

## BEFORE SETTING OFF

- > Make sure that you've got appropriate footwear for your walk
- > Check the weather before leaving your house and dress accordingly
- > Check that the walk is suitable for you and your party. If in any doubt then contact the PRoW team for more details
- > Let a friend or relative know where you are planning to walk especially if you are off out exploring by yourself
- > Make sure that you've got your mobile phone and that it's got plenty of battery left

## WHEN OUT WALKING REMEMBER TO FOLLOW THE COUNTRYSIDE CODE

- > Consider the local community and other people enjoying the outdoors
- > Leave gates and property as you find them and stay on the line of the paths
- > Leave no trace of your visit and take your litter home
- > Keep dogs under effective control
- > Plan ahead and be prepared
- > Follow advice and local signs



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When you're out walking in the countryside, please respect the Countryside Code.

## BRADLEY BARNOLDBY LOOP

5¼ miles (8½km)



Suitable for walkers with dogs



Refreshments available



Challenging

## PUT YOUR BEST FOOT FORWARD

Walking is a great activity for just about anyone irrespective of their age or level of fitness. Regularly getting out and about is an ideal way of becoming more active. A good walk can improve the strength and flexibility of your joints, boosts your immune system and lift your mood. It's also a great way of discovering North East Lincolnshire.

Whether you are the type of person to 'get your hiking boots on', enjoy a 'gentle stroll with the family' or prefer a 'brisk walk with the dogs' we have just the walk for you.

With more than 50 parks and open spaces to enjoy alongside coastal paths and many countryside trails, North East Lincolnshire has wonderful walks and cycle routes to choose from. As we're located on the edge of the rolling Lincolnshire Wolds, an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, there are many more to discover right on our doorstep.

Discover more of what North East Lincolnshire has to offer on [www.DiscoverNorthEastLincolnshire.co.uk](http://www.DiscoverNorthEastLincolnshire.co.uk) including plenty of other walking routes around the area.



## BRADLEY BARNOLDBY LOOP

This is a great walk to get out and discover the countryside right on your doorstep. The walk starts in the picturesque Bradley Woods, easily accessible off Bradley Road. There is ample car parking at the start.

