



# Woodgreen Walks

12 short walks in one small  
corner of The New Forest





# WELCOME!

Woodgreen Walks are 12 short, circular routes in the small but beautiful corner of the New Forest around Woodgreen. The walks originally featured in Woodgreen Community Shop's 2019 calendar and are now supported by their own website:  
**[walks.woodgreenshop.org](http://walks.woodgreenshop.org)**.

On the website, each route description has a link to a Google Maps version allowing you to navigate with your phone. All the routes can be combined or mixed and matched to make longer walks.



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# No. 1

## The Woodgreen Tour

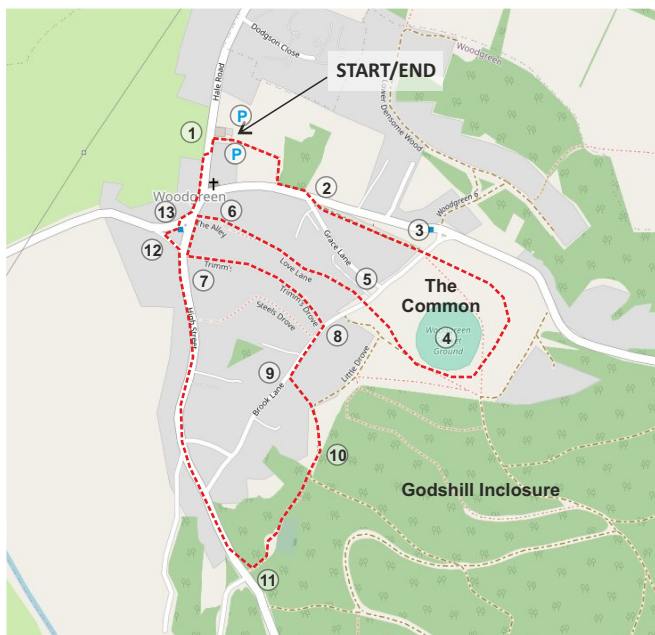
1.8 miles





# Walk 1: The Woodgreen Tour

Distance: 1.8 miles



## Description

A wander around the nooks and crannies of Woodgreen. There's lots of upping and downing but you'll get a true flavour of the village taking in the shop, common, cricket ground and pavilion, two droves, the historic Brook Lane, a stream, wood, the pub, our churches, village hall, and our telephone box museum!

Woodgreen grew into an 'unofficial' village on the edge of the New Forest through encroachment. Resourceful incomers set up their dwellings, often overnight, and fenced off some land to scrape a living. Woodgreen's network of footpaths or droves preserves the imprint of these smallholder strips: The Alley, Love Lane, Grace Lane, Trim's Drove, and Steels Drove all connect the Avon valley with the elevated common to the south east and the forest beyond.

# Walk Start and End

Woodgreen Community Shop

## Parking

Parking available at the Shop or Village Hall (by arrangement).

## Directions

### 1. Shop car park

Take the footpath at the back of the car park.

### 2. Grace Lane

Cross the road to Grace Lane and then continue on the gravel track to the left, up to the Common, with the houses on your right-hand side.



### 3. Brook Lane

Cross the road and continue to the prominent tree (New Forest Tree of the Year 2017).

### 4. Cricket Ground

Make a circuit of Woodgreen's cricket ground and return to Brook Lane.

### 5. Love Lane

Cross the road and climb the stile in the corner by a park bench. Continue down to the High Street.

## **6. High Street**

When you get back to the road, by the pub, turn left and continue along the narrow lane.

## **7. Trimm's Drove**

At the road junction, turn left and climb the stile onto a narrow footpath. Continue back up to Brook Lane.

## **8. Brook Lane again!**

Turn right and continue down the road for 100m.

## **9. Path to Little Drove**

Turn left up a very narrow path and then right as you emerge on Little Drove.

## **10. The Brook**

Continue down to, and cross the brook. Continue up the steep hill opposite into the trees.

## **11. Woodgreen Cemetery**

Walk around the right side of the cemetery and out onto the road. Turn right and continue back down the High Street.

## **12. The High Street again!**

Follow the road around the triangle crossing the grass to the bus shelter and telephone box.

## **13. Telephone Box**

Woodgreen has adopted its telephone box and turned it into a history and information point. Cross the road opposite the pub and carry on back to the shop passing the church and village hall on the way.



# No. 2

## Millersford Brook

2.9 miles



# Walk 2: Millersford Brook

Distance: 2.9 miles



## Description

The route crosses over Castle Hill and follows Millersford Brook out into the open Forest. There's a scramble back up to Lady's Mile and a return through Godshill Inclosure.

