

Wolverhampton North District St George's Day Treasure Hunt 2021

Codsall Bilbrook Area

2 Routes are available with same start and end point. The village walk is 3 miles (5 km) long and has treasure hunt clues along the way. This can be extended to a total of 6 miles (10 km) by adding on the countryside walk. We hope you enjoy it!

Positions quoted using OS 6-figure grid reference and What Three Words (///)

<https://what3words.com/>

Start Point: Codsall Car Park just off Bakers Way behind Lloyds Pharmacy [865037
///mats.teams.friend]

Exit car park and cross Bakers Way on zebra crossing.

1. What word is painted on the end of The Hive? [865037 ///towns.pans.fluid]

Turn right up Church Road.

2. Who sits on the wall at the Parish Rooms? [865038 ///middle.broken.rises]

Turn left onto Church Lane for a few metres.

3. What is the most recent date on the wall? [865039 ///shape.hulk.branch]

Return to Church Road and continue uphill towards the Church.

4. What voltage is the cable joint by number 57? [865039 ///vote.groom.photos]

Continue up to Church gate.

5. Who is the gate in memory of and what date is on it? [866040 ///match.handed.rats]

Follow the path to the left round the church.

6. What animal can you see on top of the church? [866040 ///globes.modes.much]

Exit the gate and turn right onto Church Lane. Watch out for traffic!

7. What colour is the Commonwealth War Graves sign? [866041 ///insist.spray.fork]

8. Look round, can you see what is missing its sails? [866041 ///skin.chats.visits]

Turn right into Church Hill.

9. What did the house in front of you used to be? [866041 ///tuck.goods.cone]

Follow Church Hill to the corner.

10. What did Holly House used to be called? [866041 ///hands.rewarding.tops]

Continue to the end of Church Hill and turn left onto Sandy Lane. Be very careful on this bit as there is no pavement and the cars can't easily see you!

11. When was Hyde Park Cottage built? [867040 ///sizes.boost.player]

Continue down Sandy Lane on the pavement.

12. What sort of tree is growing in front of number 58? [870038 ///email.strong.never]

Take the new path off to the left of Sandy Lane and follow this path around the edge of the new housing estate.

13. How many drainage ponds (areas fenced off) are there along the path? [870038
///reach.gazed.tender]
14. What are the tall plants called that you can see in the last drainage areas?

Turn left onto Watery Lane. Stay on the pavement.

15. What award have the allotments won? [874041 ///gaps.passes.butter]

Cross the road carefully and walk along the grass up to Jubilee Woods.

16. What do the Friends of Bilbrook want you to give? [875041 ///hype.vote.slides]

Turn right and enter Jubilee Woods.

17. When was the wood planted and what occasion does it mark?

Use the sign to navigate to and take a photo of yourself with the Black Poplar Tree.

18. What number is on the red marker on the Black Poplar?

From the Black Poplar turn left and follow the path until it joins another path, where you turn right.

19. What can you see in the tree at [877039 ///rift.form.before]?

Continue to follow the path ahead until it passes through a fence and bears slightly right. Stay on this path.

20. How many blue bird boxes are on the house to the right? [878037
///native.flight.varieties]

Continue to the bridge over the Moat Brook. This is where the longer route splits off, see pages 4-6. [880037 ///crash.slows.words]

For the shorter route don't cross the bridge, turn right and follow the path to the end of Joey's Lane playing fields and keep right up towards the corner. This is where the longer route re-joins #. [880035 ///enjoy.bikes.using]

Take the alley way out to Bilbrook Road.

21. What animal sits on Bilbrook Old Village Green? [879035 ///ideal.stores.pump]
22. Who preached here 1751-1772?

Turn left and follow Bilbrook Road, crossing the road before you get to the shops.

23. What time is the post collected on Saturdays? [879033 ///deeply.drag.statue]

Turn right up the alleyway next to the Funeral Directors and then turn right into another alleyway opposite a lamp post. [878033 ///dart.tools.enjoy]

Turn left at the end onto Lime Tree Gardens and follow the road to the end, turning left onto Lime Tree Road.

