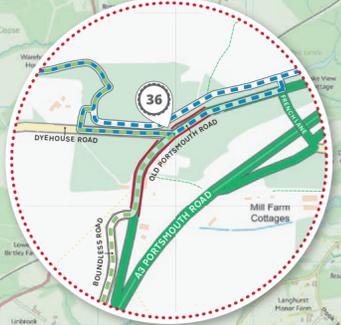
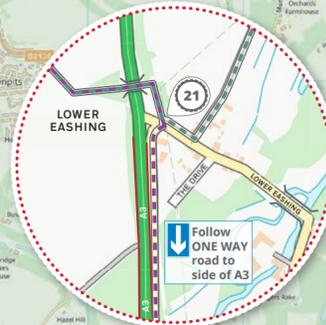
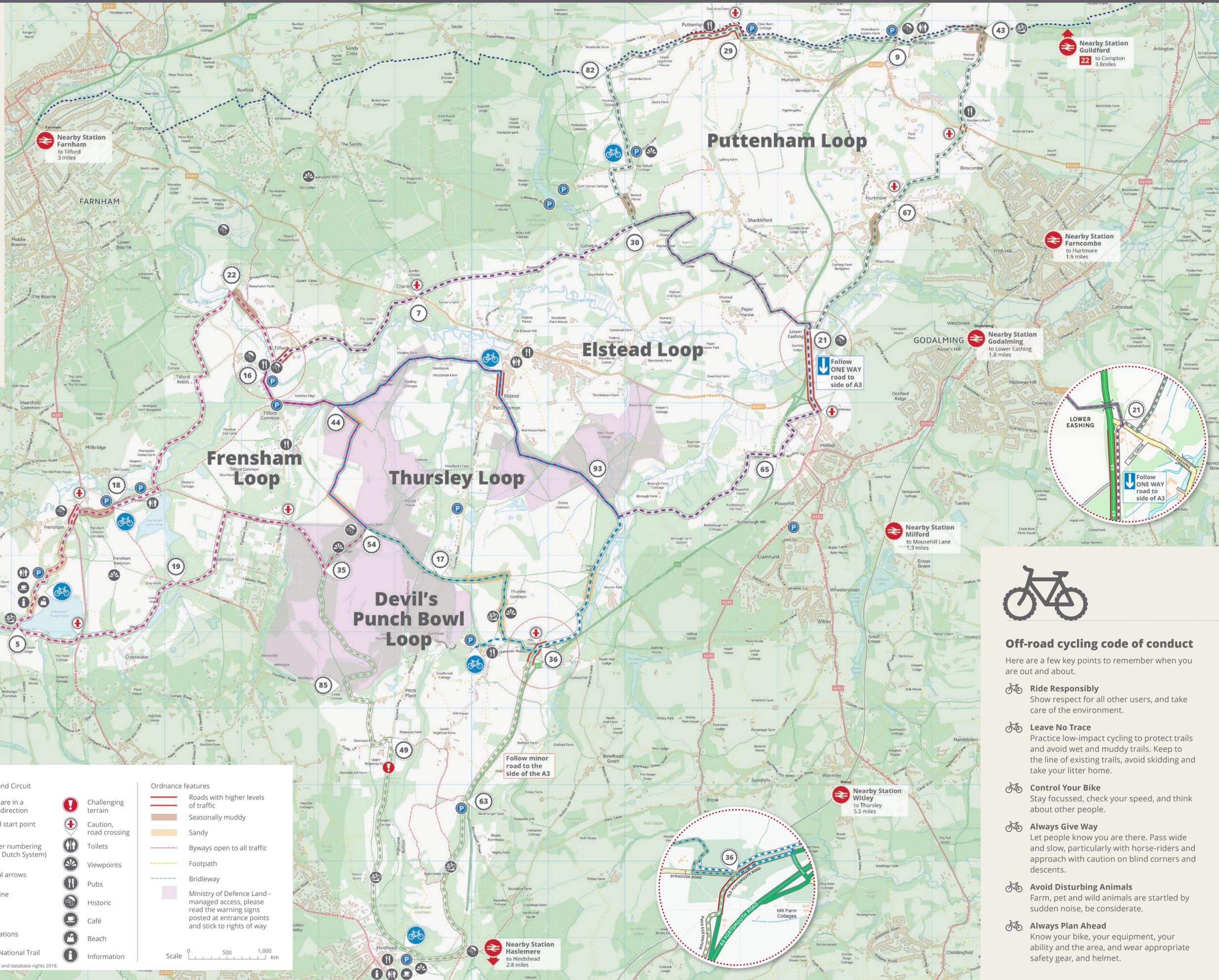