Godshill Wood is a small, dispersed hamlet stretched out along the fertile soils either side of Millersford Brook. It takes its name from a wood that was present before the development of Godshill Inclosure. Overlooking the valley are Frankenbury and Castle Hill: two Iron Age hillforts, demonstrating that people have lived and farmed in the area for at least 2000 years. The area is criss-crossed by footpaths, a remnant of its more recent agricultural past.



## Walk Start and End

Junction of Castle Hill and Godshill roads opposite Woodgreen cemetery entrance.

## Parking

Parking at Castle Hill viewpoints or Godshill Wood.

## Directions

### 1. Castle Hill

Take the road over Castle Hill and down to Folds Farm.

### 2. Folds Farm junction

Continue round to the left on the road past the turning to Folds Farm.

### 3. Arden Lodge

Leave the road, taking the track on the right past Arden Lodge.



### 4. Brook Cottage

Continue past Brook Cottage, taking the footbridge to the right.

### 5. Footpath

Continue on the footpath into a field with the brook on your left side.

### 6. Footbridge

Just as you get under the power lines, bear left,

crossing the brook over a footbridge. Follow the brook through the field.



## **7. Track**

Cross a track and take a stile into another field. Follow the hedge to the left and, keeping to the margins of the field, continue to the road. Take care here as the path is uneven, traverses a steep bank, and is hemmed in by an electrified fence.

## **8. Ford**

Cross the road by the ford and take the track opposite.

## **9. Open Forest**

At the end of the track, continue onto the open Forest keeping close to the fence-line.

## **10. Scramble!**

At the end of the fence line take the path up the hill to the left. Bear left towards the car park.

## **11. Godshill Inclosure**

Go through the gate at the right-hand side of the car park.

## **12. Cycle track**

Cross over the cycle track to the footpath opposite. Within a few metres, bear left as the footpath forks.

## **13. Road**

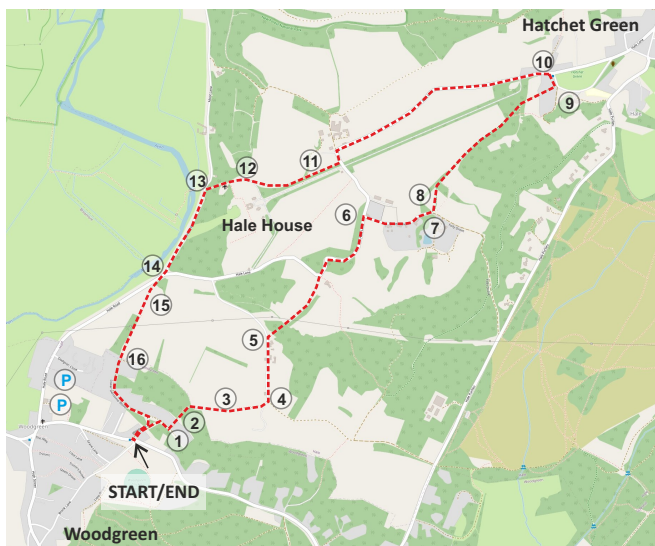
Turn right through the gate and return to the starting point.

No. 3  
Hale Park  
3.6 miles



## Walk 3: Hale Park

Distance: 3.6 miles



## Description

A walk around Hale Park and its surroundings. The route passes through Densome Wood, continuing to Higher End Farm. The route then crosses to Hale Road, passing the Picket Well and taking the back roads to Hatchett Green and returning past Hale House and Church.

Hale House was built in 1715 by Thomas Archer, and he is most likely to have been responsible for laying out the surrounding formal gardens. From the entrance lodge, erected in 1923, a double avenue of four staggered rows of limes known as The Straight, runs to the front of the house.

On the edge of the estate, on the right-hand side of Hale Lane going down towards Woodgreen there is a tall brick cone that caps 'Picket Well'. It sits alongside and slightly below a pond in the Park itself from where water was taken to the stables.



# Walk Start and End

Entrance to Densome Wood opposite post box.

## Parking

Parking at Shop or Village Hall (by arrangement).

## Directions

### 1. Right at junction

Enter Densome Wood and take the gravel track to the right. After 40m, take the footpath on the left between the houses.

### 2. Bluebell Wood

Follow the path down to the stream and then up to the gate into the field.

### 3. Path to Higher End

Cross the field with the fence on your left. Go over the stile on the left into the next field. Cross the field diagonally keeping the trees on your right side. At the far end, there's a stile out onto the track. Bear left down the road.

### 4. Ferny Homet

Just past Ferny Homet, take the footpath to the right, descending through the wood, crossing a bridge, and then heading up a field alongside the stream.

### 5. Picket Well

Walk up the road to see Picket Well on the first corner. Continue along the road.





## **6. Walled Garden**

Take the right turn into Queen Street just before the estate's old walled garden.

