

Rally Guide



7th May 2022. Peak District.



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Welcome To our long awaited Rally!

Having cancelled the 2020 and 2021 UK Rally's due to Covid-19 I am so pleased to be writing this as we finally gather together and rally in person.

The pandemic has taught us to enjoy life to the full, fill it with adventure and do the things that bring us joy... when restrictions allowed naturally. It has also taught many of us the value of friends and families and how to use Zoom and Teams! On the 2022 Rally we truly celebrate our friendship with you all and look forward to our adventure together as one big Adventure Ashram family!

We have spent the last 2 years with a reduced income, which has restricted the plans we had but thanks to the furlough scheme and the hard work of our staff and volunteers and you, we have continued to support our projects and their changing needs, sometimes changing how we fundraise.

We had many successful fundraising events however, including: Yoga Stops Traffick, with many yogis arranging online sessions to support the campaign, 5 supporters taking part in The Virtual London Marathon, our growing Karma Curry campaign working with UK restaurants and pubs, Fritha and Olaf's Grand Designs House Tour and Rally and finally the Christmas online appeal. An amazing effort and thanks to all those many people involved. We are also very grateful to all of you who allowed us to use the monies collected for the cancelled 2020 Rally to support our partners in India as the global pandemic greatly affected their lives. Together we have made a huge impact.

As we announced towards the end of last year, Jemina - our CEO - had decided to return to her consulting role for charities. The search for her replacement began. Jemina continued with us until the end of April this year on a consultancy basis, allowing us to run the recruitment drive to find her replacement. I must thank her on behalf of the Board of Trustees, our supporters, and project partners for the fantastic work that she has given the charity in what has included the most trying of times for any organisation. Jemina was successful in overseeing the transfer of Yoga Stops Traffick to Adventure Ashram, increasing our grant fundraising, appointing our Communications and Campaigns Coordinator Chloe Tucker and developing corporate partnerships including two new partners last year, Wacka Cafe and Norfolk Holiday Properties.

Our recruitment campaign was successful and I'm very pleased to welcome our new CEO, Siobhan McCarthy-Morton to her first UK Rally. Siobhan has a great track record of working with child and women-centred charities, and fundraising and governance of small charities. She has some very exciting ideas of how we can move Adventure Ashram forward and continue to support the projects we hold so dear. We are looking forward to working with her.

Today's rally would not have been possible without our trustee, Roy Clark, Rally Coordinator Margaret Ring and their support team. Thank you.

I am delighted and grateful to you all for supporting the 2022 Adventure Ashram Rally and hope you all have a great event.



Colin Taylor
Adventure Ashram Chair

Project Update_1

Grace Charitable Trust

As a part of our 2021 Christmas Appeal, we raised funds to equip Grace Charitable Trust's 6 tuition centres in Tamil Nadu with comprehensive arts and sports kits.

The kits, including paints, craft materials, crayons, footballs, badminton sets, skipping ropes, board games and more, have helped support around 300 children with a more well-rounded education. Importantly, the kits have also provided the opportunity for the children to have fun playing sports with their friends and to explore their creative sides!

We would like to say a heartfelt thank you to all our supporters and corporate partners at Norfolk Holiday Properties & ArbiterDrucken who generously donated to our Christmas appeal and helped give the gift of education to the children in Masinagudi. We loved seeing their smiles and excitement on receiving their new equipment!



Project Update_2

Odanadi Seva Trust

During the Covid-19 lockdowns our partners at Odanadi Seva Trust, informed us of their need for new sports equipment and bicycles to help their young residents look after their mental and physical well-being.

With the help of our wonderful supporters, we were delighted to purchase 22 bicycles for the children at Odanadi, as well as volley balls, cricket gear, footballs, track and field equipment and board games. The bicycles have helped support the young residents fitness as well as helping them get to school. The girls even took to their bicycles for a 5-day cycling expedition covering 250 km through villages and tribal hamlets! We're sure there'll be more fun two-wheeled adventures to come!

We found this project especially important during the Covid-19 restrictions in Southern India. The new sports equipment and bicycles have enabled the young residents to keep active, develop new skills and let off steam with their friends during this uncertain time.



Project Update_3

Odanadi Training Centres

Research shows that almost a quarter of trafficking victims are re-trafficked, which is why it is vitally important for the Odanadi residents to be well-prepared for life outside of their safehouses.

