# 5 MONACO LOOP

This is an easy, quiet coastal ride where you could enjoy a family picnic along the waters edge or check out the Honest Lawyer Pub for a snack. Enjoy the coastal views.

#### **GRADE:** Easy

DISTANCE/TIME: 5 kms, (25 minutes) return

CONDITIONS: Off road cycleway, some on-road, mostly flat

**START LOCATION:** Humpback Bridge car park by Nelson Airport. Get there from Bolt Road, turning into Trent Drive towards the airport, a gravelled car park is on the left by the bridge.

## **POINTS OF INTEREST**

Visit the historic Seaview Cemetery. Directions: Halfway between the start point and Monaco, you can go through the underpass (signed and marked) which takes you to the end of Seaview Road. Note, this underpass is prone to flood at high tide. Come up the path and turn right onto Seaview Road. The cemetery is on your left.

## **ROUTE DIRECTIONS**

Go over the humpback bridge and turn right onto the paved track. Where the track splits, keep going straight ahead and continue to Point Road.

Cross carefully to the other side of Point Road and turn right using the dual use path. Cycle down to Martin Street Reserve and choose your direction to cycle around the peninsula. Note, at high tide some parts are impassable.

To return, head back to where you started on Point Road, crossing back to return to the car park over the Humpback bridge.

## LINKS

Connect up with Ride 4 (Old Railway Route).



