

Winifred Falls



2 hrs

Hard track

4.4 km One way

▲ 179m

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Winifred Falls is one of the best waterfalls in Royal National Park. This walk not only goes to the magnificent falls but has the optional side trip down to the beautiful South West Arm Pools. Anice Falls are not as great as Winifred but worth the visit. The walk then continues through the heath to Maianbar Rd.

128m

13m

Royal National Park

Are you ready to have fun?

Please ensure you and your group are well prepared and equipped for all possible hazards and delays. Check park closures, weather information and Fire Danger Rating before setting out. Optional side trips and alternate routes noted are not included in this walks overall grade, length or time estimate. Please allow extra time for resting and exploring areas of interest. The authors, staff and owners of wildwalks take care in preparing this information but will not accept responsibility for any inconvenience, loss or injury you may experience. Please take care, have fun - Happy Walking.

Getting there Traveling by car is the only practical way to get to Warumbul Rd (gps: -34.0841, 151.0725). Car: A park entry fee is required for driving into the park.

Traveling by car is the only practical way to get back from Maianbar Rd (gps: -34.0973, 151.1014). Car: A park entry fee is required for driving into the park.

Find up to date and more information including; travel directions, weather, park closures and walker feedback at <http://wild.tl/wf>

0 | Warumbul Rd

(1.4 km 33 mins) From the intersection at the gate, this walk heads down the hill following the 'Winifred Falls Fire Trail' sign. The trail then steeply descends, as the vegetation starts to include more trees. The walk continues to wind down the hill for some time to the flat clearing at the intersection.

1.42 | Optional sidetrip to South West Arm Pools

(370 m 6 mins) Turn left: From the intersection the track heads north, down stream, leaving the clearing of the intersection down a steep rocky section of track. The track reaches the pool below Winifred Falls within 15m. The track then leads from the pool along the creek line or above the creek line for approximately 300m down stream to a large pool with three large boulders on the left. At the end of this side trip, retrace your steps back to the main walk then Veer left.

1.42 | Winifred Falls

Winifred Falls, Royal National Park, is a large a picturesque waterfall created by a large rockshelf, over which pours South West Arm Creek. The waterfall has a large pool at its base which is an ideal place to get your toes wet.

1.42 | South West Arm Pools Trk

(1 km 24 mins) Turn right: From the intersection, this walk heads out of the clearing and away from the service trail, heading towards the water, and after approximately 10m,

comes to a grass plant. From the grass plant, the track continues for approximately 10m upstream, to then cross the river above the small waterfalls.

Continue straight: From the creek and waterfall, this walk heads onto a rockshelf where the track turns right, heading steeply up the hill. The walk continues up the hill for approximately 50m to a creek. The track then traverses a spur to a second creek. The walk then continues for a short time to a sign marked intersection.

Continue straight: From the intersection, this walk follows the sign 'Maianbar Dr via Anice Falls' through the trees for approximately 100m. The track then turns left and descends to the creek which creates Anice Falls. Just a little further downstream is the unfenced Anice Falls, tumbling over the cliffs.

2.46 | Anice Falls

Anice Falls are viewed from the top which makes for a not-so-impressive view when compared to the neighbouring Winifred Falls. The falls are fed by a creek running off Mount Bass which then flows into the South West Arm Creek.

2.46 | Anice Falls

(2 km 39 mins) Turn right: From the top of Anice Falls, this walk climbs steeply up the hillside, keeping the falls below on the left. The track passes to the right of the rocky outcrop, then winds for some time through thick, low vegetation. After approximately 1.3km, the walk comes to a three-way intersection.

Continue straight: From the intersection, the walk heads up the hill through the dense scrub, away from the water (far below). The track continues for approximately 200m to the intersection with the road.

