



Beaconsfield New Town to Knotty Green

circular walk on paths
Distance = 3 miles /4.8km

Cross the road in front of the library to reach a triangle of grass with a border path on the left entering a short passage to a T junction of paths.

Turn right between houses/flats. After a short distance reach the main Penn Road where it is joined by Ledborough Lane. Turn left keeping away from the main road edge turning next left into Seeleys Road. Walk along Seeleys Road passing Somerford Place on your right followed by a small layby of about 4 or 5 houses. Immediately after this lay by is a turning right. Cross Seeleys Road and take this turn, into Wooster Road.

Keep to the right of Wooster Road passing the end of Owlsears Close on the right. Reaching the first curve to the left continue the footpath between 2 white garages. The path follows between houses crossing the end of Foley Close and re-joining the road, now Seagrave Road. Keep to the right still and as the road bends to the left pass straight ahead between a hedge on the left and houses on the right.

The path opens into the end of Eastergate. Follow the pavement to the left of this short cul de sac until it forms a T junction with Campbell Drive where you turn left. Almost directly across as you walk along the Campbell Road pavement is a path signposted between fences. Follow this path north entering the end of Mossway and after 3 houses on the left there is a narrow path on the left with a high hedge and then fence on the right. Follow this until it emerges onto Seeleys Road.

Slightly right of the path entry point Seeleys Road turns sharp left (north). Follow this road as it gently climbs to a T junction. Keep on the right of the road as it passes a pond behind the hedge and at the T junction turn right following the edge of Knotty Green Recreation Ground and then the Knotty Green Cricket club and pavilion. The Red Lion Pub appears on the left as the Forty Green Road forms a T junction with the Penn Road. **Optional pit stop.**

The pavement follows the edge of the cricket pitch as it runs south along the Penn Road. Shortly after turning right down the Penn Road cross using the road island to the left pavement along the Penn Road. Almost immediately turn left into Finch Lane. Follow this private rough road not taking any turnings off until it bears sharp left continue straight ahead into a large field at this point. There is a footpath to the right in a shallow valley. At the corner of the field don't turn left instead where the path enters the wood and bifurcates take the right path. This often-muddy path winds up hill along a ridge with houses and gardens on the right and woods on the left. The path meets a junction of many ill-defined paths and often a shallow pool/puddle. Keep the gardens and houses always on the immediate right and follow to the right along a well-worn path within the edge of the woods. The path winds for about 500m before there is a well-defined path between fences on the right of the path leading straight ahead. **Do not take this** instead bear sharp left. Follow the edge of the woods. Houses border the path on the right-hand side but have longer gardens so appear more distant from the path. To the left are woods. Follow this path about 200m until a crossroads of paths.

There is a slightly staggered path straight ahead behind a bush and a well-worn path to the left at this crossroads. A map board may be present. Turn sharp right keeping a fence and houses/gardens on the immediate right. Follow this moving around tree and bush obstacles until entering a more defined path between a high fence on the right and bushes/trees on the left. Sections have an open wire mesh fence on the left. This is very muddy in wet weather. Follow this path ignoring all paths off for about 500m. The path becomes narrower with a well-marked path to the right into a cul de sac on the right. Ignore this path and continue until reaching a road, Ledborough Lane, by a post-box.

Opposite is a wide lay by with trees in the island in the middle. This is the entrance to Wilton Road. Cross Ledborough Lane carefully and keeping to the right pavement on entering the layby follow it round into Wilton Road running south away from Ledborough Lane. Continue until it reaches an apparent T junction with Grenville Road and turn right.

Pass the entrance to The Beaconsfield Tennis Club on the left and continue this road passing St Michaels and All Angels Church on the left. At this sharp left-hand bend around the church continue ahead around St Michaels green - a small green space bordered by big houses. Do not turn right up a tarmac'd path as you reach this space instead follow round the green turning left at the corner and then right down Warwick Road towards the New Town.

Follow this road passing St Theresa's Church on the left and then Bekonscot entrance on the right. The road soon passes between restaurants and then a repair garage and shops. Reaching the T junction with the main road through the New Town turn right along a lay by with shops. Cross the main road across a beacon crossing.

To the left edge of the building in front is a narrow alleyway follow this to reach a small car park behind the shops/restaurants. Exit this car park on to Reynolds Road turning right away from the shops and on bearing left the road runs in front of the library where you started.



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