

Sunday Walk Spur

(and shortcut Zigzag Link)

Walk Signage Colour: Blue

Length: 7.0 km (Full circuit)
3.1 km (Zigzag Link)

Elevation Change: 200 m / 50 m (Zigzag)

Time: 2 ½ hours / 1 hour (Zigzag)

Grade: Moderate

Starting point:

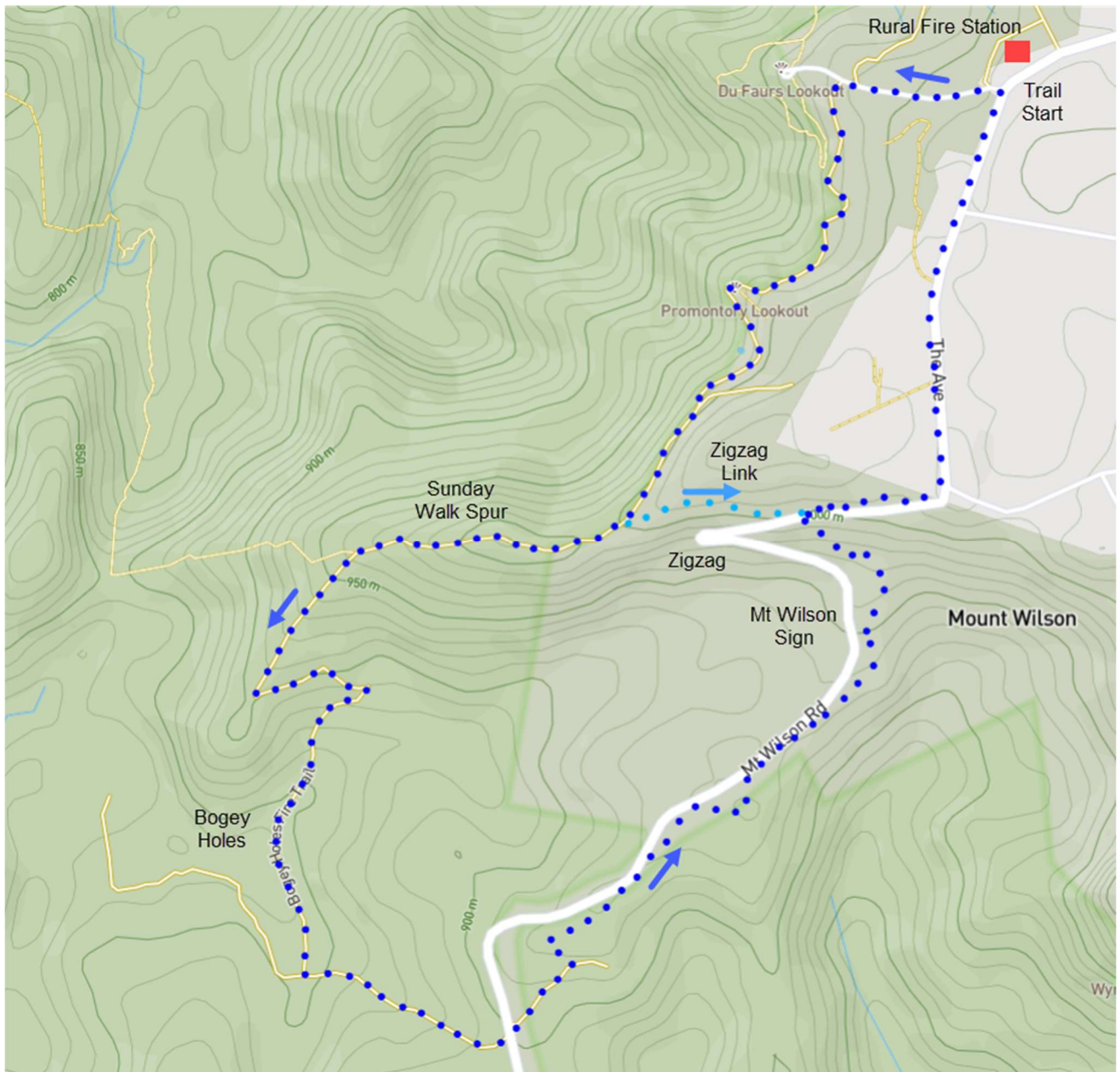
Corner of Du Fours Rocks Road and The Avenue,
opposite the Rural Fire Station.

Walking conditions:

- Well formed track.
- Some slippery sections when wet.
- Keep an eye out for the blue arrows.

Highlights:

- Views
- Good circuit walk
- Lovely Rainforest near the Zigzag
- Zigzag Link provides a shorter loop



Start of walk down Du Fairs Rocks Road.



This walk can either be done as a full circuit or as a smaller circuit using the Zigzag Link track. The Zigzag Link makes this a much shorter and easier walk and can be completed under 1 hour.

Start at the top of Du Fairs Rocks Road at the corner of The Avenue opposite the Rural Fire Station. Cars can be left in the car park at the start of the track. The track starts by walking down Du Fairs Rocks Road. After about 300m see the turn off to the Bogey Holes Fire Trail on the left. If time permits take a detour to Du Fairs Rocks Lookout (200 m return).

Bogey Holes Fire Trail is well formed and has lovely views to the West and North. There are some great rocks just off the trail for lunch or afternoon tea. Take care as these rocks can be slippery when wet.

After about 2 km the Fire Trail reaches a junction at the top of Sunday Walk Spur. There is a blue Track sign and fence line at this junction. The full circuit can be done by turning right at the junction and heading down the trail with the fence on your left hand sign.

To follow the Zigzag Link turn left at the junction and walk up the trail with the fence on your right hand side. After about 80 m the trail turns to the right. After another 30 m there is a path heading to the left. Follow this path and soon you will see Mt Wilson Road running below this path.

Views from Bogey Holes Fire Trail



Full Circuit. After about 2 km the Fire Trail starts to head down the Sunday Walk Spur. At the bottom of the Sunday Walk Spur the vegetation opens up quite a bit and it is rather heath like. After 3½ km get to the area known as the Bogey Holes. One can explore along the track going off to the right (NW direction).

The track now starts rising quite steeply up to Mt Wilson Road. After 4km the track crosses Mt Wilson Road. It is possible to leave a car at this point for the return trip, but the walk back to the start of the walk is rather pleasant.

After crossing over Mt Wilson Road the track follows the fire trail. Watch out for the blue sign as the track turns left from the fire trail after about 200m (just after a short uphill section). The track now runs parallel to Mt Wilson Road and briefly joins the road for about 50 m. There are quite a few fire trails crossing over the track so keep an eye out for the blue trail signs. At the Mt Wilson sign the track starts heading up into the lovely rainforest that can be seen as you drive up the Zigzag into Mt Wilson.

This track through the rainforest follows the old Mt Wilson Road. After about 100m the track turns left into a well-formed trail parallel to the current Mt Wilson Road.

Rainforest near the Zigzag



The track then crosses over Mt Wilson Road again, and be very careful crossing here as the road is very narrow. Just after you cross the road the track turns sharply to the right and runs parallel to the road.

This is the spot at which the Zigzag Link meets the main trail.

Following the main trail with Mt Wilson Road below you and to the right. After 300m this comes out at the start of The Avenue. Continue along The Avenue (being aware of cars) for about 900m to the start of the walk.