

## Forest Wrecks Challenge #3

# MT COOT-THA

*Yes, in addition to powerful owls and TV towers, Mt Coot-tha has wrecks and [Geoff Peck](#) has mapped them!*


This **Wreck Trek** will take you on a circuit from the Gold Mine picnic area. Your challenge is to use the map and the MapRunF app to find wrecks and ruins, large and small, in the fastest possible time.

### **FREE EVENT**

**LONG** course: visit all 8 wrecks (from 4 km depending on the route you choose).

**SHORT** course: visit any 5 wrecks (from 2 km, but probably longer, to avoid the steep slopes if you try to go straight!)

### **Plan your course**

- [download/print the PDF map](#)
- locate the start/finish  (path junction at Gold Mine picnic area)
- decide in which order you will visit the wrecks (marked X or < and circled)
- you must finish where you started

### **Run/walk the course**

- Run/walk **any day, any time**, respecting any COVID-19 restrictions and other users of the forest
- Use the **MapRun6** app. Enter your name and details
- Select the event in the folder: **Queensland/Brisbane-Ipswich**
- **"Go to start"**
- Make sure your phone beeps at the start location.
- Your phone will beep within a few metres of each wreck.
  - o for fairness, make the effort to find and touch the wreck with your foot 😊
- Your course ends when your phone beeps at the finish (back where you started).
- Your result will upload automatically if you are using data. Otherwise, choose "manual upload" later, when you are connected to wifi.



### **Can you find all the rusty relics?**

**TIP** Most of the wrecks are vehicles, but #31 and #37 are rusted drums (see picture above), while #38 is the entrance to the old Ghost Hole Gold Mine shaft.