

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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CLEETHORPES SEAFRONT

4½ miles (7km)



Suitable for walkers with dogs



Refreshments available



Accessible by Public Transport



Steady

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 including plenty of other walking routes around the area.



CLEETHORPES SEAFRONT

Enjoy this walk along the seafront in Cleethorpes. The route begins at the Discovery Centre at the Boating Lake and takes you past Pleasure Island and through Humberston Fitties before taking you along the edge of the beach back to the Boating Lake.

There is ample parking in the Thrunscoc Land car park adjacent to the start of the walk and bus services from all around Grimsby & Cleethorpes stop on Kingsway close to the start of the route.

On leaving the Boating Lake you will be heading past the Meridian Arena and Pleasure Island before entering the Humberston Fitties which during the WWI was used to house soldiers stationed at the nearby Haile Sand Fort built in the war to protect the Humber Ports from sea attack. The Fitties are now part of a local nature reserve and home to over 300 holiday chalets.

As you leave the Fitties behind you'll soon notice a signpost with arms pointing to all parts of the globe. This is the line of zero degrees longitude where east meets west. As well as Cleethorpes the line also passes through France and Spain in Europe as well as Algeria, Mali, Burkina Faso, Togo and Ghana in Africa.

At the end of the walk you can either stop off at the Signal Box Inn at the Light Railway or go back to the Discovery Centre for some refreshments. If you've still got some energy left why not hire a boat and go for a row or a pedal around the lake?



START
Discovery Centre,
Boating Lake
Postcode: DN35 0AG



DISCOVERY CENTRE



GREENWICH MERIDIAN

The instructions given in this guide take you in a anti-clockwise direction around the route

CLEETHORPES SEAFRONT 4½ miles (7km)

1. Leave the Discovery Centre and take the path alongside the Boating Lake
2. Take the right hand fork in the path away from the edge of the Boating Lake
3. At the T junction turn left and follow the path passing the The Jungle Zoo
4. Follow the path which bends to the right passing over a boardwalk to the Cleethorpes Coast Light Railway station
5. Pass by the Railway Station and continue along the path crossing Meridian Road
6. Continue straight ahead at the roundabout towards Thorpe Park
7. Ignore the road to the right and continue towards Thorpe Park
8. Continue straight ahead at the roundabout
9. Take care crossing the road to follow the footpath indicated by the signpost along the top of the drain bank
10. Cross the bridge and follow the direction of the waymarkers between the chalets
11. Continue following the waymarkers and signposts through the caravan park
12. Cross over the bridge and turn left alongside the lake
13. Cross the car park and pass through the sand dunes turning left along a sandy path
14. Continue straight ahead along the tarmac path
15. Just after the small chalets turn left along Meridian Road back towards the Boating Lake