The residents are provided with vocational training opportunities through Odanadi's own bakery school, mechanics workshop and beautician school. These training programs enable the residents to learn a trade, build their confidence and gain financial independence.

Due to Covid-19, Odanadi's training centres closed their doors temporarily from May 2020 - October 2021 to help prevent transmission of the infection. During this time, Odanadi's senior residents passed on their knowledge by teaching their junior peers at the beautician training centre. This helped the students to continue to develop their skills and consolidate their learning.

We are delighted to announce that the bakery and beautician training schools have now been able to re-open and are running successfully. The mechanics workshop is set to re-open very soon and we look forward to updating you on the students progress.

Plans are currently underway to run a skin care production workshop at the Odanadi girls house later this year. Theresa from Saucha delivered a successful soap-making workshop at Odanadi in March 2020 and we're delighted that she can return to Odanadi later this year! The workshop will not only help the girls learn new skills, but the products can be used in the Odanadi beauty salon treatments and sold locally to generate income.



Supporting Grace Charitable Trust through the pandemic

The Covid-19 pandemic has disproportionately affected the world's poorest communities and many families living in and around the Mudumalai Tiger Reserve experienced severe financial hardship during this time. The national lockdowns caused many to suddenly lose their livelihoods and subsequently struggle to afford basic food rations to feed their families. In response, Adventure Ashram funded a food distribution program and worked alongside our grassroots charity partner, Grace Charitable Trust in delivering nutritional foods for the children living around the reserve.

Food packs including a variety of food items, fresh fruits, drinks and face masks, were delivered to 300 children from 7 villages in Tamil Nadu.

We are pleased to inform our supporters that the children are keeping healthy and happy and doing well at school. After the lockdown restrictions and school closures the children have been very excited to return to school from September 2021 and ride the school bus again with their friends! We are pleased to report that with the support of Adventure Ashram and our charity partner, a total of 285 children safely travel to school and attend the Grace Charitable Trust's after-school tuition centres each day. The children use the tuition centres to complete their homework, receive educational support, as well as playing sports, games and doing craft activities.

'Getting such privilege in the tribal settlements in and around the Tiger Reserve is something great and beyond their imagination. Such opportunities for the children are extraordinary. All the credits go to Adventure Ashram, the staff and all Adventurers. Thank you for making these children happy and smile. With loving regards'.

Solomon Daniel

Grace Charitable Trust



Our Emergency Appeal for Odanadi during Covid-19

Whilst India battled with soaring cases of Covid-19 during the height of the pandemic, our partners at Odanadi experienced a sharp increase in the number of women and children fleeing situations of domestic and sexual violence, child marriage and human trafficking. As well as the increased pressure placed on their services, Odanadi also faced the challenge of keeping their current residents safe and the need to purchase protective equipment and medication for residents infected with the virus.

In May 2021, we launched an emergency appeal to help support Odanadi through this challenging and uncertain period. With the incredible generosity of our supporters, over £7K was raised to help provide additional shelter for dozens more women and children as well as covering the running costs of the isolation ward for newly admitted residents and medical treatment for those infected with the virus.

The emergency funds also helped Odanadi provide legal support for victims of violence, and run the women's 24/7 emergency helpline, as well as purchasing food, medicines, hand sanitisers, masks, gloves and vaccines.

Between April 2021 - March 2022 Odanadi's helpline has received 1,436 calls concerning cases of domestic violence, child marriage and trafficking to which Odanadi have provided legal advice, referral to relevant services, or immediate shelter and counselling.

We would like to give a heartfelt thank you to everyone who generously donated to the appeal which enabled Odanadi to respond to the increasing demands placed on their services and ensure they could continue to support the young survivors during and beyond the world health crisis. We would like to give a special mention to the Hardacker family for generously donating half of the total funds raised.



A farewell message

From Jemina, Adventure Ashram's outgoing CEO



Who would have known back in 2018, when I joined the Adventure Ashram family, what the world had in store for us. It has certainly been an eventful 4 years and I'm still a little out of breath just thinking back on it all. My journey with Adventure Ashram has been filled with great highs and celebrations of successes, wonderful friendships and lots of laughs, as well as deep frustrations of cancelled plans and worries of how to support our beneficiaries in India and see a small (but mighty!) charity through a global pandemic.

