

SOUTHWATER WALK MAP 1

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Christ's Hospital School Grounds

House

Two Mile Ash Rd

Worthing P

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DOWNS LINK

Little Stammerham Farmhouse

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Courtland Woods

HEN & CHICKEN



BAX CASTLE

Marlpost Rd

Roundstone Caravan Park

Two Mile Ash Rd

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Swains

Kirstys Wood

Worthing Rd

Southwater

Marlpost Rd

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Lintot Square 98 23

START POINT

LINTOT SQUARE

END POINT

98 Church Lane

COCK INN



DOWNS LINK

Southwater Country Park

500 metres  
0.5 miles



DISTANCE : 6.4 km / 4.0 miles



EST. TIME : 2 hours 30 minutes

MAP REF. : O.S. Explorer 134  
157 263

STILES : 8 / 9



TERRAIN : Fairly level, fields &amp; tracks, one gentle hill.



PUBLIC HOUSE



BUS STOP



DOWNS LINK

PUBLIC BRIDLEWAY



PUBLIC FOOTPATH



RAILWAY



FIELD BOUNDARY



From **Lintot Square** cross Worthing Road via pedestrian crossing to join the **Downs Link** path going under the old railway bridge. Carry on straight ahead, go through a field-gate and cross the field. Exit through another gate. Follow direction ahead marked Downs Link and continue for 1km until you pass under a road bridge just beyond the **Bax Castle P.H.**

2 Continue for another 350m then turn right going through 2 pedestrian gates to take a footpath which is parallel to the right hand field boundary. Pass a pond on the left and continue to the far end of this field. Turn left at a large oak tree and walk alongside the right hand field boundary.

3 As you approach the **house** ahead there is a stile on your right. Go over and walk diagonally across grass/mud to join a tarmac driveway going off to your right. Continue to next finger post by another oak tree. Bear left onto Christ's Hospital service road which is a designated bridleway. Continue for 100 m.

4 By a DOG BIN on the left turn left (but not up driveway to Junction Cottage) and go forward onto wood chips/muddy bridleway until you come to a "T" junction. Cross tarmac and turn left onto the Downs Link path.



5 Continue for approximately 300m, passing by a set of steps on your right, and turn right off the Downs Link at the next finger post. Go through a gate and turn left immediately to follow the left hand field boundary for approximately 180m to the next finger post.



6 Fork right in the direction the finger post points and you will see ahead another finger post adjacent to a gap in the opposite field boundary. Aim for the gap and continue along the right hand field edge as the finger post indicates. At the end of this field go left and immediately right and continue along right hand edge of the next field to the next fingerpost. Proceed straight ahead onto tarmac driveway.



7 Pass a pond (with a duck-house!) on the right and **Little Stammerham Farmhouse**. As you approach a large gate ahead turn off left onto a wide grassy sward (on left is a hedge, on the right is a post and rail fence).



8 After a few paces you will see a public footpath fingerpost pointing to the left. Take this direction left through a metal field-gate and cross this field diagonally to a stile. Go over the stile into the next field and continue in the same direction to come to an opening in the right hand field boundary. Proceed through that and bear round to the left to come to a junction with the road.



9 Go over the stile onto the road edge. Cross the road and go over a stile on your right adjacent to a metal gate (cattle barns on the left). Keep to the left hand field boundary and continue straight ahead until you come to a road junction again (Marlpost Road). Go over the stile onto the road. Turn right and walk along the road for approximately 140m.



10 At fingerpost on left cross road and go over the stile onto a footpath which is parallel to a driveway of a large timber framed house (**Swains**). Continue ahead passing beside the house and aim for a small gate (still ahead) leading into **Kirstys Wood**. Walk through the wood crossing a bridge over a stream. After a gateway go right and immediately left to continue up the left hand field boundary to a gate at the top left hand corner of the field. Go through to take the fenced path up to the road (Bonfire Hill).



11 Turn left immediately and take the footpath between Fairacre and Meadow House. In a few metres go through gate into a field. Once through the gate go straight ahead parallel to the right hand field boundary (The ground is rough and uneven). Aim for a stile ahead which will access you onto the Downs Link path. Go over and turn right to retrace your steps to the start point.