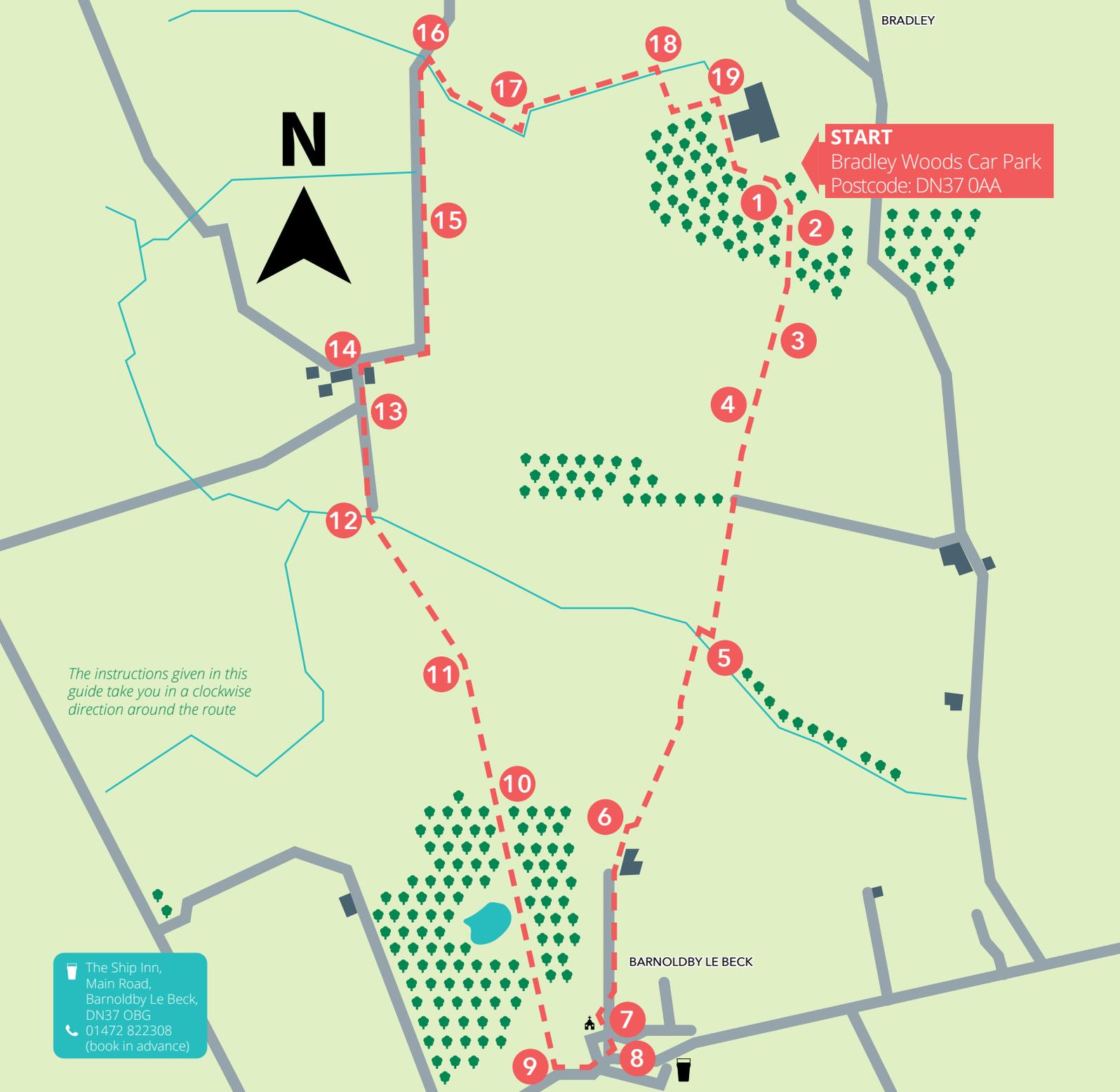
During the middle ages Bradley Woods and nearby Dixon Woods were favourite haunts for the Mayor of Grimsby and the Burgess where they would hunt for boar. At the time, the woods would have covered a much greater acreage than today and the noblemen would have raced up and down the 'rides' chasing boar.

The people of Bradley used to supply the boar for the Mayor's banquets and this is reflected in the coat of arms of Grimsby.

Roughly halfway around the walk, you'll come to the village of Barnoldby-le-Beck, passing St Helen's Church. Now a Grade I listed building, over the years the Norman structure has been significantly restored and renovated. Small parts of the original building still remain as do examples of medieval glass in the church windows.

Walkers can stop off at The Ship Inn for a drink and something to eat.

On leaving Barnoldby you head north along the network of footpaths and bridleways passing Laceby Manor Golf Course before heading back through the woods to complete your walk.



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1. From the car park continue along the road into the woods passing alongside the green metal gates
2. At the playing area turn left along the bridleway and continue out of the woods along the field edge
3. Ignore the path on the right and continue straight ahead
4. Ignore the path on the left and continue straight ahead through the metal barrier
5. As you cross the drain the path turns sharp right then immediately left. Ignore the path off to the right and follow the waymarker south to Barnoldby
6. You may spot rare breed sheep at Glebe Farm
7. Follow the track into the village passing the Obelisk and continuing straight ahead. Take care along the road to meet with the busy Main Road
8. Turn right onto Main Road. Refreshments may be available at The Ship Inn public house
9. Turn right at the Footpath sign post and follow the track north towards and through woodland
10. On emerging from the woodland look out for the waymarker at the stone track indicating the path north across an arable field to a bridge
11. Cross the bridge and follow the direction of the waymarker across the arable field
12. At the junction with the stone track turn right following the direction of the waymarker alongside the golf course
13. At the first 3 way signpost continue straight ahead taking care through the farm yard
14. At the second 3 way signpost turn right along the tarmac road
15. Ignore the path on the right and the left
16. Look out for a path crossing the tarmac road with 2 way sign posts either side of the road. Turn right here and continue along the ditch side
17. Cross the bridge and continue along the ditch side
18. Turn right at the junction with the track and head towards the woods then turn left at the waymarker following the outer edge of the woods
19. Turn right at the 3 way sign post into the woods and back to the start