

WALK THROUGH THE SQUIRREL WOOD

Start at the West End of Dumbrock Road. Turn left on to the path up the Glen, pass the stables on your left and bear right past the Old Mill (now two private houses). Continue up the rough track passing the site of the former children's hospital on your left (this is now a small housing estate). A little further on, you will pass the Gowk Stane on your right and in a short distance you will reach the Boards farm on your left.

A few yards beyond the farm is a right of way sign pointing towards the Squirrel Wood. This path can be very wet and slippery in parts, requiring a little care.

The path winds through the wood coming out on to the Cuilt Brae (just below Braehead Cottage). Turn right and continue down to the site of Blanefield Station. Only the station house now remains. Turn right through a small wooden gate and go along the old railway line to Strathblane.

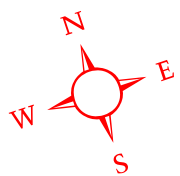
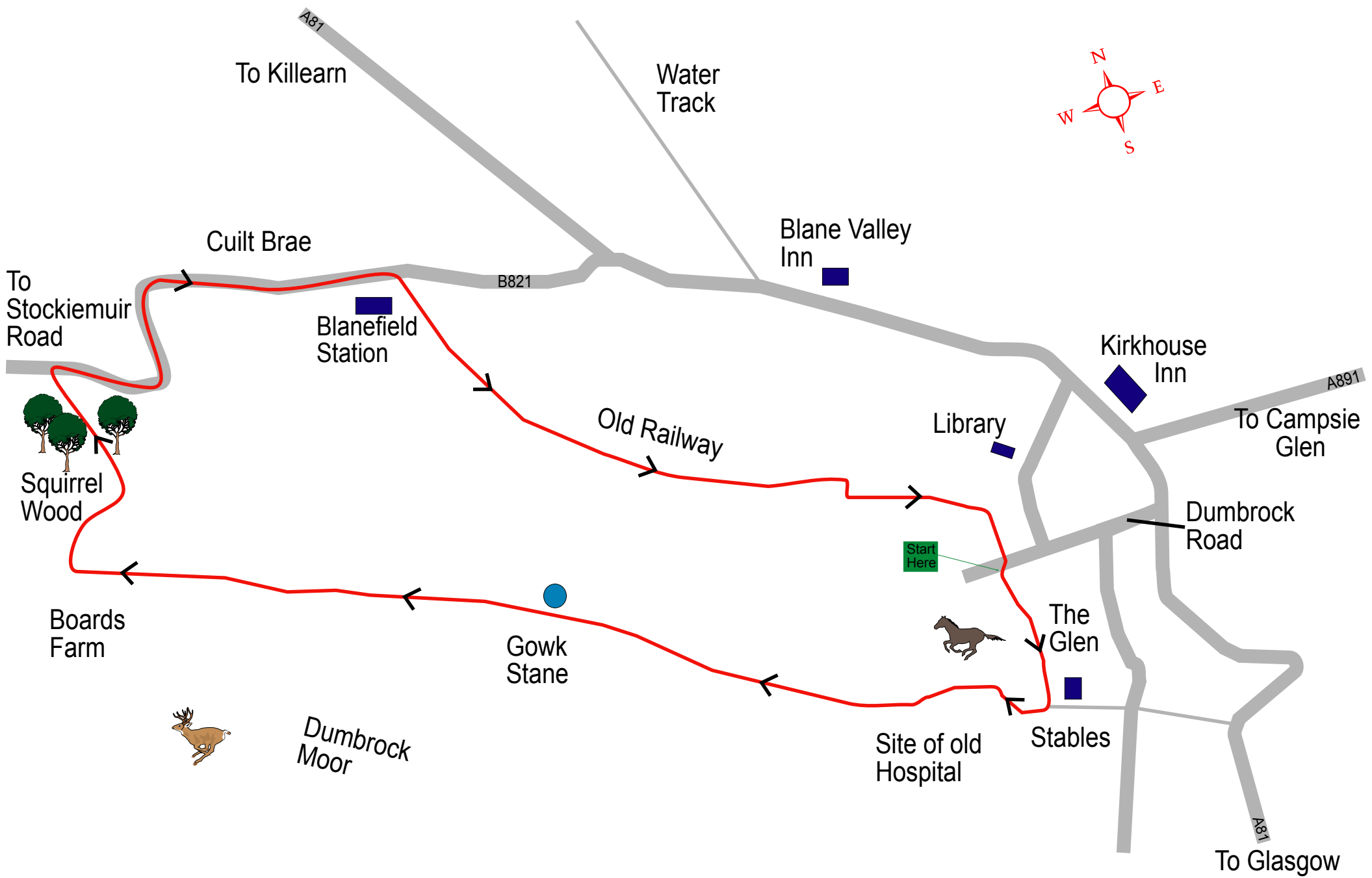
Distance - 3 miles approximately



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To Killearn

Water Track

Blane Valley Inn

Cult Brae

B821

Blane Valley Station

To Stockiemuir Road

Kirkhouse Inn

A891

To Campsie Glen

Old Railway

Library

Squirrel Wood

Dumbrock Road

Start Here

Boards Farm

The Glen

Gowk Stane

Site of old Hospital

Stables

Dumbrock Moor

To Glasgow

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