

Cycling Guide 1

ROYSTON & NOTTON GRANGE

Starting Point: Station Road, Royston.

Distance: 3.8 miles (6.2 km).

Grade of difficulty: Easy.

Time: Allow yourself 30-40 mins.



Trans Pennine Trail/ Disused Barnsley Canal

1 Start opposite Royston Police Station on Station Road and go down Warren Walk along a cycleway between the Royston Comprehensive School playing fields. **2** Carry on across the top of Milgate Street. **3** Turn right down Victoria Road towards Midland Road. **4** Cross the road (with care) into Park View; go down the hill to Church Hill. **5** Turn left, go along Church Hill and continue past Meadow Road; after a short distance turn left through the 'A' frame barrier to go along the canal towpath. **6** Cross Midland Road (with care) and look out for the Interpretation board next to the roadside. Continue along the canal towpath going past Whincover (*this area was a canal basin where coal was loaded from Monkton Collieries*). **7** Go through an 'A' frame and down across the end of the canal, follow the track through to another 'A' frame and continue on to Notton Lane at Old Royston. **8** Go through the barrier and turn left down Notton Lane (with care) and be aware of traffic. **9** At the 'Oliver Twist PH' crossroads, turn left along Bleakley Lane. **10** At the junction with Summer Lane, where the old railway abutments are, turn left onto Station Road. Continue along until you arrive back at the Police Station, the start of your ride.

Information in this cycling guide can be made available in large print. This route is being assessed for mobility and sensory impaired users. For further information please contact BMBC Planning and Transportation Service on 01226 772655.



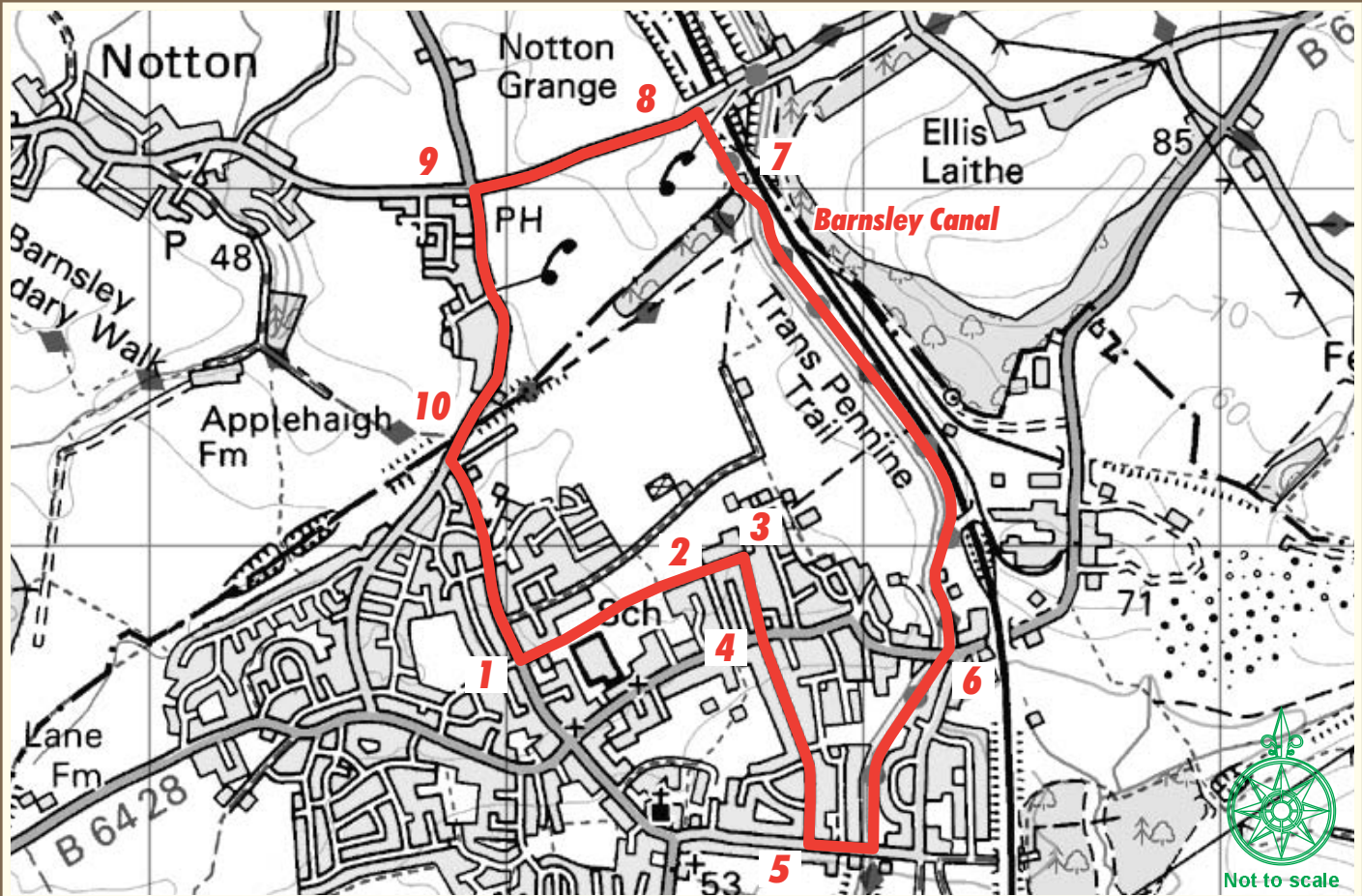
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