

# Angles Way

## 28 Circular Walks

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Track: [TL 86691 81758](#)   [GPX for SatNav](#)   96 Miles   Updated: 2021-12-14

These walks follow the Angles Way along the rivers Little Ouse, Waveney and the Yare. The linear path is about 96 miles long. This guide divides the route into 28 circular walks covering about 227 miles. Starting at Thetford Priory, the walks follow the Icknield Way, Saint Edmund's Way, the Angles way and a very short leg of the Peddars Way. Later the walk includes a part of the Bigod way. The route ends at the Haven Bridge in Great Yarmouth where it joins the Weaver's and Wherryman's Ways. The route includes the sources of the rivers Little Ouse and the Waveney.

THE WALKS: These tracks have been recorded using a handheld GPS receiver. Please note the cautions for each walk. These list the more obvious hazards or potential problems.

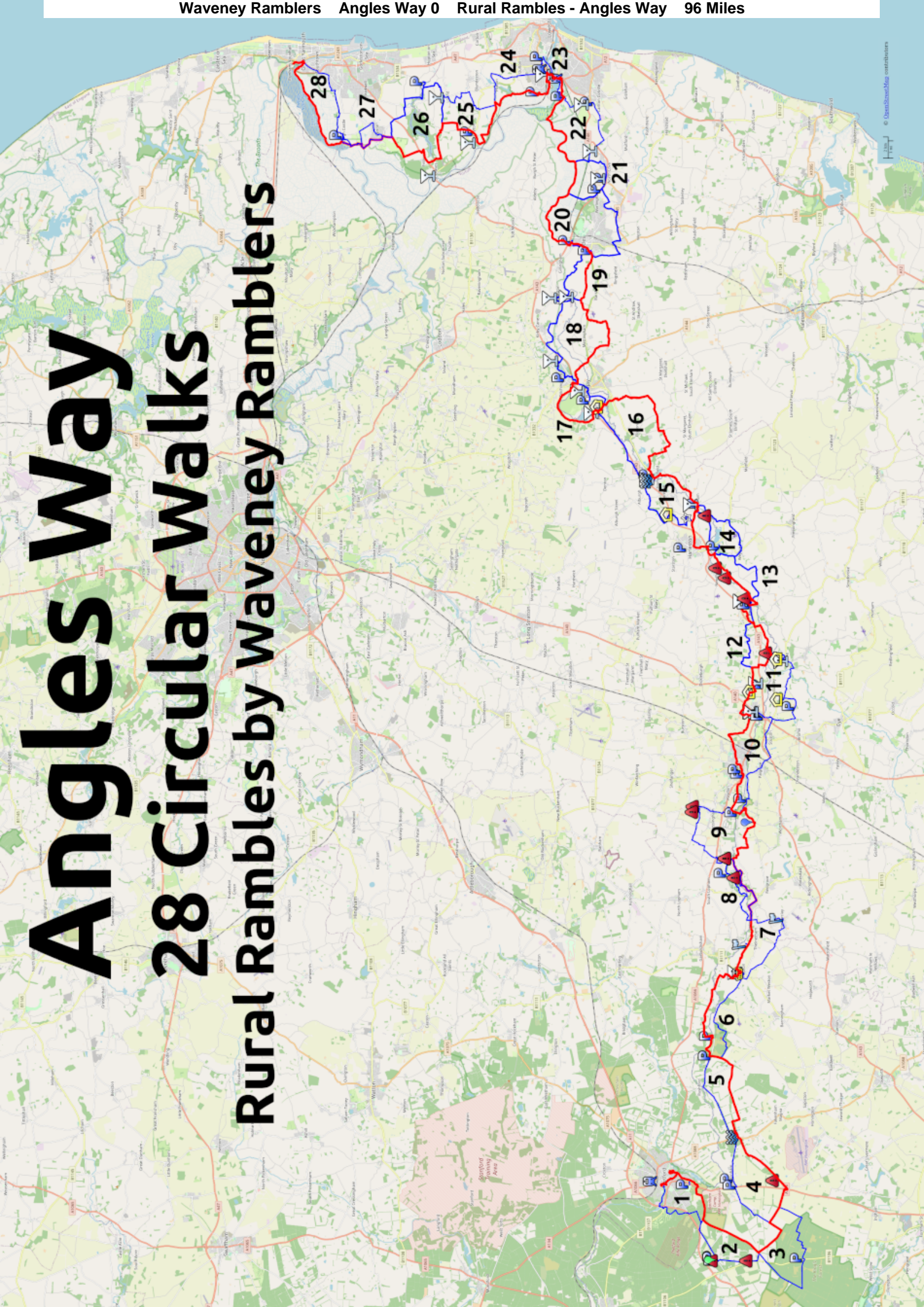
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 1    Thetford

Track: [TL 86691 81758](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    8.3 Miles    Updated: 2021-12-14

CAUTION: A11 crossing. 70 metres along the A11. A134 crossing twice. One short steep bank to climb.

Park at the Bury Road playing fields, off the A134 south of Thetford.

Head east and cross the A134. Head east, then meandering SW across the common.

Return to the A134 about 500 metres south of the playing fields. The trails do not match the OS map!

Head west, crossing the A134 and continue across the common.

On this leg the path was not visible and the route went through open woodland to a gate.

After the gate, head left, SW, now on a wide clear path.

Skirt the M.O.D. land. The path bends right a few times, eventually heading slightly north of west.

About 400 metres before the A11, turn sharp right and head ENE for 750 metres.

Turn left, roughly north and head to the A11.

Cross with care near the roundabout and head towards the Thetford Ranges.

Use the footpath to the right of the road and rejoin the road after 70 metres.

Head north, then NE, then NW. At a left bend, leave the road and head NE, golf course left.

The path bends right, east, back to the A11. Don't cross here.

Head north to the roundabout, then take the first exit, west.

About 90 metres from the roundabout, turn right, north, off the road on a small path into woodland.

The path soon bends right, east, and heads close to the A11.

Follow the footpath north, dual carriageway right.

At the river, turn right, east, and cross under the A11.

Turn right twice and climb the embankment up to the A11.

Head north along the A11 and cross the Little Ouse. This dangerous leg is only 70 metres.

After the bridge, climb over the crash barrier to the safer side.

Turn right and head down the maintenance road back to the river bank.

Turn left, east, and follow the river path, river right.

Just before London Road, turn left, north and walk around the priory ruins.

This is 5.5 miles into the route and this could be a good spot for lunch.

Return to London Road and head right, south. Keep left.

Cross the river and soon, double back down the ramp to the water side.

Turn right and follow the river east. Head towards the Mill, then turn right, then left.

Continue SE along the river path. At Nuns' Bridges Road, turn left and head north.

Turn right into Ford Street, soon Old Market Street.

Turn left and follow the footpath to Castle Hill.

Optionally climb the hill using the steps and circumnavigate the defences.

There are good views from the hilltop.

Double back and re-cross the Nuns' Bridges. Head south, soon SW along this road.

Leave the road and continue roughly south across the common, houses left.

After 470 metres, turn right, west, and return to the playing fields car park.

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**Thetford**  
**8.3 Miles - Angles Way - 1**  
**Thetford, Bury Road playing fields**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 2    Elveden

Track: [TL 82217 79969](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    6.2 Miles    Updated: 2021-12-18

CAUTION: The 450 metre leg along the B1106 is significantly busy. Use the verges whenever possible.  
CAUTION: The right of way, south from Elveden ends 160 metres short of the London Road.

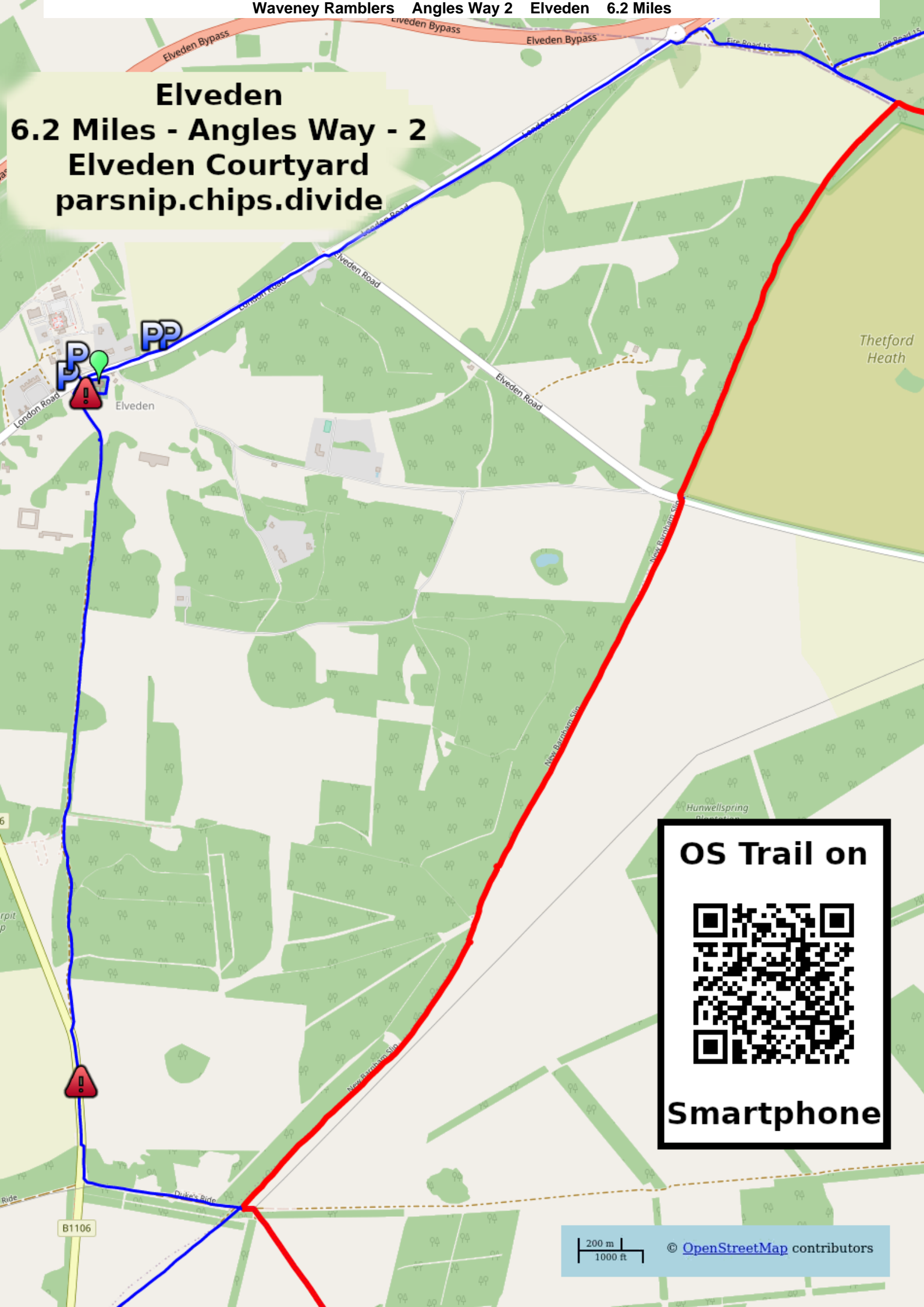
Park near St. Andrew and St. Patrick's Church, Elveden.  
These notes describe this circular walk anticlockwise.

Head SW from the church, then turn left to cross the Elveden Farms land.  
There is a sign which states "Private No Through Road. Security measures in place. Enter at own risk."  
So I assume walkers are permitted.  
Historically it's certain that the right of way led to the church.  
Head SE for 160 metres to a locked gate.  
Walkers bypass this gate on a short, well trodden path to the right.  
After the gate, you are on a right of way and safe.  
Head south passing a picturesque tower, right.  
Continue south to the B1106.  
Head south along this road for 450 metres. Use the verges whenever possible.  
Turn left, east, into Dukes Ride and follow it for 490 metres.  
After the farm, turn left, NE, woodland left, fields right.  
This leg has been churned up by off road vehicles and trial and mountain bikes.  
Continue NE for 4 km, crossing Elveden Road.  
Turn left, NW, and head towards the A11 bypass.  
Near the A11, turn left, SW, and follow the old A11. This road is no longer busy.  
There are wonderful beech woods on the left.  
Continue along this road all the way back to Elveden.  
There is a footpath all the way.  
In Elveden, optionally visit the church and the Elveden Courtyard retail zone.  
On my mid December recce, there was a Christmas tat fest of epic proportions with bawling children, tantrums and stressed adults.



## Elveden

**6.2 Miles - Angles Way - 2**  
**Elveden Courtyard**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 3    Kings Forest

Track: [TL 82572 74871](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    8.7 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-04

CAUTION: This walk uses several byways shared with off road vehicles.

CAUTION: The woodland route late in the walk is complex. Take a compass.

Park at the King's Forest picnic site off the B1106 south of Elveden.

Head south and soon west to leave the car park.

Cross the B1106 and head NW along the forest access road 203.

This road soon bends left, west.

After 1.1 miles, at a T junction, turn right, NE.

After 0.9 miles, go right onto Queen Mary's Avenue, parallel with the main track.

Follow the avenue all the way to the B1106.

Cross the B1106 and continue NE across the open field.

Some off road idiots had failed to use the track and driven over the farmer's crops.

