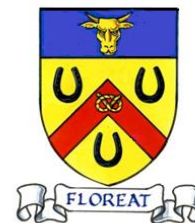


U WALK - 3-MILE (3.107) CIRCULAR WALK



One of a series of local walks to enjoy our wonderful countryside.

Field paths can be a bit muddy and there are stiles. Keep your dog on a lead and take dog-poo bags and litter with you to the nearest bin.



Starting at the War Memorial, walk towards St Mary's The Virgin C of E Church, keeping to the left, following the road with the Church on the right.



At Silver Street, use the pedestrian crossing and continue towards the Alleyne's High School and Dove Bank.



Half way down on the left is a footpath that goes between Thomas Alleyne's High School and its playing fields. Continue on the footpath until the end at Eaton Street. Proceed right and then continue straight on through a path with trees located to the right. At the end of the path, proceed right, then left after the garages to a tarmac path.



Continue through a play area along the tarmac path, with playing fields to the right, to reach the former railway line. In a short distance, ignore the first footpath to the left. Soon after, take the next left path up a short incline leading to the road.



Proceed right along Park Avenue and continue to Ashbourne Road. Follow the pavement around to the Uttoxeter A50 Bypass, to the walk/cycle path. Continue along the path, to the Water Bridge/Premier Inn & Uttoxeter Services (right hand side).



Cross over the Derby Road (with care), and continue towards Doveridge.





After a quarter of a mile, turn right over the stile, proceed over the track and over another stile to a raised footpath. This leads to Dove Walk via a kissing gate. Keeping the cottages to the left follow the road to a mini roundabout.

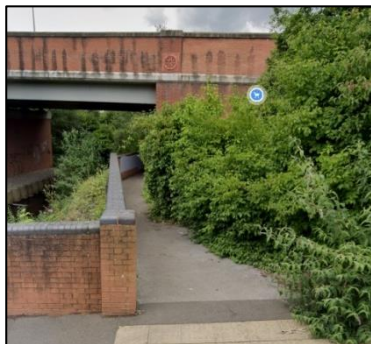
Continue on the pavement round to the left along Dovefields Industrial Estate to the end and onto the overflow car park for Uttoxeter Racecourse.



Turn right along the wide track with the stream (Picknalls Brook) on the left.



Continue through the iron gate and follow the brook and cross over it on the small bridge. Keep the brook to the right and continue straight on the pathway around Waitrose. Continue over the road and along the wide pavement up Bridge Street to return to the War Memorial.



'Look out for wildlife as you walk - please report sightings on the iRecord App on your phone, or by email to records@staffs-ecology.org.uk '

If you want to walk further and would like more information on joining Uttoxeter Walking Club, please see the following link <https://www.utttoxeterwalkingclub.co.uk>