## **7. Queen Street**

At the end of Queen Street, take the footpath on the left hand side opposite the large gates.

## **8. Hale Farm**

Cross the field diagonally to a gate alongside a small barn on quorn stones. Continue through the yard and along the track. Go through the gate and continue on a narrow path with Hale Park on your left.

## **9. Hatchet Green**

Continue on the track to Hatchet Green.

## **10. Hale Lane**

Turn left, and left again, back down Hale Road towards Woodgreen.

## **11. Hale House**

Take the footpath on the right through the white gate, alongside the main avenue to Hale House.

## **12. Hale Church**

Continue on the path as it curves away to the right, away from Hale House, and descends through a wood to Hale Church.

## **13. Moot Lane**

Continue down the path and turn left onto Moot Lane, opposite Cow Bridge.

## **14. Hale Road**

Go straight on at the junction and after 20m bear left again up a track and crossing a stile back onto the Avon Valley Path.

## **15. Avon Valley Path**

Cross the fields keeping the fence on your right side. Take the stile out of the field onto the track.

## **16. Lower Densome Wood**

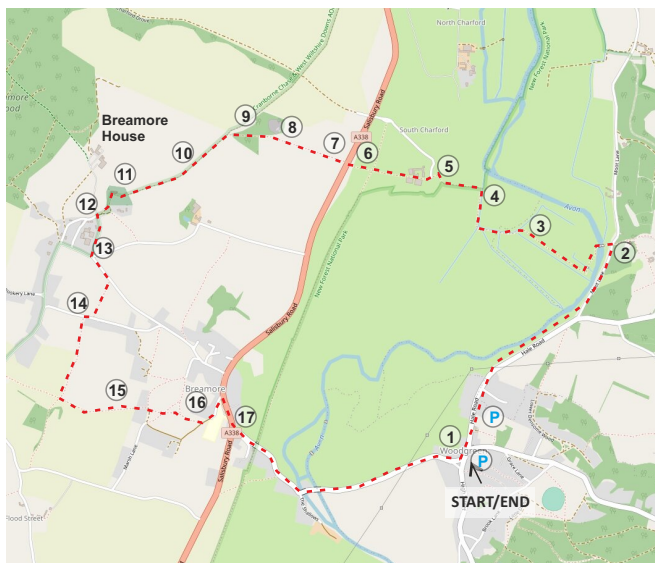
Continue up the track and bear right at the top returning to your starting point.

No. 4  
Breamore  
4.9 miles



# Walk 4: Breamore

Distance: 4.9 miles



## Description

A walk across the Avon Valley's watermeadows from Cow Bridge to Breamore Church, returning to Woodgreen by Breamore Marsh and the Mill.

The watermeadow channels were originally cut in the 1690s to carry water onto the pasture. It had been learned that a steady flow of water protected grass from frost during the Spring, promoting a valuable early crop of hay and extra yields through the year. The Avon Valley from Salisbury to Christchurch was extensively developed at this time and was perhaps even canalised to bring sea trade directly into Harnham.

# Walk Start and End

The Horse and Groom pub.

## Parking

Parking at Pub, Shop or Village Hall (by arrangement).

## Directions

### 1. Hale Road

Head north along Hale Road, past the Church, Village Hall and Shop. Turn left at the junction onto Moot Lane.

### 2. Cow Bridge

Go left over Cow Bridge and climb the stile into the field on the other side. Follow the track over two small wooden bridges and then bear right before the next one.

### 3. Watermeadows

Bear left at the far end of the watermeadows and follow the fence line over bridges and weirs to a track.

### 4. South Charford Farm

Follow the track and turn left, opposite a bridge, through a field to South Charford Farm.

### 5. Farmyard

Turn right and then left and continue through the farmyard, between barns, passing through a gate into a field at the far side. Cross the field to a stile and go through the two gates crossing the old Downton-Breamore railway line.

### 6. Small Bridge

Cross the next field in the same direction to a small bridge. Cross this and the small road. Continue through the hedge carefully to the A338.

### 7. A338

CAREFUL! Traffic is moving very quickly along this stretch of road. When it is safe to do so, cross the road and go through the gate opposite.

## **8. Gate**

Cross the field to the gate and then continue along the same line to another gate on the far side of the next field into the wood.

## **9. Yarnfield Wood**

Bear left through the gate and follow the path. This can be overgrown with nettles.

## **10. Gates**

Continue through the gate and cross the field keeping the fence on your right. Continue through the next gate and head for another gate on the far side of the field. Carry on across the field to the church.

## **11. Breamore Church**

Go through the gate into the churchyard. Continue around the path to the main entrance.

## **12. Road**

Walk along the track and then take the road opposite the main gate away from Breamore House

## **13. Crossroads**

Cross the road and continue. Look out for a stile on the right. Take the footpath across the field to another road. Turn right and continue up the road for 50m.

