

SURREY SUMMITS ROUTE DESCRIPTION - 1988

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L - Left	R - Right	BW - Bridleway
BL - Bear Left	BR - Bear Right	FP - Footpath
FL - Fork Left	FR - Fork Right	RD - Road
TL - Turn Left	TR - Turn Right	TK - Track

0.0Km Along L side of rec. Out of corner, FL on TK & over small bridge. Under railway arch & in 300m TR on RD for 10m then TL on lane. In 550m (at black barn) BL (140°). In 50m follow wires above (140°). In 100m TL on FP on earth bank. In further 800m TL on RD.

HAMBLEDON - GR 957385

2.2Km In 50m TR (to HAMBLEDON CHURCH). In 150m BR (ahead) up FP. At top TR on lane, pass church & FL on FP. Thru gate & over field. Thru k'gate & BL (55°) over field. Thru another k'gate & in 30m TR (80°) on TK. At X-TKs TL (340°) uphill & in 250m (20m after trees) ahead (50°) up to trig point.

HYDON'S BALL - GR 977395

3.8Km Ahead (150°) down TK. At bottom thru barrier & ahead (140°) over 3 TKs. In 30m swing R then L on FP to go between fences. At T-junc TL & in 600m thru farm then TR on RD.

LITTLE BURGATE FARM - GR 986390

5.2Km In 100m TL on TK. In 400m (at X-TKs) TL & 50m later swing R. In 350m (at T-junc) TR on main TK then 100m later TL. In 180m BR (100°) with fence on R. Thru earth banks & TL on TK. In 80m down gully & in 50m FL down bank to join gully down on L. In 300m swing R with TK & immediately TL to TR down HOE LANE. In 300m BL across B2130 to stile.

SEASD HASCOMBE - GR 999399

7.2Km In 50m TR on TK. In 180m (at house) TL up tarmac drive. Ahead uphill beside house to swing R in 100m with BW. In 550m over X-TKs & 200m later (at bottom of gully) TR. In 200m TR on RD for 50m then TL on FP.

SCOTSLAND FARM - GR 012406

8.5Km Follow fence (on L). In 500m, ahead on TK over field. Leave field & 40m later swing R. In 15m FL (10°) uphill. In 100m (when TK swings L) go ahead (340°) over wooden barriers then BR (25°) across field. At far side TL on concrete TK. In 90m BL of barn, along R side of field & TR to continue along R side of field. Over stile & TL on TK.

GATESTREET FARM - GR 012417

9.9Km In 300m FR (by metal gate) & in 300m swing R then in 8m L with TK (30°). In 400m FL (340°). In 300m ahead past house (on L) then ahead (50°) over X-TKs on to TK into trees & follow fence (on L). In 450m pass HURST HILL FARM & ahead between fences. At top of gully, BR past metal barrier & TL down FP. Keep ahead & in 450m ahead on A281.

BRAMLEY - GR 009444

12.8Km In 300m TR into WINDRUSH CLOSE. In 50m TL on tarmac FP over stream. In 100m ahead along RD. At T-junc TR. In 500m when RD swings R, TL (signposted SHALFORD). In 350m FR up drive (CHINTHURST HILL).

At end of wood (on R) PR (20°) up path, over RD & immediately WR (120°) through posts & up path (steps) to summit.

CHINTHURST HILL - GR 013458

14.5Km TL (20m before tower) (10°) on grassy TK. In 70m TL (0°) to descend on path. Over X-TK & continue downhill (10°) (using zig-zag) to wood edge. Ahead on FP between fields to RD. WR across RD & along path to lane. TL, pass entrance to GREAT TANGLEY MANOR & in 120m FR up FP (Downs Link). Ignore all turns to L & R for 1.6Km to RD. Cross RD & BR (110°) on FP. In 70m (before barrier) BR on X-TK (140°) & continue to VILLAGERS PH car park. BR across RD to go along FP (between fences). TL at X-TK & in 30m TR to

BLACKHEATH CRICKET CLUB PAVILION - GR 034451

CHECKPOINT 1 - Open 12.15 to 13.15 Saturday

17.5Km (DO NOT WALK OVER PLAYING FIELD). On leaving pavilion retrace steps to end of posts & TR on TK (with posts on R). In 80m TL with TK to RD. TR into car park. In 35m TR on BW (200°). In 100m join TK from L & 35m later TL (90°) on FP. In 800m keep ahead to follow fence (on R). Follow TK for 500m (past houses on R) then BL (130°) (at grass triangle with brick barn on R). In 40m (when TK turns L) keep ahead (160°) on narrow FP. Ahead as FP emerges on to wide TK after 500m then 200m later (opposite gate) TL (120°) to come to car park in 180m.

