Start from Main Street, Westgate Shopping Centre.

- 1. Walk down Main Street towards the yellow cycling/pedestrian bridge that leads off Westgate Drive.
- 2. Cross the yellow bridge over the North Western Motorway
- 3. Cross Oriel Avenue to path opposite and follow path straight ahead into St Margarets Reserve.
- 4. Go past Children's playground (on your left) and cross Fitzherbet Avenue and follow path straight ahead.
- 5. Cross Flaunty Place and join path behind the Flaunty Reserve playground going to the left < that goes up the hill.
- 6. At the end of the zig zag path turn right > into Elizabeth Drive and continue to Moire Road.
- 7. Cross Moire Road and follow path straight ahead.
- 8. Cross Brougham Place and follow path straight ahead.
- 9. Cross Rena Place and follow path straight ahead.
- 10. Turn left < West Harbour Drive.
- Turn right > at the path just before Garcia Place (on left).
- 12. Cross the blue bridge, the follow signpost to Manutewhau Walkway 30 minutes.
- 13. At the end of the next bridge continue straight ahead up the main track.
- 14. At the crossroads go straight ahead and follow signpost "to Manutewhau 20mins"
- 15. Turn right > along Moire Road.
- 16. Cross Moire Road at the Preschool and enter Manutewhau Reserve.
- 17. Continue along concrete path, (ignore path to left to bridge that goes to a playground and picnic site) at T-junction turn left <.
- 18. Cross over Holmes Drive to path opposite which comes out at the yellow bridge.

NB. If you wish start the walk from Moire Park entrance in Granville Drive, follow the track across the side of the sports field and join the Manutewhau Walk to the left. Follow directions from #15.



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Moire Park Bush Walk

Description: A mix of level paths and steep paths. Suitable for users of average fitness and mobility. May require boots in wet weather, running shoes suitable in dry weather. Muddy tracks after rain.

To see: Auckland City views, Waitakere Hills view, native trees and fauna, urban development.

Time: approx. 75 minutes. (about 6 kms)

Parking: Westgate Shopping Centre. **Buses:** Westgate Shopping Centre

Journey Planner—http://www.maxx.co.nz





Cafés: Westgate Shopping Centre



Public toilets: Moire Park

Children's playgrounds: Moire Park, Katrina Esplanade, Elizabeth Ave, Flaunty Reserve, West Harbour Esplanade, Manutewhau Reserve, St Margarets Park, Buckingham Common.



Dogs: On and off leash areas.



cyclists

Moire Park BBQ area, Pump track for

Nearby Walks: Westgate Loops, Te Atatu Peninsula, West Harbour





Moiré Park is one of Waitakere's hidden treasures. The area was settled in 1600 by Te Kawerau A Maki and ancestral links go back to the 14th century. Harbours and surrounding land were extensively used for fishing camping and the collection of resources. European settlement began in the 1840s with milling of timber, farming and gum digging. More info and fun map from Waitakere City Council http://www.waitakere.govt.nz/cnlser/pbr/prkgrnsp/pdf/moire-park-easy-walks-brochure.pdf

