

Peates Mountain - Hike - V1.0

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MAP: Huonbrook 9540-1N
Grid Ref Zone: MGRS 56JNP.

Hike – Rummery Park to Peates Mountain

An interesting **7km** hike with approximately 250m of ascent/descent.

- Start at Rummery Park Camp Site (3698 3643)
- Head North East from the car park, about 20m along “Peates Mountain Road to the locked gate.
- Find the track (Track up Peates Mountain) that heads off to the left in a Northerly, then North Westerly direction
- Follow this track, heading straight on at the junction with “McIvers Fire Trail” (365 368). The other
- tracks marked in dashed orange on the map are generally overgrown.
- Continue to follow the “Track Up Peates Mountain”, which gets steadily steeper. Try to spot the path
- that heads of to the east at 368 380. This path is very vague, but marked by tape – a useful shortcut home if members of the party are tired.
- Continue to follow the Track Up Peates Mountain which eventually leads to the summit at 3636 3864.
- Leave the summit, and then find the track that heads North East to join Peates Mountain Road at 3623 3886
- Head South East down “Peates Mountain Road” noticing the junctions with “Eastern Fire Break” at
- 366 386, the vague path at 371 381, “Perlite Road” at 372 380 and “Eastern Fire Trail” at 371 374.
- Continue down “Peates Mountain Road” back to the “Rummery Park Camp Site” - or take the longer, but more interesting alternative via “McIvers Fire Trail” at 371 371.