## Starting from the ferry terminal.

- I. Turn right > and follow the path along the water front past the park and children's playground (on your left) and stay on the footpath following King Edward Parade.
- 2. Turn left < into Church Street.
- 3. Continue straight along Church St at Vauxhall Road junction.
- 4. Turn right > into Cambria Reserve (just after Cracroft St).
- 5. Keep to the path on the right > then turn immediately left < and follow the pathway around the circumference of the reserve (a former volcanic cone).
- 6. Exit Cambria Reserve via the entrance and turn right > along Church Street.
- 7. Turn left < into Albert Road which then becomes Victoria Road.
- 8. Turn left < into Kerr Street.
- Turn left < into Mount Victoria Reserve.</li>
- 10. Follow the grass path on the left alongside the fence line and houses (of if wet, go up the tar-sealed road).
- 11. At the fork, go right > and keep to the uphill track.
- 12. Follow the zig-zag path to the summit: turn left < and follow the wide grass track, turn right > below the concrete block house.
- 13. Enjoy the views, walk through the "mushrooms" and then make your way down via the roadway (lookout for vehicles).
- 14. Cross Kerr Street and continue straight ahead along Victoria Road.
- 15. Return to the ferry terminal at the end.

## **Nearby Attractions:**

Cheltenham Beach: Bring swimming gear on a hot sunny day.

Torpedo Bay Navy Museum

http://www.navymuseum.mil.nz

http://www.devonport.co.nz/do\_see.htm

Devonport Museum

http://www.devonportmuseum.org.nz



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## **Devonport & Mt Victoria**

**Description:** A mix of level paths, steep paths and steps. Suitable for most ages and levels of fitness and mobility, designed with flat shoes or running shoes in mind. Not suitable for wheelchairs and pushchairs.

**To see**: Wonderful views of Rangitoto, Hauraki Gulf and Auckland City, historical buildings.

**Time**: approx. 60 minutes (about 5kms). **Parking:** In Devonport Village near ferry

terminal or along King Edward Parade.

**Ferry:** From Downtown Ferry Building (Hint: catch a train to Britomart for added adventure).

Journey Planner—http://www.maxx.co.nz



Cafés: 1) Along King Edward Parade
2) Many in Devonport Village
<a href="http://www.devonport.co.nz/eat.htm">http://www.devonport.co.nz/eat.htm</a>

Public toilets: Windsor Reserve,
Devonport Library, King Edward Parade

3) Five Loaves @ 29 Church St

Children's playgrounds: Windsor Reserve

**Dogs**: Two off-leash areas

Take your own rugs and picnic gear.

**Nearby Walks:** North Head, Narrowneck Loop, Ngataringa Loop, Belmont Bays





**Mount Victoria** is higher than North Head and closer to Auckland City – thus provides magnificent views.

**Mount Cambria Reserve** - A volcanic cone that is now a park, having been quarried away for roading, garden walls and ship's ballast.

Victoria Picture Palace/Theatre – built in 1912, oldest cinema in NZ.

Fort Mt Victoria and the Disappearing Gun.

St Francis De Sales Catholic Church, St Paul's

Presbyterian Church, Devonport Cemetery

History: http://www.devonport.co.nz/heritage.htm