

Victoria Park to Lake Daylesford

Distance :

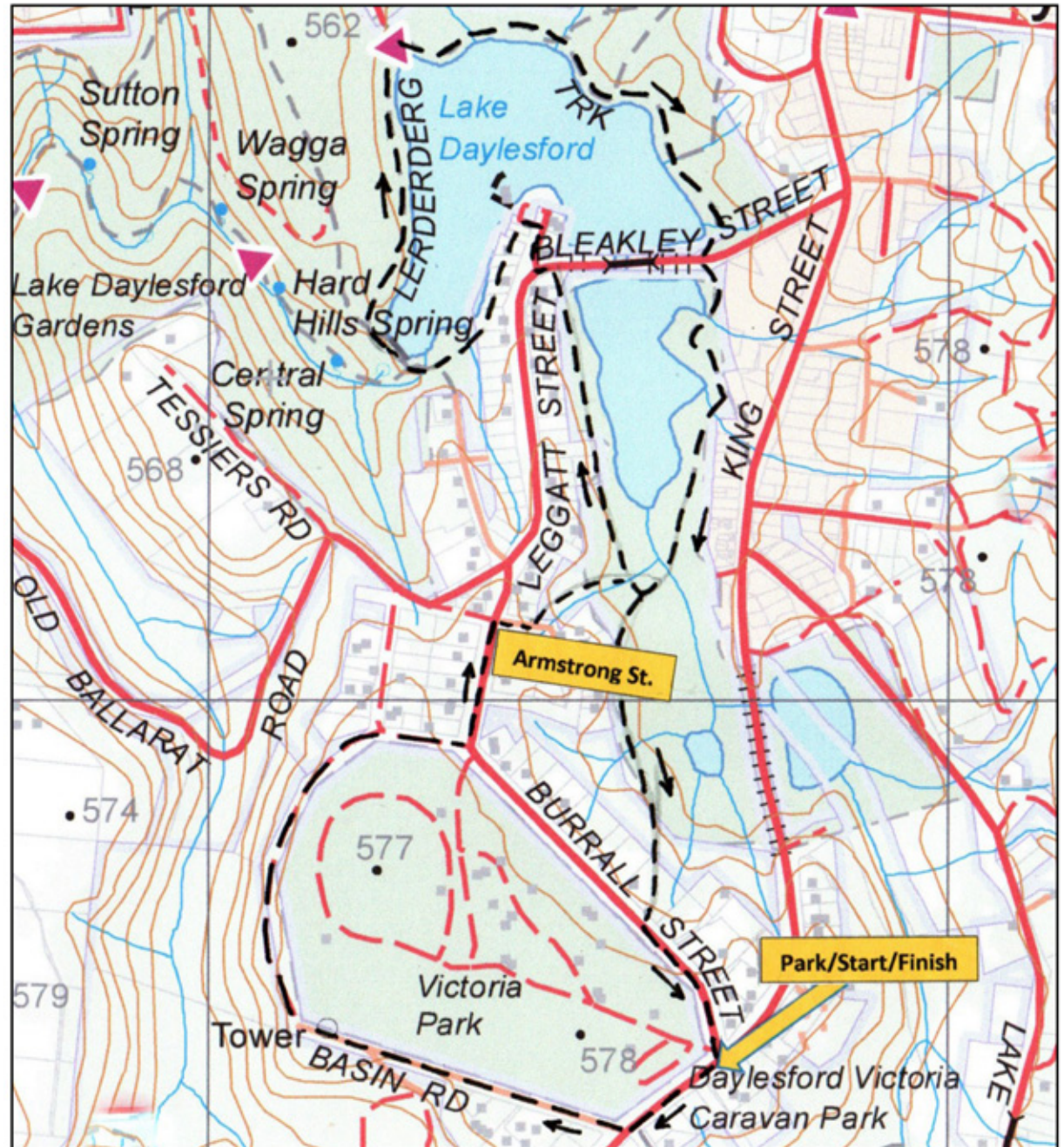
Time : 2 hours

Grade : Medium

Celebrating 30 years of
Daylesford Bushwalking



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From the Daylesford Information Centre, drive down King Street for 1.7km to Victoria Park on your right. Drive through the gates and park just inside.

Walk out the Park gate, turn right and continue for 200m along the side of King Street to Basin Road. Turn right and follow this road around the external perimeter of Victoria Park.

Ignore Park Avenue on your left and continue along Elm Tree Lane to Leggatt Street. Turn left here and proceed 200m to the first street on your right (Armstrong Street).

Turn right and just past the first house on your left is a bush track. Take this track. After 150m there is a cross track. Ignore this and continue downhill on a rough and often slippery part of this track. Take care.

At the base of this hill is the track that follows the perimeter of Lake Daylesford. Take the left section of

this track and continue until you reach Bleakley Street. Cross over and walk across to the carpark where there are cafes and rest rooms – a good place for a rest.

When suitably rested, take the track on your left that continues around the perimeter of the lake. Cross over the spillway, turn right, ignore the track on your left behind the green gates and keep walking around the edge of the lake until you return to Bleakley Street.

Cross over Bleakley Street using the Pedestrian Crossing. Follow the track for 300m, past the rear of the Lake House, to the Wombat Flat Mineral Spring.

After another 250m you are walking on a boardwalk over the swampy area at the southern end of the lake.

There are now two rough uphill tracks on your left. Take the first one and, at the top of the hill, take the left option and continue on the track until you

reach a bitumen road (Burrell Street). Turn left and continue on to Victoria Park and your car.



Walk Safety

- Always carry water
- Wear sturdy footwear, appropriate clothing and sunscreen
- Stick to the track
- Keep well away from mine shafts
- Observe fire regulations and total fire bans
- Plan your walk and inform someone where you are going and your intended return
- Never walk alone in the bush
- Check weather conditions before setting out
- If you need urgent help, call 000

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