## **14. Footpath**

Turn left along the path and continue across the field. Turn left at the end and continue around the edge of the field.

## **15. Breamore Marsh**

Cross the marsh around the right boundary of the cricket ground and continue to Breamore School.

## **16. Breamore School**

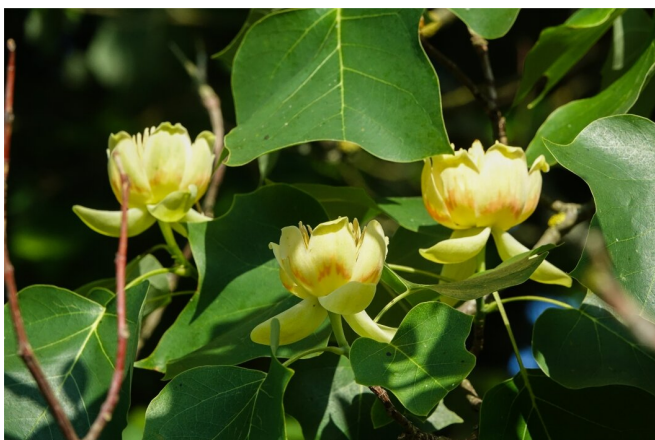
Join the track and continue past the school to the A338. Cross the road and walk past the Bat and Ball to the Woodgreen road junction.

## **17. Woodgreen turning**

Take the road to the right of the railway bridge, past Breamore Station, rejoining the road back to Woodgreen.

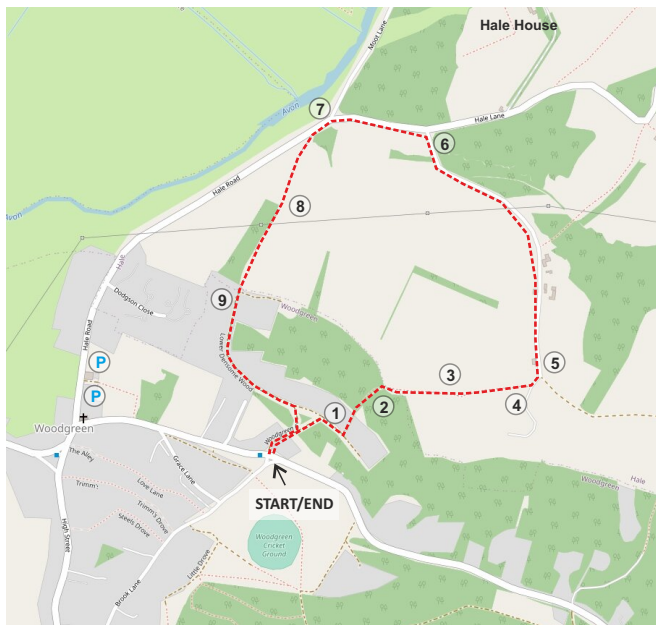


No. 5  
Densome Wood  
and Higher End  
1.5 miles



# Walk 5: Densome Wood and Higher End

Distance: 1.5 miles



## Description

A short walk starting at the postbox on Woodgreen Common. The route passes through Densome Wood (excellent for bluebells in early May), continuing to Higher End Farm (passing a Tulip Tree - in flower from mid-June) and then returning along Higher End Lane (stop and admire the old bridge) and the Avon Valley Path.

This area was originally part of the Hale Park Estate. Both the farm and Densome Wood were sold during the 1920s and 30s with the latter being developed for housing as more townsfolk began to move to the country.

## Walk Start and End

Entrance to Densome Wood opposite post box.

## Parking

Parking at Shop or Village Hall (by arrangement).

## Directions

### 1. Junction

Enter Densome Wood and take the track to the right. After 40m, take the footpath on the left.

### 2. Bluebell Wood

Follow the path down to the stream and then up to the gate into the field.

### 3. Field

Cross the field keeping the fence on your left. Go over the stile on the left into the next field.

### 4. Tulip Tree

Cross the field diagonally keeping the trees on your right. The second tree is a tulip tree: a type of magnolia with yellow-green flowers in June and distinctive, large, four-lobed leaves which turn yellow in Autumn.

### 5. Higher End Lane

At the far corner of the field, take the stile out onto the track. Bear left down the road.



## **6. Hale Lane**

Continue down the road, crossing an old bridge. Bear left at the junction down Hale Lane.

## **7. Hale Road**

Bear left at the junction and after 40m bear left again up a track and crossing a stile onto the Avon Valley Path.

## **8. Avon Valley Path**

Cross the fields keeping the fence on your right side. Take the stile out of the field onto the track.

## **9. Lower Densome Wood**

Continue up the track and bear right at the top returning to your starting point.





