

First Turkey MTB Reserve



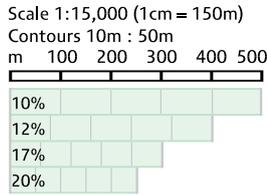
Leper's Leap Trail courtesy of Rocky MTB Club



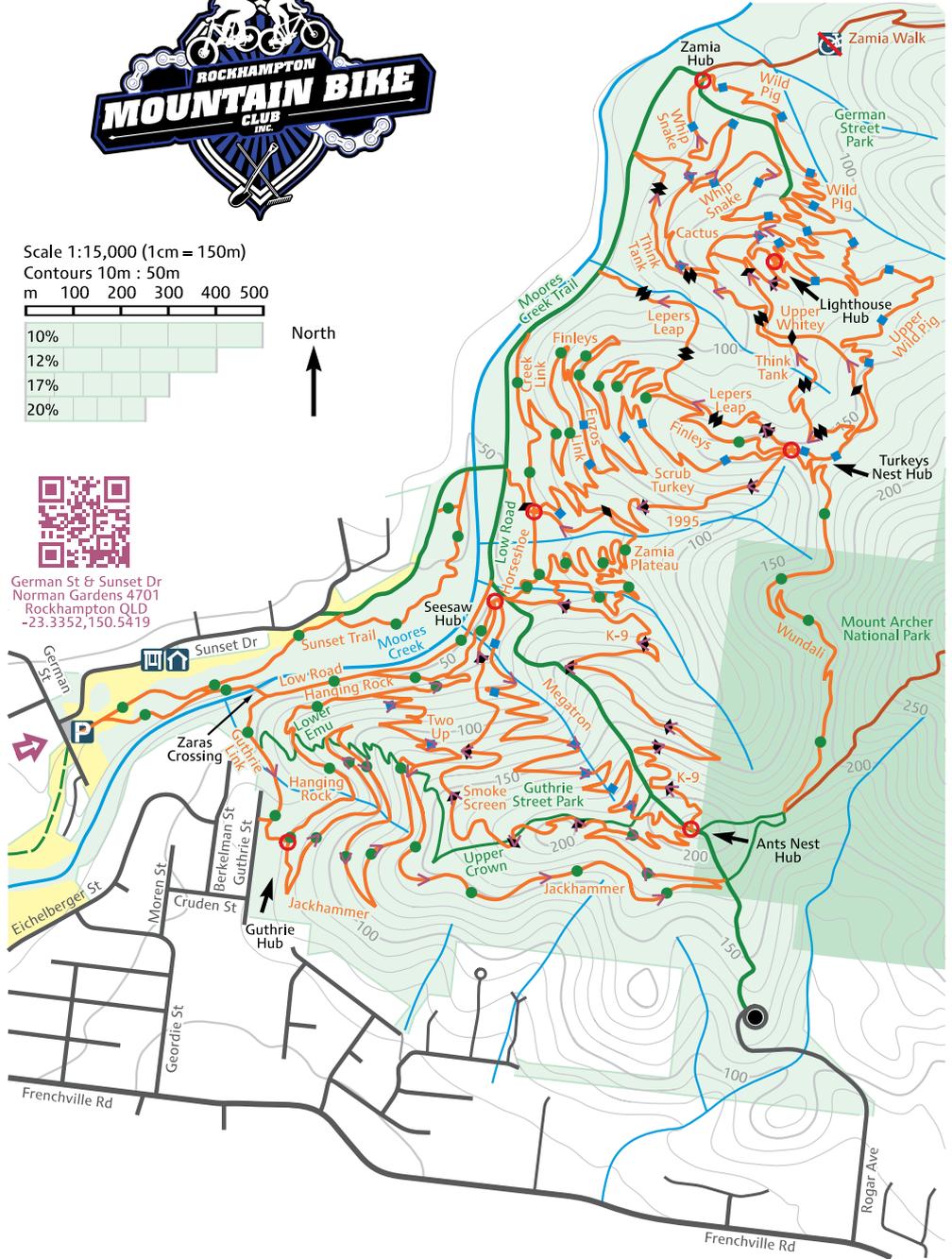
K-9 Trail - 2017 National Gravity Enduro race



1995 Trail courtesy of Rocky MTB Club



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Here are three climbs to trail hubs suggested by the Rockhampton MTB Club which lead to a choice of downhill returning trails.

Climb Jackhammer to Ant's Nest hub, then choose to descend on K-9, Megatron or Smokescreen. Built in May 2017, Jackhammer (3.4km) is the longest and tallest climb, rising 243 metres in elevation.

K-9 (1.7km) is a Black Diamond downhill only trail. Top to bottom hang on and keep your wits about you because K-9 can bite.

Megatron (2km) is rated Blue and is a super flowy, fun descent.

Smokescreen (1.3km) is a Black Diamond downhill with a 10% average gradient. This trail is rough and rocky.

Climb Finley's to Turkey's Nest hub, then choose from six downhill trails.

Rising 123 metres over its 2.4 km length, Finley's is an extremely popular trail with a 4% gradient. Riding up Finley's is a good warm-up to get your day started with plenty of tight switchbacks and single track through native bushland, plus the occasional turkey leaping out of the scrub to keep you on your toes.

Scrub Turkey (1.5km) is a Blue, two-way trail with tight switchbacks, slippery corners and rocky outcrops, making an entertaining descent.

1995 (800m) is one of the original downhill trails at First Turkey and regularly features in Gravity Enduro competitions. A Black Diamond trail with a rating of difficult, 1995 is suited for very experienced riders only. Like all downhill trails at First Turkey, 1995 is strictly one-way and walking up the trail is not allowed.

Leper's Leap (813m) is a Double Black Diamond downhill trail with a rating of extreme. It is a thing of legend and fear, an absolute beast with huge rocky drops that demand your respect. Do not ride this trail unless you are an extremely competent downhill rider and definitely never ride it alone.

Upper Whitey (650m) is a Black rated downhill only trail. One of the original old school trails in Rockhampton it is tight, technical and rocky.

Upper Wild Pig (1.2km) is a Blue trail that winds down through semi evergreen vine thicket and rainforest and pops out into the sunshine at the entrance to the Zamia Walking trail.

Think Tank (1.3km) is a tribute to Double Black Diamond trails that require some thought on line choice, some tough rock rolls and the ability to pedal up a pinch. There's also some fun to be had on a machine built finish that rewards your hard work with some berms and jumps.

Climb Wild Pig (1.1km) a winding Blue trail through dense native bushland that rises from the Zamia Trail hub to the Lighthouse hub.

Cactus (830m) was built in late 2016 and is a one-way Blue downhill trail. It has fast become one of the most popular tracks and is a feature trail for Gravity Enduro competitions. Named for an ominous crop of prickly pear on one of the sweeping berms, Cactus features plenty of drops, berms and jumps.

Whip Snake (1.2km) is Blue rated, downhill only. It is built on loamy soil loaded with jumps, berms and doubles.

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