At the far side of the field, turn right twice to head SE across another open field.

The junction was churned up by the off roaders, as was the next cross field leg.

Pick a path through the churned mud with care.

Continue SE for 1.1 miles.

Turn left, NE, for half a mile (two fields).

Turn right, SE, for 0.6 miles.

Turn right, SW, for 0.8 miles.

At the thatched cottage, continue SW, ahead into the woodland.

The route repeatedly turns right and left zigzagging through the woods.

There were eleven turns all using well trodden tracks or paths.

If you are using an App or handheld satnav this will be easy.

Otherwise, pay attention to your map and compass, timing your turns to avoid getting lost.

Return to the car park.

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**8.7 Miles - Angles Way - 3**  
**Kings Forest**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 4    Barnham

Track: [TL 86748 78982](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    8.3 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-05

CAUTION: Two short legs along and crossing the A134 totalling about 300 metres.

CAUTION: Euston Drove might be muddy. There are pig farming operations.

CAUTION: The lane from Euston to Barnham carries significant traffic.

Use the wide verges and avoid busier times.

Park in Barnham. There is street parking near the church.

Or, by arrangement, use the village hall <https://www.barnhamvillagehall.org/>

Head west along Mill Lane. At the A134, turn right, north, for 110 metres.

Take care and use the verges.

Turn left, slightly south of west, along the byway for a kilometre.

Cross the disused railway and soon turn left, SW, onto tarmac.

Near farm buildings, bear right onto a sandy track avoiding the farm.

Head SW for 250 metres. Stay on this track as it bends left, SE.

The track now bends right, SW, again for 860 metres.

Turn left, SE, along the Angles Way, not signposted.

Follow this track for 2.2 km.

At the A134, turn right. Take care and use the verges.

After 180 metres, turn left, east.

After only 30 metres, turn left, NE, along Euston Drove.

This leg has pig farming and the way might be churned up.

At the A1088, turn left and follow the main road to the Black Bourne bridge.

The bridge landmark is where this Angles Way leg joins the next.

Double back and head NW, later west, along Barnham Road.

This carries little traffic but might be busier during the commute and school runs.

There are wide verges and pleasant views into mature woodlands.

Return to the church or village hall.

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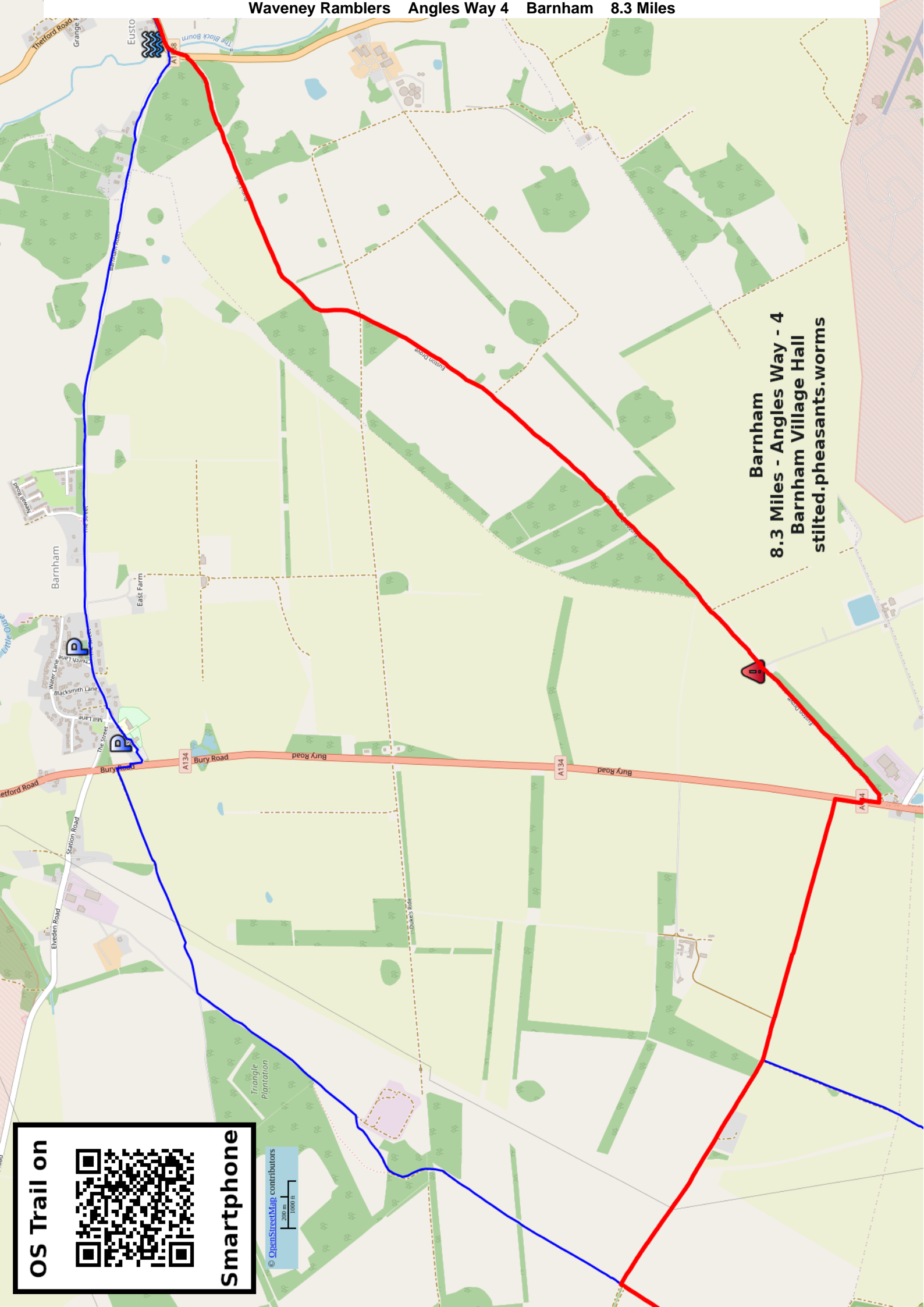
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8.3 Miles - Angles Way - 4  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 5    Rushford

Track: [TL 94376 80776](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    7.6 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-06

Park at Knettishall Heath free car park.

There is a pay and display 0.6 miles east if the free car park is full.

From the P and D, allow 15 minutes walking to reach the free car park.

Just under four miles of this walk is on tarmac lanes.

The lanes are not busy and there is a safe grassy verge, sometimes wide.

Head west along The Heathlands. This is a tarmac lane.

Merge into Spalding's Chair Hill and head NW for 210 metres.

Ignore a private drive, left.

Turn left into Rushford Road and head SW to Euston.

Rushford Road merges into The Street. Continue SW.

At Euston, follow the A1088 south and soon SW to the Black Bourne bridge.

This route connects with leg four at the bridge.

After the bridge, double back to Euston.

Head roughly east, war memorial left.

Follow the track as it bends left and soon right again.

Continue roughly east, trees right for 700 metres.

Follow the main track when it bends right, SE.

After 440 metres, follow the track left, NE, later east.

Cross the Spalding's Chair Hill and head NE on a narrower footpath.

This one mile leg leads back to the free car park.

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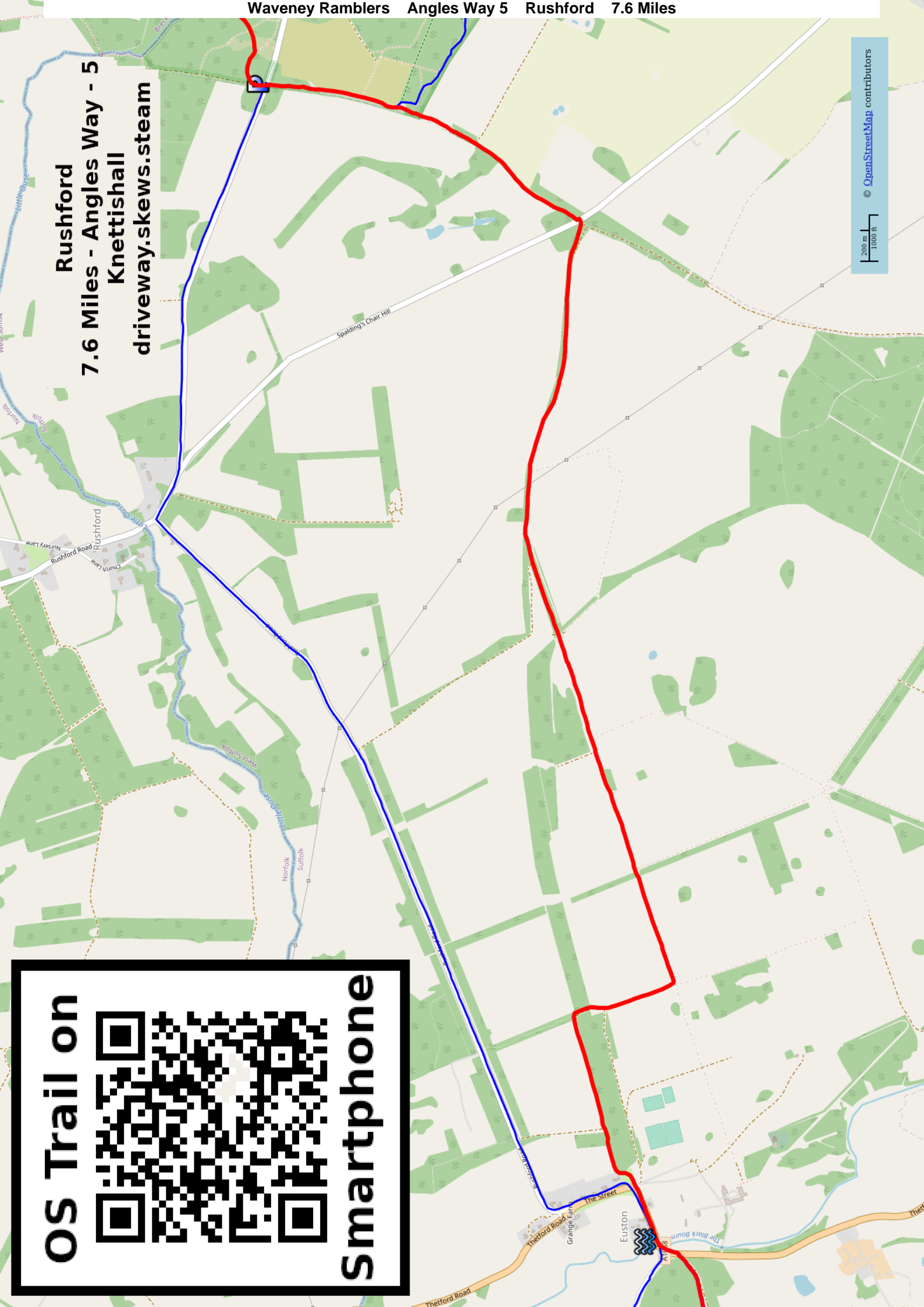


**Rushford**  
**7.6 Miles - Angles Way - 5**  
**Knettishall**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 6    Knettishall

Track: [TL 94376 80776](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    10 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-07

Park at the free Knettishall Heath car park.  
If this is full, use the pay and display 0.75 miles east.  
Semi-wild pony sightings are likely on this walk.

From the free car park, head north across The Heathlands tarmac lane.  
About 60 metres into the woodland, bear right, east.  
The path bends left, NE, towards the river Little Ouse.  
Follow the river, east, to the pay and display car park.  
From the pay and display, head left, north, on the narrow Knettishall Road.  
Cross two small hump back bridges.  
Turn right, NE, towards Riddlesworth Hall School.  
Before the school, turn right, SE, and skirt the woodland, left.  
Soon the field perimeter becomes private.  
Turn left, north, into the woods and after a few paces, right, east.  
Follow the woodland path east for about 100 metres.  
Turn right, east, and continue on the field perimeter farm track.  
Head to Gasthorpe and cross the tarmac lane. Continue east.  
Before the silos at Lodge Farm, turn right, SE.  
Drop down to the Little Ouse and cross over.  
The path bends left, SE, between fields for 900 metres.  
Turn right, SW.  
Follow the woodland perimeter, SE and soon SW.  
Turn left, SE, hedge left.  
Turn right, SW, between fields.  
Turn left, SE, between fields.  
At houses, turn right, SW, for 100 metres.  
Turn left, SE, between houses and emerge on the B1111 in Hopton.  
Follow the B1111, SW, passing the Vine and All Saints church.  
At the shop, turn right and follow Nethergate Street, NW.  
Follow this lane for about two miles.  
After Hall Farm, turn left, SW, along Norwich Lane.  
After 400 metres, kink right and left off the tarmac to use the parallel woodland path.  
Back at the tarmac, cross over and head west into more woodland.  
There are a few car parking places at this road crossing.  
Meander roughly west through the woods staying near the perimeter.  
The recorded track avoids the central grazing area with semi-wild ponies.  
After about 1.25 woodland miles, head right, north, back to the free car park.



**Knettishall**  
**10 Miles - Angles Way - 6**  
**Knettishall**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 7    Hopton Thelnetham Hinderclay

Track: [TL 99235 79079](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    7.6 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-07

Park in Hopton, Nethergate Street, near the Methodist Church.  
This is street parking.