No. 6  
The Railway and  
Avon Valley  
4.2 miles





# Walk 6: The Railway and Avon Valley

Distance: 4.2 miles



## Description

A walk visiting the Mill Bridges, Breamore Station and continuing along the line of the railway to Burgate Cross. From Burgate Manor Farm, the route crosses the watermeadows to Folds Farm and then back to Woodgreen over Castle Hill.

The route follows a 2-mile section of the disused railway line from Breamore which was opened as a public footpath in 2012. Another path through Lower Burgate Farm crosses the Avon via a steel suspension bridge erected in 1949-50 (and made from reused parts of a Bailey bridge) allowing a return via Folds Farm and Castle Hill.

# Walk Start and End

Telephone box/bus shelter.

## Parking

Parking at Shop or Village Hall (by arrangement), and Castle Hill viewpoint.

## Directions

### 1. Breamore Road

Take the Breamore Road over the Mill bridges



### 2. Breamore Arch railway bridge

Take the gravel track down the left side of the bridge. Access the railway line down a narrow path on the right side of a barn.

### 3. Railway path

Turn left along the path, passing the old station and platforms.

### 4. Burgate Cross

After about a mile, at the end of the path, cross the A338 to the pavement on the far side. Continue to Burgate.

## **6. Bridge**

Pass through the farm and, opposite the final barn on the right, take the path on the left to the suspension bridge over the Avon.



## **7. Watermeadows**

Go through the gate on the far side of the bridge and follow the path across the watermeadows to Folds Farm.

## **8. Folds Farm**

Continue through the farm gate, over a cattlegrid, out onto a gravel track.

## **9. Castle Hill road**

Turn left, initially on a gravel track and then onto a tarmac road up to Castle Hill.

## **10. High Street**

Turn left at the junction and return to the starting



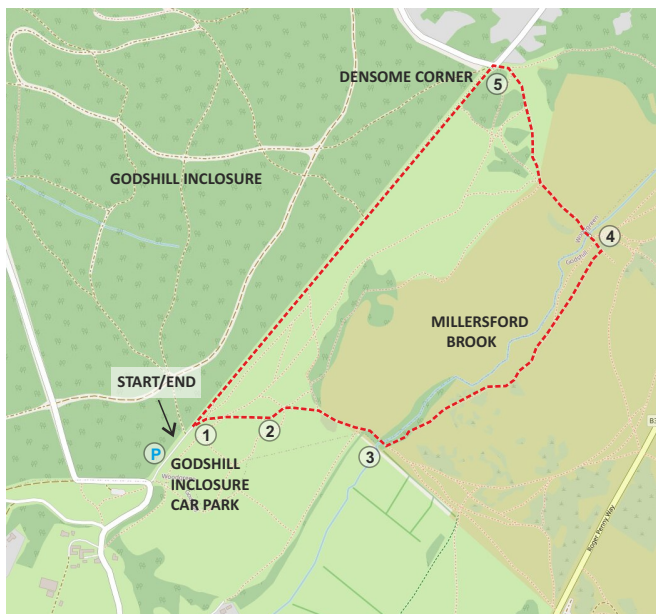
No. 7  
Millersford  
Bottom  
1.8 miles





# Walk 7: Millersford Bottom

Distance: 1.8 miles



## Description

Millersford Bottom is one of the many deeply-cut valleys that run through the New Forest plateau. Here, streams have washed away the upper gravel layers and exposed the older geological sands.

The valley was one of only seven areas in the New Forest set aside by the Forestry Commission in 1927 for gypsies to set up camp and was affectionately known as Tin Tin Bottom. A review in 1947 concluded that the gypsies were living in appalling conditions “hardly reaching the standards of the Stone Age”. The last gypsy family was forcibly moved off the Forest in 1963.

Note: This area can be very boggy and slippery after wet weather.



# Walk Start and End

Godshill Inclosure car park.

## Parking

Godshill Inclosure car park.

## Directions

### 1. Car Park

Walk to the end of the car park and bear slightly to the right away from the trees.

### 2. Descend to Valley

There are several paths leading off the ridge towards the valley bottom and the bridge across Millersford Brook.



### 3. Bridge

Cross the bridge and turn left, following the stream. There isn't an obvious path along Millerford Bottom and it can be very boggy and slippery after wet weather. In summer, it is possible to follow the stream but in winter it is best to walk a little further away, up the slope.

