

Burstall Pass



This is a great hike - fantastic views without a lot of elevation gain and hard work! An ideal hike for new hikers.

A small but mighty group of four ladies thoroughly enjoyed the day in the mountains. The trail is well marked. It was a bit muddy in spots but not overly wet today and no gaiters needed. Burstall Lakes aren't seen from the main trail; however, following the short, well-worn path to view the lakes is worthwhile. The first 4 km is quite flat with most of the 470 m elevation gain occurring in the next 3.5 km hike to the pass. A relaxed pace saw us at the pass after 2.5 hours. After a leisurely lunch and snooze at the pass, we headed back down. Stopping to soak our feet in the glacier stream on the way back down was refreshing. We think this trail would make for a great snow shoeing adventure in winter.