Head east to the village centre, shop and church.  
Turn left, NE, and follow the High Street, B1111. Keep left.  
Turn right, east, into Common Road. Head to Spring Farm.  
At the farm, turn right, left, left and right to skirt the perimeter fencing.  
Continue SE along Buggs Hole Lane.  
At a crossroads, turn left, NE, along Mill Road.  
Visit the Thelnetham Wind Mill.  
Double back, SW, along Mill Road.  
Back at the crossroads, turn left, SE, along Fen Lane.  
At Fen Farm, turn left and soon right towards Thelnetham Fen.  
Head east to Hinderclay Fen. This leg is damp and might flood.  
A byway crosses the path. Ahead, east, is a good spot for an apple stop.  
After a break, return to the byway and head left, south, to farms.  
Turn right, west, along Fen Road.  
After the last house, turn left, south, and head uphill.  
This high spot has fine views.  
Drop down, south, and continue south along Bells Lane.  
Follow the lane right, SW.  
At the crossroads, turn left, SE, to visit Saint Mary's Church.  
After the church, return to the crossroads and turn left, west, along The Street.  
Turn right, NW, into Chapel Road.  
Turn left, west, onto a footpath, hedge left.  
After one field, turn right, NW, ditch right.  
At the tarmac lane, turn left, west.  
At the High Street, turn left, SW, for 70 metres.  
Turn right, NW, onto a footpath, hedge right.  
After 160 metres, kink right and left to cross a footbridge. Continue NW, hedge left.  
Cross an open field, NW, aiming for the gap opposite.  
Continue NW all the way back to Hopton.  
Branch left before the village. Cross the B1111 and continue ahead.  
At a new community woodland with seats, turn right, north.  
Return to Nethergate Street. Turn right to return to the Methodist church.

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# Hopton Thelnetham Hinderclay

## 7.6 Miles - Angles Way - 7

### Hopton, Methodist Chapel

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# Waveney Ramblers   Angles Way 8   Lopham Fen

Track: [TM 05242 80271](#)   [GPX for SatNav](#)   10 Miles   Updated: 2022-03-08

HAZARD: There is a muddy marshy leg that might be impassable in wet weather.

Park at the Suffolk Wildlife Trust centre.

Groups should pre-book this to ensure there is space.

Please make a donation.

There is limited street parking in Low Common Road.

Head south and soon SW from the visitor centre following the north perimeter track.

The source of the Waveney is close to the B1113. West of the road is the Little Ouse.

Follow the B1113, north, on the parallel woodland track.

Cross the road, west, into The Frith.

Head NW to the far corner of this field.

Head NW along Middle Road for 100 metres. Turn left, SW, onto a footpath.

Turn right at the end of the field and emerge onto Fen Road.

Head left, SW for half a mile.

Turn left, south, on a byway. Cross the Little Ouse into woodland.

Turn left, east, into Hinderclay Fen. This is the Angles Way.

Follow this path parallel with the Little Ouse.

Turn right, SE, and follow the Gressingham Foods perimeter fence (right).

At Hinderclay Road, turn left, NE.

Cross the B1113 and continue NE along Fen Street for 300 metres.

Turn left, north, onto a track into woodland.

The path bends right, NE, through mature trees.

The original line of the Angles Way is blocked by unsafe trees.

Turn left, NW, for 130 metres. Cross the Waveney and turn right, east, river right.

Follow this track for just over a mile, river right.

Turn left, NW, across muddy marshy terrain that might be impassable in wet weather.

After 300 metres, turn left, SW, soon NW.

Follow this track back to the Suffolk Wildlife Trust visitor centre.

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# Lopham Fen

## 10 Miles - Angles Way - 8

### Redgrave and Lopham Fen

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200 m 1000 ft

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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 9    Bressingham

Track: [TM 08877 79787](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    8.8 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-09

Park at Wortham Ling on The Doit. Head NE avoiding the road where possible.  
There is a short sunken leg where walkers have used a field perimeter to the right.  
Before the A1066, turn left into Fen Lane.  
At the end, turn right, north, and cross the A1066.  
Use the field perimeter path north of the main road and head west.  
After only 90 metres, turn right, north, on a footpath.  
At tarmac, head north into Common Road.  
After 800 metres there is a footpath to the left, west.  
If the missing bridge has been replaced, use this.  
Otherwise continue north for another 150 metres. Turn left, west. Turn left, south.  
Turn right, west, on the path you wanted in the first place.  
After the field crossing, the hedge gap needed pruning to get through.  
Turn left, south, for 50 metres.  
At the electricity pole, turn right, west and cross the open field.  
Continue west, hedge right.  
Cross another field. Follow the reinstated path if this exists.  
Otherwise head NW, 292 degrees, aiming for woodland and Folly Lane.  
Head north, then west, along Folly Lane. At a house, continue west on the signposted path.  
Cross another open field, 286 degrees, to Fersfield Lane.  
Head north along Fersfield Lane, then very soon, west into Hall Lane.  
After 300 metres, turn left, SW, on a footpath between fields.  
This path bends right, then left, and finally emerges on Wilney Green.  
Head west along Wilney Green for 260 metres.  
Turn left, SW, on a footpath. At the A1066, cross over and head left, east, for a few paces.  
Turn right, south, into Fen Street.  
After 50 metres, turn right, west and cross the Hundred River.  
Continue west to Pooley Street and turn left, south.  
At a junction, bear left, SE, along Silver Street for 180 metres.  
Bear right, due south, on a smaller path, avoiding the private track.  
This path becomes wet and marshy and might be impassable in very wet weather.  
Head south across the River Waveney. Continue south to Low Road.  
Head left, east, along Low Road. Follow right and left bends.  
After farm buildings, turn right, south, between fields, hedge left.  
Kink left and right and continue south, hedge right.  
Turn left, east, towards woodland and later Slade Lane.  
Turn left, north along Slade Lane. Turn right, east, soon SE, between fields.  
The wide track bends right, south. Leave the wide track and head SE across an open field.  
At Magpie Hill, turn left, east, and head to Saint Mary's Church.  
From the NE corner of the cemetery, head NE across two fields of grazing.  
At woodland, head left, north, still in the meadow, woods right.  
This path gradually bends right, east, to Rectory Road.  
Turn left, north. The Angles Way is signposted along the tarmac lanes.  
There are nicer heathland paths to the left of the lanes.  
After 550 metres, cross Ling Road and head north along The Doit, back to the car park.

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Pruning Needed

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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 10    Diss

Track: [TM 14769 78637](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    11 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-10

This walk can be split into legs of 3.6 miles plus 7.3 or complete all 11 miles in one go.  
There is plenty of parking in Bridge Street, Scole and at Wortham Ling. Fair Green and Diss may be busier.  
Near Palgrave the route is along somewhat busy roads with no pavements for walkers.

From Bridge St. Scole, head SW and cross the Waveney. Cross the A143. Make a right left kink and head south.  
At the B1118 turn right, west, and follow the road.

Cross the A140. Take extreme care.

Head roughly west along Old Bury Road.

Cross the B1077 and continue west along Old Bury Road.

Before the end of Old Bury Road opposite a field entrance, there is a path to the right, NW.

This cuts off a corner but may be overgrown. Cross the A143 and head NW towards the railway crossing.

Alternatively, at the end of Old Bury Road, turn right, north, and cross the A143.

Make a right, left kink and head north along Crossing Road.

This is significantly busy but there are no good alternatives.

In Palgrave, cross Rose Lane and head north up the traffic free Low's Lane.

Bear left into Denmark Hill, significantly busy again. Follow this road to Fair Green.

At the bridge over the Waveney, don't cross. Look for the riverside path.

(For the shorter 7.3 mile walk, you should cross and head north to the car park to re-join the main walk.)

There is a riverside path, west, just south of the Waveney. Use this if it's passable. Otherwise use Ling Road.

The river path eventually bends south, and re-joins Ling Road. Head west for 200 metres.

After a house, turn left, south, under power lines for 30 metres, then right, west, power lines right.

Follow this path to Wortham Ling. Head NW across the common. There are multiple paths. Aim for the car park at the junction of The Doit and Ling Road.

(This is a good starting point for the 3.6 mile short walk.)

Head NE parallel with The Doit and join the road before the belt of trees. Head NE along The Doit and cross the Waveney. You are near enough to Bressingham Steam to hear the whistles. Head a similar distance after the stream and turn right through a metal gate into a pasture. Head SE, fence left, across the pasture through several gates. The path meanders east through damp woodland. Join Roydon Fen and head past houses. At Tottington Lane, continue east to Fair Green. Cross the green to the car park avoiding the road if you prefer.

At the car park, turn left, north.

(Or right, south, for the 3.6 mile walk. Join the main route after crossing the bridge over the Waveney.)

Turn right, east, along Park Road into central Diss. After 200 metres, head NE diagonally across the park.

Skirt the mere. Head east across Mere Street and bend left, north, along Chapel Street.

At Church Street, turn right, east. Continue along the same road, now Frenze Road, to the railway bridge.

Go under the railway, then turn left, NE, and head along the footpath for 600 metres.

Turn right, south. You could paddle through the ford but there's a foot bridge a little further east.

Cross the bridge and head south through the wood and then along the concrete farm track.

At the Diss Business Centre, turn left, east, and 100 metres later, right, SE. Follow this path to the A140.

At the A140, turn right, SW, and walk parallel with the main road along the footpath.

At the roundabout, cross the A140. Take extreme care.

Head, east into Scole along Diss Road.

Close to the Scole Inn (refreshments) turn right, SW, and head back to the car park.

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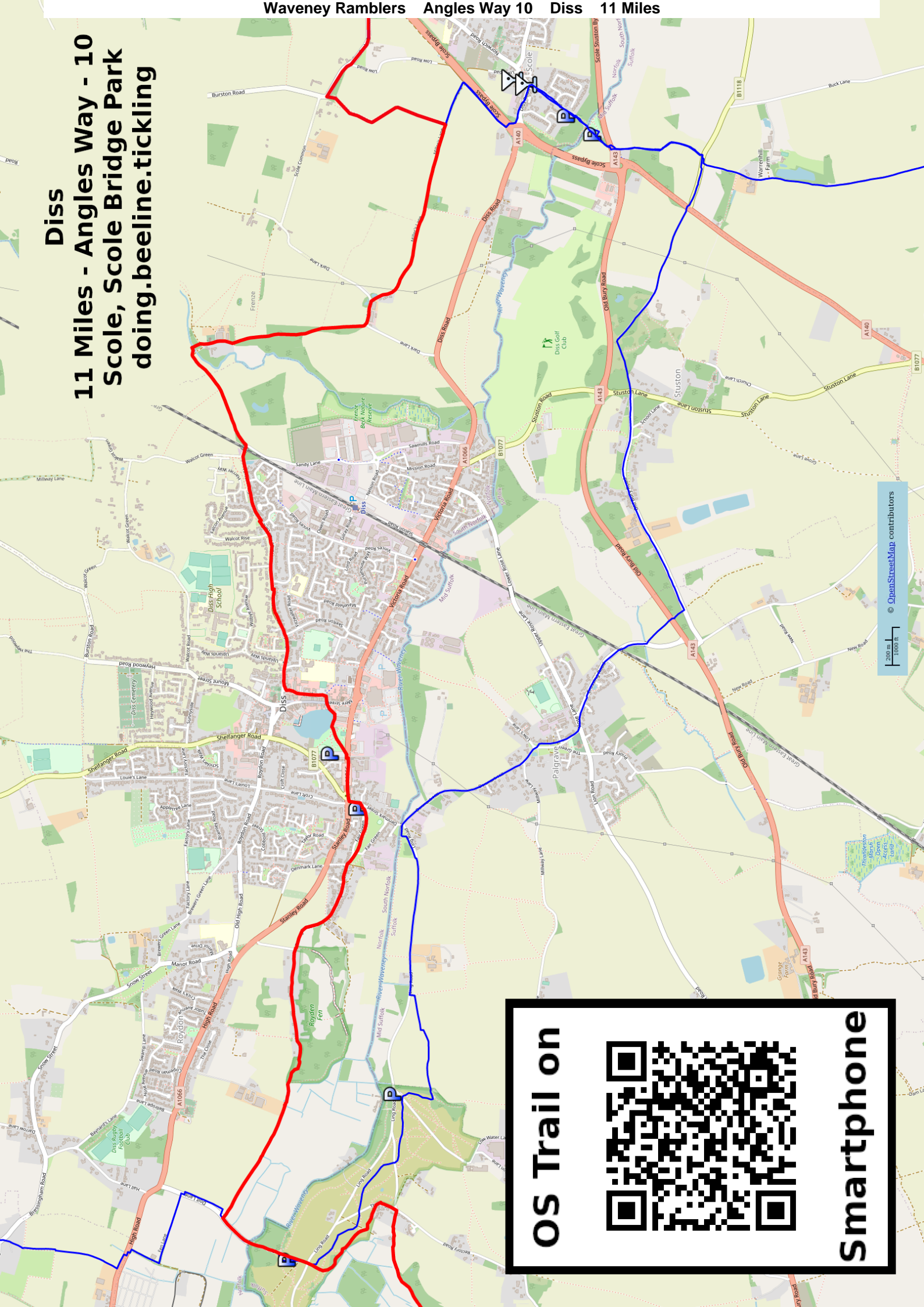
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 11    Scole and Billingford

Track: [TM 14769 78637](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    9.7 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-11

Approaching from the village centre, park at the southern end of Bridge Road, Scole.

