

Redhill Christian Centre, Snitterfield to Coughton

11 miles

Overview

Route joins Monarch Way (MW) at Snitterfield, then remains on it until it joins the Heart of England Way to Coughton. Good walk through open countryside. Very little road walking. Diversion to Wootton Wawen Saxon Sanctuary church is worthwhile.

Points of Interest

Wootton Wawen, Saxon Sanctuary church
Coughton Court

Maps and Reference

OS Explorer 221	Coventry & Warwick
OS Explorer 220	Birmingham
OS Explorer 205	Stratford-upon-Avon & Evesham
Redhill Christian Centre	SP27604
Coughton	SP084604

Route

Leave Red Hill with cross on hill at left hand side. Follow footpath through trees, over stile. Diagonally cross field to stile to kissing gate and road. Turn left into Snitterfield.

Past church. Go right onto Bearley road. Past school on right and Snitterfield Arms on left to Monarch Way (MW) immediately on right. (Note no VB markers on long distance paths).

Change to OS 220

After 1.5 miles, just after railway underpass, where MW goes north to Langley Green, instead take bridle path for 500 yards where it rejoins MW. After 2 miles, leave MW where it joins A3400, (SP158630) Instead go ahead on road to Field Farm and turn right to rejoin MW where it meets River Alne. (Diversion to Wootton Wawen: Keep on MW to Wootton Hall then cross A3400 to River Alne. Saxon Sanctuary church. Well worth a detour).

Continue on MW (SP 109607) for 3 miles to just south west of Crocketts Farm. Leave MW, turn right, still on road, and continue on road on Heart of England Way, turning left to New End crossing Sernal Lane. Go past Windmill Hill Barn on right to Coughton. Rejoin MW left through wood opposite Poppy Cottage, and after Tudor House. Cross paddock – two yellow marker posts. Kissing gate. Turn right to road.

Follow Monarch Way. Go under railway bridge along road. Monarch Way to left, through kissing gate. Cross road, turn left, Monarch Way is on path directly opposite the church through kissing gate. Don't cross river. Walk with it on your left.

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