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Cycle Surrey Hills is a network connecting over 80km (50 miles) of byways, bridleways and quiet road routes in South West Surrey. There are five interlinking off-road routes providing a variety of options to explore the very best of this beautiful area.

Discover spectacular views, open heathland, fascinating history, an abundance of wildlife, great local pubs and cafés. You can access the trails by road, linking to railway stations, or car parking is available at the suggested start points.



Key

<p>The Loops and Circuit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Puttenham Loop Elstead Loop Thursley Loop Frensham Loop Devils Punchbowl Loop Crossing Loops Complete Circuit and where loops converge Terrain Moderate to Difficult 	<p>About the Loops and Circuit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All routes are in a clockwise direction Suggested start point for loops Waymarker numbering (based on Dutch System) Directional arrows Steep incline Car parks Nearby stations 	<p>Ordnance features</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Roads with higher levels of traffic Seasonally muddy Sandy Byways open to all traffic Footpath Bridleway Ministry of Defence Land-managed access, please read the warning signs posted at entrance points and stick to rights of way 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Challenging terrain Caution, road crossing Toilets Viewpoints Pubs Historic Café Beach Information
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Scale 0 500 1,000 Km

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Off-road cycling code of conduct

Here are a few key points to remember when you are out and about.

- Ride Responsibly**
Show respect for all other users, and take care of the environment.
- Leave No Trace**
Practice low-impact cycling to protect trails and avoid wet and muddy trails. Keep to the line of existing trails, avoid skidding and take your litter home.
- Control Your Bike**
Stay focussed, check your speed, and think about other people.
- Always Give Way**
Let people know you are there. Pass wide and slow, particularly with horse-riders and approach with caution on blind corners and descents.
- Avoid Disturbing Animals**
Farm, pet and wild animals are startled by sudden noise, be considerate.
- Always Plan Ahead**
Know your bike, your equipment, your ability and the area, and wear appropriate safety gear, and helmet.

Start Point: Devil's Punch Bowl, London Road, Hindhead, GU26 6AB or The Three Horseshoes Pub, Dyehouse Road, Thursley, Godalming GU8 6DQ.

