

STAGE 20: DRIFFIELD TO BRIDLINGTON

ENJOY THE SLOW TOUR ON THE NATIONAL CYCLE NETWORK!



The Slow Tour is a guide to 21 of the best cycle routes in Yorkshire.

It's been inspired by the Tour de France Grand Départ in Yorkshire in 2014 and funded by Public Health Teams in the region. All routes form part of the National Cycle Network - more than 14,000 miles of traffic-free paths, quiet lanes and on-road walking and cycling routes across the UK.

This route is part of National Route 1, so just follow the signs.

THINGS TO SEE AND DO

Driffield

Known as the 'Capital of the Wolds', the town was founded in Saxon times and has retained its sleepy rural character.

Burton Agnes Hall

This Elizabethan stately home was built by Sir Henry Griffith in 1610.

Rudston Monolith

The tallest prehistoric standing stone in Britain is 8 metres high and was erected either in the late Neolithic or Bronze Age.

Bridlington's North promenade

The Award winning beach forms part of a 2 miles stretch from the North Harbour Wall up to Limekiln Lane.

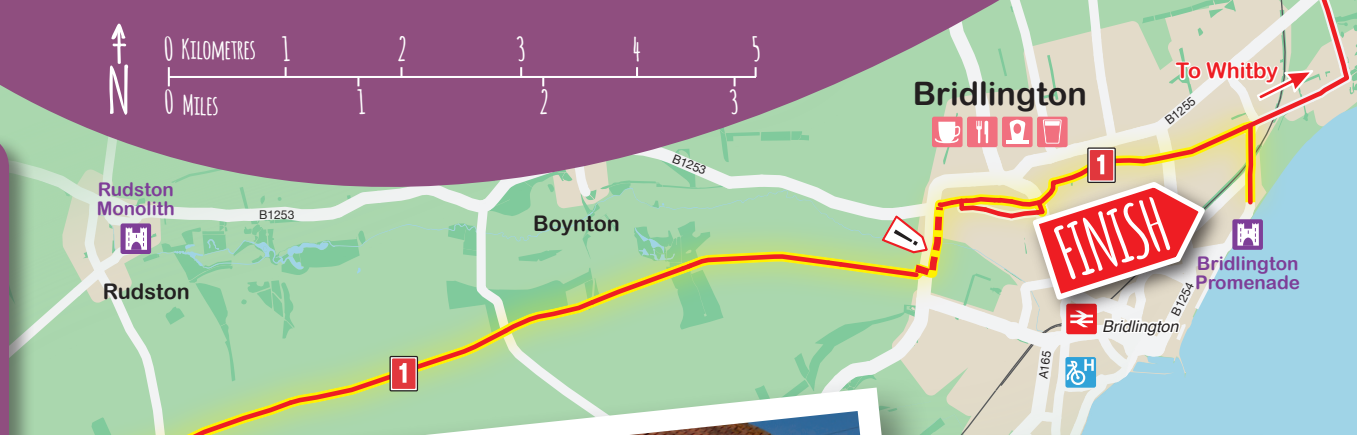
TAKE A BREAK!

- Riverhead Café, Driffield, opposite the Canal Head is a quiet, picturesque spot on the edge of town.
- St Quintin Arms, Harpham offers a wide selection of dishes using locally sourced produce.
- Little Organic Bakery, Wellington Road, Bridlington is a great vegetarian café open Wed-Sat.



TAKE CARE!

- Share the path. Give way to pedestrians and wheelchair users.
- There are two railway lines to cross on the route so take care. The gates at the second railway crossing may present some difficulty for trailers, trikes or tandems.
- The route is on quiet roads, but Driffield and Bridlington are quite busy so a reasonable level of confidence is required.



KEY

- Slow Tour route On-road / Traffic-free
- National Cycle Network On-road / Traffic-free
- National Cycle Network route number
- Café
- Pub
- Shop
- Restaurant
- Railway with station
- Cycle Hire
- Attraction
- Picnic spot



BIKE HIRE

Spa Cycle Hire, Bridlington offers a range of bikes at a reasonable price. Call 01262 228484 or visit their shop at 1 Horsforth Avenue.



DRIFFIELD TO BRIDLINGTON

Driffield to Bridlington 20 mile round trip (10 miles each way). This is approximately 3 hours.

This charming ride takes you from the market town of Driffield, through the stunning Wolds landscape that inspired David Hockney, to the seaside resort of Bridlington. For a shorter ride, the section of the route between Nafferton and Harpham is only 5 miles and mainly traffic free.

- Exit Driffield Station; turn left along River Head, then left into Wansford Road. Following signs for Way of the Roses/National Route 1, you quickly join quiet country lanes out of Driffield.
- From here the route takes you through the pretty and picturesque villages of Nafferton and Harpham, both ideal places to stop for refreshments.
- On reaching Burton Agnes, take care crossing the A614 onto Rudston Road, a steady climb past the school. On the right as you leave the village is the entrance to Burton Agnes Hall, which has fantastic gardens and a café.
- Continue up to the Roman Road of Woldgate, famously painted by David Hockney. From here you can take a short detour to the village of Rudston to see Britain's tallest prehistoric standing stone.
- The route continues on to Bridlington, following the Way of the Roses signs to the promenade and harbour.
- From here you can either retrace the route or hop on a train from Bridlington station.
- If you want to extend the route, a traffic-free path connects North Marine Drive with Sewerby village. From Sewerby, you can continue on for 3.5 miles to Bampton Cliffs RSPB reserve, famous for puffins and gannets.



OVERVIEW MAP



Driffield to Bridlington

SLOW TOUR OF YORKSHIRE

ON THE NATIONAL CYCLE NETWORK



The Slow Tour is a guide to 21 of the best cycle routes across Yorkshire on the National Cycle Network.

The routes have something for everyone, whether you are a family, new to cycling or a regular cyclist. You can take public transport to the start of most routes and hire bikes there too.

**Tourist attractions ● heritage sites
cafés and pubs ● picnic spots ● canals
museums ● playgrounds ● artwork**

If you like this route, try out the other 20.

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**Driffield to Bridlington is part of
The Way of the Roses and Route 1 of
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