We've been the lucky ones! Many charities in the UK were hit by increased demand for their services at the same time as they were struggling to fund their activities. Over 90% of small charities in the UK have reported experiencing some negative impact from Covid-19, whether on their service delivery, finances, or on staff morale, resulting from the months of frustration and uncertainty.

I'm hugely proud that we are where we are today! We have fought tooth and nail, cut back and furloughed and we have relied heavily on you, our amazing supporters, to carry us and our friends in India in your hearts through the last couple of years. I have an immense amount of appreciation for your loyalty and tons of optimism for Adventure Ashram's future. We can now return to realising many of the dreams and plans we had made pre-pandemic and our new CEO, Siobhan, is just the right person to steer Adventure Ashram through the next stage of our recovery.

I'm so happy that you are able to get together and celebrate at the rally again. It will be a night to remember (pass that whisky Mark!). Whilst I'm unable to be there this year, I will raise a glass today and do a little heads and tails jig of my own. Enjoy each other, the Peak District, and your fabulous weekend together!

I will miss waving that rally flag, but this is not a goodbye, this is a see you soon!



Jemina Talja

We're delighted to introduce

Siobhan, Adventure Ashram's new CEO



My name is Siobhan McCarthy-Morton and I am delighted to have joined Adventure Ashram as CEO.

My background lies in the charity sector, having spent the last six years as Head of Operations at the children's charity ECHO, which supports children with heart conditions and their families. During my time I helped to transform ECHO into the strong community focused organisation it is today. Prior to that I was Head of Communications at a large grant-making charity which distributed £13m annually.

I am passionate about the issues Adventure Ashram seeks to address and have lots of experience of working for charities supporting women and children in a variety of different ways, including currently being a trustee at Women's Aid in Luton, which provides emergency refuge for women and children escaping domestic abuse. I am also a lifelong passionate advocate of adventure! I love to travel and have always prioritised it when possible. Adventure highlights for me include hiking around the sky burial sites of western China, teaching English in the Cambodian countryside and taking in the beauty that is Scotland.

Following a trip to South-East Asia I became a trustee of a medical aid charity in Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos for five years. The organisation provided financial grants to grassroots healthcare projects in this region. I therefore have personal experience of how traveling to a new place can inspire people to want to give back to the communities they visit.

For me, adventure is synonymous with personal freedom and having the opportunity to decide your path in life. This is what I find so special about Adventure Ashram, that it seeks to channel the spirit of adventure to help others access freedom. Everyone deserves the chance to enjoy their own adventure, whatever that may be.

I am looking forward to meeting and working with the Adventure Ashram team, supporters, volunteers and staff. Thank you for your ongoing dedication to this wonderful, small but mighty charitable organisation. I am sure the 2022 Adventure Ashram Rally will be a great success.



Siobhan McCarthy-Morton
Adventure Ashram CEO

2022 Fundraising Event

Yoga Stops Traffick, our annual global event.

Every year **Yoga Stops Traffick** brings together thousands of yoga practitioners from around the world to raise funds and awareness for survivors of human trafficking in India.

YST 2022 took place on Saturday, March 12th and over 1000 yogis stepped onto their mats in solidarity with the young survivors at Odanadi. The global event was led by Odanadi residents who performed 108 sun salutations outside the gates of Mysore Palace.

An amazing 130 events signed up to join YST 2022 from 25 countries! It was extra special after nearly 2 years of restrictions to see so many in-person events go ahead, including donation-based yoga classes, sun salutation challenges, charity lunches and even a charity yoga rave!

We'd like to thank everyone that supported this year's campaign! At the time of writing, the last few donations are still being made and tallied up. We look forward to sharing the grand total raised from YST 2022 with you very soon!

www.yogastopstraffick.org



2022 Fundraising Event

A 100 mile two-wheeled challenge.

We're very excited to introduce Adventure Ashram's brilliant **RideLondon-Essex 100** team, Rebecca Smith, Gene Cooke and Simon Johnson!

On Sunday, May 29th 2022, Rebecca, Gene and Simon will join 25,000 cyclists for London's largest annual cycling festival! The course starts and ends in the heart of London with 100 miles of rolling roads through some of Essex's beautiful countryside in between, before crossing the finish line at London's iconic Tower Bridge.

