

Newton Solney Circular Walk

Walk 2. Newton Solney to Repton – Approximately 7k



This walk follows the River Trent to Repton and returns along well marked footpaths, quiet lanes and fields with one small section on Burton Road before returning to quiet lanes and fields. It is relatively flat, approximately 7km with approximately 10 stiles and 1 pedestrian gate. The route can be followed on OS Explorer map 245.

Starting from the Brickmakers head north along Trent Lane to the Common Land adjacent to the River Trent, head east towards Repton keeping the river on your left. Follow the river bank over two stiles a footbridge with a stile over a stream adjacent to the pipe bridge that crosses the river (1.25k). Continue along the river bank, over a stile under power lines, through an open field gate with the escarpment of Parson's Hills on your right and the river on your left. The path rises diagonally up the escarpment, adjacent to a wood, and reaches a stile (2k). Over the stile, turn left and follow the footpath keeping the wood on your left and head for St Wystan's church in full view and continue to a pedestrian gate (2.5k). Through the gate and follow the path over some undulations, one awkward stile and on to St. Ann's Well. Over more fields and exiting the final field in the left hand corner on to Tanners Lane (3k). Turn right and walk to the end of the lane and turn right again on to Burton Road heading back towards Newton Solney. Continue along Burton Road for approximately 500m where you cross the road on to "Pots and Pans" (4k). Follow the made up track to Cockey Barn Farm where you follow the path, leaving the farm on the left (5k). At the end of a short gully cross the stile on to a field and follow the path over a further stile into another field and keeping the hedge on your right until exiting over a stile on to Bretby Lane (6k). Turn right to return to Newton Solney and when the junction is reached at the bottom of the hill turn left to the Brickmakers (7k).

Fred Hill

It is important when out walking to respect the countryside code..

Respect other people

Consider the local community and other people enjoying the outdoors

Park carefully so access to gateways and driveways is clear

Leave gates and property as you find them

Follow paths but give way to others where it's narrow

Follow advice and local signs



Protect the natural environment

Leave no trace of your visit, take all your litter home

Don't have BBQs or fires

Keep dogs under effective control

Dog poo - bag it and bin it

