



Trans Pennine Trail 21st Anniversary Ride 8- Wakefield



Date: Sunday 5th September 2010
Time: 10.30am to 11.30am – Staggered Start
Parking Santingley Grange
Facilities: **No toilets, no water**
Ride Route: The Heronry, Waterton Countryside Discovery Centre,
Walton and return
Distance: Approx 10 miles

1. Leave the Venue (field near Santingley Grange) and Follow the track into Anglers Park.
2. Turn RIGHT and follow track behind hedge which goes parallel to the path around the lake.
3. When you reach the car park at the further entrance to the park turn RIGHT, following signs to Haw Park Woods.
4. When you reach the woods keep to the path that goes along the wall. Follow this to the end of wall and beyond until you come to a T junction.
5. Turn RIGHT and follow the HORSE signs for the TPT. This will take you on to a lane which eventually becomes a metalled road and takes you past houses to the main road through Walton. Turn RIGHT into main road, Shay Lane.
6. As you leave Walton on Shay Lane, after going under the viaduct, bear LEFT on the verge to the car park entrance. As you enter Walton Nature Park, leave the route of the Trans Pennine Trail, to take the path immediately to the RIGHT crossing over the bridge.
7. Continue ahead (the path runs parallel with the road). As the path continues to the LEFT it then follows a ditch on the RIGHT. Continue on this path ignoring other paths to the LEFT. The path now is parallel to the railway embankment.
8. Passing the pond on your LEFT, the path bends to the LEFT and RIGHT between two lakes. Cross the bridge continuing with the railway to the RIGHT side.
9. Keep LEFT to a cross roads in the path. Continue straight ahead, joining with the Trans Pennine Trail again, but now heading back towards Walton. After the stone bridge the path bears RIGHT. At the T junction, turn LEFT, continuing on the wide path back to the car park. Exit the car park with care, Turning RIGHT on to Shay Lane, to retrace your steps to Walton.
10. Retrace your route along the main road until you come to The Balk. Turn LEFT here (note TPT signs) and retrace your route .Bear RIGHT at first junction and turn LEFT at the end of this road/track and then RIGHT and

continue until you come to the T junction where you came from the woods (see 4/5).

11. At this point keep straight on (sign posted TPT Royston) and continue straight ahead through the woods until you see the reservoir through the trees.
12. Turn LEFT ignoring TPT signs, along wide track, which will bring you back to the entrance to the woods.
13. Retrace your route to the entrance to Anglers Country Park but here keep straight ahead on the road (beware traffic here). At the end of this road turn LEFT, pass the pub on your LEFT.
14. At the next junction turn RIGHT. Keep straight on and when the road bends to the LEFT keep straight on take the bridle path ahead of you.
15. This will bring you to another road, Swine Lane. Turn LEFT and follow this road for a few hundred yards and when you see a track on your LEFT going up a slight slope, take this and follow this disused railway line, across one road and then to the end.
16. When you get to the end you will see Santingley Grange away to your LEFT. Follow the track which will bring you out on to the road close to the venue.

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