

U3A WEEKLY WALKS FROM BASE AT SILVERLEYS

WALK No 2

Silverleys - Walnut Tree Cottages – Hoggate's Wood - Silverleys

DISTANCE: APPROX 4.00 MILES. TIME: APPROX. 90 MINS.

Leave Silverleys, crossing rugby field keeping to right close to hedge.

At end of field go through path onto lane and turn right towards Wickham Hall.

Walk under bypass, past silos then take left fork. (Right goes to Rosey Lea's).

At T-junction turn right. When you reach next T-junction turn left in front of bungalow.

Keep going straight, past the site of the former radio mast on the right, and the farmhouse on left. Do not turn off.

Keep going downhill veering to right until you reach Walnut Tree Cottages.

Do not go on down the lane but turn right onto footpath and continue until you reach farm lane.

***Turn left and continue downhill past the gate and buildings until you reach Farnham Road.

Turn left and continue along road. Turn left up Walnut Tree lane until you reach the cottages.

Turn left along the path you walked earlier and continue until you reach the farm lane)

***Turn right and continue until you come up to a fenced hedge on your left.

There is no footpath sign here. Veer diagonally left before fenced hedge crossing horse ride.

Follow footpath to stile and over into field. Cross field keeping generally to the right, up to stile.

Cross over stile, turn left under bypass then almost immediately turn right into field.

Proceed, keeping Hoggate's Wood to your left. Eventually the wood recedes to the left.

Continue keeping the hedge to the left of you, the footpath then veers and turns left.

Still keeping the hedge to the left of you, follow footpath until it comes out in Dane O'Coys Road.

Turn right and follow Dane O'Coys Road almost to Cricketfield Lane.

Walk past houses on your right, turn immediately right across pasture field back to Car Park.

NOTE: THIS WALK CAN BE SHORTENED TO 2.7 MILES IN A TIME OF 70 MINUTES BY
IGNORING THE DIRECTIONS BETWEEN ***()***