edge of plateau – 4-5 hours return

Difficulty: Moderate to hard

Warners Track leads to the gorgeous Central Plateau with a challenging climb to Adams Peak. The walk traverses both regrowth wet forest and alpine rainforest.

While the track was restored and cleared in 2014, much of the original 19th century stonework – including an impressive, convict-built retaining wall near the Plateau – still remains.

Highlights on this botanically rich ascent include: a picturesque, meandering creek with numerous small waterfalls, superb eucalypt- and myrtle-dominated rainforest, alpine and sub-alpine species, and a stunning array of wildflowers, when in season.

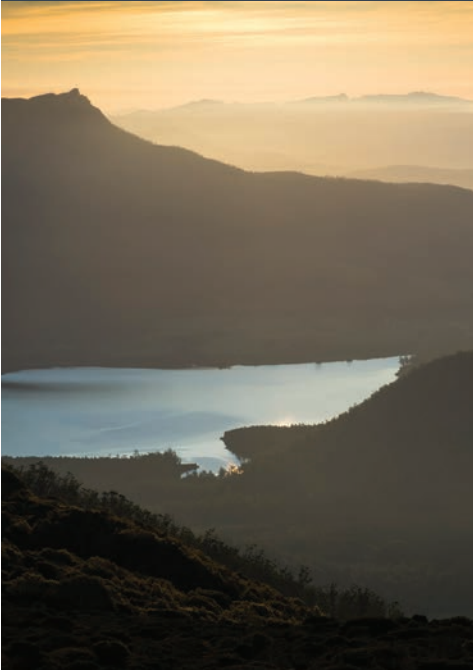
On a clear day one can see far across the Plateau from Adams Peak. Unusually, the idyllic view across the Jackeys Marsh valley is unspoiled by power lines or other indications of modern life. Thus, it is probably little changed from the vista enjoyed by 19th century walkers.



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You will find a special excerpt from a poem by Australian cartoonist, writer and poet, Michael Leunig, on the interpretation panel at the head of this track.

Getting there

- From the direction of Deloraine, follow the Meander Road to the Meander town boundary.
- Just inside the 60km zone and just past the sign that says 'Meander welcomes you!', turn left onto East Meander Road.
- After 400m turn right onto Jackeys Marsh Road. Follow this for 5.5 km.
- At the junction of Jackeys Marsh Road and Sugarloaf Road, go straight ahead onto Sugarloaf Road. Follow this for just over 2 km.
- Just after crossing a small bridge, turn left onto Wiiteena Road. Follow this for approximately 2.5 km.
- The track starts on the left at a point where further progress on Wiiteena Road is discouraged by a 'Private road' sign. There is no sign identifying the track, and parking space is limited. Do not attempt to drive up the start of Warners Track, as the track soon becomes impassable to vehicles and there is no turning circle.
- If you cross the bridge into the Wiiteena community you have gone too far. The bridge is private property and is not weight rated.

Further resources

-  [Tasmania Fire Service Alerts Map](#)
-  [Bureau of Meteorology weather warnings for Tasmania](#)
-  [Parks and Wildlife Service Tasmania – Before You Walk](#)