

Army Bay



## Red Beach/ Tindall's Bay to Army Bay

Route card No. 0020 | Skill level: Strong Beginner | Distance: 20 km | Chart no: NZ5321 | Tidal Port: Auckland

**Start point:** Red Beach or Tindall's Bay

**Finish Point:** Red Beach or Tindall's Bay

**Tidal times/ notes:**

**Coastguard contact:** Dial (09) 303 1303 or \*500 VHF Channel 82 or 16 Nowcasting 21

**Comms coverage:** VHF coverage is limited close in to shore.

Cell phone coverage is good.

### Introduction:

This is a lovely paddle with plenty of easy rock gardening between Tindall's & Army Bay when there is no significant swell.

This paddle is sheltered from any southerly wind. There is sometimes a small surf at Army Bay or Red Beach when there is a northerly swell.

### Hazards:

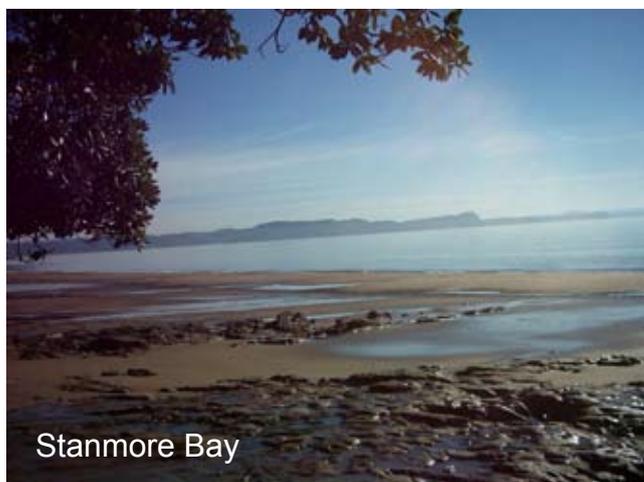
- Surf Landings - Ensure that participants have necessary skills, or choose a sheltered landing spot and/or land one at a time to give assistance as required.
- When rock gardening, wear a helmet if there is any swell.

### Description:

Paddling from Red Beach you can amble your way along the northern shore line of the Whangaparaoa Peninsula, passing Stanmore Bay, Tindalls Beach to Army Bay.

There are plenty of opportunities to stop for lunch.

Paddling slightly beyond Army Bay you can drop a line over at Wellington Rock and the surrounding reef.



Stanmore Bay

#### Please note;

Every care has been taken to ensure the information contained in this Trip Card is correct at the time of publication, but things change and you will need to confirm the information provided. You will also need to get further information to ensure a safe trip, this will include an up to date, relevant weather forecast and the ability to understand its implications for the area and talking to locals in the area to garner new information on any hazards in the area. It is also expected that an appropriate level of knowledge, skills and equipment are required to safely complete the trip. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you are unsure of any information or you find the Trip Card needs updating. Cheers Peter Townend, Yakity Yak Kayak Club. Updated: December 2014