

Walk to Craigallion and Carbeth

Start at the Horses' Field (west end) of Dumbrock Road and take the path on the left up the Glen past the stables. Bear right passing the Old Mill (now two houses). Continue up the rough track passing the Gowk Stane and on to the Boards farm and the right of way sign. A short distance on, the track divides at another right of way sign. Take the route for the Country Park. When you reach a gate marked "private" turn left and follow the right of way to the public road. Turn right and continue down the Khyber Pass till you reach a small metal gate on your right with the sign for the West Highland way. Follow this path past Craigallion Loch and on to the huts and Carbeth Loch. Leave the West Highland Way at the B821. Turn right and continue down the Cuilt Brae to Blanefield station (a private house that was the stationmaster's house) and right along the old railway to Strathblane.
Distance - 6 miles approximately.

Variations on this walk:

The Walk can be considerably shortened by turning right at the Right of Way sign (to Cuilt Brae Road) which is a short distance beyond Boards farm. This track takes you

down the "Red Brae" to the Carbeth huts - turn right and down the Cuilt Brae to Blanefield.

Distance - 4 miles approximately

Follow the original walk as far as the Carbeth huts. Turn sharp right over a stile and uphill through woodland (Red Brae). Turn left at the Right of Way sign and follow track past the Boards farm and Gowk Stane to Strathblane.
Distance - 7 miles approximately

Follow the original walk to a point just beyond Craigallion Loch and before reaching the huts where a path goes off to the left. In a short distance you will pass a house on your right (Carbeth). The path joins a private road skirting the grounds of Carbeth Guthrie (a large house on your left) and out on to the B821. Turn right and walk a short distance, then left joining the West Highland Way. Just beyond the cottage (Arlehaven) you leave the West Highland Way and follow the track bearing right to a gate. The track divides here. Bear right and follow it round to Ardoch and out on to the Cuilt Brae. (The track by East Arlehaven is not open to the public)

Continue down the Cuilt Brae and along the old railway to Strathblane.

Distance - 8 miles approximately.

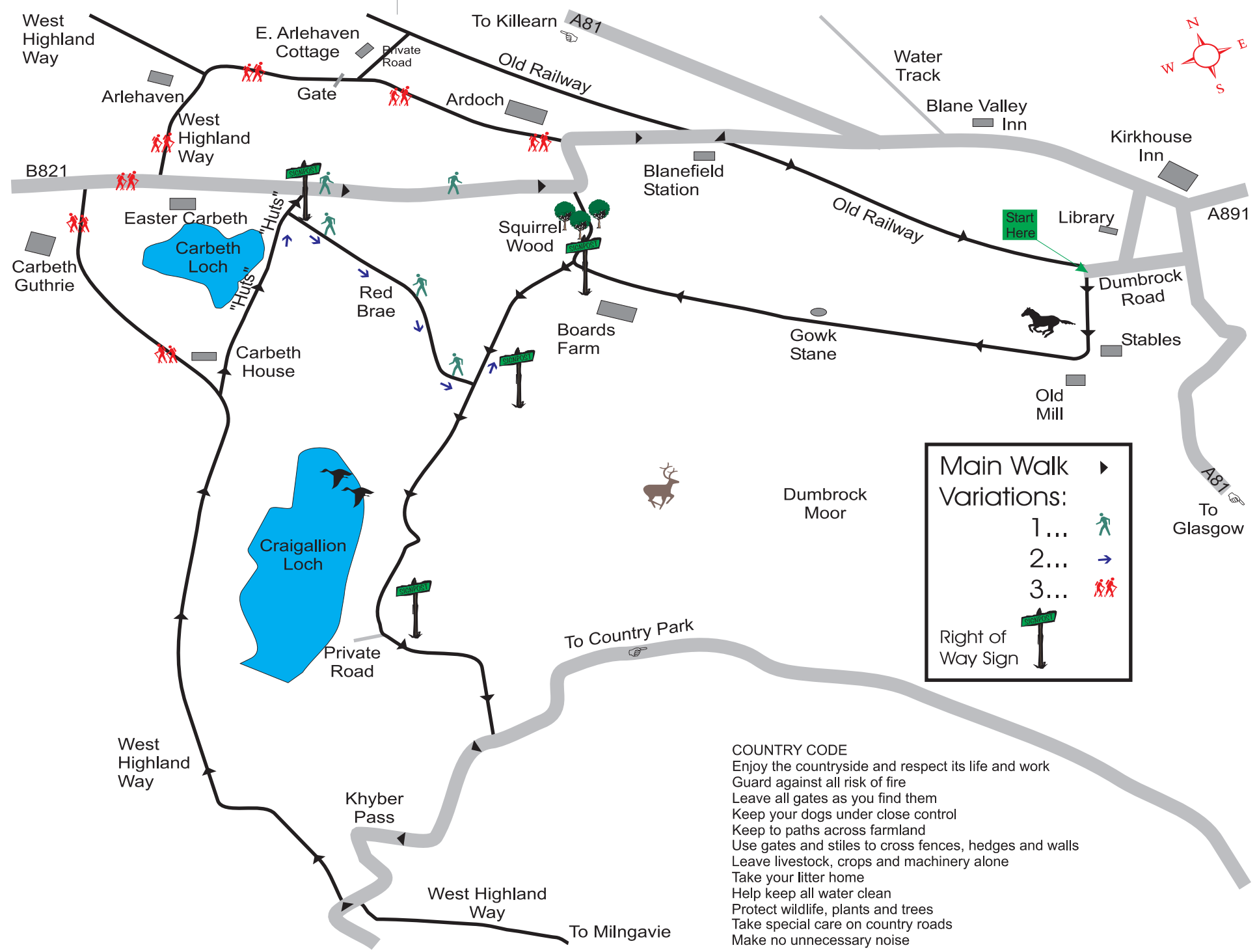
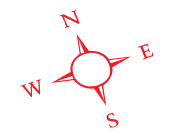


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Main Walk ▶

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Right of Way Sign

COUNTRY CODE

- Enjoy the countryside and respect its life and work
- Guard against all risk of fire
- Leave all gates as you find them
- Keep your dogs under close control
- Keep to paths across farmland
- Use gates and stiles to cross fences, hedges and walls
- Leave livestock, crops and machinery alone
- Take your litter home
- Help keep all water clean
- Protect wildlife, plants and trees
- Take special care on country roads
- Make no unnecessary noise