

Starting from Glen Innes Train Station:

1. Turn right > into Apirana Avenue
2. Turn left < into Mayfair Place, follow the lane straight ahead to Line Road
3. Turn < into Line Road
4. Turn right > at Glen Innes Library to enter Maybury Reserve
5. Follow path straight ahead
6. Cross Elstree Avenue, turn left < along Elstree Avenue, and turn right > onto footpath alongside the creek
7. Follow the path around to the left < and continue straight ahead.
8. Exit right > into Taniwha Street to cross the stream and immediately turn right > to rejoin the path.
9. Continue towards the mouth of the estuary, and then turn right > to cross the bridge.
10. Follow the path around the headland. As you approach the Reserve and beach, turn right > through the farm gate, and follow the fence line to the farm track. Continue straight ahead along the farm track.
11. Exit the farm track at the gate to the right of the green shed. Turn left < and continue following the farm track.
12. Turn left < into Elstree Avenue.
13. Cross over Elstree Avenue and turn right > into Maybury Street.
14. Cross over Line Road and turn right > to return to Glen Innes Train Station.



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Point England Walk

Description: Mostly level paths. Suitable for users of average fitness and mobility.

To see: Estuary views, boats, wetlands, residential housing, Mt Wellington, Point England Reserve, Maybury Reserve feijoa trees

Time: approx. 80 minutes. (about 7.0 kms)

Parking: Glenn Innes shopping centre

Trains/ Buses: Glen Innes

Journey Planner—<http://www.maxx.co.nz>





Cafés: Glen Innes



Public toilets: Glen Innes Train Station,
Public Library



Children's playgrounds:
Maybury Reserve, Point England Reserve



Dogs: On leash only



Maybury Reserve and Point England
Reserve

Nearby Attractions:

Tahuna Torea, Waiatutua Reserve



This walk offers great views of East Auckland and the Waitemata harbour and passes through bush, mangroves and farmland. This route is a part of the Point to point walkway.

The Point to Point route introduces you to a range of experiences - sandy beaches that lead to panoramic viewpoints, green sports fields that give way to wide stretches of estuary, and intimate nature reserves contrasting with cow-studded country pastures.

Some say the true heart of the Auckland area is the Tamaki Estuary. In days gone by its riches and strategic value were beyond measure, its waters teemed with fish, flocks of birds swarmed the tidal flats and rich shellfish beds were there for the taking. Fertile volcanic soils allowed extensive gardens and cones and bluffs were ideal for defense.

During the early days of Auckland settlement the area was considered to be 'the very heart of the wilds'. As roads and transport grew, residents flocked to the area for its unique character and charm.

The full Point-to-Point walk is about 7.5km long, starting at the popular St Heliers Bay and finishing at Point England. Allow three to four hours. Whatever your age or fitness, you will be able to enjoy some part of the walk.

<http://www.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/EN/parksfacilities/walkingtracks/Pages/pointtopointwalkway.aspx>