Distance: 16km

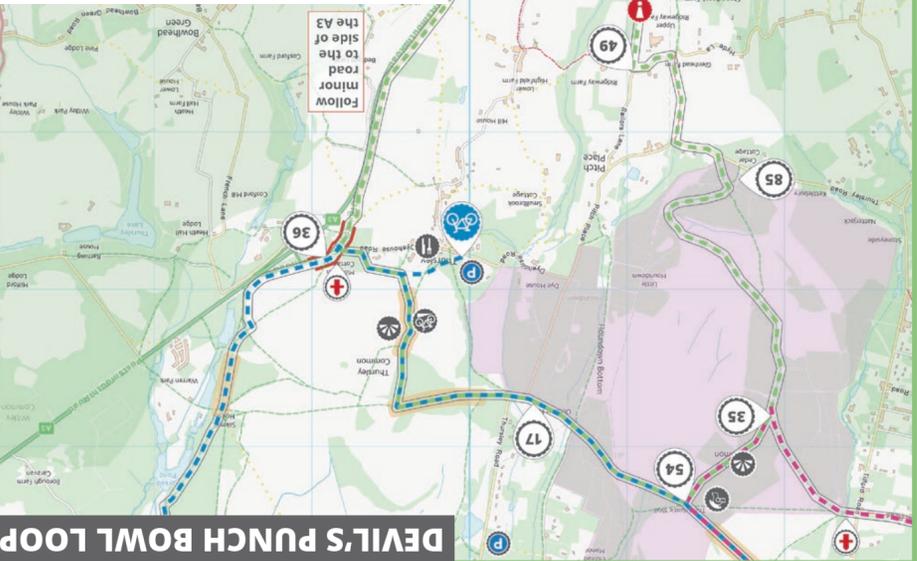
Time: Allow 2 hours

Ascent: 308m

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Refreshments & Facilities: A National Trust Servery & Café at the Devil's Punch Bowl • local shops in Hindhead • The Three Horseshoes Pub, Thursley.

This ride around the iconic Devil's Punch Bowl has the most spectacular views across open heathland. You might even come across grazing cattle and wild ponies! Legend has it that the Devil scooped up a handful of earth and hurled it at Thor, God of Thunder, the depression that remained is the Devil's Punch Bowl. Discover the Old Portsmouth Road, the Sailor's Stone and the gruesome history of Gibbet Hill!



DEVIL'S PUNCH BOWL LOOP



About the Routes
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You will need a mountain bike as the trails are mainly on bridleways, that are not suitable for road bikes, and you may need to push through certain sections, particularly when the trails are muddy in winter. The trails are also shared with other countryside users so please remember to 'share with care' and give way to horses and walkers.

In partnership with the National Trust, Surrey County Council, Surrey Hills AONB Board, Waverley Borough Council, Parish Councils and Landowners.



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Start Point: The Three Horseshoes Pub, Dyehouse Road, Thursley • The Little Barn Café, Elstead • The Woodpack, Golden Fleece or The Mill public houses, Elstead.