FARLEY HEATH - GR 052448

19.8Km BR along R edge of car park to cross RD. Take TK to R of small clearing (170°). Keep to main TK for 500m then slightly L (ahead) over X-TK. In 90m over X-TK then 30m later FL. In 200m FL to go along FP by fence (on L). In 100m BR downhill. In 600m PL then 70m later ahead thru gate. In 350m pass farm buildings & 30m later TL (50°) on FP. In 100m FR on FP to cross 3 sunken Tks & ahead to RD.

WINTERFOLD - GR 062432

21.9Km WL across RD & along drive. Just before gate, FL then in 60m TL through barrier. WR across firebreak & up narrow FP. Over X-TK & descend. At multi TK junction across firebreak then BL on narrow FP L of enclosed well. (DO NOT TL ON BW). Ascend to join firebreak from R. In 200m ahead thru dip then 90m later ahead on narrow FP.

Cross firebreak to FP. Ascend then descend & over next firebreak, thru barrier to ascend again on narrow FP. Keep ahead on level over 2 roads then descend. TR on wide X-TK (just before bottom of valley). KEEP AHEAD in valley for 1Km. Thru car park then (10m before RD) BL (150°) on TK to R of old quarry. Keep ahead to trig.

PITCH HILL - GR 082423

25.7Km Ahead (130°) for 70m then TL around hilltop. In 130m pass metal seat (on R) & 400m later (at X-TK) TR (60°) downhill. At bottom TL on TK & in 50m FR (50°) downhill. Over X-TK & in 30m thru gap in fence. Descend for 40m & TL at bottom along fence. In 20m BR downhill & join school drive to RD.

DUKE OF KENT SCHOOL - GR 090430

27.0Km WL across RD & on FP between fences for 750m. At end, TR for 40m, thru gateway & TL on TK to reach & cross RD. Up TK to car park. Ahead (80°) onto wide TK & in 70m BR (120°). In 180m BR on grassy TK. In 200m TR & 70m later TR again to reach seat on summit.

HOLMBURY HILL - GR 104429

28.7Km TL (350°) on TK. In 150m ignore FL & in 400m (at X-TK) BR (40°). At 5-way X-TKs, ahead (70°) on Greensand Way (GW) to RD. TL & in 40m BR down RD to junction. TR & in 20m TL. In 50m BL on drive to stables.

BULMER FARM - HOLMBURY ST MARY - GR 114440
CHECKPOINT 2 - Open 13.45 to 16.30 Saturday

30.4Km Leave on drive to L of dutch barn (100°). TL on RD & in 90m BR up BW. Ignore all turns to R & L to pass HIGH ASHES FARM. 50m after paddock (on L) TR on TK. In 50m FL & 50m later BL (150°) on TK to wood edge at field gate. TL up TK to RD. NR across RD & up TK (110°) for 1Km to Tower.

LEITH HILL - GR 139431

33.4Km Straight on (70°) Over TK in dip to enter DUKES WARREN. In 500m FR & in 1Km TL on RD (at PLOUGH PH). In 400m (40m past COLDHARBOUR sign) BR on FP. In 500m over X-TK & 250m later TR on gravel TK. In 150m FL into trees (350°) & in 200m pass trig (on L). In 100m join TK from R & 300m later (at gravel TK) ahead for 20m then TR. In 35m TR down BW. IGNORE ALL R TURNS until after 400m TR downhill to follow 3 power lines above. In 300m thru gate & TL.

REDLANDS FARM - GR 162452

37.7Km Keep to L of farm buildings then along edge of woods on wide TK for 600m. Through metal gate & TR (10°) to stile in L corner of field. Over stile & ahead (70°) along L edge of field, over ditch & ahead to go thru wire ingap in hedge. Ahead (90°) to climb old gate & ahead (50°) to HOLMWOOD FARM. TL in farm onto hard TK. In 400m TL with TK. In 100m TR thru tree line, along R edge of field for 50m then ahead (10°) across field, thru scrub & allotments to RD.

