

Outdoor Education Tech Resources

Safety Apps/websites (pre walk)

- [Fires Near Me app](#)- up to date info regarding bushfires in the vicinity
- [Fires Near Me website](#)
- [Wildwalks](#) website – very thorough information including track notes, photos, maps (printable), difficulty levels etc
- [Wildwalks](#) app (\$8/year to access & download all walks). Live locations, photos, track notes. iPhone only
- [Weatherzone](#) and [BOM](#) weather forecasts and warnings
- [National Parks NSW](#) info regarding track closures, alerts, warnings etc
- [National Parks NSW app](#) downloadable maps, alerts, how to get there, toilets, picnic areas, BBQs etc

Safety Apps (during walk)

- [Alltrails](#)- detailed maps (requires phone service unless pay for full version with downloadable maps), live location, very detailed terrain
- [Wildwalks](#) app (\$8/year to access & download all walks). Live locations, terrain, difficulty, photos, track notes, detailed downloadable maps. iPhone only
- [National Parks NSW app](#) downloadable maps, alerts, how to get there, toilets, picnic areas, BBQs etc. Does not include terrain, difficulty
- [Fires Near Me app](#)- up to date info regarding bushfires in the vicinity

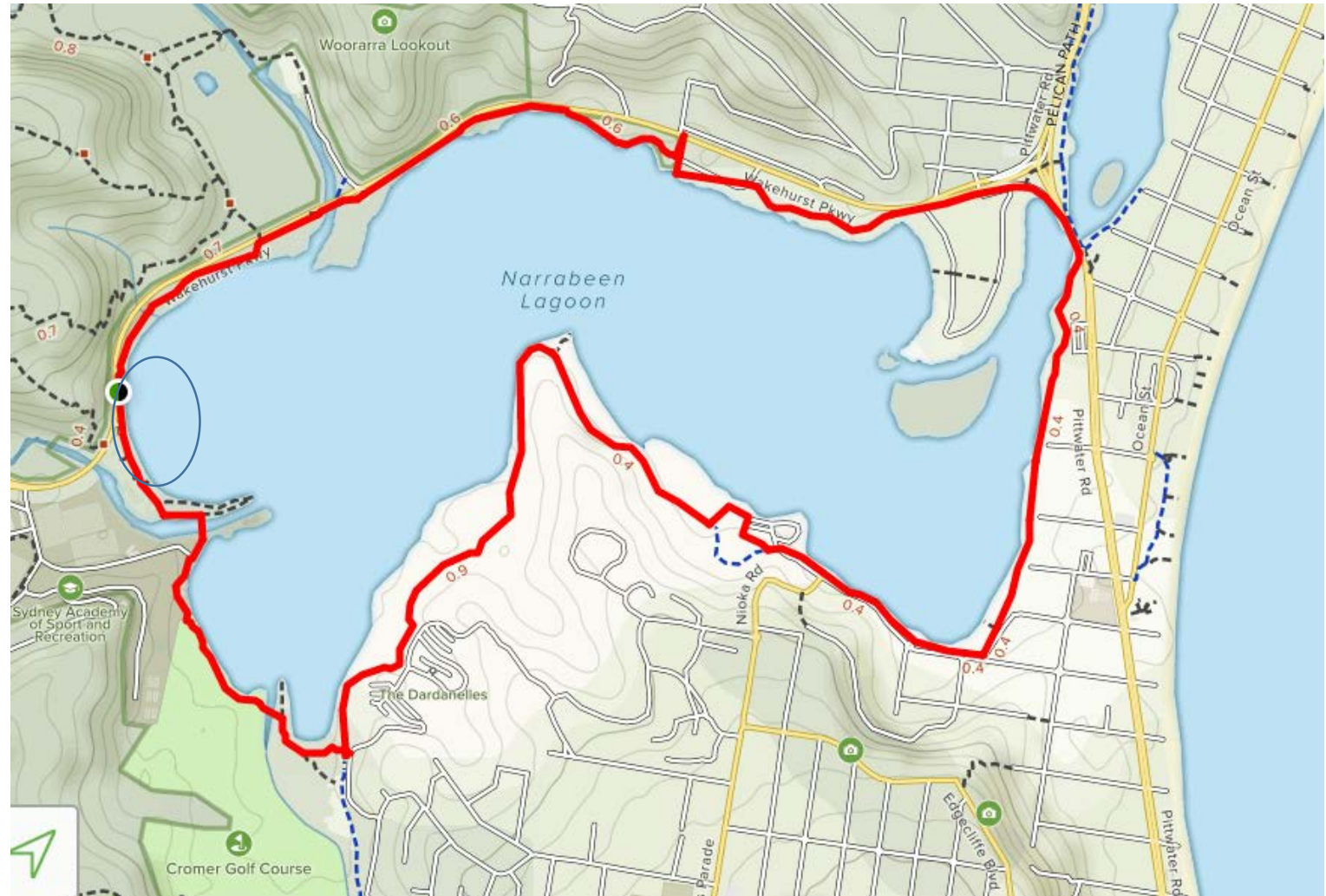
Narrabeen Lagoon

Key Points/risks

- Very well sign-posted
- 9km loop or can do there-and-back sections
- Mostly flat track (concrete)
- Some sections alongside busy roads (Wakehurst Parkway, Pittwater Rd)
- Ticks- bugspray and regular tick checks
- Toilets regularly
- Can swim at Middle Creek reserve
- Busy on weekends/holidays in summer
- Dogs and bikes on path

Beginning at Middle Creek (off Wakehurst Parkway)

- Some technical/steep sections
- Toilets every few km including Middle Creek reserve



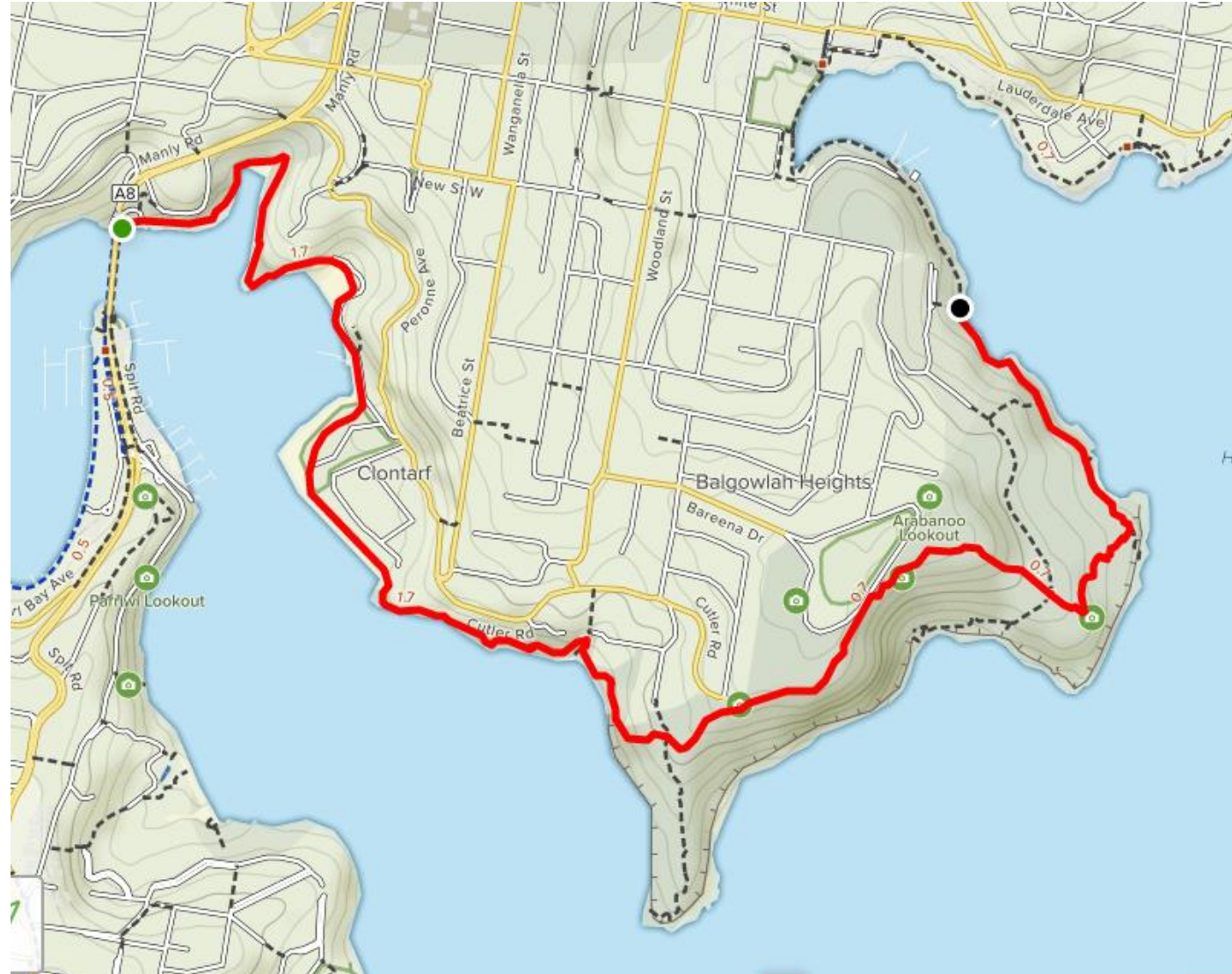
Spit to Manly
(Clontarf)