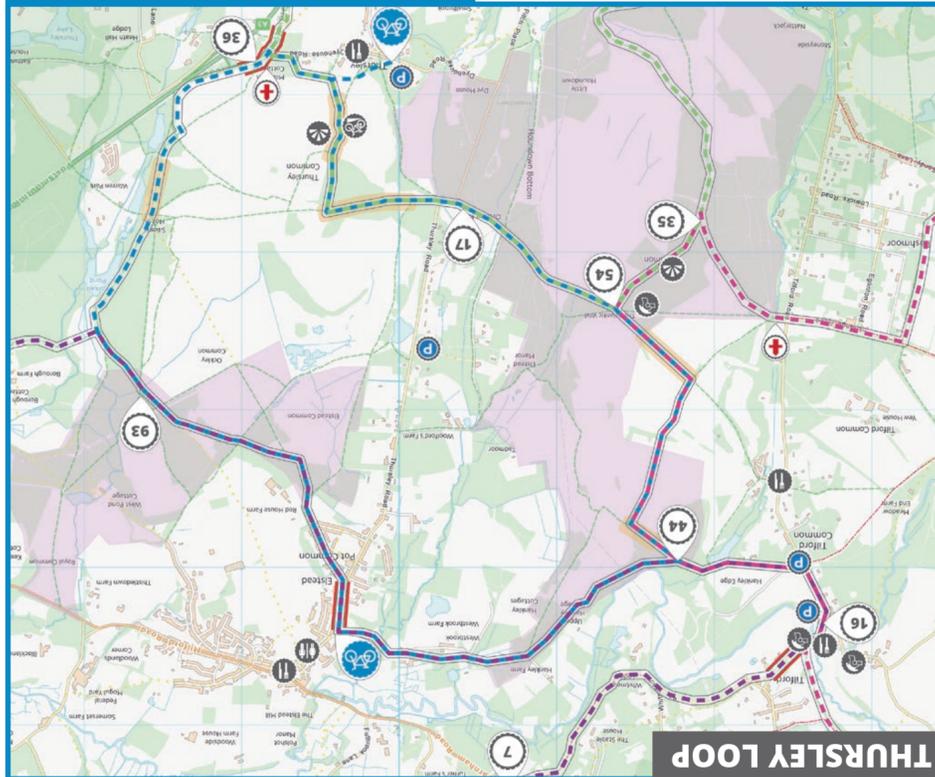
Distance: 15km

Time: Allow 1.5 hours

Ascent: 135m

OS Explorer Map: 145

Refreshments & Facilities: The Three Horseshoes Pub, Thursley • The Little Barn Café, Elstead • The Woodpack, Golden Fleece or The Mill public houses, Elstead.



Start Point: Puttenham Common Top Car Park, Suffolk Lane, Puttenham, Guildford GU3 1BE, Puttenham Village GU3 1AR or Waters Gallery, Down Lane, Compton, Guildford GU3 1DQ.

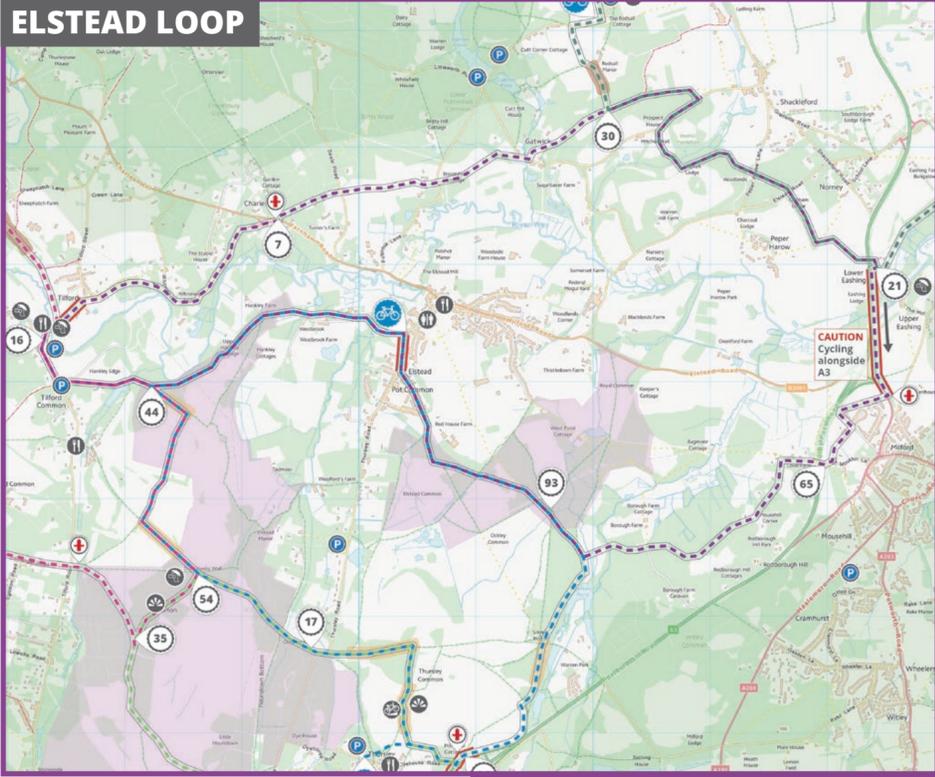
Distance: 17km

Time: Allow 2 hours

Ascent: 313m

OS Explorer Map: 145

Refreshments & Facilities: The Good Intent Pub, Puttenham • Waters Gallery Tea Shop, Compton • The Cyder House Inn, Shackleford.



