

Step Out at SWFC

The Wednesday Walk on Thursdays



124 – Hallam Moors – 2.6 miles

This week we are doing the reverse of a walk we did last June. Then, we never got to the views till the end, when everybody was too tired to appreciate them, so this time we hit the hill first, then have the walk back through the valley. Starting at Redmires car park, we walk over the hill and then follow the conduit up to the small reservoir, then round the hill back to the car park.

Anticlockwise

From the car park, go through to the footpath (at the far end of the car park) and turn left up the hill. Mind the vicious gate, it will have your fingers off! Follow the path over the shoulder of the hill, stopping at the top to admire the views, then head on down till you cross the conduit.

Turn left, over the stile and follow the track round to the small reservoir which traps the headwater of Rivelin Brook and directs it round to Redmires.

Having admired the engineering, carry on along the path which climbs up round the left side of the reservoir, and keep on it till you reach the stile (which looks like an old pallet). Cross this and walk up the path, bearing right where it

meets another path, then bear left (up the hill) when it splits. When you see a gate ahead of you, bear left, up over the shoulder of the hill, and observe the silhouette of the soldier standing guard on the hill top. Drop down to the vicious gate and return to the car park.

Risks

No road walking!

Two stiles (with steps), paths can be rough underfoot.

Some parts are a bit muddy (even in August), but you can avoid the worst of it.

Some walking across grass (which may be slippery if wet)