The funds raised by our intrepid and no doubt saddle sore trio of cyclists will help support Adventure Ashram's anti-human trafficking and education projects in India.

We'd like to wish our 2022 RideLondon team the very best of luck for the big day!

www.ridelondon.co.uk



2022 Fundraising Event. Sign Up Today!

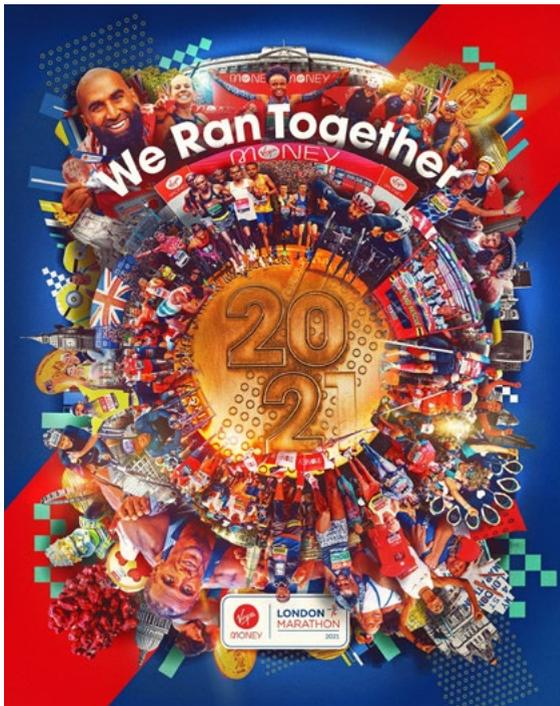
The Virtual London Marathon is BACK this October!

Now's your chance to be a part of the world's biggest marathon event! Please get in touch if you fancy doing something incredible this year and be handed the baton from last years participants, Iain Crockart, Ollie Langston, Josh Russel, Rob Poor and Sascha Tucker.

Over £5,000 was raised by the incredible group, raising vital funds for Adventure Ashram's South Indian projects... **we're delighted to have secured 3 more places for 2022.**

If you're up to the challenge, email info@adventureashram.org to register your interest before the places get snapped up!

The 26.2 miles can be completed anywhere in the UK between 00:00 – 23:59:59 on Sunday 2nd October 2022. You could run or walk the distance in one go, complete 1.1 miles every hour or find 26 friends/family/colleagues to join you for each mile, the choice is yours. And a very clever App they supply tracks your actual progress as if on the official route in London. www.tcslondonmarathon.com



We can support your fundraising ideas!

If you have an idea for a fundraising event... please get in touch.



The Optical Studio OPTICIANS 

Thank you for helping us make a difference!

The Optical Studio opticians and pharmacies are proud to support a small charity called Adventure Ashram in their fight against human trafficking and their support for vulnerable children's access to education and healthcare in India.

With our support Adventure Ashram have helped hundreds of women, children and young people escape human trafficking and find safe spaces and better futures. They are also providing educational opportunities and health checks for over 400 children every year.

By visiting The Optical Studio today you have helped support Adventure Ashram's valuable work.

Please ask a member of staff if you would like to get involved or make a donation.



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We're going back to Thailand! But this time... we're riding on the incredible roads in North Thailand!

Escape and discover Thailand's rich culture, beautiful people, amazing food and incredible roads, including the famous Mae Hong Son Loop. Be prepared to experience 1864 curves in one day. The roads in North Thailand are a true motorcyclist dream. Choose between a V-Strom 650, CBX 500 or even an Africa Twin. You'll also get an opportunity to witness the work of Adventure Ashram's fantastic local community partner, 'Help without Frontiers', supporting those in need.

Help without Frontiers (HWF) provides support along the Thai-Myanmar border to displaced people that find themselves in emergency situations from which they are unable to escape without assistance. Most of them are children and youths, and HWF gives them a chance for a better and brighter future through education, youth empowerment, child protection, health care and community development projects.

Thailand On Road is delivered in partnership with TBB Tours:
www.thailandmotorcycle.tours

Have a chat at the Rally with our Trustee Udesch Naidoo for more details... he'll be riding it with you. He loved the Off-Road version in 2018 so much... he's heading back.



