

EMERGENCY PHONE NO.

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CUMBRIA LDWA
THREE RINGS OF SHAP

13.06.15

RING 3. GREAT ASBY (20 miles)

ROUTE DESCRIPTION

Abbreviations

TR	Turn Right
TL	Turn Left
N, S	North, South etc.
XXXm.	Approx. distance in metres to next feature
(XXXdeg)	Approx. magnetic bearing in degrees to next feature
XX	Approx. elapsed distance in kilometres

KM.

1. Leave Hall & TL onto Main Street for **300m**. TL into Moss Grove opp. Kings Arms (SP Coast-to-Coast & Hardendale). TR in **100m**. Ahead **50m** onto track as road ends. TL to cross railway, keep on track for **500m** to FP sign (C2C) then gate in **50m**. Ahead wall initially on R (**135deg**) **1** thru **3** fields to cross motorway foot bridge. TR for **300m**, fence/motorway on R, to wall on L for **30m**. Uphill away from M'way under power lines **2** (pole **10m** on L) to gate in **250m**. Same direction for **100m** to cross road (Nab House on L) SP Oddendale. Same direction (**110deg**) initially for **300m** to wall, swinging L up path **20m before** wall to gateway/stile in **100m**. Ahead on path downhill, wall then fence still on R, for **150m** to stile in fence corner. **10m** to steps down & up crossing quarry access road. **3**

TL onto unmade road for **500m** to minor road. TR for **100m** then TR on track (**170deg**) at C2C sign. The hamlet on your L is **Oddendale (593 134)**.

2. This section may be confusing in poor visibility.

Ahead for **1000m** on track, wall & wood on **L** initially, to large walled enclosure on **R** (Potrigg). Same direction for **450m (160deg)** then bear half **L** at second post (C2C). Continue for **200m (130deg)** to wood corner. Follow series of marker posts uphill for **400m (100deg)** then, swinging gradually to **S**, descend to cross R.**Lyvennet** in further **600m**. (after large boulder). Uphill with posts (**160deg**) for **500m** to wall corner. **TL** ,wall on **L**, for **1300m**. (Robin Hood's Grave is nearby to the **R** in second dip!). When wall turns **L (620 111)** keep ahead (**60deg**) on path, bearing **R** before wall, descend to stile & bear **R** to join road (**700m**). Cross road **R** to wall then ahead to pass on **E** side of plantation then **S** for **500m** to road junction (**629 099**).

3. TL uphill, leaving modern C2C route, with wall on **R** for **700m** to **Beacon Hill** (visit Jubilee Monument of 1887 if you wish). Continue further **400m** to stile/gate on **R** in wall (**50m** before corner). Ahead (**140deg**) to path leading down to gate in **300m (DO NOT GO THRU)**. **TL before** gate on path (**65deg**) for **400m** to gate into **Great Asby Scar** (National Nature Reserve).

Head down path (bear **R** in **400m** at bridleway sign) to leave Reserve in **1100m**. Same direction (**NE**) for **500m** to enclosed lane after 2nd gate then **800m** to join road (SP Coppermines Lane) (**664 115**). Same direction for **400m** on road, **TR** at FP sign over cattle grid into field.

CHECKPOINT (668 117)

OPENS 10.30

- 4.** Leave checkpoint and return to road for **1400m** passing farm buildings then **TL** over stile (SP to Gaythorne Hall) at **Great Asby** sign. Downhill for **300m** thru gate to road. **TL** for **300m** on road over bridge, now on **Westmorland Way**. Fork **R** after cattle grid up concrete road. Leave road after **1000m** at entrance to Halligill Farm. Ahead to stile then cross next stile in wall on **R** in **100m** just after first gate. Bear **L** for **200m (290deg)** to waymarked wooden stile in far corner. Ascend for **10m** to cross stile in wall. Head away from wall (**295deg**) for **900m** with copse on **R** then cross two stiles & stream to meet fence coming in from **R**. Exit field on track thru gate to **Gaythorne Hall (649 133)**. **TL** then **TR** through yard between farm buildings then **TL** onto farm access road. Continue up surfaced drive for **1100m** to reach minor road. **TR** for **400m** to **TR** again on busy **B6260** road (**CARE**). **TL** in **600m** at high point on road (FP sign).
- 5.** **TL** then gradually downhill (**300deg**) on green path for **1200m**. Halfway down path swings **R (340deg)** with wall on **L** to join farm access road for further **1000m**. Bear **L** just before **30mph** sign down to footbridge. **TR** into lane then **TL** into back road leading into **Crosby Ravensworth (622 148)**.
- 6.** **TL** into main street near church then **TR** in **200m** over bridge by phone box. **TL** after bridge leaving village by back road swinging **R** in **50m**. Keep on tarmac for **1500m** until end then same direction for **1300m** thru fields to **Oddendale**. Follow track up between buildings to cattle grid at top. (**593 134**).

7. **TR** over cattle grid onto road for **100m**. **TL** on unmade road for **500m** **28**
(passing several Danger signs). **TR** at green 'NO THROUGH ROAD'
sign, down & up steps across quarry access road. **TR 10m** to stile.
TL for **150m** uphill, fence/wall on **L** to stile/gateway. Ahead downhill with
wall on **L** for **100m**. At bottom **TR** away from wall on rising track (**320deg**) **29**
250m to road. **TR** for **400m** on road leaving it to follow wall as road
swings **R** uphill. Wall on **L** for **50m** to **TL** over stile just after first gate.
Ahead (**W**) **150m** to stile in wall. Same direction for **300m** across rough **30**
pasture to cross Motorway footbridge. **TR** for **600m** thru 3 fields (**320deg**)
to gate in corner. Between walls for **50m** to FP sign **Shap** & down **31**
track **500m** to cross railway. In **30m** swing **R** to join road, **TL** in **50m**,
then **R** in **50m** onto **A6** at Kings Arms. Along Main street for **300m**
to reach **Memorial Hall** on **R** (**563 151**). **32**

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