

Berkeley and Stone

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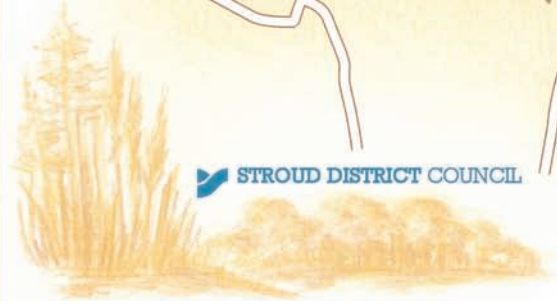
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Berkeley and Stone Start . . . Berkeley Town Hall

*An interesting walk, taking in the Little Avon and the Berkeley Deer Park.
This walk should not be attempted in times of flooding.*

From the Town Hall walk towards Berkeley Castle and take street on right marked "To Jenner Museum". Walk down hill and over bridge, turning left over stile into Castle meadows. Bear diagonally right across meadows to follow bank of the Little Avon on the left. Crossing stiles, reach second bridge (3/4 mile), cross bridge and turn left to follow river on opposite bank. Cross stile and then halfway along next field turn right and go up at right angles from river to gate. Cross next field diagonally half left in direction of small copse. Pass through gate and follow left hand boundary, then cut across field to double stile and road. Turn left.

On reaching main road (A38), turn right to pass Church then right again down village green. Continue ahead down 'no through road' to Westend House. Pass through gate and where road turns right go straight ahead through orchard and over stile into field. Continue in same direction and keeping to right-hand side of field cross stile up bank, then half left to bridge, cross, then straight ahead. Keeping hedge on left, cross over stile into lane.

Cross lane, over stile into field, over stile at rear of dwelling, then half left to stile/bridge in hedge. Turn right and follow right-hand hedge to further bridge. Cross over bridge and follow right-hand hedge to stile/bridge/stile. Walk diagonally half left across field to stile, then quarter right to stile (in line with cottage) and lane. Turn right, then immediately left over double stile into field. Keeping to left-hand boundary go up to stile and

sleeper bridge. Cross and climb steep bank slightly right to corner of brick wall. Follow wall straight ahead (do not turn right) and crossing two stiles, turn sharp right over wall via steps into Deer Park. Heading for conifer plantation, pass through trees and keeping to track, continue along top of ridge. On reaching far end (overlooking Berkeley) walk down track to conifers and exit Deer Park via steps over wall on left. Descend field to stile in bottom right-hand corner and on to road. Turn left through Ham to follow road back to Berkeley.

- **Alternative starting Point -**

A. Stone Village Green

- **Points of interest -**

1. Berkeley Castle
2. Little Avon
3. Deer Park

- **Places to eat -**

Berkeley Arms	} Berkeley
Bird in Hand	
Boars Head	
Mariners Arms	
The Salmon, Wanswell	
Berkeley Vale, Stone	
Salutation, Ham	

- Off street parking is available in Berkeley

**Follow arrows with yellow dot.
Sometimes plastic arrows with black
centre dot may be used.**

*We advise that the relevant OS Pathfinder
Map be used in conjunction with this leaflet*

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