

## ▲ LOCATIONS

### Tasman Memorial Recreation Reserve, Tasman (F5)

Coastal Highway cnr Aporo Road on Rush Lane.

A large grassed reserve with children's play area, bike pump track and a variety of fruit trees. The road frontage includes World War II memorial gates. An underpass links the reserve to Harley Road.

### Kina Recreation Reserve, Tasman (F8)

Located on the foreshore at Kina Beach, Tasman.

Picnic tables, toilets and water supply. Camping is permitted on the reserve, though stays are limited to four nights (plus statutory holidays).

Parts of the reserve are planted native species, providing good shelter for recreation. The area bordering the reserve to the south was the site of a Maori pa.

### McKee Memorial Scenic Reserve / McKee Recreation Reserve, Tasman (L10)

Camping, toilets and picnic tables. Remnant coastal forest provides important habitat for native bird species, including kereru.

### Pinehill Recreation Reserve, Ruby Bay (N10)

Located between Stafford Drive and the sea, at the northern end of the Ruby Bay residential area.

Picnic tables, toilet and grass area with trees.

### Aranui Park, Mapua (S11)

Located between Aranui Road and Mapua Drive on the edge of the Mapua urban area.

Picnic tables, grass area with a variety of native and introduced tree species. The Wells family gifted the reserve to the government in 1977 as a 'contribution to the preservation of New Zealand's natural heritage'. A plaque commemorating Bernard Wells is located near the entrance to the reserve.

### Mapua Recreation Reserve, Mapua (S12)

The reserve is located on Aranui road, Mapua.

Picnic tables, toilet, sports fields playground, tennis courts and skatepark. The Mapua Bowling Club and Tamaha Scouts are also located on the Reserve.

### Grossi Point Reserve, Mapua (U12/13)

Located at the end of Tahi Street, Mapua.

Toilets, picnic tables and tidal boat launching.

The reserve covers the end of a small peninsula extending into Waimea Inlet, once the site of early Maori occupation.

### Rabbit Island, (Moturoa), Western end (S,T,U 13/14)

Rabbit Island (Moturoa) is the largest of a group of sandy islands lying in the Waimea Estuary at the head of Tasman Bay.

Toilets, picnic tables, swimming, walking and cycling tracks open for use during daylight hours. Eight kilometres of safe sandy beach, popular with locals and tourists. Accessed via ferry from Mapua. Much of the island is covered in pine plantations, public are only permitted on marked walk and cycle tracks.

## ▲ RECOMMENDED ROUTES

### Dicker Ridge Track (start G5 or L5)

Distance: 7.3kms

Time: 1 1/2 - 2 hours

Fitness: easy to moderate

A great circuit. Walk or cycle along the Dicker Road ridge with magnificent views of the Tasman Area, Tasman Bay and Mt Arthur Range. This track crosses a working farm and it is important to follow all signs and leave gates as you find them. Well signposted.

### Kina Beach Walkway (start G6)

Distance: Just under 2.1km

Time: 20 - 30 mins

Fitness: easy to moderate

Alternative scenic route to Kina Beach. Start 300m from Aporo Road, a short, steep climb to the ridge gives you a view over Tasman Bay. A short walk or cycle down Dee Road, then turn right on Kina Beach Road and left onto Cliff Road for the beach. Watch for signs.

### Kina Peninsula East (start B5)

Distance: 4.18kms

Time: 15 minutes - 3+ hours

Fitness: easy

A flexible walk for all fitness levels. Make it into a day out or just a quick stretch of the legs. A great walk around the edge of the Moutere Inlet and back along the Tasman Bay/Kina Beach shoreline.

### Mapua Village and Beach Walk (start T13)

Distance: 4.75km

Time: 1 hour

Fitness: easy

Starting from Mapua Wharf, this walk is only possible at low tides and follows the estuary shoreline to the Mapua Leisure Park causeway. Continuing along the causeway you will see the coastal track to your right. This continues around to the estuary mouth and the beach. At the end of the concrete retaining wall is a shared walking/cycling track that will take you back on to Aranui Road and the Village.

### Mapua to Ruby Bay Walk (start R11)

Distance: 4km

Time: 45mins, Tait St and return

Fitness: easy

Start on Aranui Road opposite Aranui Park and follow the track that runs alongside the school to the beach. From here turn left and continue along 'Old Mill Walkway' to Chaytor Reserve and along the beach frontage to Tait Street. From here it is possible to walk back to

the reserve along Broadsea Ave and return the same way or walk to Stafford Drive, turn left and continue back to Aranui Road.

