

## Scenic Walks from Ulwell Cottage Caravan Park

### Guided Routes

#### Ulwell to Corfe Castle

1. From the top of the park head up onto the Purbeck Ridge
2. At the top turn left towards Corfe Castle
3. Follow the ridge until you reach some steps
4. Walk down the steps into Rempstone Estate and climb over the stile
5. Walk under the railway and into Corfe

***Please note:** This route is popular with cyclists and horse riders and there are a number of sheep and cows along the way. Dogs should be kept under close control. The walk up to the ridge is very steep and there are a number of steps as you descend into the Village of Corfe. Approximately 3-4 hours each way.*

#### Ulwell to The Obelisk

1. Cross the road at the park entrance and head to the first lay-by, which has a 'Welcome to Swanage' sign
2. Turn left out of the lay-by through a small metal kissing gate and head up the footpath on the left
3. Follow the signs to The Obelisk, which involves a steep climb up lots of steps
4. At the top of the hill cross over the stile where you will find The Obelisk

#### Ulwell to Swanage (via Ballard Down and Old Harry's Rocks)

1. Cross the road at the park entrance and head to the first lay-by, which has a 'Welcome to Swanage' sign
2. Turn left out of the lay by through a small metal kissing gate and head up the footpath to the left
3. Follow the signs to The Obelisk up a steep set of steps
4. At the top of the stile cross over the stile and with The Obelisk in front of you turn right, following the signs towards Old Harry's
5. Continue through the gate and out towards Ballard Point

*If you wish you can add 2 miles to the walk and follow the path to the headland to see Old Harry's Rocks – two spectacular chalk sea stacks at Headfast Point\*.*

6. If you choose not to extend the walk follow the coast path signs at the cross roads
7. Just before the next wooden gate you will see signs for the coast path to the right.
8. Turn right and follow this path down hill with the hedgerow on your left as it swings round towards Swanage.
9. You will eventually come to a section, which has a series of wooden steps and small wooden bridges to cross a gully.

*If you look to your left you will see a small sandy bay, which is dog friendly*

10. Continue on the coast path as it enters the residential streets of Swanage
11. The South West Coast Path is marked by an accord and you will see black and white signs on lamp posts to guide you through the streets
12. You will pass All Saints church and later the Crow's Nest Inn on your right
13. Shortly afterward a view of the seafront will appear ahead of you

### **Ullwell to Studland and Agglestone Rock**

1. Cross the road at the park entrance and head to the first lay-by, which has a 'Welcome to Swanage' sign
2. Turn left out of the lay by through a small metal kissing gate and head up the footpath to the left
3. Follow the signs to The Obelisk up a steep set of steps
4. From The Obelisk walk along the top of the hill until you reach a stone bench engraved with 'rest and be thankful' and turn left down the path into Studland
5. Continue down the path through the Glebe Estate and into the village itself

*Alternatively from The Obelisk you can continue towards Old Harry's Rocks and come down off the hill there into Studland and past the Bankes Arms pub.*

6. From Studland find Studland Stores in the village and cross the main road onto Heath Green Road
7. Turn right on to Agglestone Road and follow the track behind some houses
8. At the end of the track pass through a kissing gat onto Godlington Heath
9. At a set of crossroads turn right and follow the path to Agglestone towards some trees
10. Turn right at the next junction, heading into the woodland. Then turn right again over the bridge and continue through the blue gate
11. After passing the kiln, take the footpath on your right
12. At the next junction follow the footpath around round to the left
13. As the track widens keep to the right and continue along the footpath in front of you until you reach Heath Green Road
14. Turn left and follow the road back towards Studland Stores
15. Follow the route taken initially back to Ullwell

### **Ullwell to Dancing Ledge**

1. From the exit to the caravan park go straight over and when you reach a fork in the road/lane take the right hand fork on to Brickyard Lane
2. At the bottom of Brickyard Lane until you reach a T-junction. At this point turn left and follow the road until you come out by The Swanage School on to The High Street
3. Follow the High Street out of Swanage towards Corfe Castle and after a short distance take a slight left towards Langton Matravers

4. Pass Putlake Farm and head through the Village
5. Take a left onto Durnaford Drive
6. At the end of this path you will find the car park for Dancing Ledge and signs to follow the footpath