

THE SCARBOROUGH TRAILS

DISCOVERIES ON YOUR DOORSTEP

The Mere Trail



Discover Nature



Discover History



3 miles in total



incline, 300 ft



Everyone loves nature, but most of us are just too busy to take the time to notice what is around us.



DISCOVERY TIP

You can use a smart phone with a camera to take photos of your discoveries. If you have no camera, then just use a pencil and a notebook, or try doing quick sketches of what you see.



Find out when the local buses run on the EYMS website www.eyms.co.uk/bus-services

Always follow the countryside code. Be safe – plan ahead and follow the signs. Keep dogs under close control, protect plants and animals and take your litter home. Leave gates and property as you find them and consider other people.

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The Dell



The Dell was declared Scarborough's first Local Nature Reserve after it underwent redevelopment in 2012, led by the 'Dell've into Nature' project. Since then the sub-urban grassland has flourished with wild meadow flowers, hedgerow, sculptures and ponds!

Take some time to explore the paths that wind through the Dell and look out for the varied habitats.

— 1.1 miles to Oliver's Mount

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Oliver's Mount



Oliver's Mount attracts thousands of visitors each year, who come to watch the famous motorcycle races that have been hosted since 1946. The hill is named after Oliver Cromwell, who is thought to have chosen the location for his guns during the civil war.

Spend some time taking in the incredible views over Scarborough.

— 0.8 miles to War Memorial

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War Memorial



This historic War Memorial commemorates those who lost their lives in war, including the names of WWI and WWII soldiers from the Yorkshire Regiment.

— 1.1 miles to The Mere

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The Mere



Visit the Mere to discover Scarborough's vast birdlife!

Look for Kingfishers and Cormorants, or see if you can spot Carp and Pike in the lake!

Mere Trail instructions:



1. Start at the Dell and follow the gold Discoveries On Your Doorstep waymarkers until you reach Oliver's Mount.
2. Now follow the purple Discoveries On Your Doorstep waymarkers until you make your way back to the Dell.



Short on time?

Why not mix and match the discoveries on this trail to create a shorter walk that fits around your schedule!

