

ABBREVIATIONS: R=right, L=left, H=hand, T=turn, F=fork, RD=road, (X-) TK=(cross) track, FP=footpath, thru=through, M=mile(s), Y=yards, GR=National Grid Reference
NDW=North Downs Way. Approx. mileage shown at the beginning of paragraph.

Please ensure your start time is registered if not starting on the mass 8.a.m. start.

0.0M Along RD to Leisure centre and where this swings R keep ahead on grass. Thru gate at end and TR on TK. Follow over railway and uphill to junction where TL. At bypass TR along verge. Cross RD (when safe) and along opposite verge. Just before roundabout TL on TK. After 200Y FR. Over X-TK and ahead down RH side of field. At next X-TK ahead between fences. BL ahead at next X-TK to go between hedges to RD. GR141533

2.6M Go along RD ahead (to Polesdon Lacey) and when this bears L keep ahead on TK. Just after TK bears R (to Goldstone Farm) FL. TK becomes metalled drive then passes under estate bridge. When drive bears L, keep ahead. Merge with TK from L. BR then immediately L at Yewtree farm. Continue on main TK for nearly 1M to RD. GR 134 504

4.6M Cross RD and TR on wide verge. In 150Y TL down TK by Forestry Commission sign. 100Y after passing sawmill, TR thru barrier (NDW). In 750Y ahead thru 2 barriers. Where TK bears R (at acorn post) ahead on faint path thru trees bearing immediately L then R. Follow acorn signs to merge with TK from R. Descend to emerge from trees and ahead with trees on R (leaving NDW). At bottom over railway and in 400Y TR between buildings of Park Farm (not Park Farm House). Ahead on TK to R of wood to RD. GR 112 482.

7.0M BL across RD to FP opposite. In 200Y pass Wilberforce Cross. At gate/stile BL keeping fence on R. When fence ends ahead up hill to junction of TKs in clearing. At far side of clearing BL and in 70Y thru stile by gate. Thru trees then over field and between hedges to RD. GR 101473.

8.1M Cross A25 with care and take TK to Paddington Farm opposite. Pass between farm buildings and up TK ahead. After 800Y TL at fence corner for 20Y then TR along LH field edge. Thru gate to L of cottage and BL along TK. TR along lane and TL on lane opposite "The Volunteer". GR 105460.

9.1M BL with RD at junction. TR on FP starting immediately to L of entrance to "Griffins". Over stile, cross stream and ahead over 3 stiles to RD. Cross RD with extreme care to go up Radnor Lane. Pass Woodhouse Lane and Youth Hostel on R to Lane End. DRINKS POINT - sorry cold drinks only. GR 105450 Open 10 until 12

9.9M Ahead on TK to L of "Fairhaven". TL along crossing TK and follow this broad TK for 1/4M to reach circular grassy area near hilltop. Take LH of 2 TKs ahead, TL at T junction to pass thru the ramparts of Holmbury Hill Fort to reach summit seat. TL down broad TK for 120Y then 10Y past double pine tree on R, TR down narrow path starting between young oak and silver birch. Over crossing FP and steeply downhill. FL after rhododendrons to RD. GR 107428.

11.4M TR along RD then follow FP starting at kissing gate to R of "Holmbury Hill House" entrance. Ahead along RD with care. At drive on L take FP to L of white gate (Wayfarers). Down steps, TL on RD for 10Y then TR thru entrance to "Radnor House". Pass to R of buildings then TL along TK opposite pond. After 1500Y BL at path junction then ahead on TK to RD. Cross to go down Coneyhurst Lane. In 1/4M BR with lane (to Rapsey). Ahead past Rapsey turn on R and Wykehurst Farm on L. At farm buildings on R, go thru wooden gate ahead and along RH edge of field. Over stile/gate at field corner, ahead up TK, over stile and along RH edge of field. Over stile at field corner, over stile opposite and ahead across field to stile. Follow FP along side fence, then TL on TK into woods at field corner. After 60Y BR on FP to cross stream via plank bridge. TR over stile, along field edge and over stile to RD. GR 069408.