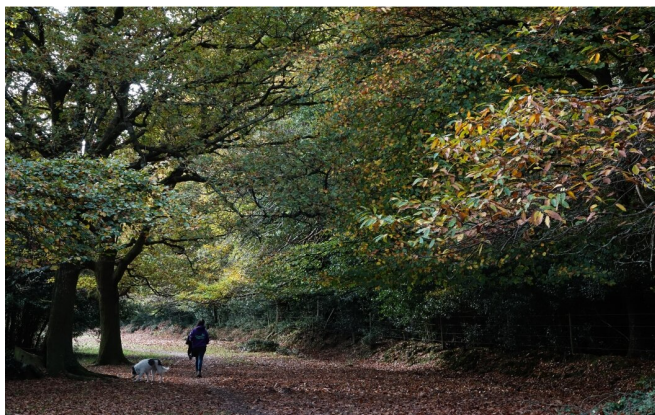
#### 4. Second Bridge

700m from the first bridge, look out for another footbridge and follow the path up to Densome Corner.



#### 5. Lady's Mile

At the top of the ridge, turn left and follow the edge of the wood back to the car park.



No. 8  
Hale Purlieu  
2.9 miles



# Walk 8: Hale Purlieu

Distance: 2.9 miles



## Description

A walk starting at the car park by Warren Farm and then heading out across Hale Purlieu before returning through Stricklands Plantation.

Hale Purlieu is a National Trust common. It is a site of special interest for mammals, birds, reptiles and invertebrates which inhabit both the heathland and the wet bog areas. Important breeding populations of butterflies, moths, beetles and dragonflies can be found here. For centuries this area was “disafforested” (the meaning of “purlieu”) and not subject to forest law. It was brought within the boundary of the New Forest in 1964.



# Walk Start and End

Warren Farm Car Park.

## Parking

Warren Farm Car Park.

## Directions

### 1. Warren Farm Car Park

From the back of the car park, head half-right down into the valley along one of the many paths, aiming for the treeline.



### 2. Ford

Turn left along a path which follows the treeline. Cross the ford and head up the hill with the treeline on your right.

### 3. Gravel Track

At the top of the slope, turn left along a gravel track heading towards the pylons.

### 4. Another ford!

After passing under the power lines, the track gently descends to another ford. The track turns left and heads up towards some the trees. Stay on this track, with the fence on your right, until it reaches the road.

### 5. Road

Turn right along the road.



## **6. Gate**

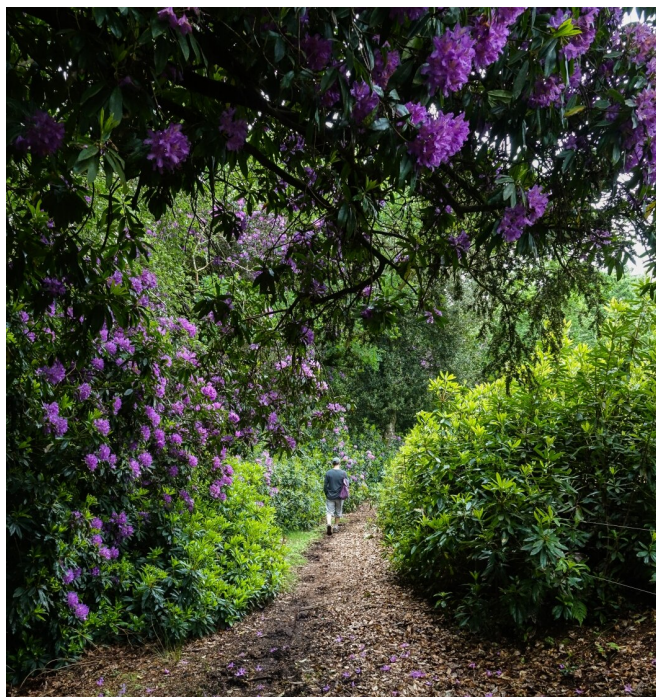
Look for a gate on the left just before the road bottoms out in the dip. Go through the gate onto the bridlepath.

## **7. Crossroads**

The path crosses another track (a by-way). Go straight ahead.

## **8. Pylon**

The path goes straight underneath a pylon and then descends through rhododendron bushes.



## **9. Homet**

The path emerges from Stricklands Plantation onto a track beside 'Homet'. Bear left up the drive.

## **10. Track**

At the top of the drive, turn left along a wide gravel track.

## **11. Road**

Across a cattlegrid, the track rejoins the road. Turn left and head back to the car park.

No. 9  
Millersford Copse  
3.4 miles



# Walk 9: Millersford Copse

Distance: 3.4 miles



## Description

A walk starting at Woodgreen Common. The route heads up to Lady's Mile and then drops down into Millersford Bottom. You'll then follow the stream to Miller's Ford itself and then head up to Hale Purlieu through Millersford Copse. (NOTE: the terrain can be very boggy and slippery after wet weather – not a walk for trainers!).