Head NE along Bridge Road.

Turn left, west, along Diss Road and cross the A140.

Head NE, on the footpath left of the A140 for 310 metres.

Turn left, west, for 140 metres. Turn right, north towards Scole Common Road.

Turn right, SE, along Scole Common Road.

Cross the bridge over the A140. Cross the Norwich Road (old A140).

Head east towards Hall Farm Cottages.

Turn right, south, towards Saint Mary's ruins (right).

At the tarmac bend right, head left, east, on a track to Hall Farm.

At Norgate Lane, turn left and right and continue east towards Hall Farm.

Continue east after Hall Farm. Turn right, south along Kiln Lane.

Cross the A143 and turn left, east, along the lay-by.

After 160 metres, turn right, south, pumping station left.

Drop down to the Waveney and head left, SE, river right.

At The Crotch, right, the river Dove joins the Waveney.

Stay close to the river and turn right into a meadow used by wild swimmers.

At the weir, cross the river into Suffolk to follow the Mid Suffolk path, south.

In 2021, the Waveney bridge was closed for repair.

Walkers and swimmers climbed over the barriers and used the bridge as usual.

At the B1118, turn right, west, and head to the church (St Peter and St Paul).

Visit the church, then head south down Church Hill to the village centre.

Head south passing the Swan, Hoxne.

Cross the Gold Brook. Head along Low Street, then right, SW, into Eye Road.

After 400 metres, turn right, off Eye Road and head north, hedge right.

The path bends left, NW and soon left, SW through poplar woods.

The woodland path bends right and crosses the River Dove. Continue west.

The path becomes a track and soon a tarmac lane.

Bend left, SW, and join Upper Oakley (road).

Turn right, NW, along Oakley Church Lane to Saint Nicholas church.

Before the lych gate, turn left, south. (Or pause here to see the church).

Follow the footpath back to Upper Oakley and head SW through the village.

Turn right into Buck Lane and immediately left, NW, parallel with The Street, hedge left.

This is a useful permissive path avoiding the tarmac.

Turn right, north along a wide farm track, reservoirs left.

Head north through Warrenhill Farm.

Cross the B1118 with a right/left kink. Continue north.

Cross the A143. At busy times divert via the safer roundabout islands.

Head NE into Scole Pocket Park.

Cross Scole Bridge to return to the parking area.

The Crossways and Scole Inn are handy for refreshments.

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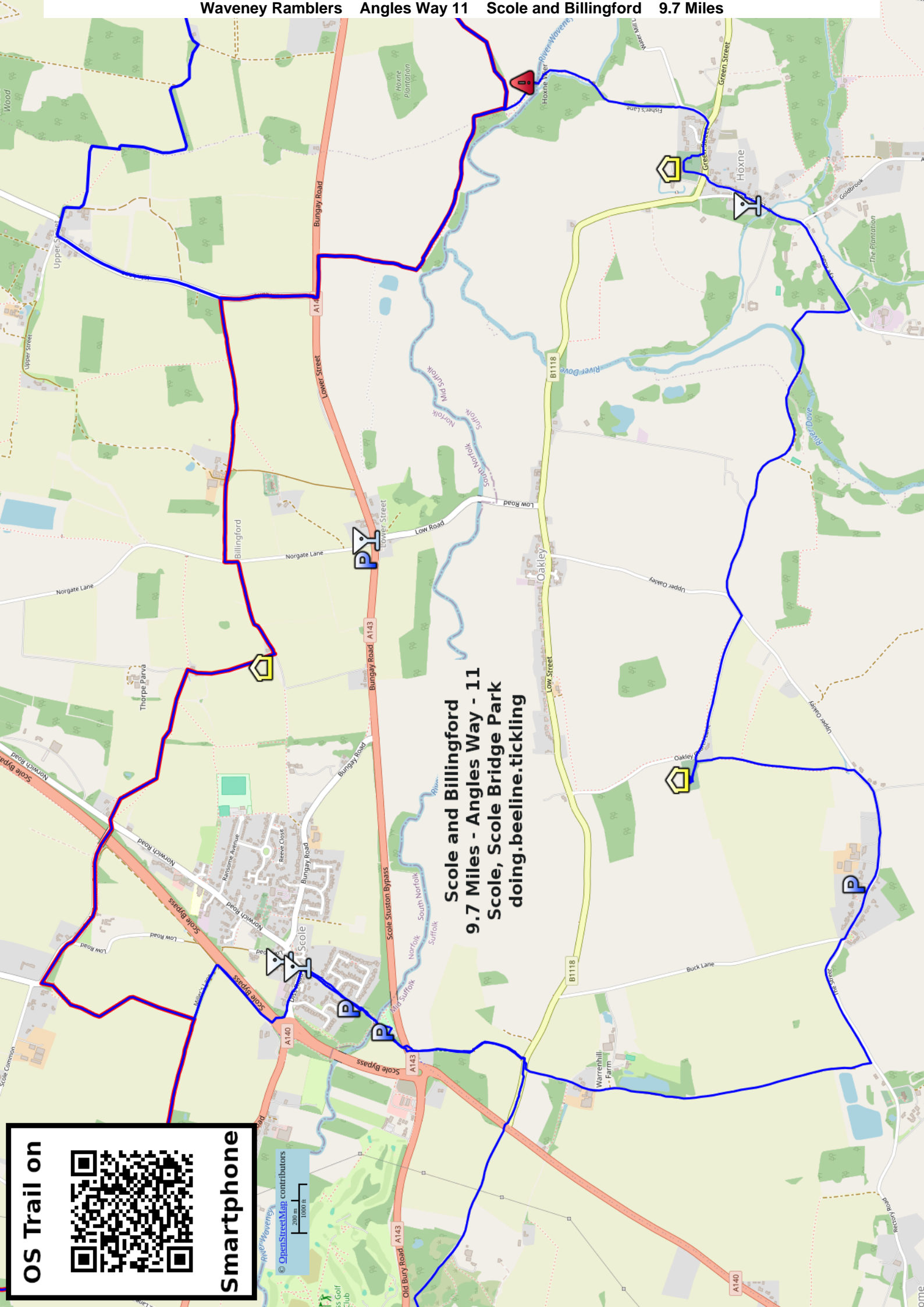
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 12    Brockdish West

Track: [TM 21255 79607](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    7.3 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-12

Park in the street near the village hall, Brockdish.  
This is located near the south end of Grove Road.  
Meet at the little green opposite the hall.

Head west along Scole Road.  
150 metres before the A143, turn right, NW, onto a footpath.  
Cross the A143 and continue NW to Grove Road.  
Turn left, west, along Grove Road.  
In Thorpe Abbots, turn left, SW, along The Street.  
After 280 metres, turn right, west, to Highfields Fishery.  
The access roads bends right, north.  
After the lake on the right, turn left, west.  
Kink left and right and continue roughly west, hedge left.  
After a house, turn right, NW, along a track, trees right.  
After a belt of pines, turn left, west, pine belt left.  
At the end of the pine belt, turn right, north.  
Kink left and right over a sleeper bridge and continue north.  
Turn left, west, on a concrete lane towards Grove Farm.  
At the farm, turn right, then left and emerge at Wood Lane.  
Turn left, south, into Kiln Lane and head to the A143.  
Cross the main road and turn left along the lay-by.  
Turn right, pumping station left. Head south to the river Waveney.  
Turn left, SE, and follow the river.  
On the right, at the Waveney Crotch, the river Dove joins the Waveney.  
The path bends right. At a stile, don't cross into the meadow.  
Instead, turn left, east, hedge right for two fields.  
Turn right, south and follow this track as it bends left, west.  
After woodland, left, kink left and right and continue east, hedge right.  
After 0.8 miles, the track bends NW. Head to the A143.  
Just before the main road, turn right, east, towards Brockdish.  
Continue east along The Street for 100 metres.  
Turn left, north, for 100 metres, repeating this short leg.  
Before the main road, turn right, NE, parallel with the A143.  
Turn right, east, through a gate into a field towards the church.  
Head along Church Lane. Optionally turn right to visit the church.  
Continue east along Church Lane. Turn right, SE, along Church Road for 50 metres.  
Turn left, east, houses right, field left.  
At the end of the field, the path bends left, NW.  
At a copse, turn right, NE, and head to Grove Road.  
Turn right, SE, later south, along Grove Road.  
Drop down to the village hall.

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**7.3 Miles - Angles Way - 12**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 13    Brockdish East

Track: [TM 21255 79607](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    7.3 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-13

Hazards: There is a lot of flood meadow grazing. Take care with the farm animals.

Park in the street near Brockdish village hall.

Meet in the little park opposite the hall.

Head south along Syleham Road, also the Angles Way, towards the mill.

Cross the Waveney and soon, turn left, east, for a few metres.

Turn left, NE, onto a footpath.

Cross a bridge and cross the field NE, hawthorns left.

At the far side, turn left through a gate, NW, onto a farm track.

Before the river, turn right, east, into a meadow.

Cross the meadow diagonally and bare left, NE, trees right.

Cross multiple meadows for nearly a mile heading NE.

Kink right and left, into more open terrain and cross three more fields, NE, fence left.

Climb a stile and head NE along Mill Lane for a few metres.

Turn right and head east towards Instead Farm.

After the farm buildings, head left, north, into more grazing.

This track bends right, NE, and emerges on Watermill Lane.

Just before a "Y" junction, turn right, south, onto a footpath and leave the Angles Way.

The path is about 50 metres after the misplaced signpost.

Head south, soon into woodland.

Turn left and soon right, south into more woodland.

Emerge from the woods and turn left to follow the field perimeter.

Follow the field edge which soon bends right, south, hedge left.

At tarmac, bear right, west, along Wingfield road for 550 metres.

Cross a stream and turn left, south, into a meadow, stream left.

The path bends right, SW. Head over a stile and awkward sleeper bridge.

800 metres from the road, bear left, SE, hedge right.

At Greengate Farm, turn right, SW, along the farm access drive.

At Wingfield Road, turn right, NW, for 40 metres.

Turn left, west. Ignore the misplaced signpost ahead.

Here the paths do not follow the lines on the O.S. map.

Head west, hedge left. Turn right, north, trees left.

Turn left, west, hedge right. Near the road, cut through woods to the tarmac.

Follow Hoxne Road, left, SW.

Merge into Syleham Road, west.

After 140 metres, turn right, down a bank and through a gate.

Head NW across the meadow and go through the obvious gate.

Climb over the hill, north, soon NW, hedge right.

Drop down and leave the field through the same gate you used earlier.

Head NW along the farm track.

Cross the Waveney and head through the barns to Common Road back to Brockdish village.

Turn left for the village hall.

Or for the Old Kings Head, turn right for 200 metres.

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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 14    Harleston and Mendham

Track: [TM 24672 81584](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    7.7 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-14

HAZARD: During the flood season, the meadows south of Mendham might require a shin deep wade, sometimes deeper. It's possible to return via Low Road. This is not busy but it's less interesting. The diversion is a couple of miles shorter.

Park at Harleston, Grinder's Lane. Head west across the B1116, into Watermill Lane.  
Cross the Wingfield and Syleham road and continue along Watermill Lane.  
Bear right, NW, towards Weybread House. Bear right, NW, and cross the Waveney.  
Head north across the meadow. Turn right, east, over a footbridge.  
Head NE to the field corner and Wells Lane. Turn right, east, along Wells Lane.  
Approach the B1116 with caution and cross over.  
Turn right, east along the B1116 for 90 metres. Turn left, north, into woodland.  
Carefully cross the A143 and continue north across the fields.  
At Spirkett's Lane, turn left, west for 70 metres. Turn right, north on another footpath.  
At houses and an access road, turn right, then left onto Lime Close. Head NE.  
Turn right onto Mendham Lane, east. Follow this all the way to the A143.  
Carefully cross the A143 and continue east for 530 metres.  
Turn right, south, and soon bear left, SE, between fields. At Low Road, turn right, south, for 80 metres.  
AVOIDING FLOODS 5.4 Miles:  
Continue along Low Road and at the B1116, retrace your steps back to the parking place.  
VIA MENDHAM MARSHES 7.7 Miles:  
Turn left, SE, into a meadow. Cross diagonally and turn left, NE, onto The Street.  
Cross the Waveney, then first right, south, to the church.  
Visit the church. Head east out of the cemetery.  
Optionally divert ahead to the Sir Alfred Munnings, pub and restaurant.  
Before the roads and pub, turn right, south towards Mendham Marshes.  
Head south across a field. Bear right, SW, and follow the drain.  
Just before the main river channel, bear left, SW, and cross several fields, bridges and gates.  
This is the leg that floods.  
Head south and soon west, then south again following the track out of the marshes.  
Emerge on the B1123 and turn left, SE. Follow the bend right, south, and continue south into Mill Lane.  
After 130 metres, turn right, west, model railway right! Go west into the field, house left.  
Climb the hill, woodland left. Continue SW and join the drive leading to Laurel Farm.  
Head SW and when the road bends left, continue ahead and cross the open field SW.  
Aim for the woodland corner and enter the woods, west.  
Continue west through a holiday cabin park, cabins left.  
Continue west, lake left. Follow the lakes left, south. Turn right, west and head through the garden centre.  
Turn right, NW, onto the B1116. Continue NW into One Eyed Lane. Use the permissive path left of the road.  
At a triangle junction, head north onto a footpath, hedge right. Follow the field perimeter as it bends left.  
Turn right, north, into woodland, plant nurseries right.  
Follow path kinks round fallen trees.  
Turn left and soon right through more woodland, nurseries right.  
Head north to Watermill Lane.  
Turn right, SE, and retrace your steps to the parking place.

