SAWBRIDGEWORTH Short Walks

Sawbridgeworth SHORT WALK 2

Points of Interest





In April and October each year a Horse Fair was held. Horses were put on display and were trotted up and down Bell Street.

2 Fair Green

Just off Bell Street is Fair Green which was used by the Travelling Fair Show with its roundabouts and swings.

Green

Woodpecker

3 Pishiobury Park

Pishiobury Park is managed to reflect its parkland character, for nature conservation and quiet informal recreation. Pishiobury Park is important for wildlife; the grassland is grazed by cattle

and has no fertilisers added to encourage many different native wildflowers and grasses to grow. You can find Bird's-foot-trefoil, Oxeye Daisy,

Bee Orchid, Quaking Grass, Yorkshire Fog and Cock's-foot.

The native grasses and wildflowers provide an important breeding and feeding area for a range of butterflies. Look out for Meadow Brown, Red Admiral, Speckled Wood, Comma and the Essex Skipper. Whilst walking through the park listen out for the woodpecker drumming or the cuckoo calling.

Grass Snake You might even be lucky to catch a glimpse of a Grass Snake.

4 Oak Walk

It is thought that this avenue dates back to the 15th Century. It would have been well used by members of the Pishiobury household in Elizabethan times. Servants approached the house by a lower path.

The Oak Walk consists of three different tree species: Oak, Common Lime and Horse Chestnut.











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Distance 1.5 miles

Rating Moderate, mostly surfaced paths

Out and back Route

Bell Street Car Park Toilets

Starting Point Finishing Point Bell Street Car Park



Time

Yellow arrows indicate a footpath for pedestrian use only.

Bell Street Car Park



Blue arrows indicate a bridleway that can be used by horseriders.



White arrow with black outline on white background indicates the owner has given permission for the public to use the path. These are known as

Meadow Brown

permissive paths

From Car Park turn right into Bell Street (1). At the cross roads turn right into the square, the road narrows here take care. On your left is an old village pump you are now in Fair Green (2) at the last house take the path in front of you. Follow this path between the cricket field and play area. When you reach the road head downhill, the road then turns

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up the hill till you reach a road. Cross over road and go straight on. At Pishiobury Park (3) go through gate. You have entered what is

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