Key Points/risks

- Very well sign-posted
- Snakes- drag stick in hot weather, keep distance if see a snake (see snake package)
- Ticks- bugspray and regular tick checks
- Toilets regularly
- Can swim at Clontarf/40 Baskets (netted beach)
- Busy on weekends/holidays in summer

Beginning at Clontarf/40 Baskets Beach

- Some technical/steep sections
- Toilets at Clontarf, Arabanoo Lookout, 40 Baskets Beach
- Well-marked track



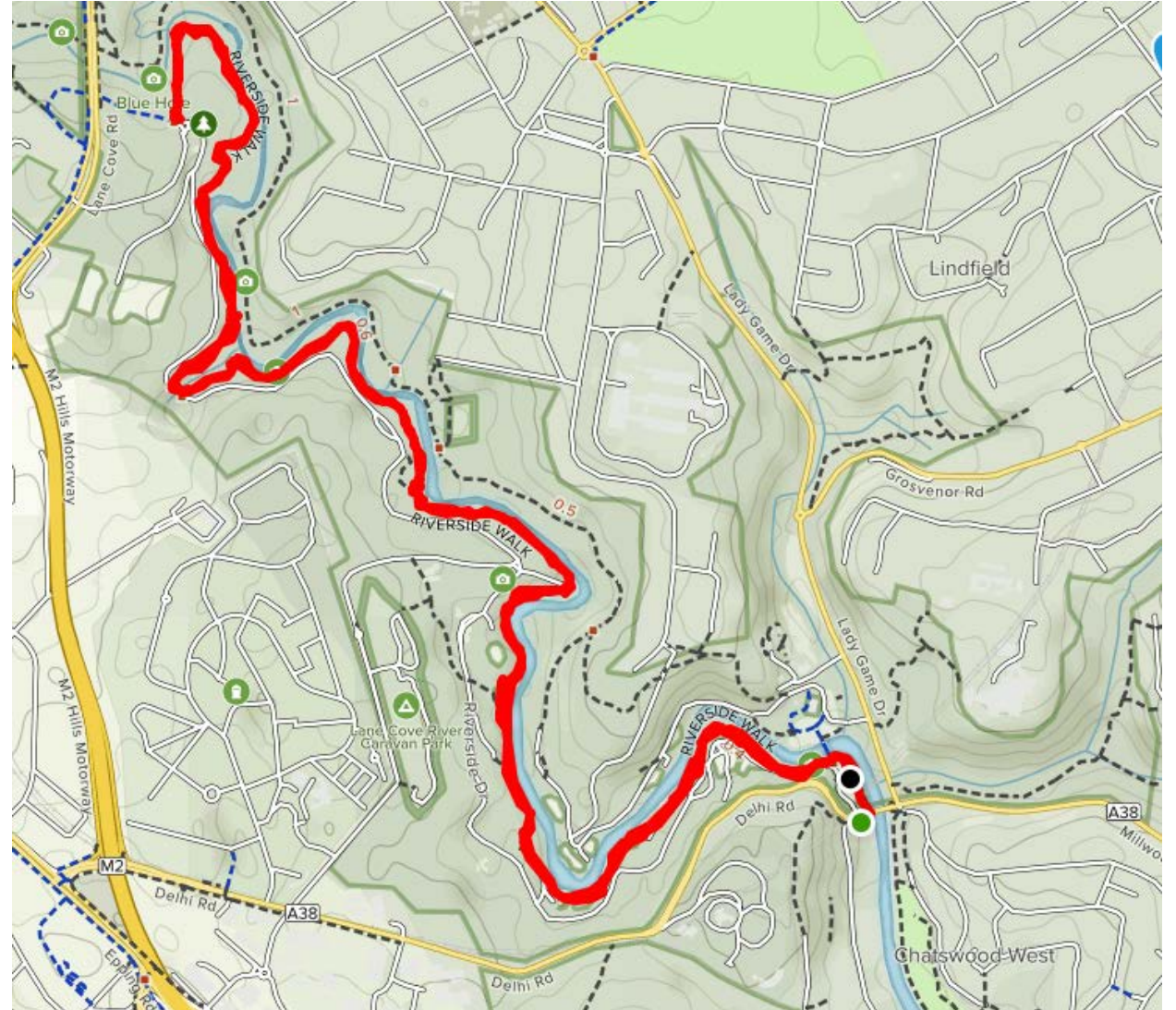
Lane Cove Riverside Track

Key Points/risks

- SW side very easy to navigate, busy and not very technical
- NE side more technical, relatively easy to navigate and well sign-posted
- Can make it into a 10km loop
- If loop, one section of walking alongside busy road (Deburgh's Bridge)
- Snakes- drag stick in hot weather, keep distance if see a snake (see snake package)
- Ticks- bugspray and regular tick checks