DORKING - GR 162482

40.3Km TL. In 50m ahead across junction. TR down main RD. In 120m TL thru k'gate. Uphill (230°) through gap then BR. Keep going uphill for 500m to octagonal shelter (THE NOWER TEMPLE). FL (280°) & in 40m FR downhill. Keep descending (ignoring TKs to L then R)). At bottom, BL on main TK to metalled RD. TR & in 130m TL onto FP to A25. Cross into MILTON COURT drive. TL at end of lake & in 80m TR.

MILTON FARM COTTAGES - GR 150492

CHECKPOINT 3 - Open 15.45 to 19.30 Saturday

42.4Km Return to main TK & TR. In 10m TL to go L of barns. After 2nd barn BR thru k'gate across field (250°). Over stile & ahead (260°) to go over another stile & between fences. At fence corners, ahead over stile to follow stream for 200m then (opposite bridge) TR to stile. Over TK & ahead along TK between hedges.

SPRINGFIELD HOUSE - GR 141494

43.6Km Go L then R on TK. At TK end over stile to go down R edge of fields (330°). In dip, ahead over stream and thru trees to go along L edge of next field. Up steps to cross railway WITH CARE & ahead up steep slope to go over stile. TL on wide TK (in trees). In 500m thru gate & 150m later go almost round hairpin bend then TR to resume previous direction (270°). In 300m over TK (by Forestry Commission sign) then 60m later BR on narrow FP uphill. At X-TK TL thru barrier.

NORTH DOWNS WAY JUNCTION - GR 127497

45.5Km THE ROUTE FOLLOWS THE NORTH DOWNS WAY (ACORN WAYMARKS) FOR THE NEXT 5Km. In 600m join TK from R to go downhill. Go thru gate then immediately BR up slope to stile & ahead on FP. At Pillbox keep

ahead with fence on R (DO NOT go on path to misleading acorn post at old NDW X-TK). Ignore stiles turning R but keep ahead over stile at fence corner & continue to RD. TR up RD. In 20m TL up gully. In 40m BL uphill then TL on TK. In 200m onto main TK & around R edge of gate. Follow fence (on L) (sometimes obscured by trees and a pillbox) for 1Km.

BLATCHFORD DOWN - GR 103489

48.4Km Over stile, a TK then another stile. Cont on FP (250°) to L of clump of trees & R of line of small trees. In 300m over stile and ahead thru trees for 400m. Along R edge of clearing for 200m to BR (280°) (with fence on L). In 400m thru barriers & TL on metalled TK (300°). TL again in 50m (TK still metalled).

In 600m (at multi-TK junc with concrete tank and fire sign both on R) keep ahead. In further 1.6Km (just before concrete tank on L) (opposite "fire danger" sign on R) TURN LEFT DOWNHILL (210°) TO LEAVE NORTH DOWNS WAY AT FINGER POST). In 80m descent becomes steep. Keep ahead on TK for 700m to pass under A25.

SHERE BY-PASS - GR 072462

52.0Km Ahead for 100m then TsharpR up TK to return to by-pass. TL between barriers (12m before RD) on FP. Join & follow metalled TK to RD. TL & in 40m BR along CHANTRY LANE. In 350m cross TILLINGBOURNE stream then 30m later TR through k'gate. Go WL in field to pass house (on L) (200°) then over stile. Continue uphill (with fence on L). At fence corner (gap) ahead (240°) to go along line of trees. Thru k'gate in field corner.

SHERE HEATH - GR 065470

53.6Km TR along RD to T-junction. Go WR across RD to go along TK (320°). In 20m BL to join metalled TK (230°). In 600m pass under railway bridge & 150m later ahead on BW (270°). Ignore L turn in 500m & ahead for 200m to multi-TK junction (at clearing).