### Brabant to the Beach (start M10)

Time: 20 minutes - 1 hour +

Fitness: moderate

This walk offers many variations, starting across the road from McKee Memorial Reserve and heading up bush clad gullies to locations giving panoramic views across Tasman Bay to Nelson and D'Urville Island. Please note some of these tracks follow the natural waterways so care is needed during wet periods.

### Mapua Drive to Dawsons Road (start S9)

Distance: 800m

Time: 15 - 20 mins (one way)

Fitness: moderate

Parking is available opposite Higgs Reserve and the walk to Dawsons Road begins from here. It sidles along the edge of the Dominion Flats before heading uphill through regenerating native bush. The very last section, at the top, is reasonably steep but short.

### Chaytor Road Walkway (start R6)

Distance: 1.7km

Time: 20 - 25 mins (one way)

Fitness: moderate

This track is accessed from the top of Chaytor Road and winds down a gully to the top of the Dominion Flats. There is a wetland and regenerating native forest to the left on the way down. Return by coming back up the same track or continue through Dominion Flats to Mapua Drive.

## ▲ THE RUBY COAST

The Ruby Coast is known for its sunshine, sand, vineyards, picturesque countryside, boutique shopping, cafes and artists' studios. For more information on what's where visit [www.rubycoastmouterehills.co.nz](http://www.rubycoastmouterehills.co.nz)

## RUBY COAST MAP STREET REFERENCE

NAME	MAP INDEX
Aporo Road	G6 - L10
Apple Valley Road	U7 - U8
Aranui Recreation Reserve	S11
Aranui Road	S11 - T13
Arcadia Road	D2 - E2
Awa Awa Road	N8 - O7
Baldwin Road	G6 - I5
Best Road	Q1 - U3
Brooks View Heights	H8 - I8
Carlyn Road	U3
Chaytor Road	R6
Cliff Road	F8 - H8
Dawson Road	R7 - R9
Dee Ridge Track	G6
Dee Road	G6 - F7
Dicker Road	G5
Dominion Road	T6 - S8
Easton Loop	D3 - D4
Eden Road	C3 - E1
Flaxmore Road	M3 - N2
Foley Road	N8 - O8
Gardner Valley Road	Q1 - R6
Goddard Road	G5 - G6
Grossi Point	U13
Harley Ridge	G3 - I2
Harley Road	F5 - K1
Hewetson Road	N2 - O3
Higgs Reserve	S9
Higgs Road	S10 - T11
Horton Road	I7 - L6
Jackett Island	A4
Jessie Street	T11 - S11
Johnstone Loop	E5 - F5
Kina Beach Reserve	F8
Kina Beach Road	G6 - F8
Kina Peninsula Road	A4 - E6
Korepo Road	P10
Langford Drive	T12
Mamaku Road	L7 - K8
Mapua Beach	Q12 - R14
Mapua Drive	S9 - R11

NAME	MAP INDEX
Mapua Recreation Reserve	S12
Marriages Road	K8 - M8
Martin Loop	C3
McKee Domain	K10 - M10
Moana Loop	A1 - B1
Moana Road	A1 - B1
Moore Road	K1 - M3
Nile Road	T7 - T8
Nuttall Road	Q4 - U5
Old Coach Road	R6 - T5
Petra Way	R5 - S6
Permin Road	I8 - I9
Pine Hill Road	N9 - O10
Pine Hill Walkway	N10
Pomona Road	M8 - P9
Seaton Valley Road	Q7 - R11
Stafford Drive	L10 - R11
Stagecoach Road	L5 - R6
Strong Loop	B2 - C2
Tahi Street	T12 - U12
Tait Street	P11 - Q11
Tarrant Road	Q3 - T4
Tasman Memorial Reserve	F5
Tasman View Road	E1 - O5
Toru Street	T12 - S13
Weka Road	D4 - F2
Williams Road	H6 - K5
Wood Loop	E4

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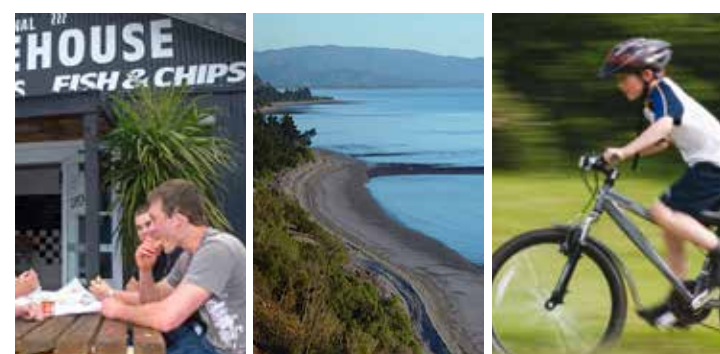
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Mapua / Ruby Bay / Tasman / Kina

