FMR Map and Compass Navigation - White’s Hill Reserve

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| Description  | This training is aimed at bushwalkers with limited experience in map and compass navigation.Part 1 Discussion (approx 1 hr) covering:- Map reading and orientation- Map coordinates- Grid and magnetic bearings- Planning a route(you may wish to bring a portable seat for this)Part 2 Practical (until approx. 2:00pm)- Putting navigation into practice locating features in the reserve |
| Date | Sunday 4th August 2019 |
| Time | Meet 7:30am for a 7:45am start |
| Duration | Finish approx 2:00pm |
| Meet | Jade Street Camp Hill, opposite the end of Spinel Street (Lat/Long (decimal degrees: -27.503780°, 153.082590° for use in navigation systems). |
| Type | Day Walk |
| Grade | Relatively easy mixed track and off-track walking with some hills. |
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| Bring | Water, sun protection, pen, paper, small backpack and lunch. Compass if possible. |
| Maps | Qtopo map of Whites Hill reserve (a copy will be available) |
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| Note | To get the best from the day please read the following resource (sections on GPS optional): <https://d28rz98at9flks.cloudfront.net/102240/Map_reading_guide_v4.pdf> |