

Shutt Green, A5 Viaduct, Shropshire Union Canal Circular Walk - OS Map on Page 2

3.25 Miles Easy Level Walk with a few stiles on route

Allow about 1½ hours for the walk

The fields going up to Shutt green can Be wet with shallow standing water but are rarely muddy & cattle may be grazing in the fields

The Canal Towpath can be muddy after a lot of rain

Ask for permission to park in the Bridge Inn Car Park Tel: : 01902 903966 (they usually oblige)

or park in Bargate Street on the left before the Canal Bridge

Turn right out of the car park and cross the Canal on the footbridge

Turn right before the Church into Wharfe Lane.

continue past the Church and the School on your left.

Turn left at the next gateway

Follow the track going along the line of trees to the top of the field

Turn right along the hedge until you reach a stile

Go over the stile the head diagonally right towards Lea Fields Farm

Go over the stile in the fence just before the farm

Cross the Lane and over another stile follow this to another stile onto Shutt Green Road.

There is a fork in the road opposite to a track to the left follow this turn left through the gap to a path across the field

Head towards a small pool then slightly diagonal right heading to a gate

Pass through the gate then head straight across the field to another gate

Pass through the gate and go straight across the field towards the A5

When you reach the farm track go through two gates onto the track

You are heading to the A5 So Be very Careful if you have a dog with you as it is a fast busy road

Turn right and keep on on to the grass verge of the A5 walk a short way to the iron bridge being careful of the traffic

Just under the iron bridge ascend the steps on the right and up on to the Shropshire Union Canal Tow Path

You may wish to have a look at the A5 from the bridge

Turn left on the canal and head towards Brewood

Just before the Shutt Green Caravan Site (Visible on the opposite bank of the canal)

Take the off ramp before the bridge

Take the track to the left going away from the bridge and go left then right and right again around Broom hall on your right,

follow the lane down to Shutt Green Road

Turn Left on Shutt Green Lane then turn Right into Barn Lane

Follow Barn Lane then turn Right onto Horsebrook Lane

Walk down Horsebrook Lane

Turn Right into Bargate Lane, walk down Bargate Lane Passing the Fire station then turn Right onto The High Street .

The Bridge Inn is on the Right just before the Canal Bridge and the end of your walk

