



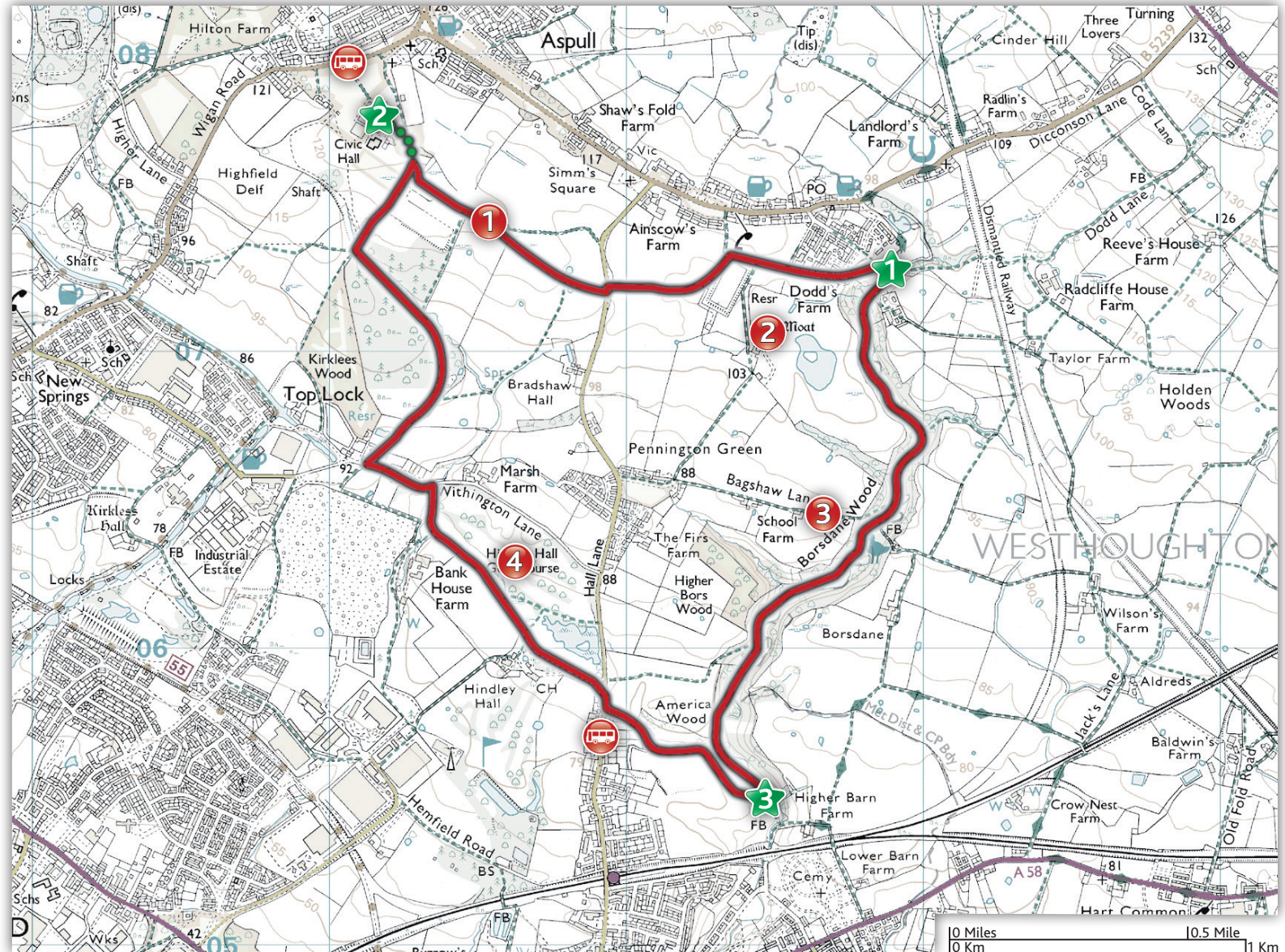


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This walk is one of a series of fifteen Jubilee Legacy Walks designed to celebrate the richness and diversity of Wigan Borough's green space, and provide a lasting reminder of the Queen's Jubilee celebrations of 2012. Walking is a great way to improve your physical health and mental wellbeing - aim for 150 minutes per week and you'll soon notice the difference!







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### WALK DESCRIPTION

This circuit takes in woodland and open grasslands (arable agricultural fields), a brief encounter with local industry and reclaimed land. The east to west routes have open views back towards Wigan and across the Douglas Valley, whilst north to south routes include most of the walk's woodland.

### ACCESSIBILITY

Paths are generally soft underfoot, some can be muddy after rain.

Limited access for wheelchairs, prams & cycles.

### TOILETS

There are no public toilets.

### START POINTS

- Northern end of Borsdane Wood
- Car park available at Aspull Civic Hall, Woods Road, Aspull WN2 1PJ
- Off road parking at Tunnel entrance of Borsdane Woods, Danes Avenue, Hindley WN2 4BT

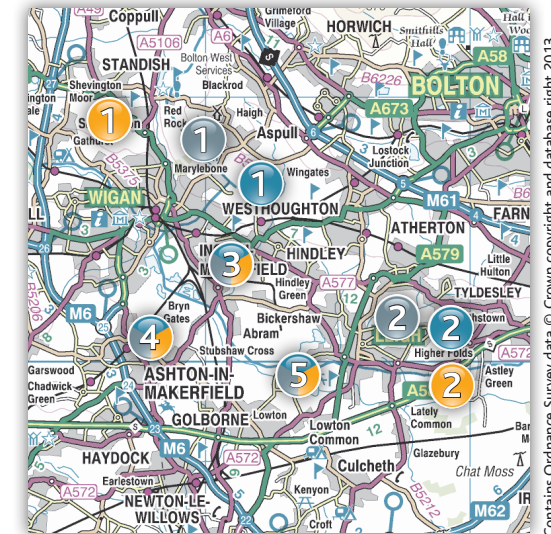
### BUS STOPS

- Wigan Road at Aspull Civic Hall,
- Close to Mill Lane, Hindley (for Borsdane Wood)

### POINTS OF INTEREST

- 1 Once past the rugby club the path heads east west between large agricultural fields with expansive views across the Douglas Valley over Wigan.
- 2 Look out for Gidlow Hall, a 16th century moated house which is screened by trees. Dating from 1574 it was owned by the Gidlow family.
- 3 Enjoy the ancient semi natural woodland of Borsdane Wood over Borsdane Brook bridge, Borsdane Brook is an upper tributary of the River Glaze.
- 4 Enjoy the manicured greens of Hindley Hall Golf Course, taking care to avoid any stray golf balls of course!

### OTHER ROUTES



#### Walk Locations

- 1 Borsdane, Standish and Haigh
- 2 Gin Pit, Tyldesley and Astley
- 3 Amberswood, Bickershaw and Abram
- 4 Ashton, Viridor and Bryn
- 5 Pennington Flash and Lightshaw

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