

# Big Pathwatch Special Walk

## Get Walking . . .

Join us for a free, gentle stroll on  
Sunday, August 2, 10.30am

### Godshill

4.5 miles

**Start:** Free public car park opposite the Griffin pub.

**Set-off Time:** 10.30am.

**Description:** A walk through woods and open countryside.

**Access Information:** Mainly open tracks, three stiles, some hills. Opportunity to explore Godshill and Appuldurcombe House (take the stile by the wall opposite the Owl and Falconry car park). **Refreshments:** Pubs/cafes in Godshill.

**Toilets:** Public toilets at car park. Also for patrons of the Old Smithy.

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around the Island

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**Route:** From the car park (1), cross the main road and follow Hollow Lane. After 20 yards take footpath GL57 on the left. Follow this path through fields to a kissing gate by a wood (2). Go left and uphill into the wood. In the springtime, this wood is carpeted with bluebells, and white wood anemones.

Continue to a metal gate at the edge of the wood leading into a field (3). Follow the field edge path which swings right and then left to reach a seven-bar metal gate and follow the track downhill and then go uphill to eventually reach Freemantle Gate (5). Continue straight on bridleway GL44 through the blue side gate. Follow the track to the right on GL47. Go through a farm gateway and continue straight on to reach The Owl and Falconry Car Park (6). Follow the lane to the left downhill to reach Redhill Lane (7).

Turn left and pass Redhill Farm towards Sandford. By Park Hill Farm (8), turn left on footpath GL43 towards Godshill. Go through a rusty gate and then go over a stile to follow the footpath. Cross a wooden stile and go over the hill to see Godshill Park Farm buildings. Go over a stile and follow the field downhill and turn right over another stile to cross a small field with a pond on the right. Leave footpath GL42 at a track (9) and turn right. Continue straight on passing Godshill Park House.

Follow the Tarmac lane to reach the main road. Cross the road and go left (10) on the footway back to Godshill.



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