BLACKHEATH COMMON - GR 050461

55.6Km Take the l. of 2 TKs ahead (240°). In 40m TK bends L & in further 35m (at T-junction) TR (280°). Keep ahead on this TK for 1Km as it gradually broadens until car park entrance at RD. DO NOT GO ALONG RD but TL along TK (house on R). TR to keep on TK. DO NOT SHORT CUT ACROSS CRICKET FIELD. At end of posts (on L) TL on TK to rear of:

BLACKHEATH CRICKET CLUB PAVILION - GR 034461

CHECKPOINT 4 - Open 18.00 to 24.00 Saturday

57.2Km Retrace steps (DO NOT WALK OVER CRICKET FIELD) to end of posts & TR on TK (with posts on R). Follow TK as it turns L to return to Rd. Ahead on RD opposite (30°). In 140m BL (in direction of yellow arrow painted on tarmac) (350°) on TK. In 100m BR (0°) & keep ahead for 400m following yellow paint marks on trees. Over RD to go down step (to R of drive) along BW between hedges (30°). In 800m go over railway bridge to RD.

LONGFREY FARM - GR 035474

58.5Km Go along LONGFREY FARM drive opposite for 500m. When drive swings R keep ahead & 120m later still keep ahead (to leave DOWNS LINK - finger post). In further 400m TR (opposite metal gate) to ascend gently at first then steeply. Over X-TK (near top) to summit area.

ST MARTHAS CHURCH - GR 028483

60.1Km TL (12m before church gate) & in 40m TR at graveyard corner. Follow wall for 50m to church gate & TL downhill (290°). THE ROUTE FOLLOWS THE NORTH DOWNS WAY (ACORN WAYMARKS) FOR THE NEXT 15Km. Pass open space (on R). Cross tarmac drive & along FP to TL on RD. In 30m TR on TK & in 20m FR. Ignore FR in 50m & 330m later keep ahead between field fences. In further 1.3Km pass white house & 100m later cross RD & TL on pavement. In 400m (with GREAT CARE) cross A281.

SHALFORD MEADS - GR 998464

63.0Km Ahead (260°) across grass to go thru trees on FP to river WEY. TL on bank & cross bridge. Ahead on river bank for 50m then TL up TK (tarmac). In 150m TR on A3100 & in 30m TL into SANDY LANE. In 180m BR. Follow TK thru farm & in further 300m ahead over X-TK. When wood on L ends, ahead over stile with hedge on R. At field corner, TL & in 50m over stile to TR on TK. At T-junction, TL for 20m then TR & cont ahead for 1.1Km to RD. TL. In 35m TR on TK for 190m to bridge.

COMPTON - GR 955477

CHECKPOINT 5 Open 19.30 Saturday to 03.00 Sunday

67.6Km Ahead to Fl. then ignore all turns for 2Km to TR on B3000 (opposite JOLLY FARMER PH). In 150m TL into THE STREET. In 350m pass GOOD INTENT PH. Continue ahead for 400m reach.

PUTTENHAM POST OFFICE - GR 927478

A WELL STOCKED VILLAGE SHOP WHICH WILL BE OPEN ALL NIGHT WILL ALSO BE SELLING ROLLS AND HOT DRINKS

70.5Km Keep ahead along LASCOMBE LANE. In 120m FR & in further 360m (at end of tarmac) ahead down FP. In 550m (when fields on L end) BR (270°) for 700m to reach cottage at lane. TL on lane & in 15m TR along L side of cottage. In 300m BR with FP, over stile, & in further 10m BL to continue with fence on R. Over stile & in 700m TL over stile. In 100m TR on TK & in 300m (at RD) TR.

SEALE - GR 898475

73.6Km In 20m TL. In 800m TR then TL & in 150m (at stile) join TK from R. In 300m TL on RD to leave NORTH DOWNS WAY. Continue on RD for 800m then TL on RD (by BRITISH LEGION) to X-RD. Keep ahead over X-RD. In 300m (opposite LONGAGEE) BR on TK (240°) up to trig point.

CROOKSBURY HILL - 878459

76.6Km Keep ahead (220°) (caution stepped descent) to reach car park area & RD. TL on RD & in 180m TR on BW. In 400m TR on RD. In 250m (where RD bends R) TsharpL on BW. In 500m (at X-TK) TR up gully & in 350m cross RD. 1/2R on TK & in 80m FL (SHEEPHATCH FARM on L). In 400m keep ahead along tarmac drive & in further 200m FR down BW (with fence on R). In 550m TR on RD over river bridge. Ahead past BARLEY MOW PH then BL over green (KEEPING TO R OF CRICKET SQUARE) to VILLAGE HALL.

