

Arnside Knott Access Statement

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Grid reference car park: SD 450 774 (OL7 English Lakes)



Introduction

Arnside Knott is a shapely 500 foot limestone hill set between Silverdale and the Kent Estuary in Arnside. It has fabulous 360 degree views which take in the Lakeland fells, Yorkshire dales, Trough of Bowland and Morecambe Bay. Its 260 acres cover woodland, hillside, grassland and scree. The site is managed for nature conservation and public access and its wildness and variety of habitats is one of its enjoyed features. The site is a popular spot for dog walking therefore assistance dogs are welcome on site. The National Trust policy is one of open access to the whole site and there is an extensive network of regularly used paths of varying lengths, gradient, surface and width. Some are naturally made and some are kept clear and well drained by the National Trust Ranger team.

Redhills Wood and Heathwaite are adjoining Arnside Knott. There are access points at these sites in Arnside which will also take the visitor through onto Arnside Knott.

NB - Please note that mobile reception is not very good across the whole site. In an emergency please make contact on the phone number above as soon as you are able.



Junction between Silverdale Road and Red Hills Road

Arrival & Parking Facilities

1. There are signs (not currently brown signs) in Arnside at the junction between Silverdale Road and Redhills Road (LA5 0AL) which direct visitors to the main access point and car park on Arnside Knott from this point it is 1.1 miles to the Knott car park.
2. The car park does not have any designated spaces or any marked spaces for disabled drivers and car parking is the responsibility of the driver. At full capacity the car park will hold approximately 15 to 20 cars. The surface is rough stone which is uneven but firm as is the track to the car park.
3. The road access up to the car park is on a slope and is narrow with occasional passing places for vehicles. There is a narrow cattle grid and gate entrance at the top of the slope which drivers must approach slowly. This is in place for the cattle which freely graze on site.



Narrow entrance with cattle grid



Car park

WCs

There are no toilet facilities on site although there are public toilets located just off the promenade in Arnside which are coin operated.

Visitor Reception

There is no visitor building on site as the site is managed by our team of National Trust Rangers who cover the whole area in Arnside and Silverdale. The emergency contact numbers for the National Trust team is at the top of this document.

There are visitor facilities and refreshments available in Arnside where there are a number of cafes and shops.

Access Points

Along the Arnside Knott boundary with Silverdale Road, Arnside Knott, Redhills Wood and Heathwaite have many public access points which are both Public rights of way and can be found on Ordnance Survey. At these points either pedestrian gates or kissing gates have been installed onto the sites.

Directions

From Silverdale Road (LA5 0AL) turn right (southeast bound) into Red Hills Road and continue for 0.6 miles. Keep left to continue onto Knott Lane for 0.2 miles. Continue onto Saul's Drive for 0.3 miles up the track and through the cattle grid. The car park is situated at the very end of the track.



Footpath surfaces vary

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Eaves Wood Access Statement

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Exceptional views from the Pepperpot, Eaves Wood

Introduction

Eaves Wood is a 50 hectare woodland with some ancient woodland habitats, grassland areas and areas of open limestone pavement. There are only two official public footpaths in Eaves Wood however the National Trust policy is one of open access to the whole site and there is an extensive network of regularly used paths. Alongside keeping the site open for public access and enjoyment Eaves Wood is managed for nature conservation – the ancient woodland habitats and limestone-loving plants and insects. It is a popular spot for dog walking therefore assistance dogs are welcome on site. The surface of the many paths is firm with a base of limestone so when wet could be slippery. Some paths are also much steeper than others especially up to the popular Pepperpot viewpoint where the path also crosses limestone pavement.

There are a number of way marker finger posts around the woods which help to navigate visitors around the wood.



NB - Please note that mobile reception is not very good across the whole site. In an emergency please contact emergency services.

Arrival & Parking Facilities

There are no road signs directing visitors to Eaves Wood Car Park but there is National Trust signage at the entrance to the car park. The car park does not have any marked spaces or any designated spaces for disabled drivers and car parking is the responsibility of the driver. At full capacity the car park will hold approximately 15 cars. The surface of the car park is rough stone which is a little uneven but firm on a limestone base.



Eaves Wood car park

WCs

There are no toilet facilities on site although there are public toilets located in Silverdale Village, off Emesgate Lane approximately 0.9 miles from Eaves Wood car park.

Visitor Reception

There is no visitor building on site as the site is managed by our team of National Trust Rangers who cover the whole area in Arnside and Silverdale. The emergency contact numbers for the National Trust team is at the top of this document.

There are visitor facilities and refreshments available in Silverdale where there is a small supermarket, pubs and shops.

Directions

From Silverdale village centre head north on Emesgate Lane 0.5 miles. Continue straight on along Park Road for 0.4 miles and Eaves Wood car park is on the left.

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Footpath surfaces





Jack Scout Access Statement

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Introduction

Jack Scout is a beautiful site perched along the edge of the Silverdale coastline. It offers a network of unmarked paths across a grassy/rocky headland, most of which are undulating and very rocky and narrow in places with some following a steep contour. Access is off a small lane with 4 gates into the site. Two of these are wooden kissing gates with a wider turning circle suitable for pushchairs. Assistance dogs are welcome on site as are any dogs but we ask that dogs are kept on a lead around grazing animals which graze the site at certain times of the year.

N.B Mobile phone reception can be intermittent across the site and dependent on mobile phone providers. In an emergency please contact emergency services.



Kissing gate access



Footpath surfaces

Arrival & Parking Facilities

The site is not signposted from any of the major roads in Silverdale. Brown signs to 'Jenny Browns Point' in Silverdale will take the visitor down the lane by Jack Scout.

The first entrance to the site can be found approximately 400metres from the junction near Gibraltar Farm where Hollins Lane and Lindeth Road meet. The lane is narrow and there is no parking for the site except for a few small laybys dotted along the lane. We ask that if visitors do park in these laybys that any local driveways are kept clear along with the access down the lane itself.

There are few benches on site to sit and watch the view. There is the Giant's Seat (see picture) which is a stone seat and a good place to sit and watch the surrounding views. As can be seen in the photos access up to the seat is uneven.



Giant's Seat

WCs

There are no facilities on site although the Wolfhouse Gallery on Hollins Lane near Gibraltar Farm has café and toilet facilities.

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