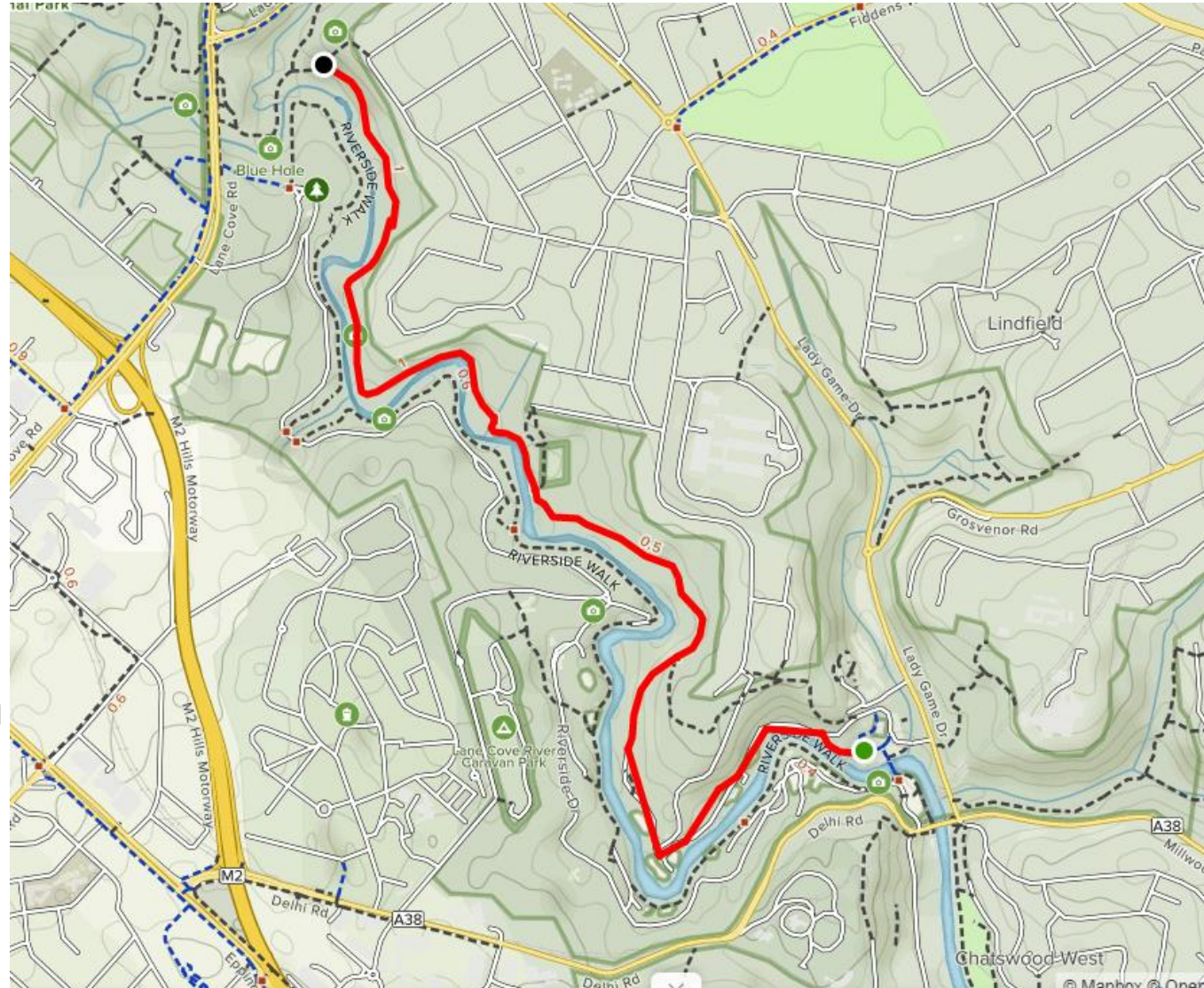
Southwest side of river

- 11km return
- Begins in LCNP or at Wildfire
- Off Delhi Rd
- Very safe track
- Moderately busy, more on weekends/holidays
- BBQs, toilets etc