THAILAND ON ROAD!

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Full details in the EVENTS section at:
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Welcome to the 2022 Adventure Ashram UK Rally

After the challenges of the past few years, I cannot put into words just how pleased I am to be introducing you to our 2022 Rally around the Peak District.

I sometimes feel that Derbyshire's Peak District was designed with Adventurers like us in mind. The roads, scenery, facilities and weather in this area provide us with just about everything that an Adventurer could wish for, whether it be a challenging road to travel or a beautiful landscape to rest and relax in whilst considering life in general.

The historic Peak District extends beyond the National Park, which includes major towns, quarries and industrial areas. The National Peak District Park was formed in 1951 and was the first of the national parks in England and Wales.

After travelling the fantastic, and aptly named, Snake Pass, we will arrive at Ladybower Reservoir, where the RAF 617 squadron practised their now famous low-level flights for the Dam Busters bouncing bomb raids in the Ruhr Valley. We will go via the stunning landscape of Winnats Pass on our way to Castleton for lunch (and mingling!). Castleton has a number of beautiful caverns that you can visit if you so wish and numerous places to visit/shop so please spend a bit of time soaking up what the village has to offer.

After lunch we will head through Buxton before moving on to Bakewell, where you really must stop for Afternoon Tea and a piece of famous Bakewell Pudding. We will then go deeper into the Peak District towards Ashbourne, before heading back to Hollin House Hotel. On the way back we will be visiting the Blake Mere Mermaid Pool, where legend has it that a mermaid lives. If you do see a mermaid then please take a selfie or we may not believe you...

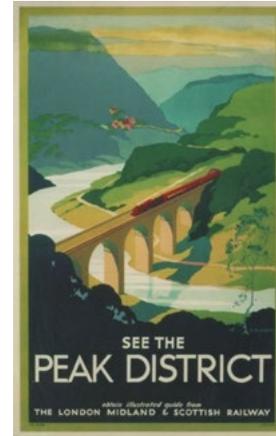
Please take the time to review this Rally Guide, make a note of the start time, check out the route and to catch up with Adventure Ashram's news.

Have a great Rally!



Roy Clark
Adventure Ashram Trustee

NB: The pop-up **Rally Shop** will be open for business selling a selection of merchandise in our shop throughout the weekend. And can take cards as well as cash!



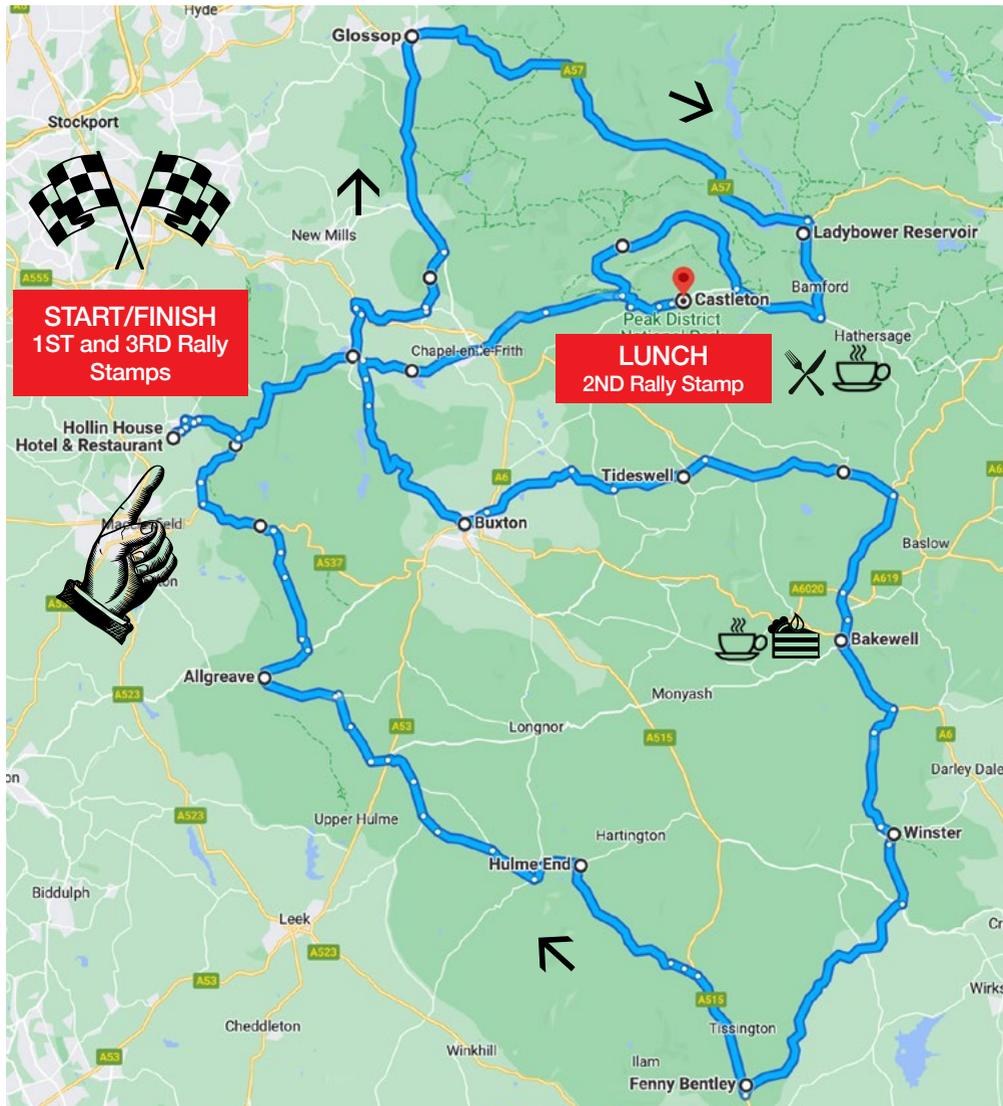
Here's our 129* mile route. We're going clockwise.

