

North Norfolk Cycling Guide



Cycle Maps

Available to buy at the North Norfolk Visitor Centre

Cycling Country Lanes in Norfolk by Golden Eye

Covering all of Norfolk, this map shows routes using the many country lanes that wind through the undulating Norfolk countryside

£7.99

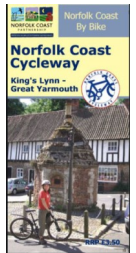


Norfolk Coast Cycleway by Norfolk Coast

Partnership

This map shows the cycle route between Hunstanton and Great Yarmouth using Norfolk's quiet lanes. The map also features shorter loops and circular routes.

£3.50



Sustrans Norfolk Cycle Map

Includes the Norfolk Coast Cycleway, The Marriott's Way, Bure Valley Path and 5 individual day-rides.

£7.99



Off-Road Cycling

Blickling Estate - Waymarked cycle routes through the park (maps available at reception). Whether you're a beginner or an experienced off-roader, discover the wider estate at Blickling. Find breath-taking views of ancient woodland, open fields and landmarks. Free water refill available at Muddy Boots café. Open daily. Parking £5, free for National Trust members

Holkham Hall - The scenic routes through Holkham park are perfect for cycling and an opportunity for visitors to explore more than 600 acres of parkland, with a fallow deer herd and abundant wildlife. During the visitor season at Holkham, the cycle hire centre in the park has a variety of routes of varying distances and specially waymarked routes to take you past landmarks of interest in the park. Park open daily Mar-Oct. Parking £4 per day

Kelling Heath - Enjoy our picturesque cycle routes, all starting and finishing at Kelling Heath Holiday Park. We have rides for all abilities through leafy tracks, colourful heathland and woodland trails and stunning coastal views. Routes available from Huff & Puff Cycle Hire.

Sandringham - The Queen's private Estate at Sandringham has nearly 243 hectares available for visitors to enjoy. Open Daily. Parking free.

Bacton Woods - Bacton Woods is over 113 hectares (280 acres). It has family cycling on the main paths following a circular trail, a great introduction to this hobby and is safe away from traffic. For the more adventurous mountain biker, there are a labyrinth of minor paths winding through the trees and up and down this surprisingly hilly terrain. Parking free

Sheringham Park - Cycling is possible along the majority of trails - full details and a map are available from the visitor centre. A bike park and lockers are available close to visitor centre. Access to North Norfolk Railway. Open daily. Parking free to National Trust members or £5.50

Holt Country Park - 1 ½ mile traffic free, way-marked cycling route. Parking £2

Bure Valley Cycleway - A purpose built footpath and cycle path runs alongside the entire nine mile length of the Bure Valley Railway from Aylsham to Wroxham taking cyclists and walkers through some stunningly beautiful English countryside. Cycles can be carried aboard scheduled Bure Valley Railway services, at a single journey rate of £3.50 per cycle (subject to availability of space - please check beforehand). This means that folk now have the option of walking or cycling in one direction and catching the train back.

Reepham Station - Disused railway line starting from the Café at Reepham Station, with a pine and gift shop in the former train sheds. Part of the Marriotts Way Trail. About an hour's ride from Norwich, Dereham and the Norfolk Coast. Free parking at the station, though gates close when the shop closes .

Weavers Way - The 6 mile section of the Weaver's Way footpath connecting the market towns of North Walsham and Aylsham follows a disused railway line, making it a great off-road route for cycling. Plenty of facilities at either end make this a fun day out.

Transport

The Bittern Line - Bicycles are allowed on the mainline trains from Sheringham to Norwich. There are 6 cycle spaces per train.

North Norfolk Railway - Steam train running between Holt, Weybourne and Sheringham. Bikes allowed on train for £1.

Tel: 01263 220800

Bure Valley Railway - Narrow-gauge steam train running between Aylsham and Wroxham. Bikes allowed on train. Fares £3.50 per cycle. Please pre-book by **phone** 01263 733858

Sanders Coaches - Only folded bikes can be taken on board.

Other Maps Covering the Area

AA Leisure Maps: 6 and 9	AA Walkers' Map: 21
Ordnance Survey Explorer: 250,	Ordnance Survey Landranger: 132,

Cycle Shops & Cycle Hire

B = Buy
H = Hire
R = Repair

Black Bikes, Sheringham	B H R	Beeston Rd. 01263 822255
Electrifying Cycles, Cromer	B H R	Station Yard 01263 513631
Overland Cycle Repair & Hire, Holt	B H R	Norwich Rd. 01263 713293
Doctor Wheelgood, North Walsham	B R	Mundesley Rd. 01692 405033
Aylsham Cycles Centre, Aylsham	B R	White Hart St. 01263 731731
Halfords, Cromer	B R	Holt Rd. 01263 510420
Electric Bikes, Fakenham	B	Warren Ave. 01328 856226
Huff & Puff Cycles, Kelling Heath	H	Kelling Heath Holiday Park 07500 865095
Holkham Cycle Hire Centre, Holkham	H	Holkham Hall 01328 713071
'On Yer Bike' Cycle Hire, nr. Wells	H	Wighton 07584 308120
Bircham Windmill Cycle	H	The Mill 01485 578393
Broadland Cycle Hire, Horning	H	Bewilderwood 07747 483154
Whitwell & Reepham Station Cycle Hire	H	Reepham 01603 871694

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