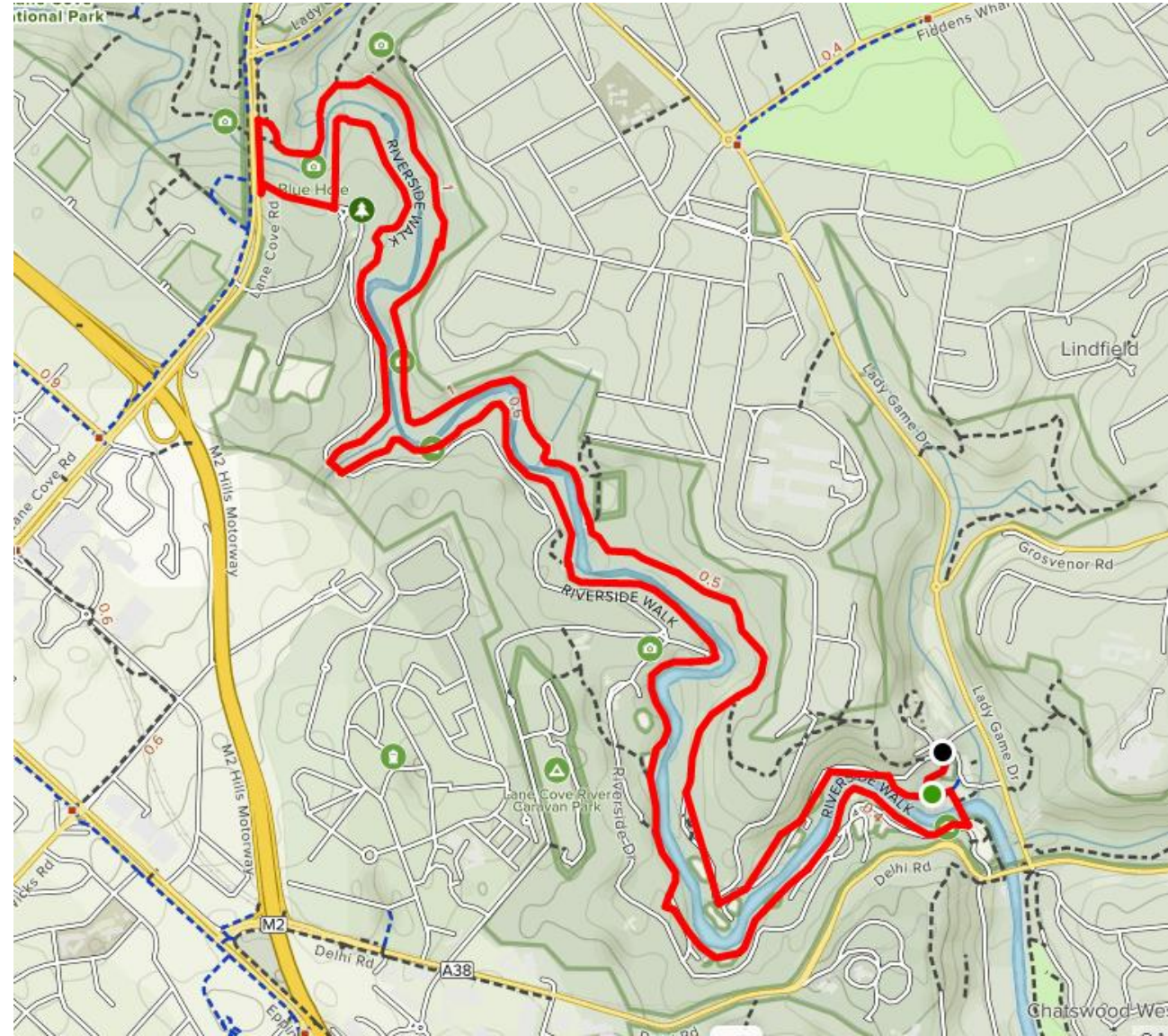
Northeast side of river

- 8 km return
- Begins in LCNP or at Wildfire
- Off Delhi Rd
- More technical track
- less busy, more on weekends/holidays
- BBQs, toilets etc for initial 2km



