



Hitting the heights of Hutton



Woodlands, wild meadows, steep climbs and scenic strolls, this circular walk has it all.

Head west along Church Lane until you come to the footpath sign on your left. Go over the stile and follow the path along the top edge of the field, heading towards the hills. Behind you are views of Hutton and Weston-super-Mare in the distance.

Go through the kissing gate, follow the track right for a short distance and turn off left before you reach the field gate. Follow the path over a stile and veer left following the signs uphill.

Climb upwards through shaded woodland, ignoring side paths. Keep an eye out for birds of prey whose silhouettes in flight can be seen on the tree canopy above.



How to get there

Start at map ref:
ST 352587

Car:
Park sensibly on Church Lane

Bus:
No 4
(Weston to Hutton)



As you near the crest of the hill and leave the woodland, the path turns left through a five bar gate. It then heads across a wild flower meadow full of clover and grasses.

Clouds of butterflies dance as you walk by them.

The path crosses a track and then continues through a marked corridor with horse paddocks either side.

Climb the stile – you are now on part of the Mendip Butcombe Brewery Pub Trail.

Continue on heading east with the woods on your left and the paddock on your right.

At the end of the paddock climb the stile and follow the path into the wood. You are also now on the Hutton Millennium Walk.

Go over the next stile and turn right onto the track. Continue on, passing the rusty farm equipment on your right and veering left onto the footpath gently heading downhill. In breaks in the woodland you can see Ashcombe Woods in the distance. The path drops out onto a road, where you turn left and carry on downhill along Canada Coombe.

When the road comes out of the woods take the footpath on your left. Continue the walk over the stile and cross the field diagonally towards the sea. Look out for Uphill and Steephelm.

Continue through the gate and follow the path along the edge of the barbed wire fence until you reach another gate. Go through this and continue along a hedge-lined track which eventually comes out on Church Lane near the entrance to Hutton Court, a 15th century manor house. Just beyond this is St Mary's Church and the end of the walk.



Route information

Distance: 2 miles

Difficulty: Moderate – the route is easy but the terrain is varied

Duration: 1 hour

Map:
Explorer 153



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