

1. **From the lay by, cross straight over the road and across the wooden bridge over the dyke up the steps, to meet a gate. Pass through and at the lane, turn left. Walk along the lane – you now have woodland on your left protected by a fence, and open heath land to your right (Ignore any footpaths off to your left through the trees).**
2. *After about a ½ mile, the trees on your left dart off downhill. Carry on straight ahead along the track – you now have heath land either side of you. Over to your left in the distance you can see the outskirts of Sheffield (Dore, Totley, Hunters Bar) and the Dark Peak to your right. The track now starts to descend gently. You can see open fields in front of you.*
3. **At the junction of a number of paths, turn 90° right to join the Old Roman Highway.** *This old Roman road ascends gently at first and then flattens out. Please be aware that this is technically a road and you might meet some 4x4 drivers. The observant walker will see a stone slab on the right with the mileage for Tideswell and Buxton!*
4. **75m beyond the milestone the lane takes a turn to the left, over a walled bridge.** *Once past the bridge the track starts to rise gently – you now have a wall on your right. At the apex of the road, it bends slightly to the left to cross the heath land.*
5. *You will see a rocky outcrop on your right – 120m beyond it you will come to a stile and finger post on your right. At this point you turn **90° left** to walk down a less obvious path straight across moorland. Look to your left and you will see a hump with an outcrop of rocks on and to your right another rocky outcrop. Your path goes between these two outcrops. Keep looking forward and you will see, in the distance, a Tower Block of flats.....use this to help guide you across the moor heading in their general direction. The path is barely visible for the first 20 yards but becomes clearer as you go along. It is quite boggy in places.*
6. *You will pass a concrete post which is showing the way through the moorland and the path becomes more obvious as it starts to descend towards woodland and a main road. This path is quite stony so be careful of your footing.*
7. *You eventually reach a gate in a fence. Go through to meet the road at the side of a metal finger opposite Whitelow Lane. Before crossing the road, turn right and walk along the grass verge. Cross the road where you can see a bus stop – be careful.*
8. **Turn right and continue along the road towards woodland and a Peak District National Park boundary sign.** *Once past the sign you have woodland on your left guarded by a wall.*
9. *Approximately 80m further on you will see a metal public bridleway fingerpost pointing into the woodland down an obvious path. Take this path and after approximately 200m you come to a series of fingerposts – continue straight ahead, downhill, signposted Shorts Lane.*

10. *After a further 300m of downhill walking you cross over a little footbridge over a stream to another set of fingerposts at a path junction. **Here turn left, again signposted for Shorts Lane.** After few metres a path joins you from the right – **keep straight ahead, wall on your left.***
11. *Where a second track joins you from the right, **again continue straight ahead.** After a short while the path bears slightly left to meet what is informally used as a car park just by the side of a sign saying public bridleway to Blackamoor. **Continue straight ahead** with the unofficial car park on your left. You are now on a metallised road.*
12. *After a few metres, you will see a kissing gate on your right marked by a metal public footpath sign which is pointing slightly to your right. **Pass through and take the path that goes gently downhill to the right of a wire fence towards a small copse.***
13. *At the bottom of the hill, when you reach the copse, **pass through the gate which leads to a small bridge over a stream. Cross the bridge to meet a track. Continue straight ahead, wooden fence on either side.** After a few metres, the track rises to a squeezer stile – **pass through and continue straight ahead with walls either side.***
14. *The track goes over a wooden footbridge over a diverted stream. The walls to the side of you and up to the road have been only recently been built - very impressive! **Continue along the obvious path which starts to rise and then goes up some steps (pretty steep).***
15. *At the top you emerge on to a tarmac lane. Behind you and slightly to your right is a little stone viewing square with a bench. **Turn left to walk along the lane with the wall on the right.** The lane bends firstly to the left. You will have splendid views to your left of the woodland and moors you have just walked down from. The lane starts to descend gently. A little further on the lane bends to the left and starts to descend more steeply towards some farm buildings.*
16. *Look left and you will see a very elaborate tree house. This lane is called Strawberry Lea Lane. **At the junction with Lane Head Road, turn left and continue, slightly downhill, along the road.***
17. *After approximately 120m beyond the Cricketer Public House, you will see a little public footpath fingerpost on your right. **Here turn right to walk along the cobbled path, which, after a few metres, starts to climb. Eventually the cobbled path reaches a squeezer stile. Pass through and continue along the tarmac path***
18. *The lane eventually emerges at a road – **here turn right and walk along the causeway and you will see the Totley C of E All Saints Primary School on your right. Continue along the road, which rises gently.***
19. *Ahead you can see the Fleur de Lys Public House. **Cross the A621 and walk down Totley Hall Lane to the checkpoint in the car park of the pub.***

This is checkpoint 3.