

Things to look out for on your walk



Chalgrave Manor Golf Club

Keep an eye out for the sprawling, green golf course! You might spot golfers in action, and the well-kept fairways make for a lovely view. It's a great spot to take in the scenery, especially if you enjoy wide, open landscapes.

Tranquil Beauty

Take a moment to enjoy the natural surroundings. The areas on this route are perfect for spotting wildlife—look for birds fluttering in the trees, butterflies drifting by, or maybe even a rabbit hopping through the grass. It's a great opportunity for a nature watch—see who can spot the most animals or unusual plants along the way!

Step Back In Time

Be sure to stop by All Saints Church, a fascinating historical site that feels like something from a storybook. The church has a lot of history behind it, and it's easy to imagine knights, queens, or kings visiting long ago. The churchyard is also an interesting place to explore, with old gravestones that may spark curiosity about the stories of the people from centuries past.

Chalgrave Church



Golf Course

LINMERE

A place to put down roots

LOOP 4

Chalgrave Church & Golf Course



Connecting with nature and our surrounds is an important feature of living in Linmere. This extended loop through Chalgrave offers the chance to explore historic landmarks.

Difficulty: **Level 3**
Distance: **6.55 miles**

Walking Route

1. Start out at the Ouzel Brook. Follow the footbridge to cross the A5.
2. Follow the path uphill until you reach a cross junction at the byway. Turn left and continue down the footpath. Walk half a mile, then turn right into a field.
3. Follow the path downhill past the electricity pylon, keeping left.
4. At the bottom, pass through a small opening with a public footpath post and enter the next field. Cross the wooden bridge to your left and pass through the gate. Continue through the open field until you see a "private land" sign.
5. Cross the second wooden bridge and keep to the right-hand side of the field.
6. Stick to the footpath, passing the farm on your right. Follow the track uphill to a T-junction with a country lane. Turn right, pass the lake on your left, and continue up the track towards the farm.
7. Follow the path as it loops around the golf course, keeping the course on your left and continuing along the edge of the field. Follow the path heading east towards the village area near Chalton. You'll be passing through more open fields and may encounter wooded patches.
8. You will pass close to Chalton Village and the historic All Saints Church. Take a moment to explore the charming village or visit the churchyard.

9. After the church, head left towards Chalgrave Manor Golf Club and take the first turning on the left.

10. You should now be on the golf course. Stick to the public footpath, until you reach a gate to a field. If you are lucky, you may see some horses in this field! Continue through this field and head through the second gate, where you will find yourself back by the farm track.

11. Turn right and continue on the lane until you see a house/farm. Turn left at the farm, and look for a public footpath post on your left.

12. Follow the footpath for 500 yards, then turn right down a field, keeping the hedgerow on your right hand side.

13. Go through the wooden gate onto a gravel path. Cross over the footbridge, and follow the twisting gravel track left along Bridleway 22, heading back towards Linmere. The Ouzel Brook should be on your right hand side.

14. The bridleway comes out onto the footpath at the back of Linmere and you can follow it back up to the allotments.