Millersford Plantation, to the south east of Hale Purlieu, is comprised of Scots Pine and Spruce. It is now being cleared of conifers and reclaimed as heathland. Millersford Copse in the south west of the Plantation is a small pocket of deciduous woodland. Miller's Ford itself was an important crossing point across the marshy valley providing access between Woodgreen and, as the name suggests, Breamore Mill and all points south and east.

# Walk Start and End

Woodgreen Common.

## Parking

Warren Farm, Godshill Inclosure or  
Deadman Hill Car Parks.

## Directions

### 1. Woodgreen Common

Enter Godshill Inclosure through the gate in the far corner past the cricket pavilion.



### 2. 5-way junction

The path descends to a 5-way junction: take the second exit which is essentially straight on.

### 3. T-junction

After 300m, turn left onto a gravel track.

### 4. Cycle track

After 150m, the track emerges in a wide clearing and joins a wide cycle track. Turn right for 20m and then take the path on the left.

### 5. Lady's Mile

The path reaches a gate leading out of the woods onto Lady's Mile. There are many minor paths here, aim half-left and continue in this direction down the slope.



## **6. Track**

After 300m, take a half right onto a track heading to the footbridge in the valley.

## **7. Footbridge**

Cross the footbridge and follow the stream to the left.

## **8. Fords**

Continue past the first ford and cross the stream at the second ford, 140m further on.



## **9. Millersford Copse**

With a small wood on your left, take the footpath to a gravelled forest road. Turn left on this and continue through the wood for 380m. Look out for a footpath on your left, just before you emerge from the wood.

## **10. Footpath**

Take the footpath back into the wood for another 200m.

## **11. Hale Purlieu**

As you emerge from the wood, take a sharp left and follow the track up to Hale Purlieu.

## **12. Road**

Turn left along the road for a short distance and then take the track on the right.

## **13. Footpath**

Just past a junction on the right, look out for a stile on the left. Go over this and cross the field to another stile in the far right corner. Continue on this path through a wood until it reaches the road.

## **14. Godshill Wood Cottage**

Turn right and return to Woodgreen Common.



# No. 10

## Castle Hill and Godshill

4.1 miles



# Walk 10: Castle Hill and Godshill

Distance: 4.1 miles



## Description

Castle Hill has always been seen as a strategic, and picturesque, viewpoint. The fine views over the Avon Valley and the easy access to the Forest has led to Castle Hill being a tourist attraction for the last 200 years. Godshill is a dispersed settlement of about 210 households with a village hall, St Giles church and 'The Fighting Cocks' pub. It also incorporates the Sandy Balls holiday park but most of the large parish of Godshill is Crown land and open forest.

# Walk Start and End

Junction of Castle Hill and Godshill roads.

## Parking

Castle Hill or Godshill Wood car parks.

## Directions

### 1. Castle Hill

Start the walk by taking the road to Castle Hill and then down to Folds Farm.



### 2. Folds Farm

Pass over the Cattle Grid into Folds Farm. Turn left onto a rising track just past the greenhouses.

### 3. Godshill Wood

Follow winding track up onto ridge with views across Godshill Wood to the left.

### 4. Long Ground Copse

Bear slightly right on same track past house between tall hedges.

### 5. Sandy Balls

Go through gate into camping field when track swings right to Sandy Balls.

### 6. Gate

Leave camping field through gate into field. Follow fence line on right to road.

## **7. Godshill Road**

Turn right up road.

## **8. The Fighting Cocks**

Turn left onto track (Purlieu Lane) behind Fighting Cocks. Detour permitted to pub!



## **9. Open Forest**

Continue on track and through gate onto Open Forest. Turn left and follow fence line on left.

## **10. Millersford Brook**

Cross bridge and continue up slope along well-worn path.

## **11. Small Wood**

Just past start of small wood on right, bear right and continue up slope. Head towards main track (Lady's Mile). There are many tracks to choose from!

## **12. Godshill Inclosure**

Follow Lady's Mile and turn left through gate into Inclosure. Path in wood can be muddy.

## **13. Cycle Track**

Path meets cycle track. Turn right and then left on wide track.

## **14. Track Crossroads**

As track levels out and swings right, take less distinct footpath straight on. Gate takes you out onto road and your starting point.



No. 11  
Godshill Inclosure  
3.3 miles





# Walk 11: Godshill Inclosure

Distance: 3.3 miles



## Description

A circuit under tree cover through Godshill Wood and Godshill Inclosure starting and finishing at the Common.

Godshill Inclosure was first enclosed in 1810. It was originally planted with Oak and Beech and some of these trees still exist around the fringes and on each side of the dividing road. In the 1900s it was underplanted with other broadleaves, predominantly Sweet Chestnut and Beech, with Scots Pine and Larch being introduced along the eastern fringes. More extensive areas were cleared and planted with conifers in the 1950s and 1960s on the higher ground in the core of the wood.

