

Step Out at SWFC

The Wednesday Walk on Thursdays



127 – Mucky Lane, Bolsterstones – 2.6 miles

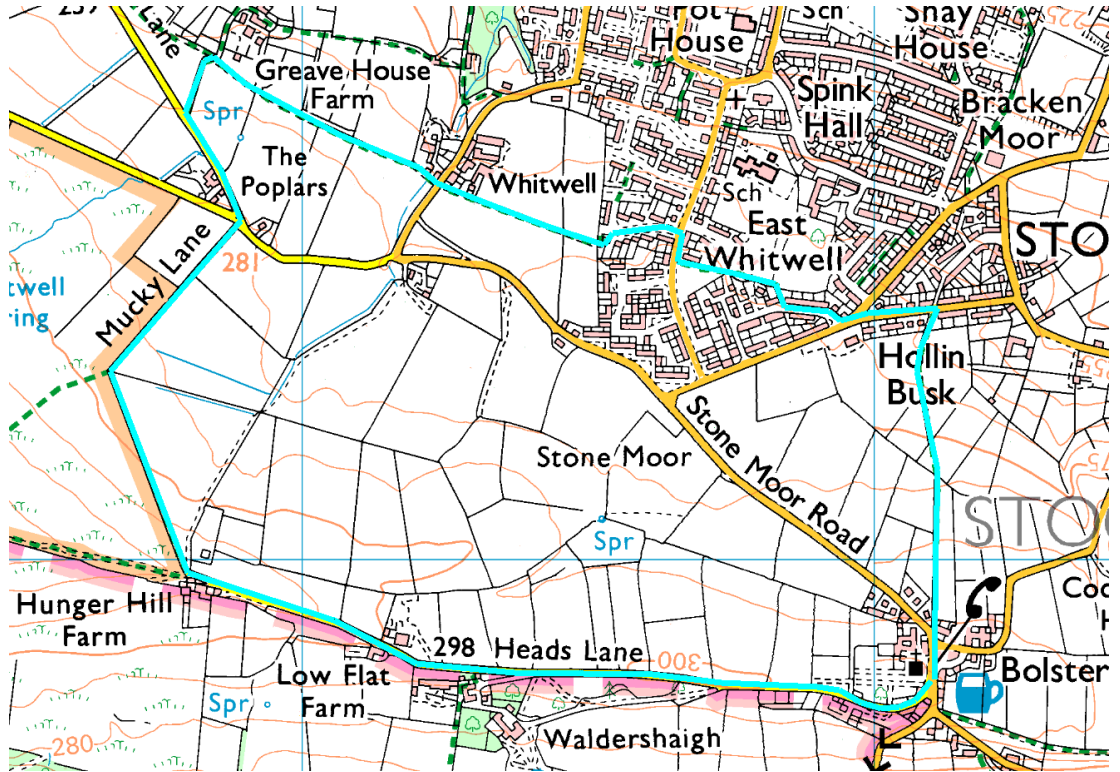
It looks like Thursday will be dry, but the ground will be wet after all this rain, so I have found a mainly road walk – but we are walking along Mucky Lane, so be warned...

Park on the road (Heads Lane) by the church in Bolsterstone.

Clockwise

Facing the church, turn left and walk round the outside of the churchyard along the lane (which is still Heads Lane) and follow it for nearly a mile till you get to Hunger Hill Farm.

There are some excellent views to both sides along here. At the end of the road, bear right along the footpath which joins up to the end of Mucky Lane, and carry on to Lee House Lane. Cross the end of Long Lane and go down New Hall Lane to Greaves House Farm drive. Turn right and then, just before the farm, turn right through the gate into the field and follow the wall to cross 4 fields and come out on Whitwell Lane.



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Cross the road and the stile, and carry on across two more fields to the new estate at East Whitwell. Walk along Maple Grove, turn right on Cedar Road then left on the path beside the 'pocket park'. Follow this path till it comes out on Pennine View, turn left and out to Coal Pit Lane then cross to Hollin Busk Lane. After 7 houses, take the footpath on the right and follow this back to Bolsterstone.

Risks

No walking on major roads, but lots of country lanes, so watch out for cars, tractors, bikes and horses.

One or two stiles, paths are not too rough underfoot.

Some parts may be muddy and wet grass, so boots recommended.