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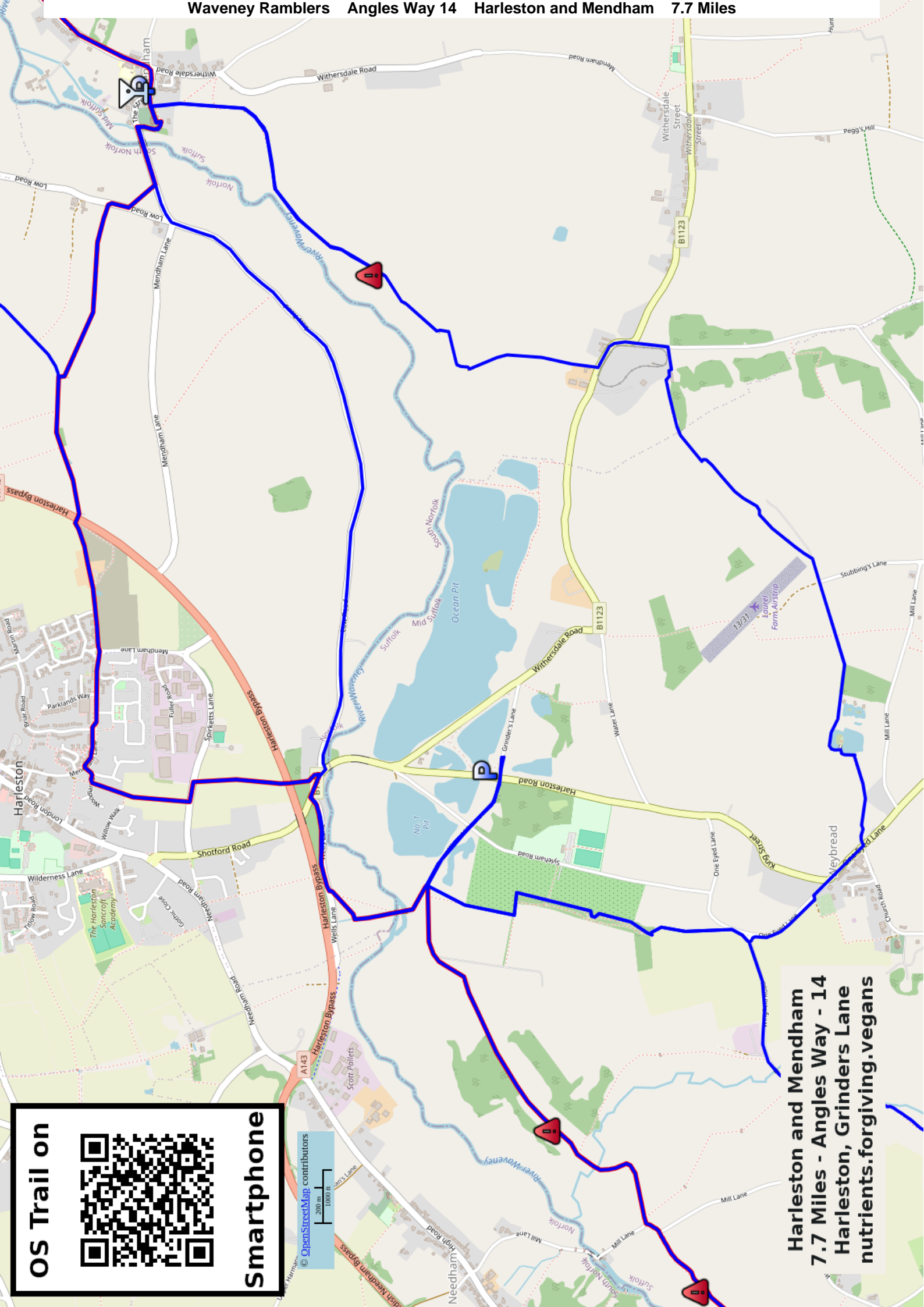
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**7.7 Miles - Angles Way - 14**  
**Harleston, Grinders Lane**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 15    Homersfield and Mendham

Track: [TM 28707 85757](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    8 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-15

Park at the B1062 lay-by near Homersfield.

Head SW towards the village. Bear right, NW, and head past the Black Swan.  
Cross the oldest concrete bridge in the country. Continue NW along the B1062.  
At the A143, turn right and cross at the island.  
Head NE past the Dove and turn left, NW, along Station Road.  
Head uphill, NW, for 340 metres. Turn left, west, along a footpath.  
The path bends left and right, SW. Head to Tunbeck Lane and turn right, north.  
Turn first left, west, along Stony Lane. The lane drops down to a ford.  
Cross the stream. There is a bridge. Turn left, SW, into a meadow.  
The path bends left, south, into a second meadow.  
Head to the end of the field. Turn right and soon left, south, through a woodland belt.  
Follow the track SW, to Church Lane. Turn left, SE.  
Head to the A143 and, with a left right kink, cross over.  
Head south to the church. Head SW through the cemetery and depart SW on a woodland path.  
Follow this path, mostly west. 70 metres before the A143, turn left, south.  
Head to Anthills and bear right, SW, to Green Lane.  
Turn left, east, along Green Lane. Head past the USAF memorial.  
After 100 metres, turn right, south, soon SW for 570 metres.  
Turn left, south, onto the Angles Way. After a few paces, the path bends left. SE.  
Head to Low Road and turn right, south along the lane for 70 metres.  
Turn left, SE, and cross the meadow diagonally, to The Street.  
Turn left, NE, and cross the river Waveney.  
Turn first right and head to the church. Head east through the cemetery.  
Head east past the pub, Sir Alfred Munnings.  
Turn left, NE, along Sconch Beck Road for 850 metres.  
Turn left off the lane, NE, into a meadow for 350 metres.  
Cross a footbridge and soon head north across more meadows. The path bends right, NE.  
At Downs Farm, bare right and after a few paces, turn left into a field.  
Head north, then NE, along the field perimeter. Head NE into woodland.  
At Mendham Lane, turn left, north.  
At a "Y" junction, turn left, NW, soon north.  
At Saint Cross Road, turn right, east.  
After 90 metres, turn left, NW, into the community woodland.  
Follow Church Lane to the playground (closed).  
For the Black Swan, turn left, then right, NW.  
For the car parking, turn right, NE, and return to the lay-by.

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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 16    Homersfield and Earsham

Track: [TM 28707 85757](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    10.4 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-16

Park at the Homersfield lay-by, off the B1962.  
Note the totem pole landmark.

Head east along the B1062 for 400 metres.  
Turn right, SE, onto a footpath. Turn left, SE, and follow the quarry access track, lakes left.  
After 730 metres, turn right, SE.  
Follow this track which wiggles past buildings.  
Continue SE, saw mill converted to housing, right.  
At College Farm and Park Road, turn left for 190 metres.  
Turn right, SE, onto a wide track.  
Follow this roughly SE for 440 metres.  
Turn left, NE, between fields.  
At woodland, kink right and left, NE.  
At a house perimeter, kink right and left, NE.  
Turn left, north, onto Grange road.  
Head past the mushroom farm, left.  
After the farm, turn right, east onto a wide track.  
Follow this track east to Abbey Road and cross over continuing east.  
The track passes Sternacre Farm and bends left, NE.  
960 metres past the farm, bear left, north.  
The track widens and eventually becomes tarmac.  
At a right bend to Uplandhall Farm, turn left, SW, through a narrow woodland belt.  
After 40 metres, turn right, NE, for 500 metres, later NW.  
At concrete hard standing, bend right, due north for 80 metres.  
Turn left, NW, and follow a field perimeter, hedge left.  
The field perimeter zig zags twice.  
Head left through a gate, NW, to Lowlands Farm, famed for raw milk and cheeses.  
Cross the B1062 and follow a track north into grazing.  
Head north across the first field.  
Cross a bridge and head NW to gates.  
Bend left, NW, to another gate and the river Waveney.  
Cross the river and head NE to Church Road. Turn left and head NW.  
At School Road continue ahead, NW. Look for a footpath right, north.  
Head to the Queens's Head. After the pub, head SW along The Street.  
Kink left and right into Old Harleston Road and follow this, SW, to the end.  
Cross the A143 and head west into Denton Road.  
Turn left, SW, into Low Road. Follow this to the Dove.  
Cross the A143 again and head SE, soon east, along the B1062.  
Turn right into a parking area with a height barrier.  
Head SE across the oldest concrete bridge in Britain.  
Head SE past the Queens Head.  
Bear left, NE, and return to the lay-by and parking.

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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 17    Bigod Way and Bath Hills

Track: [TM 32939 89647](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    6 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-17

Park in the Roaring Arch layby on the Earsham Dam.

Head east towards Bungay and cross the Roaring Arch bridge.

Turn right, south, river right.

At the footbridge, turn right, NW, and cross over.

Head NE along Church Road.

The Angles Way merges from the left. Continue ahead, NW.

Optionally visit Earsham All Saints church, left.

Turn right, north, on the signposted footpath and head to the Queen's Head.

Optionally visit the pub. Head NE along The Street towards Bungay.

The official line of the Angles Way is along the A143. This is safer and nicer!

Turn left, NW, into Kingsway. Bear left, NW, to the A143.

Cross the busy road with care and cross the stile into the meadow.

Head NW across the field to the lane. Turn left, SW.

Turn right, NW along Marsh Lane for 40 metres.

Turn left, west, along a footpath. Turn right, NW, along Bath Hills Road.

Follow this lane dodging occasional quarry traffic on work days.

The road gradually bends right, NE.

After a gate, turn left and head NW on a footpath avoiding a house, right.

After houses, climb a hill on tarmac to Free Lane.

At a junction and house, bear slightly right, east into woodland.

This leg has fine views over Outney Common, blocked by lush foliage in summer.

This leg can be very muddy and some walkers use the field perimeter, left.

The path bends sharp right, south, and soon bends left, SE.

Drop down to the meadow, through a gate and cross over.

The drive is not a right of way. Head SE to a second gate and go through.

Follow this path SE, later east, to Norwich Road. Cross over to the east side.

Head right, south, and cross the busy A143 at the Chicken Roundabout.

Head south along the Ditchingham Dam.

Cross the river using the path through the maltings avoiding the narrow bridge.

Head south, playing fields left.

The Angles Way for the next leg heads left at the meadow after the playing fields.

Continue south towards Bungay. Cross the Waveny into Bridge Street.

Opposite Nethergate Street, turn left along a narrow alley.

Turn right at the borough well and head SW up steps.

Cross Trinity Street and head SW along Cross Street to the Buttercross and church.

This is a good place to wander.

There are pubs, cafes, shops, toilets and historic sites.

Head east, Bungay Shopper left. Head past Bigod Castle, right.

Turn right, north, down steps and emerge at the Castle Inn.

Turn left, west, along Earsham Street and cross the bridge.

Head SW along Earsham Dam back to the Roaring Arch layby.

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**6 Miles - Angles Way - 17**  
**Bungay, Roaring Arch Bridge Lay-By**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 18    Ditchingham Shipmeadow Geldeston

Track: [TM 34205 91171](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    10.5 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-18

Park at Ditchingham, Green Lane. Avoid the village hall car park.

Head SE along Green Lane. Turn left, SW, to Old Yarmouth Road.

Head south to the A143 and cross over at the island.

Head south to Pirnhov Street and turn right, west. Use the pleasant grassy area, right of the road.

Head south and cross the road into the sport centre car park.

Head to the SW corner of the car park and head onto the playing fields.

Head to the SW corner of the playing fields and turn left onto Ditchingham Dam.

Head south for 50 metres, then left, east, into a meadow.

Head east, following the playing fields perimeter, boundary left.

Head NE after the end of the playing fields for 110 metres. Turn right, SE, into another field, hedge left.

After 60 metres, turn left, NE, hedge right, to another gate.

Go through the gate and head east, diagonally across the last field.

After the final gate, head SE along Pirnhov Street. Take care. It's narrow and there is traffic.

Head SE. Cross the Waveney at the mill buildings.

Head SE to the B1062 and turn left, east for 175 metres along the main road.

Turn right, SE, up a short steep bank and climb the hill, good views behind.

At Vicarage Lane, continue ahead, SE.

At the right bend, continue ahead, SE, on the footpath to Rectory Lane.

Cross the lane and head SE into a woodland path (not the open field).

Head SE, later south, to Castle Road. Turn right, east for 800 metres.

Ignore the right bend and continue east on a farm track.

The track bends left and right, east. Continue for 450 metres. Turn left, north, hedge left.

With several kinks, follow this field perimeter north, hedge left to the B1062.

Some walkers divert through the restored alms houses. Turn right along the main road.

Soon after Saint Bartholomew's church, turn left, north, Hillcrest right.

At a stile, don't cross. Instead, turn right, NE, diagonally across the field.

Exit the field over a stile and turn right, east, and head to Locks Lane.