Riverside Track Loop

- 10km loop
- Begins in LCNP or at Wildfire
- Off Delhi Rd
- More technical track
- Busy on weekends/holidays
- BBQs, toilets etc for initial 2km
- Short section walking alongside busy road (Lane Cove Road)



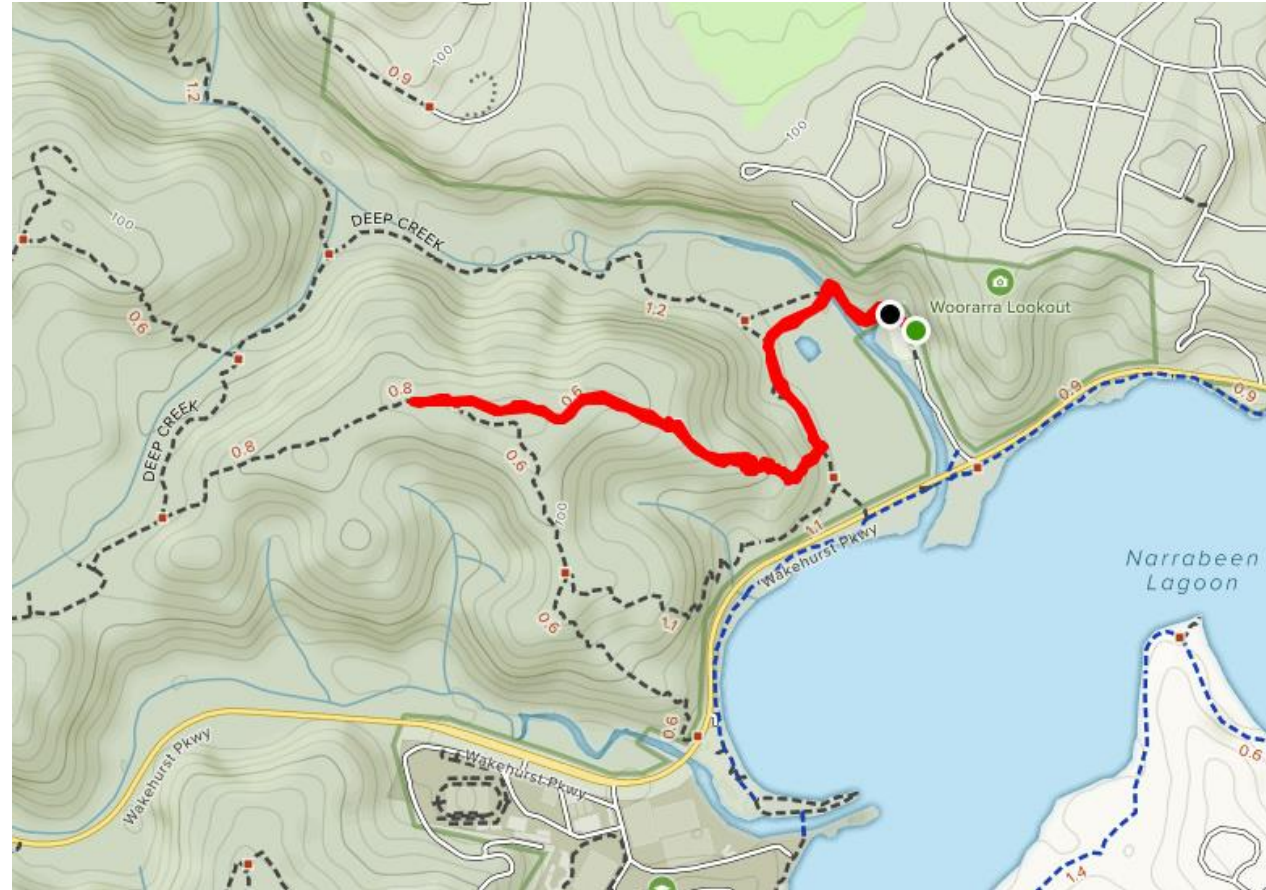
Deep Creek Trails

Key Points/risks

- Requires maps/mapping apps as many trails
- Snakes- drag stick in hot weather, keep distance if see a snake (see snake package)
- Ticks- bugspray and regular tick checks
- Heat