24. What can't you do on the grass alongside Lime Tree Road? [876033 //pies.second.boost]

Cross straight over the road junction onto Orchard Lane and carry on turning right into Elm Grove. Continue straight until you reach an alleyway.

25. What can't you ride in the alleyway? [874032 ///analogy.lost.talked]

26. Count the lamp posts along the length of the alleyway.

Turn left at the end of the alleyway onto Wolverhampton Road and cross the road at the traffic lights.

27. What is the # message on the Wander painting? (Have you seen something similar already on this walk?) [870032 ///moved.burst.under]

Turn right and cross over Histons Hill at the traffic lights. Continue along Wolverhampton Road in the direction of Codsall village centre.

28. What instrument can you learn to play at number 38? [869032 ///pass.adjust.mugs]

Continue along Wolverhampton Road on the left-hand side. Some of the clues may be on the other side of the road but you can see them without crossing!

29. Who works at Jubilee House? [868034 ///meant.once.wasp]

30. What is the maximum height of vehicles that can visit Codsall Village Hall?

Cross Wheel Avenue and enter the Wheel Field to the left.

31. How many benches are there in the field? [867035 ///rods.forgot.rails]

32. Count the number of spokes leaving the hub of the wooden wheel. [866035
///placed.mince.villa]

Exit the field at the top right corner, relative to where you entered.

33. Which villages are represented on the sign? [866036 ///jumps.fled.shadow]

Cross the road carefully and return to the car park.

Well Done. You've finished!

Extended countryside walk by pictures. This takes the total distance up to 6 miles (10 km).

Please be aware there are numerous stiles to negotiate, uneven surfaces, horses in fields and canal towpath with water hazard, so please take care!



1. Cross the bridge and follow the footpath across the field.



2. Exit the field, cross the road and follow the footpath across the next field.



3. Pass through the gate into another field and head diagonally right towards a stile in the hedge.



4. Cross the stile then head diagonally left towards the field edge.



5. Follow the field edge keeping the hedge on your left.



6. At the corner of the second field turn left and follow the footpath over a stile into the wood. Be careful this stile is broken!



7. Exit the wood through the rope where a stile used to be and turn left.



8. Follow the left-hand edge of the field crossing over the stile.



9. Cross over a track using 2 more stiles and keep to the left side of the field.



10. Pass into a second field keeping left and heading downhill.



11. At the bottom of the hill cross over 2 more stiles and arrive at the edge of the canal.



12. Turn left and follow the path under the motorway bridge.



13. Cross the stile to the left, turn right and follow the path.



14. Cross another stile and continue along the right side of the field.



15. Continue to follow the field edge.



16. Climb the steps and exit onto a lane, turning right over the canal bridge.



17. Turn right and follow the lane running parallel to the canal.



18. At a layby go through the gap next to the gate, turn left and follow the canal towpath.



19. Follow the Shropshire Union canal towpath for approximately 1 mile, passing back under the motorway bridge and bridge number 5.



20. Exit the canal through the bike gate and up the ramp onto Pendeford Mill Lane. Turn right and follow the pavement, crossing the entrance to Bilbrook Recycling centre.