Turn left, north at Locks Lane. This soon bends right, east.

Turn left, at an obvious gate and head north ditch left. This meadow floods in winter.

Cross the Waveney and head north past the Geldeston Locks Inn, right.

Locks Lane bends left and soon right, north. At Station Road, turn left, west, for nearly a mile.

Turn right, north, into Braces Lane. This soon bends left, NW.

At a right bend, continue ahead, west, into a field, boundary left.

After 135 metres, bear left, SW, and cross the field diagonally.

At the disused railway bridge, head west into Station Road. Follow Station Road as it bends right, NW.

Near the A143, bear left, west, onto the parallel foot and cycle path for nearly a mile, SW.

Turn right and cross the A143. Head NW to Sun Road. Optionally divert to the Artichoke pub, 140 metres NE.

Head NW along Sun Road. At the village hall, turn left, west, hall left.

Head west across Broome Heath between lakes. Turn left, SW, lakes left. Head across the common.

After the lakes, bear right, west, and return to the car park.

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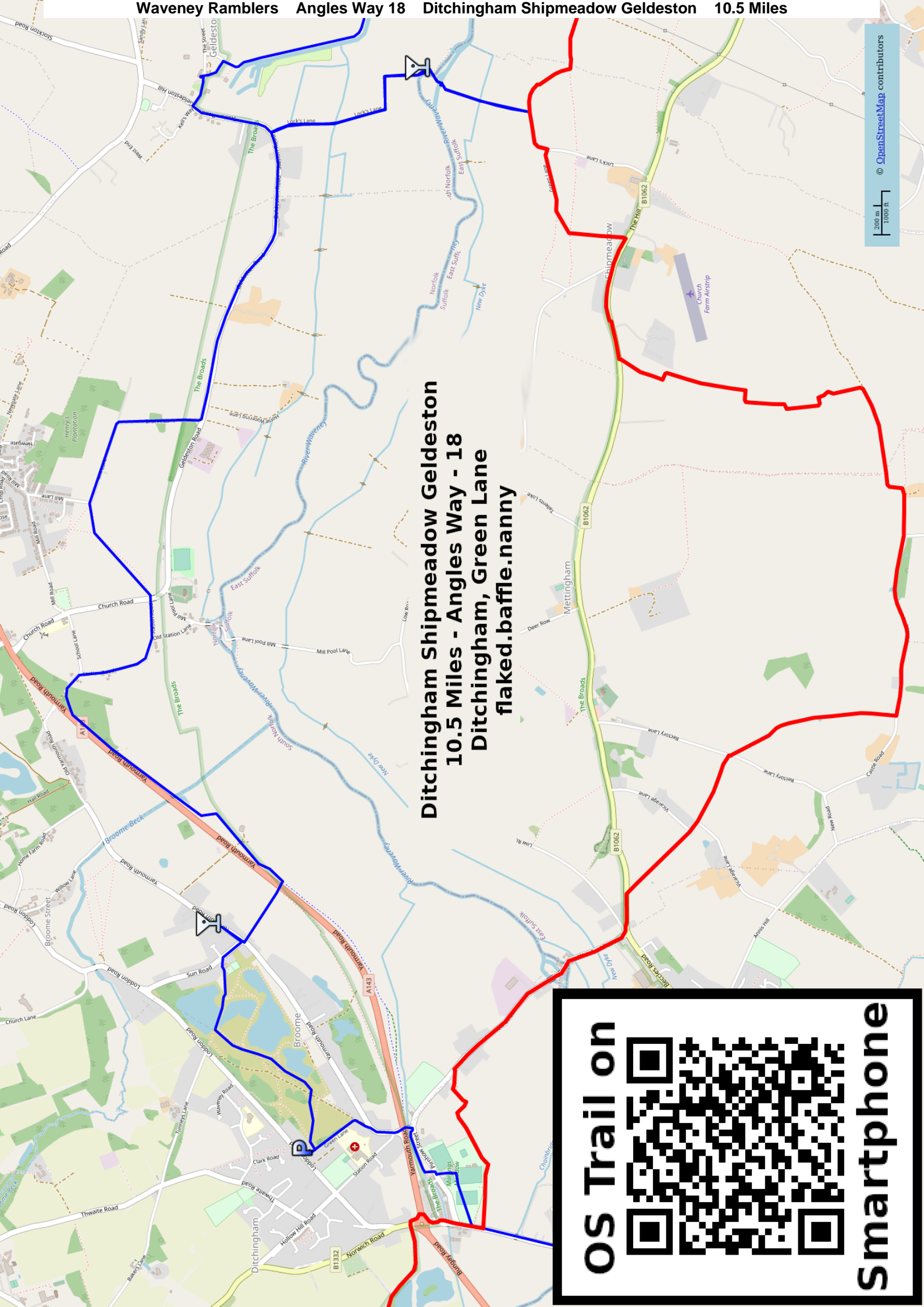
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10.5 Miles - Angles Way - 18  
Ditchingham, Green Lane  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 19    Beccles West

Track: [TM 41812 89984](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    7.6 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-19

From the Beccles Quay pay and display, head SW and cross the footbridge to Fen Lane.  
For free parking, start this walk at the Dell car park instead.

Head west, then south along Fen Lane.

Turn right, west, along Bridge Street and cross the Waveney.

After the bridge, turn left, south.

Follow the river path all the way to Geldeston, river left.

After Dunburgh, the river path can get muddy.

If it's too wet, go via Dunburgh Road and west along The Street.

Both routes emerge at the Wherry Inn.

Head west from the Wherry Inn and turn left, south, along Station Road.

Turn left, SE, along Locks Lane. This bends left and right, south.

At the Geldeston Locks Inn, head SW across two bridges.

Cross a meadow, a bridge, and another meadow, ditch right.

Go through the gate and turn left, east.

This path goes through trees and emerges into a meadow.

Head left, SE, woods left.

After a gate, turn left, east and cross a very tall stile.

Continue east along the path widening into a track.

Continue east at a cross roads, houses right.

This track emerges on the B1062. Head left, east.

40 metres after the Pilgrims Way, it's possible to avoid the road and cut through the Dell.

Turn right onto a woodland path and after 80 metres, left, NE, through the Dell.

Dell car park:

After the Dell, cross the B1062, north.

Before the town sign, turn left into the "Meadow" and drop down to Puddingmoor.

If you walked via the main road, turn left into Puddingmoor.

Head NE along Puddingmoor.

Before the boatyard, there is a children's play area, left, and a meadow with access to attractive seats beside the river.

Continue north, passing Saint Michael's church, well worth a visit.

Turn left, north, along Northgate.

Cross Bridge Street and head north into Fen Lane.

Follow the lane and the footbridge back to the car park.

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**Beccles West**  
**7.6 Miles - Angles Way - 19**  
**Beccles, Dell Car Park**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 20    Beccles East

Track: [TM 41812 89984](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    10.3 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-20

Park at Beccles Quay pay and display.

Free alternatives are at The Dell and street parking near North Cove.

Head SW and soon west from the quay car park, moorings left.

Turn right, north, river left. Cross under the A146 on the river path.

Follow the river path for just under three miles. At moorings, turn right, SW, onto marsh lane.

Cross the railway and continue along Marsh Lane.

Before the A146 roundabout, turn left, SE, along the Old Lowestoft Road for 730 metres.

## \*\*\* ALTERNATIVE STREET PARKING ON THE OLD ROAD \*\*\*

Turn right, SW, and cross the A146. Continue SW, ditch right, and pass a sewage works.

Turn right, NW, onto Sandpit Lane. Turn left, west, along Manor Close.

Turn left, SW, along College Lane.

Follow College Lane to the end. Turn left, south, to the roundabout.

Cross Ellough Road and turn left and immediately right, west.

Make sure you are south of the main A145.

Head along the foot and cycle path parallel with the new section of the A145.

At Cucumber Lane, turn right, NW and cross the A145.

Turn left, west, along Cucumber Lane, diverging away from the A145.

When Cucumber Lane bends right, north, continue ahead, west, on a footpath.

Follow this path into woodland. After 160 metres, turn right, north, still in woodland, industrial estate left.

Emerge at tarmac and turn left, SW, along Wash Lane.

At London Road, head right, north, and cross the railway line and London Load.

Turn left, SW, along Wash Lane.

Follow this for 540 metres passing buildings, left.

Turn right, north, onto a path leading to Primrose Lane.

Head north and merge into Ringsfield Road. Continue north.

When Ringsfield road bends right at the playing fields, continue north downhill along Hangman's Lane.

Near the bottom, turn right and head NE through the Dell, houses right.

Emerge at the Dell car park.

## \*\*\* ALTERNATIVE DELL PARKING HERE \*\*\*

Head right along the B1062 towards the Beccles town sign.

Before the sign and junction turn left into the meadow.

Head downhill and turn right along Puddingmoor.

Before the boatyard, there is a meadow leading to the river and attractive seats.

Continue along Puddingmoor to Saint Michael's Church, well worth a visit.

Head north along Northgate. At the crossroads, head north along Fen Lane.

At the quay there are toilets and a a cafe.

Head east along Fen Lane. Cross the footbridge, north.

Head right, east, back to the car park.

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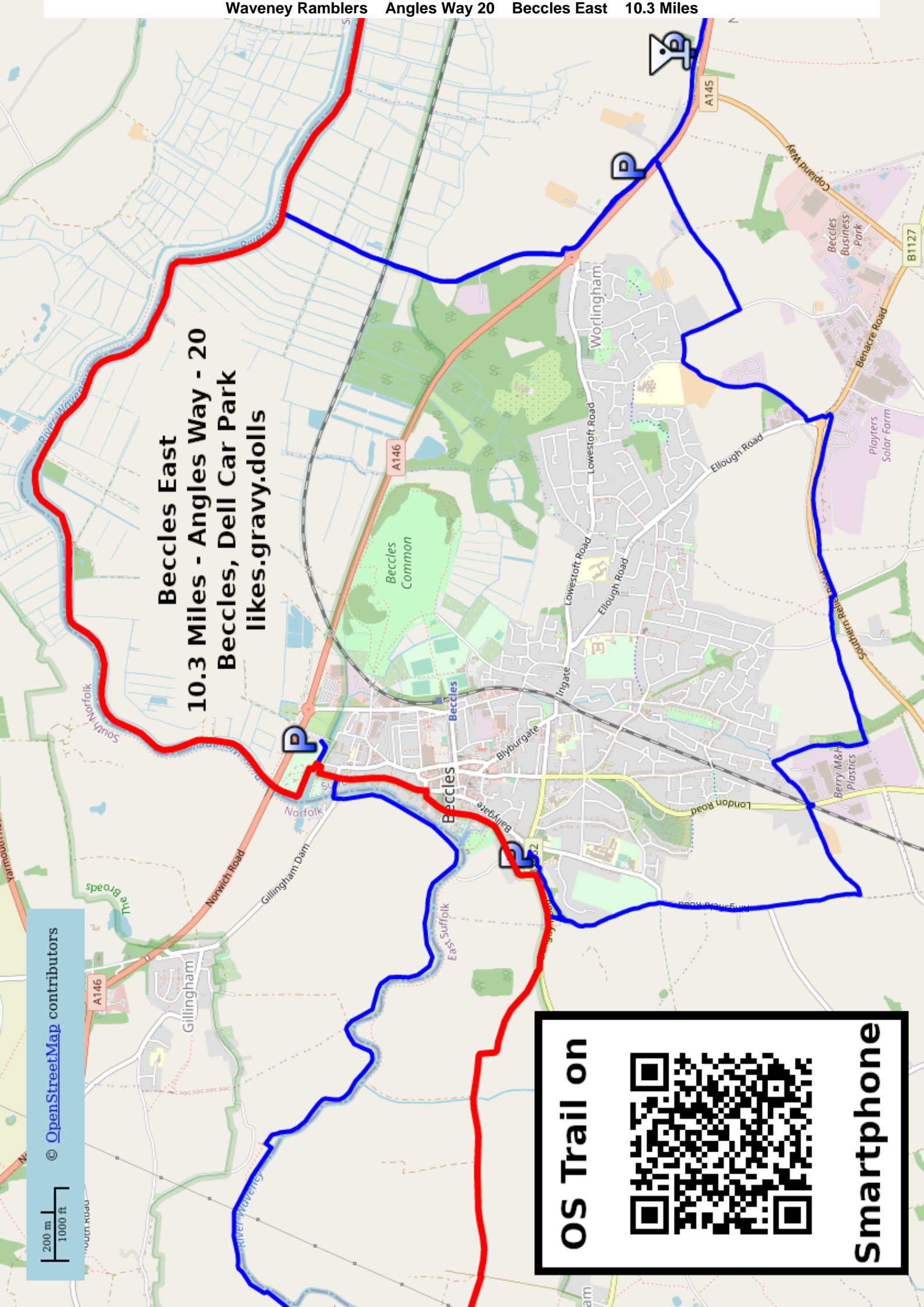
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**10.3 Miles - Angles Way - 20**  
**Beccles, Dell Car Park**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 21    North Cove and Waveney

Track: [TM 46119 89343](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    5 Miles    Updated: 2022-03-21

Park at Saint Botolph's Church near the Three Horseshoes.

Head west along the Old Lowestoft Road.

Turn right, north, along Marsh Lane.

Cross the railway.