TILFORD - 872434

CHECKPOINT 6 Open 21.15 Saturday to 06.45 Sunday

80.0Km Out of hall & TR on RD. In 900m (immediately before DUKE OF CAMBRIDGE PH) TL along TK. In 150m BR (130°) on BW. In 200m FL. In 1Km Ahead (130°) over junction at 5 X-TKs (11th tee on R). In 180m BR (210°) up TK (with trees on R) to reach ridge top in 200m. TR (250°) along ridge. In 2.3Km (at low post on R) ignore L fork. In further 80m At X-TKs (with low post on L) TR (180°). (IF YOU PASS UNDER POWER LINES YOU HAVE GONE 100m TOO FAR). In 150m over X-TKs & in 40m BL (200°) up to trig point.

KETTLEBURY HILL - GR 885393

85.1Km TR (270°) & in 25m TL downhill. Join TK on L. In 25m (at X-TKs) BR & in 50m TL on TK to ED. TL & in 320m (at bend to L) TR on sandy lane. In 570m TR on lane & in 20m TL on BW. In 1.1Km join TK from L. In 100m BR on main TK & 400m later (at HIGHCOMBE NT sign) BL (150°) along the edge of THE DEVILS PUNCHBOWL.

Keep ahead on main level TK & in 1Km reach A3. TR & in 60m TL across RD (HINDHEAD COMMONS NT sign). Ahead on BW & in 50m (at X-TKs) TL. In 500m TR into car park & along L edge. Thru barrier & ahead (160°) to trig point.

GIBBET HILL - GR 899359

90.2Km TL (320°) & in 40m BR (0°) down TK (GW sign). At bottom, thru barrier, TL down TK & in 35m BR (340°) on main TK. In 600m BL (330°) down FP. In 70m CAREFULLY cross A3 & go down metalled TK (YHA sign). In 300m FR & 80m later (10m before YHA gate) TR down main TK. In 100m pass GNOME COTTAGE. In 500m TL down TK. Near bottom pass to L of gate, then at bottom cross bridge. Ahead up main TK & in 150m FL down drive.

KEEPERS COTTAGE - GR 889374

CHECKPOINT 7 Open 23.15 Saturday to 10.00 Sunday

91.7Km Back along drive & TR down TK. Over bridge & up TK. To R of gate, on up TK & at top TL on main TK. In 500m pass between 2 field gates & 10m later (at NT post) FR (70°). Keep ahead & in 500m TL on grass verge of A3. Cross A3 (WHEN SAFE) to lay by & continue on grass verge. In 300m TR over stile & TML (80°) down field to stile. Ahead down hill & in 100m thru small gate. In 80m (at bottom) BL on drive for 100m to X-TKs.

UPPER VALLEY FARM - 906383

95.0Km Ahead (60°) & in 500m TR down tarmac. In 50m pass COSFORD HOUSE FARM (on L) & ahead down TK. In 180m FR (with wall on L). In 30m FL & 40m later up stone steps. At top TR. In 25m TL up steep FP. At top, over TK, up bank, thru trees & over electric fence via stile. BR for 10m to next stile then (55°) over field to next electric fence. Over RD. Thru gate & ahead between electric fences.

At hedge TR along field edge. In 200m TL over stile & down steps. BR over drive & squeeze thru gap to R of gate. BR (90°) over field (via stile) to far corner stile.

LOWER HOUSE DRIVE - GR 919387

96.5Km Over drive & thru tall gate. Ahead (140°) over field. At bottom, over stile & ahead (140°) up TK. In 250m thru gateway & TL on FP. In 80m thru k'gate & TR. In 80m descend steeply on path, under tree (MIND YOUR HEAD) & thru gate. TL on RD & in 400m cross A286.

BROOK - GR 929384

97.6Km Up tarmac & gully & in 800m (at houses) FR. In 250m TL on RD. In 500m (before 1st house on R) TR (95°) through k'gate & down FP. Over stile, down R edge of field then along TK. TL on A283. In 150m (WHEN SAFE) cross RD into recreation ground (via white barrier). Ahead (10°) across rec to verandah. Enter door on R for check-in then TAKE DIRTY FOOTWEAR OFF.

CHICHESTER HALL, WITLEY - GR 948394

FINISH - Open 00.30 to 12.00 Sunday

TOTAL - 100.2Km