

Emergency number during event – 07775 296 585**NEW ROUTE FOR 2013 – BEWARE THERE ARE MANY CHANGES FROM PREVIOUS VERSION**

Abbreviations: **L** = Left, **R** = Right, **TL** = Turn Left, **TR** = Turn Right, **BL** = Bear Left, **BR** = Bear Right, **AH** = Ahead, **X** = Cross, **thru** = through, immed = immediately, FP = footpath, BW = bridleway, KG = kissing gate, WM = waymark post, YTP = yellow topped post, FB = footbridge, RD = road, jnt = junction, trk = track, encl = encl
CW = Chiltern Way, JBT = John Bunyan Trail, TMHT = Two Moors Heritage trail.
GRW = Greensand Ridge Walk, CP = checkpoint, m = metres, KM = kilometres, CB:320 = compass bearing 320

Each paragraph starts with distance (0.5M) in miles and a six figure grid reference.

0.0M TL 082 306 Barton Village Hall

Leave Barton Village Hall site & **TR** on pavement. At NO ENTRY RD signs **BR** to pass the Café Goa on R. At mini roundabout **X RD** & **AH** into Sharpenhoe Road on R hand pavement. In 500m, immed after bridge, **TR** down steps.

0.5M TL 076 307 **BR** to culvert and **BL** with stream on R. In 30m enter field and immed $\frac{1}{2}$ **L** (CB:300) **X** field to WM at drive. **X** drive to go **thru** KG. **BR** (CB:280) pass tree to KG in corner, **thru**. **AH** on narrow path, over x track, to field. **X** field (CB:240) aiming just L of 4th electric pole to WM at FB. **X** FB & **TR** on encl trk to main RD.

1.1M TL 067 306 **TR** on grass verge, **X** RD when safe. 80m after speed restriction sign, at FP sign(CW), **TL** uphill. At WM in corner **AH** to climb steps. At Y jnt (steps to L) **BR** to WM(CW) at fence. Skirt woods on narrow path with wire fence on R. In 300m **AH** with open area on L to meet grass trk from L. **AH** 20m to WM(CW/JBT) where **TR** down steps. Follow path until you reach Tjnt at WM (CW/JBT) where **TR** on tarmac. **Thru** metal gate, then **thru** wooden gate to reach RD.

2.0M TL 065 295 $\frac{1}{2}$ **L** **X** RD, climb steps and **thru** KG. $\frac{1}{2}$ **L** (CB:180) **X** field to KG. **Thru** and **AH** to WM (JBT/CW). **AH** with wire fence on L. At end of fence **TR** and in 5m at WM (JBT/CW) **BL** on path thru woods. In 300m pass WM and in 30m at next WM **TR** (CB:20) down short then long flights of steps. In 150m exit wood, **X** trk and enter field.

2.6M TL 061 292 **AH** hedge on R for 400m to reach and **X** FB on R. **AH** hedge on R for 250m to WM at gap/bridge on R. **X** bridge and immed **TL**, hedge now on L. In 1KM at WM **TL** to **X** FB and **TL** with hedge/ stream on L. In 400m **X** FB to RD.

3.9M TL 046 303 **X** RD and pass gate. **AH** with hedge on R for 150m to WM at gap, **thru** and **TL**, hedge on L. At next WM **X** FB and immed **TR**. In 75m at WM **BL** **X** field(CB:270). At far side, **BL** **X** FB and **AH** on encl path. At RD **X** and **TR**. In 120m arrive at CP.

4.6M TL 037 302

CP 1 The Old Sun Harlington
Opens 09.30 Closes 11.00

Exit CP and **TL** uphill. At Carpenters Arms, immed after large white stone, **X** RD and **TL**. At war memorial **TR** into Church Road. At RD corner by FP sign(JBT), **BR** onto tarmac path. **AH** 100m and **TL** after rubbish bin behind seats. At next rubbish bin **BR** over FB. **X** RD into Lincoln Way opposite. At 2nd RD on L, Monmouth Road, **TL**. At Tjnt **TR** and in 60m, by house number 106, **X** RD.

5.3M TL 040 309 Enter encl path by dog bin(JBT). At end of encl path **AH** fence on R. At field corner **thru** barrier and immed **TL**. In 240m as hedge turns R go **thru** gap (JBT signs). **AH** with hedge on L. When hedge turns L **BR** (CB:315) **X** field. **Thru** gap in hedge and **AH** (CB:340) to meet hedge on R, **BL**. When hedge ends **AH** across field, thru trees and at field **BL**. At metal fence **TR** to RD.

Do not follow 26/18 mile route which turns left here.

6.4M TL 036 323 **TR** initially uphill. In 500m at multi jnt **TL** still on RD. In 400m at next jnt with WM **BL** onto BW(JBT)/trk leaving RD. In 50m at WM **TR** on encl BW. At end of encl path **AH** uphill, hedge on R. In 350m at WM **TR** thru gate. Follow encl path **thru** second gate. **AH** and in 400m reach RD.

7.6M TL 052 331 **TL** on trk with wall on L and in 120m pass WM. In 100m pass another WM and 50m later at x trk WM **TR**(CB:070) to **X** field. On far side at WM **X** FB. **AH** with wire fence on R. In corner **thru** KG, **X** FB and **TL**. In 50m **TR** with fence, pass WM. At end of field **thru** gate to RD where **TR**.

26/18 mile routes rejoin here.

At Tjnt **TR** and in 200m reach CP4 on L.

8.7M TL 061 337 **CP 4 Pulloxhill Church Hall**
Opens 11.00 **Closes 17.00**

From CP **TL** on RD and in 150m **TL** into Blackhill Lane. Pass to L of barrier and follow main trk as it turns L downhill. At trk Tjnt **AH thru** KG and **X** field to go **thru** 2nd KG. Pass buildings on R and **thru** gate on trk. In 1.1Km at WM and low parish stone on R, **TR** over FB.

10.1M TL 074 325 **X** field (CB:140) to WM on far side. **AH** to **X** FB and **TR**. In 200m pass WM and **AH** 170m to RD. **TR** on pavement.

10.7M TL 076 316 In 70m **X** road to FP sign & **thru** gap in hedge. **X** field (CB:200) to WM, **thru** trees, **X** FB to field. **AH** with hedge on R. In corner **TL** with hedge on R. In 250m, at gravel path **TR**. In 200m **TL** over FB and **TR**. In 180m at WM **TR** and in 10m **TL** up steps to RD

11.5M TL 076 307 **TL** on pavement over bridge and in 500m at mini roundabout **X** RD. **TR** and **BL** into one way street. Follow pavement as it **BL** and in 30m **TL** to Barton Village Hall and finish. **WELL DONE**

BARTON VILLAGE HALL Total 12.0 miles