At the river Waveney, turn right, east, for 1.2 miles.

Just before the river bends north, turn right, south.

The path crosses a meadow with a left right kink.

Head roughly south along a track between the fields, soon entering woodland.

Optionally divert via North Cove nature reserve, right.

Cross the railway and turn left, SE, along Wadehall Road.

Follow Wadehall Road right, south, at the junction.

After 60 metres, kink left and right to use the field perimeter path, south, hedge right.

The path bends left, SE.

Turn right, SW, along Mill Lane.

Turn right, west, along The Street.

At the end of the village, continue west on a foot and cycle path.

Return to the car park and the Three Horseshoes pub.

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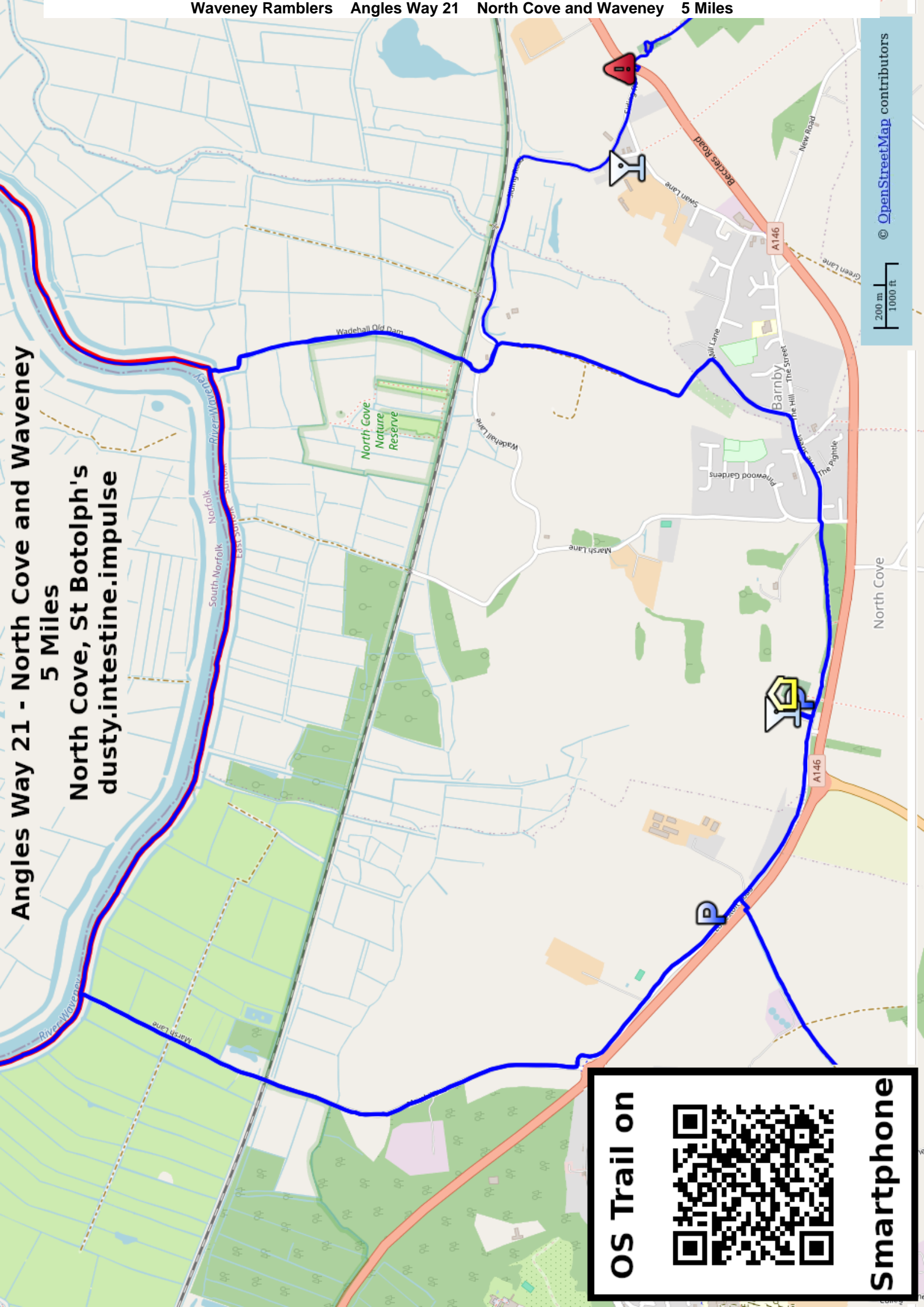
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**Angles Way 21 - North Cove and Waveney**  
**5 Miles**  
**North Cove, St Botolph's**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 22    Barnby and Carlton Marshes

Track: [TM 50891 91912](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    8.5 Miles    Updated:

Park at the Suffolk Wildlife Trust, Carlton, donation please.

Head west out of the car park.

Use the steel bridge west of the visitor centre to drop to marsh level.

Follow the path NW and soon west, then SW following Landspring Drain.

Turn left, south, along Sprats Water Lane. Cross the railway.

When the lane bends right, SW, turn off, left, SE, through woods.

Turn right, south and cross two golf course fairways.

At a barn, kink right and left and continue south along Marsh Lane.

Marsh Lane bends left and right and emerges at the A146.

The Carlton Crown is a few metres to the right if you are thirsty.

Cross the A146 and continue south into Chapel Road.

Turn right, SW, into Hedley Lane, transport museum left.

At the photovoltaic farm, kink right and left and head west, hedge left.

960 metres from the museum, turn right, then left.

Emerge on Mutford Wood (lane) and head west for 3/4 miles.

At a sharp left bend, turn right, NW, hedge left.

Kink left and right, NW, into a woodland path.

Head to Saint John the Baptist church.

Head NW to the A146 and cross over. Head west along Swan Lane.

Bear right, NW into Sidings Road which later becomes Wadehall Lane.

Turn right, NW, still in Wadehall Lane for 100 metres.

Turn right, north, and head to North Cove Nature Reserve.

Cross the railway and optionally divert via the reserve, left.

Continue north to the river.

Turn right, north, river left. The river meanders for 2.5 miles.

At the pipes and pumping engine, continue along the river path.

At the next left turn, head SE, away from the river, Sluttons Dyke left.

Head back to the car park.

This track becomes wider and easier to follow as you progress.

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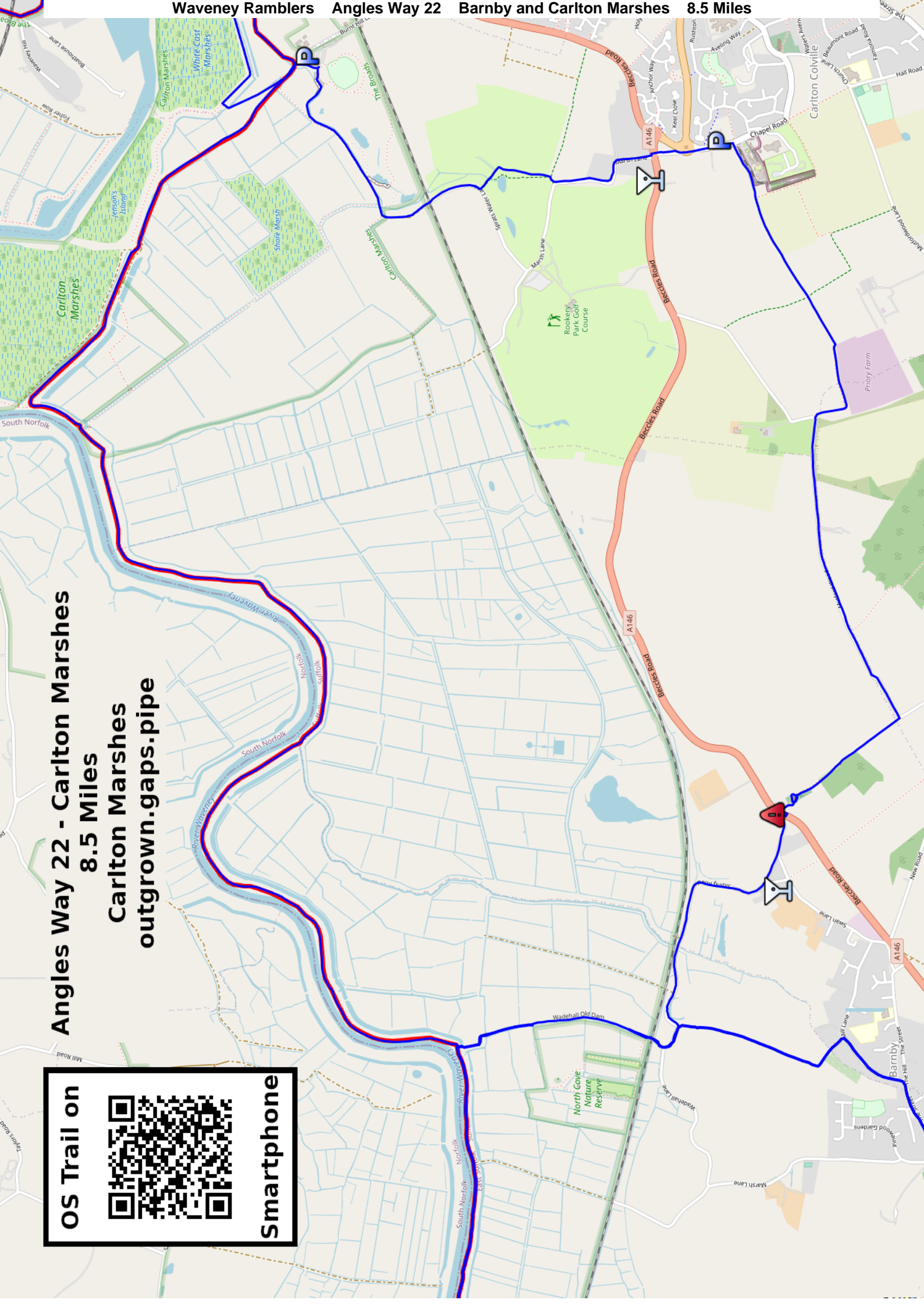


**Angles Way 22 - Carlton Marshes**  
**8.5 Miles**  
**Carlton Marshes**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 23    Oulton Broad

Track: [TM 53142 93386](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    5 Miles    Updated:

Park at Lowestoft, Normanston Park. Cross the park NW.

Head west, then north, then SW, then NW and emerge on Normanston Drive.  
Go 100 metres SW along Normanston Drive and cross the A1117 at the island.  
Head NW into Higher Drive and turn first left, SW, along an alley way.  
The alley bends right, north, and comes out on Marlborough Road.  
Head left, west along Marlborough Road, then left, south along the B1375.  
At the mini roundabout, turn right, west, along Hall Road.  
Turn left, south, along Holly Road. Use the underpass to cross under the railway.  
Turn right, west, and head to Caldecott Road.  
Turn left, SW, along Commodore Road. Head past the Commodore pub.  
Continue to the Wherry Inn.  
Turn left, and head south crossing the lifting bridge at the lock.  
Follow the waterside of Oulton Broad. Head south and soon, right, west.  
There are toilets and cafes here.  
Stay close to the lake until the sailing club slipway.  
Turn right after the slipway and head west, Oulton Broad, right.  
Head through the boatyard and continue west along the flood defence.  
The flood wall bends right, north, left and left again, south.  
Turn right, west, still following the same flood wall.  
Finally after a short leg, NW, turn left twice and head SE to the Visitor Centre.  
Turn left through the car park and head NE along Landspring Drain and the Angles Way.  
Follow the path east and turn right, south for few metres.  
Turn left, east, hotel left.  
Continue east after the hotel. Head east through the static caravans.  
Head east to Oulton Broad South railway station.  
Turn left, NE, along the main Bridge Road.  
Turn left, west into the car park.  
After the parking area, bear right, north, sailing club left.  
Continue north, then left, NW, into the Nicholas Everitt Park.  
Head north to the Boulevard, then right, east, lake left.  
There are toilets and cafes here.  
Before the main road, turn left, north and re-cross the lifting bridge.  
Bear right and use the underpass to cross the main road (this floods at high tide).  
Follow the waterside path east, then north to rejoin Bridge Road.  
Head north and soon after the roundabout, turn sharp right, SE, along a footpath.  
The path bends left, east and crosses under the railway.  
Continue east through boatyards. The path bends right, then left.  
Follow the waterside, Lake Lothing right. This might flood during storm surge tides.  
Continue NE along the beach until you have to turn left over the railway footbridge.  
Turn right, east, railway right.  
Avoid turning left until there is no other choice.  
Head NE, Leathes' Ham, right.  
This path soon emerges back at the car parking.

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**5 Miles - Angles Way - 23**  
**Lowestoft, Normanston Park**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 24    Flixton

Track: [TM 51049 93535](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    7 Miles    Updated:

Park next to Saint Michael's Church, Oulton.

Head west, church right on the Angles Way.

Turn right, NE, along Fisher Row.

After Camps Heath, turn left off the tarmac and head NW.

The path kinks left and right into a meadow. Head north.

The path kinks right and left and continues north, woodland right.

The path kinks right and left and continues north into woodland.

The path bends left, NW, still in woodland.

Continue NW, woods right. Turn right, NE, woods right.

Turn left, NW, woods right. Turn right, north, on a track for 50 metres.