*Assuming you don't miss a junction, get lost, take a detour or a shortcut...



*Our 2022 Rally Patches...

The patches were kindly produced and donated by our wonderful supporter Veena Dookoo before the Covid 19 pandemic lockdowns began in the UK in 2020. So whilst they show the incorrect year they should provide a reminder to us all of our various journeys to arrive here in the beautiful Peak District.



The Rally route

Here is a map of an overview of the 2022 route. On the following pages you'll find detailed maps, directions, close-ups of some turns which might be tricky, key stop and take photograph points and suggested stopping off points for refreshments.

Rally Stamps

On the inside front cover are the boxes to collect your **Official Rally Stamps**. You'll need all 3 stamped to ensure you receive your commemorative 2022* embroidered patch at the end of the rally.

Fuel

It is recommended that everyone starts fuelled up. There are petrol stations along the route, a few are marked on the maps.

Finally, we hope that you all have a great day, enjoy all that the route provides, the wonderful roads through beautiful countryside and keep smiling all along the way.

Please ride and drive safely and remember that this is a rally and not a race.

Rally Timings:

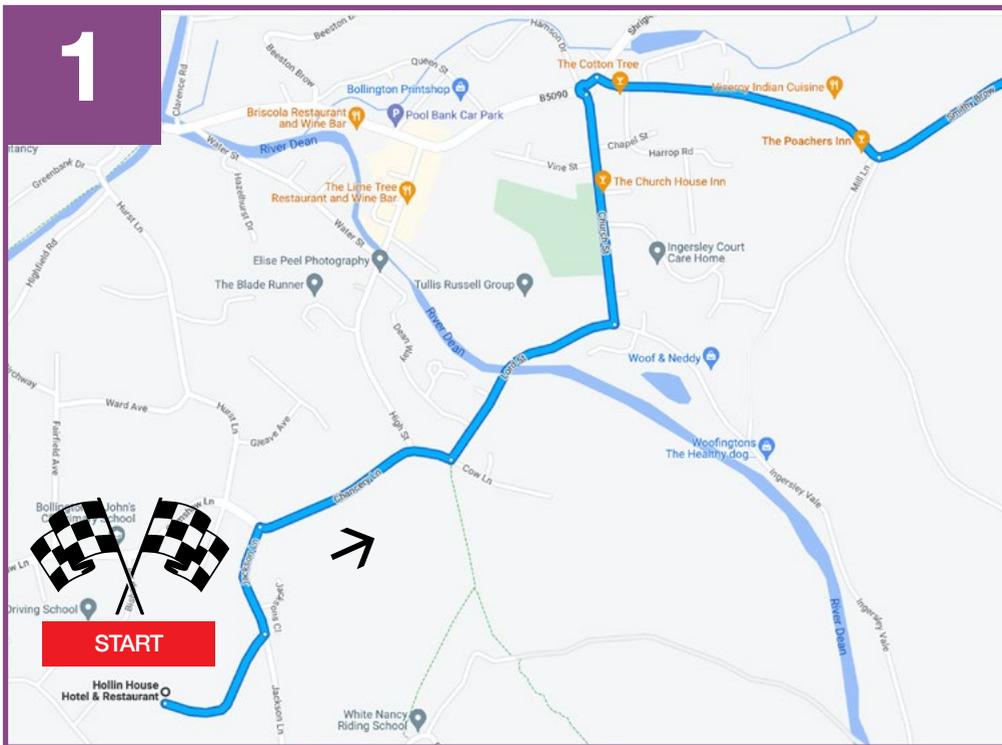
- 7.00am** Breakfast is served.
- 8.45am** Please gather outside for the Rally briefing and group photograph.
- 9.00am** The Rally sets off!
- 5pm** Rally drinks reception.
- 7pm** Sit down for our Rally dinner.

