Brindle Creek and Booyong Walk - Blue Cord Hike - V1.0 (Antartic Beech to Forest Tops to Sheep Station Creek)

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MAP: Brays Creek 9541-3S

Grid Ref Zone: MGRS 56JNP. **Walking Grade:** 3 (NPSW)

https://www.nationalparks.nsw.gov.au/things-to-do/walking-tracks/brindle-creek-walking-track https://www.nationalparks.nsw.gov.au/things-to-do/walking-tracks/booyong-walking-track

<u>Hike – Day 1 - Antartic Beech to Forest Tops</u>

Approximately **8km** hike with 300m descent and 150m ascent

A popular, well marked walk, through rainforest.

- Start at Antartic Beech (0938 6138)
- The track starts on the opposite of the road from the car park
- Follow the track heading east, then bending south, and then west, before crossing Brindle Creek at 0909 6049
- The path then continues to parallel Brindle Creek in a westerly direction.
- After about 3.5km the track ends in a junction with dirt road at 0673 6092.
- Head west and the south up the dirt track to a junction at 0648 6001
- Head south west along the dirt track about 300m to the Forest Tops campsite at 0626 5986

<u>Hike – Day 2 - Forest Tops to Sheepstation Creek campground</u>

Approximately 8km hike with 600m descent.

A popular, well marked walk, through rainforest.

Not hiked by the author so further details are required.

- Start at Forest Tops Campground (0626 5986)
- There is an interesting loop track at 0230 5848, which will add 2km and 100m ascent/descent to the total hike.
- Finishes at Sheep Station Creek (0221 5710)