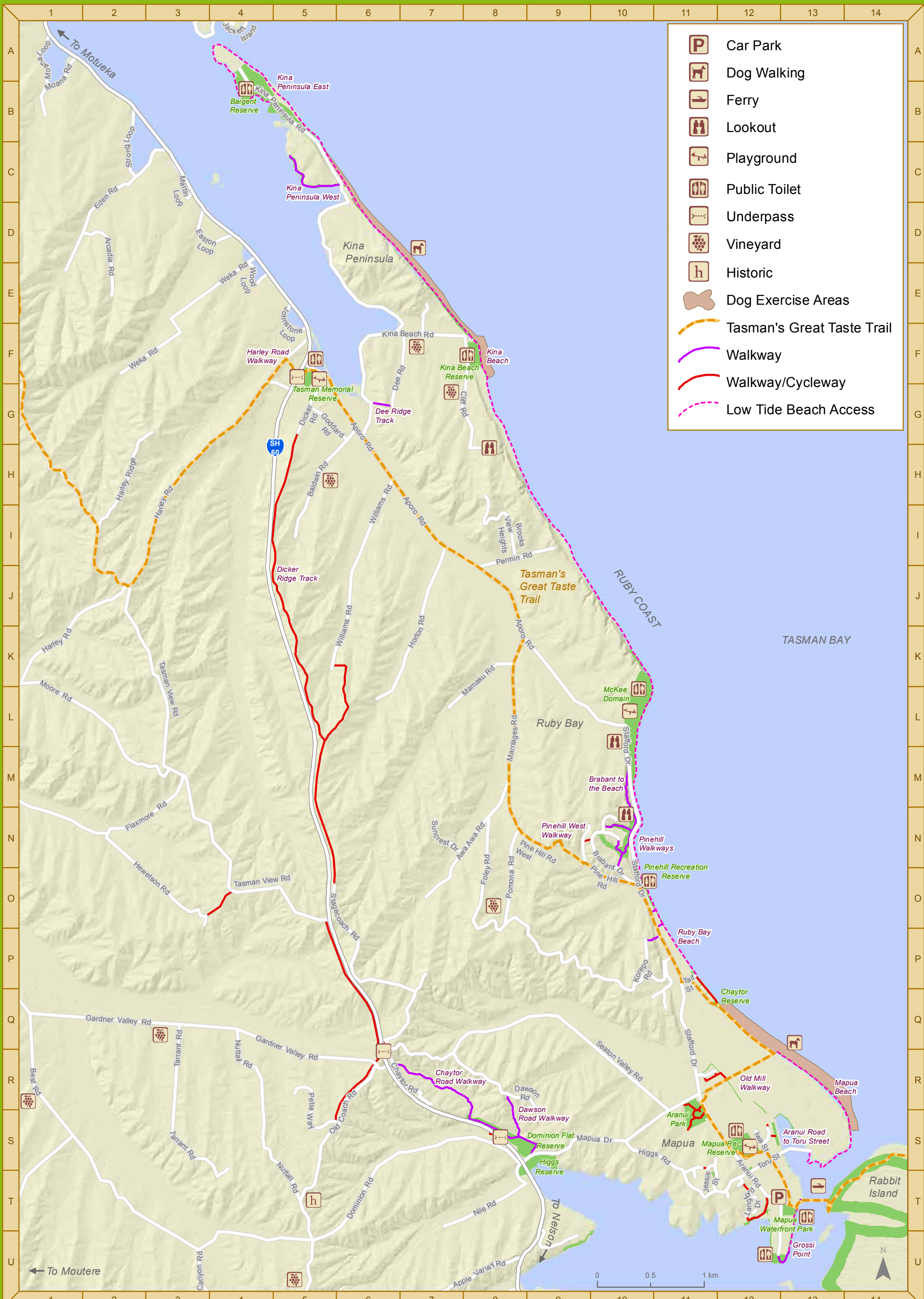
















Walking and cycling pathways



# RUBY COAST WALKING AND CYCLING PATHWAYS

MAPUA/RUBY BAY/TASMAN/KINA



-  Car Park
-  Dog Walking
-  Ferry
-  Lookout
-  Playground
-  Public Toilet
-  Underpass
-  Vineyard
-  Historic
-  Dog Exercise Areas
-  Tasman's Great Taste Trail
-  Walkway
-  Walkway/Cycleway
-  Low Tide Beach Access