Turn left, NW, woods left.

Turn right, NE, along Sandy Lane.

Turn right, east, along Waddling Lane, no longer the Angles Way.

Turn left, NE, along FLixton Marsh Lane. This bends right, east.

Turn right, SE, along the B1074 for 150 metres.

Turn left, NE, into Whitehouse Farm Lane.

When the farm access road bends right, east, turn off left, NE.

Head NE, then east, farm buildings right.

Turn right, south, farm buildings right.

After a short woodland belt, the path kinks right and left and continues south.

Head past farm buildings left. Continue south, later SE, then south again.

Emerge onto the B1074 and continue south.

Turn left, east, along the B1074, Hall Lane for 60 metres.

Turn right, south. After the first field.

There are building works or perhaps new housing if time has passed.

Continue south to Sands Lane.

Turn right, and immediately left, south, into the Bonds Meadow woodland.

At Hall Road, turn left, east.

At Holly Road, turn right, south.

Cross the railway, south, using the underpass.

Turn right, west, along Caldecott Road.

Rejoin the Angles Way when you pass Commodore Road. Continue west along Caldecott Road.

Follow the road when it bends left, south.

Turn second right, west, along Romany Road. Merge into Borrow Road and continue west.

The road bends right, north, into Prospect Road and crosses over the railway.

Soon after the railway bridge, turn left, NW, houses right.

Follow the field perimeter, later north, then NE.

Return to Saint Michael's Church and the car park.

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**Saint Michael's Church**

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**Oulton Broad  
North**

# Waveney Ramblers   Angles Way 25   Somerleyton

Track: [TM 48492 97312](#)   [GPX for SatNav](#)   8 Miles   Updated:

Park in The Street in Somerleyton near the old Post Office.

Head NE along The Street following the Angles Way.

Merge with the B1074, NE, village sign right.

The village sign commemorates Sir Christopher Cockerell invention of the hovercraft.

Continue NE then turn right, north, into Market Lane for 580 metres.

After one field, 400 metres, turn left, north.

After 850 metres, turn right, east.

This is no longer on the Angles Way. Head east along Snake's Lane to Lound.

At the pond and Village Maid, turn right, south along The Street.

Turn first right, SW, along Earth Lane.

Bear left, SW, off the tarmac. This path bends left, eventually south.

After woodland left, turn right, east, woodland left.

After half a field, bear right, SE, and cross the field diagonally.

At Green Lane, turn right, SW.

After the farm, turn left, east. This path soon bends right, south.

After 70 metres, turn left, east, and cross the open field via the solitary tree.

At Flixton Road, turn right, south, for 500 metres.

Turn right, SW, hedge right.

The path bears left and right and continues SE, hedge left.

Turn right, left, right, left, left, right, left, right and emerge on Blundeston Road.

Turn left and cross the B1074. Head south, hedge left for three fields.

Turn right, west, later NW, along Waddling Lane.

Bear left, west, still on Waddling Lane. The track bends right north.

Turn left, SW, along Station Road.

70 metres before the railway line, turn right, NW, along a woodland track.

Bear left, NW, off the main track and head into the boatyard.

Head through the parked boats, bending right, NE.

After the boatyard gate, kink left and right through a hedge gap.

Head east, houses left.

At the Street, turn right for the Old Post Office or left for the Dukes Head pub.

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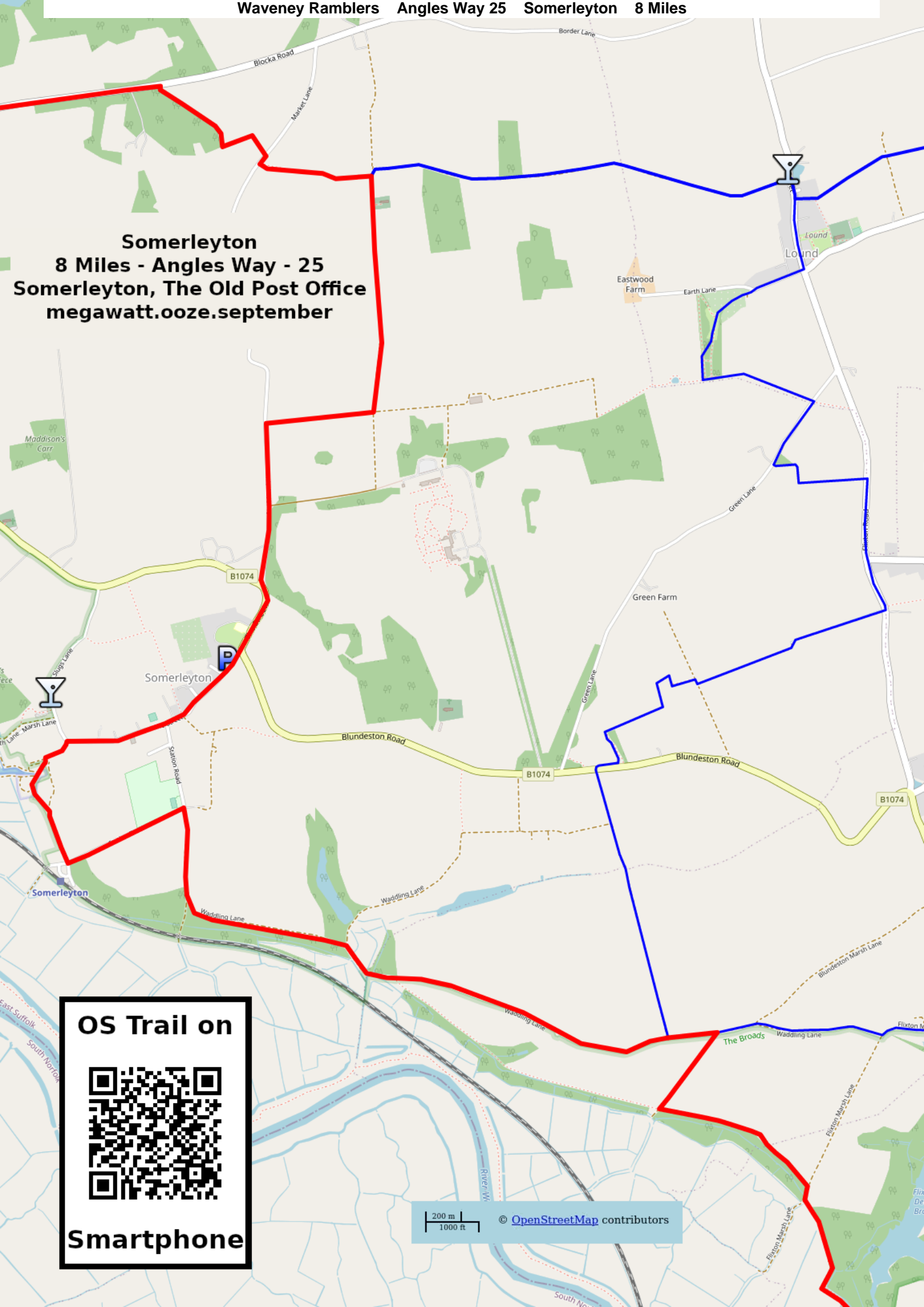
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**8 Miles - Angles Way - 25**  
**Somerleyton, The Old Post Office**  
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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 26    Fritton and Lound

Track: [TG 51098 00658](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    9.4 Miles    Updated:

CAUTION: Narrow lanes with significant traffic.

Use the small car park at Lound Lakes nature reserve off Hall Road.

Head SW from the car park, then west across the lake.

Bear right, NW, diagonally across the field.

Turn left, west, for one field. Turn left, roughly south, for 540 metres.

Turn left off the wider track and head south between buildings.

Turn left, SE, along Back Lane for 170 metres.

Turn first right, south on a farm access lane.

The lane bends right, SW, between farm buildings, then right west, then left south.

At the field, turn right, west, hedge right. Continue to Lound village.

Turn right, north, along The Street.

At the pond and after the Village Maid, turn left, west, along Snake's Lane.

Head west for 2 km. Near Saint Mary's Church, the track kinks left and right, west.

At Market Lane, turn right, NE, for 40 metres.

Turn left, NW, hedge right for 80 metres.

Turn left, west, hedge right for 115 metres.

Turn right, north, woodland left. The path bends left, NW.

At Bloca Road, turn left, West. The lane is narrow and carries traffic.

After 1.4 km, turn right, north, onto a footpath.

After one field, the path bends left, NW, through woodland.

At the A143, turn right, NE, using the parallel footpath.

Continue NE past the Decoy Tavern. Bear right, east, into Church Lane.

After 350 metres, turn left, NW, and return to the A143.

Turn right, NE, along the A143.

After the garden centre, turn left, NW, for a kilometre.

Turn right, NE, for 2.3 km. When Sandy Lane bends left, north, continue ahead, NE.

At Beccles Road, turn right, SE. Significant traffic.

Cross the A143 and continue SE along Lound Road for 700 metres. Significant traffic.

Turn left, east, onto a footpath.

At Browston Road, turn right, south, for 70 metres. Significant traffic.

Turn left, east, along Hobland Road for 500 metres. Significant traffic.

Turn right, south, on a footpath, hedge left.

Follow this path south, to Hall Road with good lake views.

Turn right, SW, along Hall Road. At the pumping station, turn left, south.

After 50 metres, the path bends left, east through woods and then a field.

Near the end of the field, bear right and cut across to the SE field corner.

Turn left, west, for 130 metres. Turn right, SE, across the field.

Turn left, east, through trees and head east across the lake.

Head NE back to the car park.

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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 27    Belton

Track: [TG 47975 04970](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    6.6 Miles    Updated:

Park at Burgh Castle, Roman Fort.

Head south, then SW, into the meadow. The path bends right, west.  
Cross the wider path and head south aiming for a hedge gap.  
Head SW to the Roman Fort and go through the ancient wall.  
Head SW to the south perimeter and drop down to the footpath.  
Head right, west, to the River Waveney.  
Turn left, SE, Waveney right.  
At the Fisherman's Inn, turn left, east for 60 metres.  
Turn right, south, boatyard right.  
At a "T" junction in the path, turn left, east and head to Butt Lane, holiday park left.  
Head right, SE, along Butt Lane.  
Turn right, SW, into Farman Close.  
Turn right, NW, into Saint John's Road, King's Head left.  
Turn left, SE, into Waveney Drive.  
Before the main road, turn right, SW, on a tarmac footpath.  
At the end, bear left, south, then right, SW, to Heather Road.  
Turn left, south, into The Glebes. Merge with and cross over New Road.  
Turn left, east, along Bracon Road.  
Turn first right, south, into Rosedale Gardens and follow the road as it bends right, west.  
At the end, go left, south through a fence gap to The Tavern.  
Cross Station Road South, and head south along Sandy Lane.  
Turn right, west, onto the signposted footpath.  
Turn left, south, golf course right.  
Follow this path south and SE.  
Turn left, NE, along the Angles Way.  
Turn left, north, along Sandy Lane.  
Return to The Tavern and head left, west, along Station Road South.  
Continue north into Station Road North.  
At the end, turn left, west, into River Way.  
Bear right, NW, along the Angles Way.  
At the river, turn right, NE.  
Use the diversion or the flood wall if the construction works have ended.  
Follow the boatyard perimeter east, then left, north.  
Turn left and return to the Fisherman's Inn.  
Turn right north, river left.  
Turn right, east, towards the Roman Fort.  
Turn left, NE, along the board walk, fort right.  
Turn right, east, onto a woodland path.  
Turn right, south and visit Saint Peter and Saint Paul's church.  
From the church, head east back to the car park.

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# Waveney Ramblers    Angles Way 28    Breydon Water

Track: [TG 47975 04970](#)    [GPX for SatNav](#)    9.4 Miles    Updated:

CAUTION: The leg beside Breydon Water is very exposed.

Visit during clement weather.

Avoid if storm surge tides are predicted.

Park at the Burgh Castle Roman Fort car park. This closes at 6pm.

From the car park, head west to the church of Saint Peter and Saint Paul.

From the church, head north to Church Road, then left, west, on a woodland path.

Drop down to the waterside and head NW, waterway left.

Follow the flood wall, mostly NE, all the way to Great Yarmouth.

Follow the river Yare via Critten's Road and Steam Mill Lane.

Turn left and cross the Yare. Turn left, NW, along North Quay.

Bear left and cross the river Bure. This marks the end of the Angles Way.

Head to the railway station. Here there are seats for a break.

The 2.25 mile leg in urban Great Yarmouth has little merit but there are some good river views and historic buildings.

It's possible to walk to the railway station and return via Breydon Water at 10 miles.

Alternatively, double back and cross the Bure and Yare again.

Now head SW along the busy A1234, Pasteur Road, keeping right.

Cross the A12, now rebranded the A47, to attract more highways funding.

Head south with the Gapton Park retail zone on the right.

There's a McDonald's here if you need toilets.

Head south along Gapton Hall Road for 670 metres.

Turn right, west, onto a damp footpath, industrial zone left.

At a farm track, turn left, south, for 240 metres.

Turn right, west, hedge right. Continue west across several fields.

Continue west along the High Road.

Turn right, north, into the quieter Back Lane. This soon bends left, west.

Follow Back Lane to the Queen's Head, refreshments.

Turn right, west, and first left, south, along Butt Lane.

Turn right, west, into the Roman Fort car park.

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