14.2M Cross to go up lane opposite (Wypehurst Home Farm). TR thru farmyard after 150Y and ahead up TK. Pass houses on R after 1/2M and ahead up TK between fences. At fence corner on R, ahead for 25Y then turn 1/2L up wide FP to R of, and above, sunken TK on L to RD. GR 067426.

15.5M Cross RD bearing 1/2L, to take LH of 2 FPs opposite (Jelleys) hollow. After 450Y TR on TK for 10Y then turn sharp R down TK. At valley bottom TL along narrow FP thru trees. Cross TK, pass fenced well on R and take LH of 2 FPs ahead to follow small stream on R. Over TK after 1/2M and ahead down valley. In further 1/2M merge with TK from R. In 200Y, at garden corner, BR to meet and follow lane ahead. At Dilton Farm on R

ahead on TK. Pass farm complex on L after 1M and ahead up FP to lane and railway. Cross railway WITH CARE. Ahead up TK for 15Y then TR up FP. Keep ahead (3rd FP from L) at multi-path junction to RD. GR 070470.

18.4M Cross to FP opposite. Take L fork at Y junction, go down gully, BR for 30Y then TL down FP. Just before bridge TR thru gate and follow FP then lane alongside Tillingbourne on L. In Shere village, TL at RD then TL at T junction for 20Y then cross WITH CARE to recreation ground. Tea and cold drinks GR 073480 OPEN 12 until 3.30

19.2M Up path to L of car park, under A25 and uphill on sunken path. FR after 200Y. Pass pillbox and uphill ignoring all paths to R. At top, TR on metalled TK (NDW). After 1M, TL on 2nd of 2 TKs to go R of water tank. At bottom go L of fenced area and in 150Y, thru gate and TR past "no parking" sign. GR 095502. Go under 2 estate bridges and ahead. TL down drive just before cottage on R to RD. GR 108502

22.5M TR and after 350Y TL down TK (no finger on post). Just before "The Old Malthouse" TR to R of garden, over stile and uphill thru trees to another stile. Down LH side of field to stile. TR on grassy TK for 100Y. TL thru gate. Along RH edge of field and just before field corner TR over stile thru trees. TL over next stile to keep in trees with fence on L, over another stile and downhill to RD. TR for 20Y then TL thru kissing gate, uphill across field to stile/gate and along LH side of field, over stile and merge with drive from L to RD. Cross RD, down drive opposite (Haney's) and when it swings R ahead on FP between fences. Ahead to RD. GR 124504

24.1M Ahead on TK to "Golden Ring Cottages". Cross TK in dip and uphill ahead. In 160Y ahead over cross TK. In dip after 200Y take L of 2 TKs ahead and in 200Y TR (not sharp R). Just before grassy area in 300Y TL. In 200Y cross drive. In 60Y merge with TK from R and in 40Y BR. 30Y before end of grassy area, TR over log. At bottom TL for 1/2M then TL at T junction to Tanners Hatch Youth Hostel. (Help yourself to squash). 140515

25.7M Ahead along main TK downhill. After 300Y BR over stile to cross field. Pass to R of shed then TL along TK to RD. GR 148520. Cross RD to go uphill on FP. At 2nd X-TK TR along FP. Follow to pass Crabtree Cottage on R and ahead along lane for 450Y. Just before picnic table on R, TL along FP to follow wood edge. Merge with drive. TR at junction by map and follow drive downhill for a further 450Y then BL down path. Pass under railway bridge. TL on TK by cottage. Thru gate on FP parallel with river mole. Pass under RD bridge and at path end cross TK to go thru gate. Pass Leisure centre on L and ahead on RD to junction where TR gates to gates of football club GR 163560.

FINISH 30 glorious miles.

WELL DONE

If there is nobody there to check you in please write the actual time you finished (24 hour clock please) on a piece of paper together with your walk number and name and poke it through the window of the white Vauxhall Chevette estate (WMU 648T) into the box. Checking in will continue until 6 p.m. Anybody arriving after that time who completes the course and wishes to be included in the results should telephone John Westcott at Chobham 6672 during Sunday evening.

Certificates will be sent to successful finishers with results.

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Ken's Stavey

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