21. Turn right through the gate into the playing field and keep to the right.



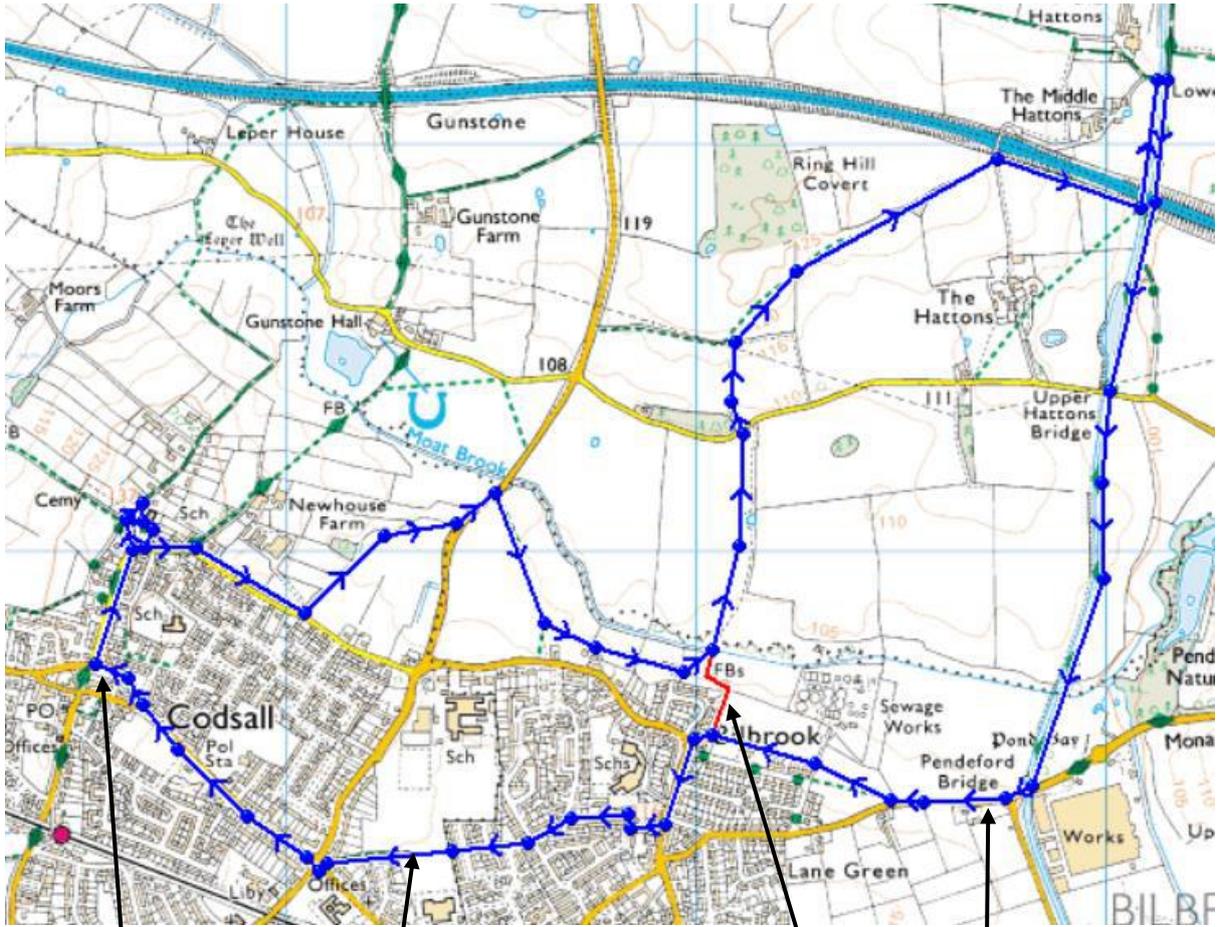
22. Cross the track and into the next area of playing fields.



23. Walk straight, with the car park and buildings to your left, to the top of the field where there is an alleyway.



24. You've re-joined the shorter walk and can pick up the directions again at #.



Start/Finish at
Bakers Way Car
Park Codsall

Village walk including
Treasure Hunt
Circulate 3 miles

Linking path in red for
continuing on Village
Walk

Countryside walk which
adds on another 3 miles =
6 miles in total

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Question	Answer	Points Available	Score
1		1	
2		1	
3		1	
4		1	
5		2	
6		1	
7		1	
8		1	
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23		1	
24		1	
25		2	
26		1	
27		1	
28		1	
29		1	
30		1	
31		1	
32		1	
33		3	
Total		38	