Start Point: Elstead Village, Godalming GU8 6DG. (limited parking)

Distance: 20.8km

Time: Allow 2.5 hours

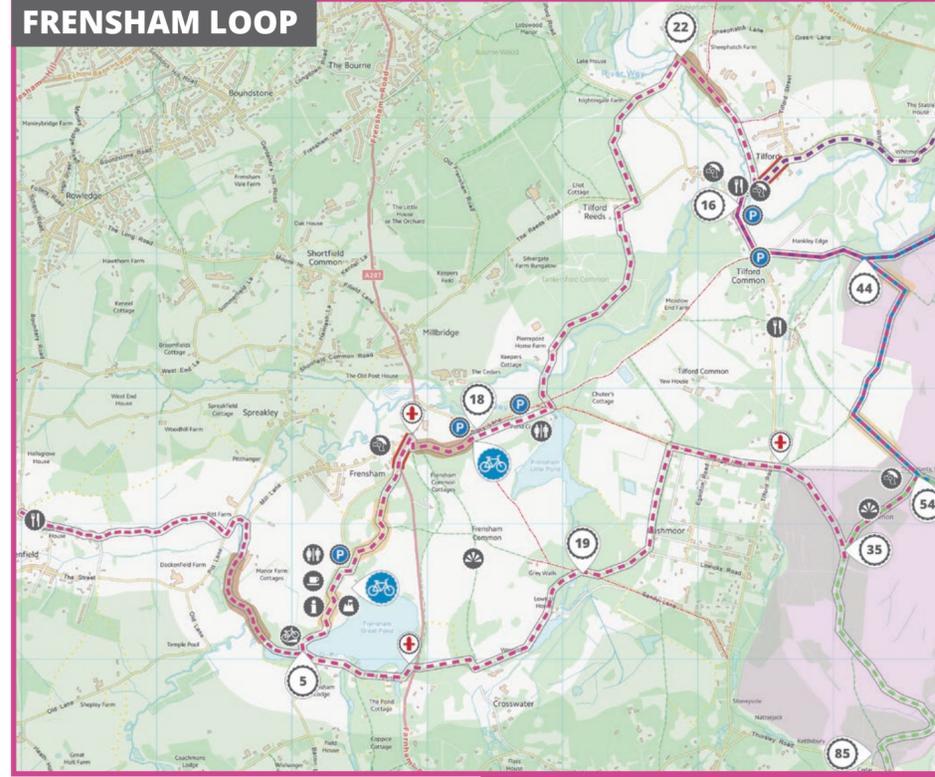
Ascent: 286m

OS Explorer Map: 145

Refreshments & Facilities: The Three Horseshoes Pub, Thursley • The Little Barn Café, Elstead • The Woolpack, Golden Fleece or The Mill public houses, Elstead.

This ride takes you across Hankley & Elstead Commons offering some of the finest remaining heathland in Southern England and a nationally important habitat for bird, reptile and invertebrate populations.

Discover a vast expanse of common land, wonderful views and delightful rural villages.



Start Point: Frensham Great Pond, Bacon Lane, Churt, GU10 2QB or Frensham Little Pond, Priory Lane, Frensham, Surrey, GU10 3BT.

Distance: 17km

Time: Allow 2 hours

Ascent: 168m

OS Explorer Map: 145

Refreshments & Facilities: A National Trust Servery at Frensham Little Pond • Snack bar at Frensham Great Pond • Barley Mow Pub, Tilford.

This ride takes you past Frensham Great & Little Ponds traversing some of the wildest and most spectacular scenery in the Surrey Hills. The landscape is beautiful and vast here with far reaching views across Frensham Common and the Ponds nestled amongst the heathland. Discover medieval bridges, World War II pillboxes, a replica of the 'Atlantic Wall', used by Canadian troops to practise for the D-Day landings and Surrey's secret beach!

This ride around Puttenham Common offers spectacular views and an abundance of heathland and wildlife. Many birds visit the reserve, including great crested grebe, green woodpecker and grey heron.

Substantial archaeological finds have been discovered during World War II with evidence of slit trenches and at Hillbury. The area was extensively used by the military on Puttenham Common including the Iron Age Hill Fort.