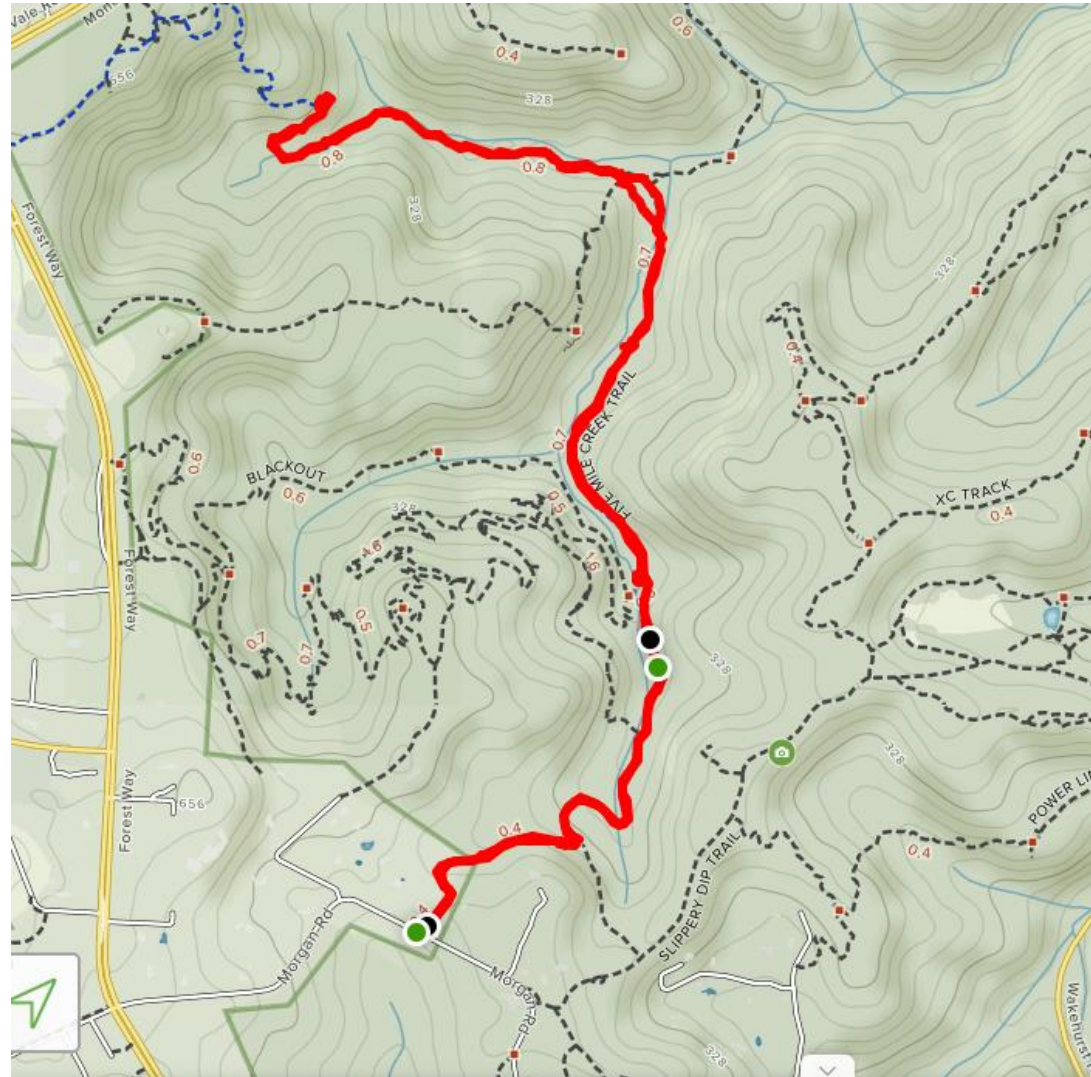
Beginning at Deep Creek Reserve, Narrabeen