# Walk Start and End

Woodgreen Common.

## Parking

Castle Hill or Godshill Wood car parks

Village Hall or Woodgreen Community Shop (by arrangement).

## Directions

### 1. Woodgreen Common

From the Common, turn left along Brook Lane.

### 2. Godshill Road

At the end of Brook Lane, turn left up the hill.



### 3. Castle Hill turning

Turn right on the road to Castle Hill and continue to the first parking area.

### 4. Godshill Wood

Go through the gate opposite the parking area and follow the path for about 300m.

### 5. Junction of paths

Just after the path dips down and back up out of a muddy patch, take the right turn. Follow this path down and back up again.

### 6. Left turn

The path climbs back up and joins a wider path. Turn left along this track and continue along it to the road.



## **7. Godshill Inclosure**

Cross the road to the wide path opposite. Continue on this path for 900m to an obvious junction in a clearing.

## **8. Crossroads**

Take the wide left turning at a clearing. Follow the track down the hill.



## **9. Path Crossing**

After about 900m, as the track levels out, it reaches a crossroads of paths. Take the wider track on the right.

## **10. 5-way Crossing**

Stay on the main track as it winds round to the left and back up to the Common.

# No. 12

## Hampton Ridge and Pitts Wood

4.8 miles





# Walk 12: Hampton Ridge and Pitts Wood

Distance: 4.8 miles



## Description

A walk from Godshill cricket ground car park across to Hampton Ridge, visiting some of the relics from its time as a bombing range in the 1940s, and returning, with a wander through Pitts Wood, along Ashley Walk.

It's hard to believe now, but Ashley Walk was a bombing range in the 1940s. In fact, the largest bomb ever dropped on the British Isles fell just outside the south-east corner of Pitts Wood. Now, it's an area of remote heath where rare birds nest and ponies graze undisturbed.

# Walk Start and End

Godshill Cricket Ground Car Park

## Parking

Godshill Cricket Ground or Ashley Walk Car Parks

## Directions

### 1. Godshill Cricket Ground

Cross the cricket ground and take the track over to Pitts Wood.



### 2. Pitts Wood

Skirt around the western end of Pitts Wood and then take the track up towards the high point of Hampton Ridge.

### 3. Hampton Ridge

Take a track contouring around to the left and follow this around, over the cycle track and to the concrete 'arrow'.

### 4. Target Marker

Large concrete arrow showing the way to a bombing target.

### 5. Hampton Ridge

Return to the cycle track and follow it east for half a mile.

## **6. Line Target**

Turn up the dead-straight line target (made to give the bombing crews practice at hitting railway lines) towards the 'submarine pen'.



## **7. Submarine Pen**

Buried under the mound is a concrete bombing target – considered too difficult to break up and remove.

## **8. Pitts Wood**

Take the left track into Pitts Wood and follow it as it loops around back to the Ashley Walk track.

## **9. Ashley Walk**

Turn left out of the wood and follow the track back towards the Ashley Walk car park.

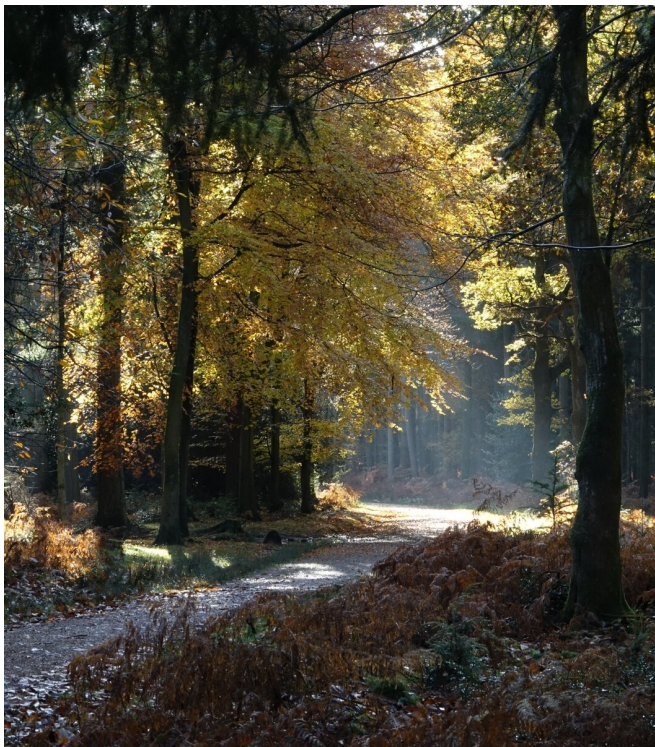
## **10. Ditchend Brook**

Turn left, just over the brook, and take the track back up to the car park.









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