

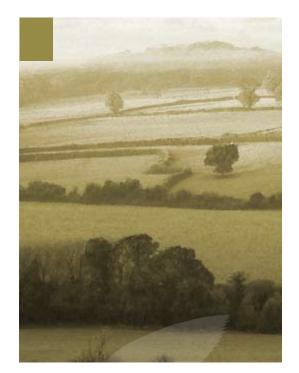
The Fox & Goose free monthly prize draw

Please complete and return the form below to a member of staff and you'll be entered into the prize draw for 6 months with 6 chances to win a hospitality package at the Fox & Goose.



* Fields are compulsory. Winners will be notified via email. Entrants may receive emails advising of promotional events and special offers.

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Walk date & comments:		





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The Fox & Goose is a welcoming, traditional pub in the pretty Ebble Valley village of Coombe Bissett. There's an extensive, home cooked menu prepared from the best quality, locally sourced ingredients with an excellent choice of wines and ales. Our spacious bar, terrace, garden and large car park add to the facilities and informal atmosphere. Children and dogs also receive a warm welcome from our friendly, professioinal staff.

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opening hours

Monday to Saturday

11am-11pm

Sunday

12pm-10.30pm

Food Served Every Day

12pm-9pm





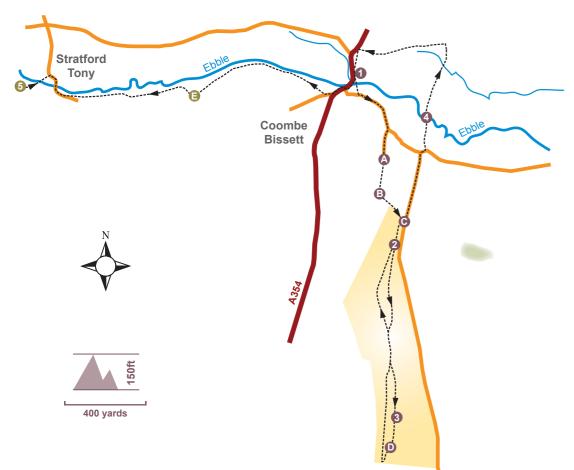
Walk 1

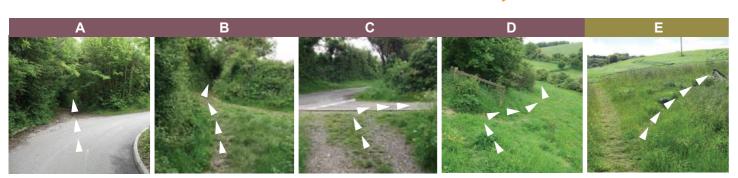
"A scenic, undulating, downland walk around the delightful village of Coombe Bissett taking in the peaceful nature reserve and river Ebble. There are some great views and a wide variety of birdlife making it a pleasure to walk in any season".

Walk 2

"A delightful amble along the Ebble valley to Stratford Tony and back. Very peaceful and rewarding".







Walk 1

Exiting car park, turn left and walk along pavement for 35 yards. Bear left on to path before road bridge then cross footbridge over river Ebble ahead.

40 yards on, turn left on to lane. Follow pavement through village for 180 yards. Lane bends to right. Continue for 130 yards and bear right into Shutts Lane.

Walk steadily uphill passing school entrance to right. 110 yards ahead, as lane bends right to village hall, continue straight ahead on track gently uphill through trees (assist A).

After 180 yards, track narrows to path. Follow for 125 yards (may be soft underfoot) then bear left ignoring track to right (assist B). Walk for 130 yards then, with lane ahead, turn right into small car park (assist C).

Walk through then pass through wood kissing gate into Nature Reserve.

Continue straight ahead keeping hedgerow c. 10-15 yards to left. After 110 (may be soft underfoot). yards, pass bench to right.

Walk ahead with hawthorn and bank to right for 140 yards. Pass Wildlife Trust board and continue downhill for 70 yards. Pass through wood kissing gate then walk 45 yards and bear right down grass bank for 10 yards.

Turn left, follow grass path for 120 yards and pass through wood kissing gate. Continue ahead with fence c. 5-10 yards to right for 230 yards then bear left at 11 o'clock and walk 35 yards up to kissing gate.

Walk through and continue ahead uphill on narrow path. Follow with bank then coombe bottom to right for 570 yards. Bear right just before fence end (assist D) and follow left edge downhill for 100 yards.

Pass through wood kissing gate in field corner, turn right and head back gently downhill along right edge of coombe bottom. After 580 yards, bear right through wood kissing gate then bear left and follow grass track.

330 yards on, pass through wood kissing gate. Continue for 160 yards and pass through another kissing gate. Walk ahead on grass for 45 yards then bear right at 12.30 and walk for 85 yards with bank to right.

Bear right and continue steadily uphill for 220 yards. Pass bench to right, walk ahead for 110 yards and exit Reserve through kissing gate. Pass back through car park then turn left on to lane. Follow downhill for 470 yards.

Turn right at T junction, walk 20 yards then bear left past post box into Stockbridge Lane. Follow for 200 yards and cross footbridge back over the Ebble. Continue ahead on path uphill (may be soft underfoot).

150 yards on, cross plank bridge into field then walk ahead at 12.30. After 120 yards, cross planks over ditch. Continue ahead for 100 yards and exit field through wood kissing gate. Bear left and follow left edge uphill for 120 yards.

Turn left through wood gate, pass house then pass through another wood gate. Follow grass downhill past yew hedge to right. 100 yards on, enter trees and follow path downhill for 180 yards,

Pass through wood gate, turn right and follow track for 230 yards. Turn left and walk along road with care for 10 yards. Bear left and follow gravel path for 100 yards. You're back at the Fox & Goose for some well deserved hospitality!

Walk 2

Exit car park, turn left and walk along pavement for 60 yards. Cross river Ebble then, 25 yards on, cross main road with care. Walk on pavement for 65 yards, bear right on to lane for 25 yards and follow sign to Stratford Tony.

Follow made up track for 250 yards then continue ahead across grass and on to narrow path. After 275 yards, bear left past metal gate (worth bearing right to view old Ebble bridge crossing).

Continue on path along right edge of field for 375 yards then bear right past arrows on fence post (assist E). Follow path along right edge with fence to right for 140 yards and pass metal gate to right. Continue ahead gently uphill for 180 yards.

Cross stile and walk ahead with care on sloping path. After 450 yards cross stile or pass through 5 bar gate and continue ahead on lane. 60 yards on, pass to right of metal gate and follow lane. Cross river and walk for 80 yards.

With tiled wall ahead, turn left following sign to church. After 70 yards, cross Ebble again and walk ahead at 1 o'clock on track gently uphill. 100 yards on, you arrive at the delightful 13th century church of St Mary & St Lawrence.

Now retrace your steps back to the pub to enjoy some very well earned refreshment!