- Technical and steep



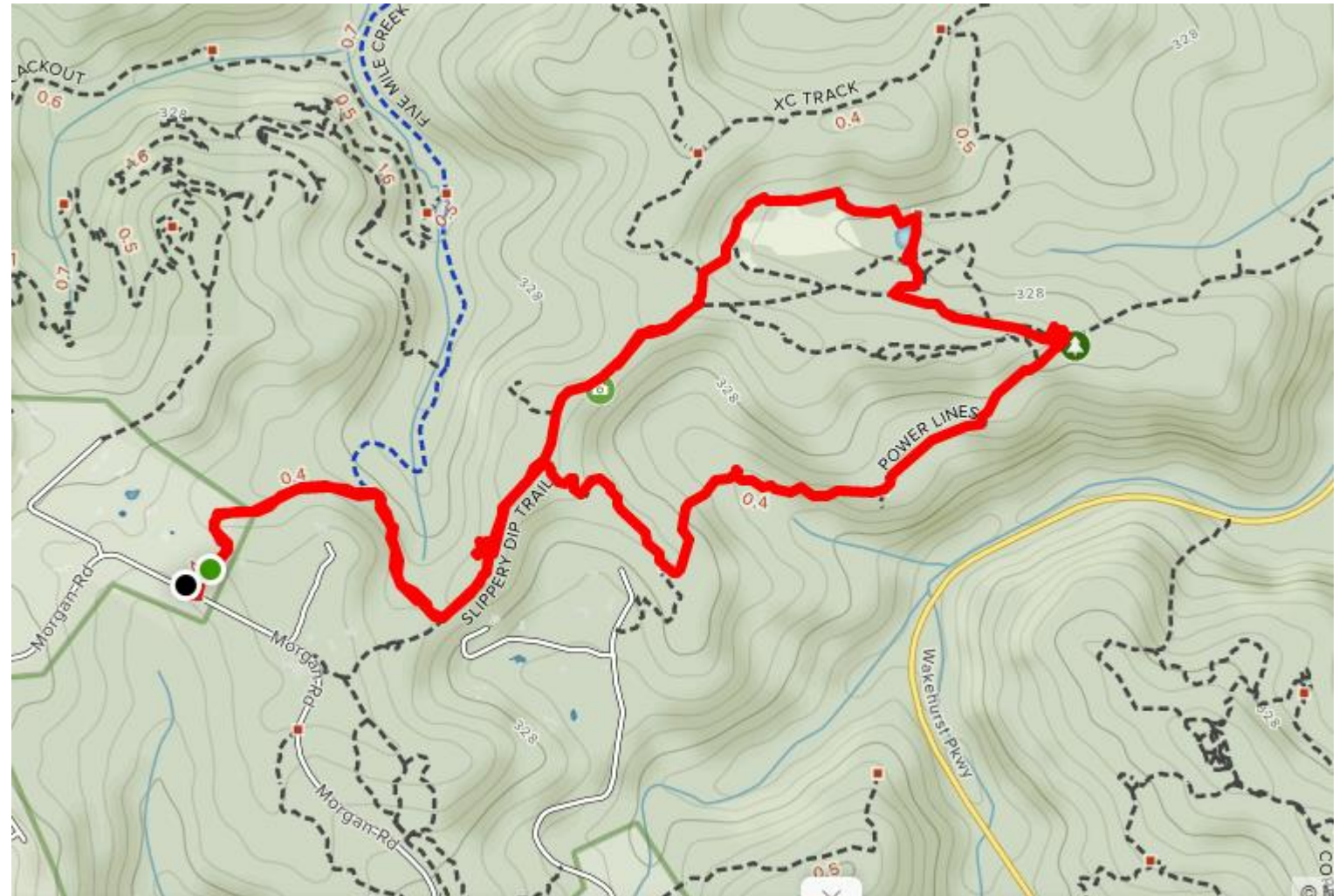
Five Mile Creek section, beginning at Morgan Rd, Oxford Falls

- More technical



Power Lines Loop, beginning at Morgan Road

- Mostly fire trails



Natural Bridge Track (Frenchs Forest)

Key Points/risks

- Moderately well sign-posted
- Be aware of mountain bikes- there is a mountain bike trail crossing
- Very steep decline/incline at beginning section.
- Technical and lots of problem solving
- Snakes- drag stick in hot weather, keep distance if see a snake (see snake package)
- Ticks- bugspray and regular tick checks
- Section that runs along barbed wire fence
- Toilets only at beginning (Ararat Reserve)

Beginning at Ararat Park (Bantry Bay Rd)

- Very technical/steep sections mainly at beginning/end

