

WALK 1

This walk is suitable for lightweight pushchairs if they can be carried on field paths.

Time: approx 1.25 hours.

Distance: approx 3 miles.

Starting point is at the junction of Rainsford Road and Pennington Lane (A).

Walk the length of Pennington Lane in a northerly direction to B1383. Cross the B1383 and walk along bridleway BR28 Ugley along the northern side of the field; turn right at eastern side of field along FP16 and walk in a southerly direction, through a spinney behind the rifle range and Auction Rooms and into Alsa Street.

(B) Turn right and walk approx 200 paces and then left at the fingerpost onto FP17 along eastern side of field, through spinney then along western side of field to Gall End.

At this point turn right onto FP19 towards High Lane, over a stile. On reaching High Lane, turn left and walk approx 150 paces, cross High Lane and take FP13 to Norman's Way and then to the B1383.

Turn right for approx 50 paces, cross the B1383 and follow Croasdaile Road into Gilbey Crescent and at northern end take footpath (C) back into Croasdaile Road, turn left then left again into Rainsford Road and back to your starting point.

This walk can easily be shortened – at (B) in the directions, amend to read: continue in westerly direction to the B1383, turn left along that road, cross over at Walpole Farm and take FP12 along southern boundary of farm, leading to Pennington Lane.