Ps. Don't worry, breakfast is served later on Sunday, so we all can have a little bit of a sleep in!

Funds raised from this year's Rally will be divided between our projects in South India to support the education of tribal children in the Mudumalai Tiger Reserve, Tamil Nadu and the support and rehabilitation of survivors of human trafficking in Mysore, Karnataka.

If you have friends or family who are not able to join us this year please ask them to email info@adventureashram.org, and ask to be added to our mailing list so we can send them details of next year's Rally.

Start your engines!



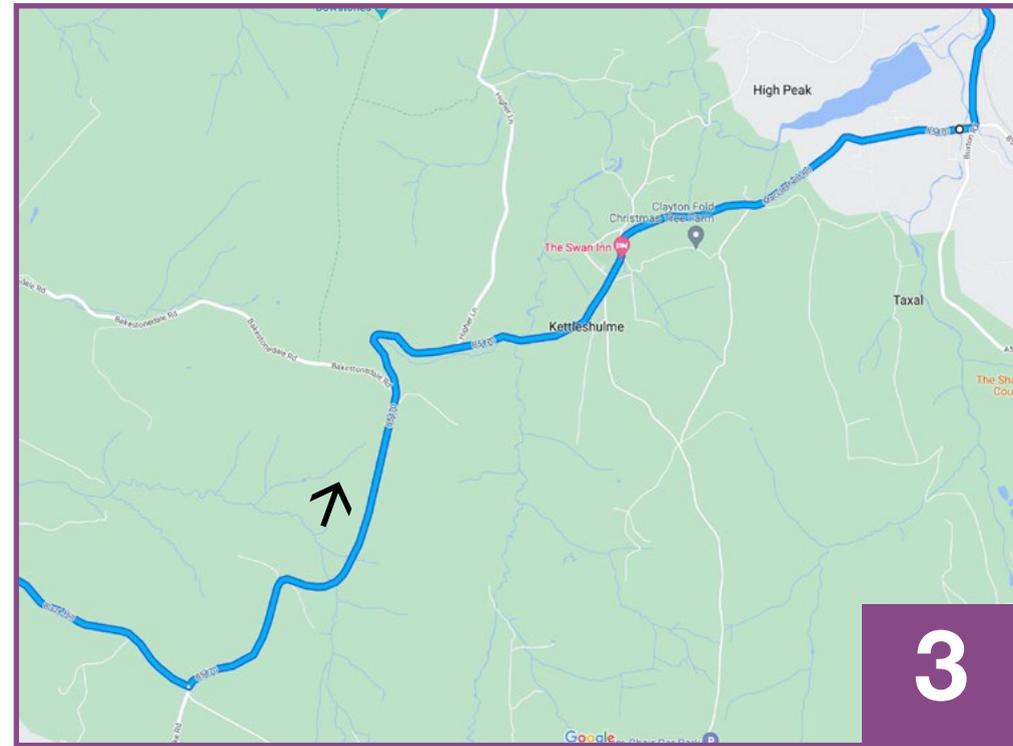
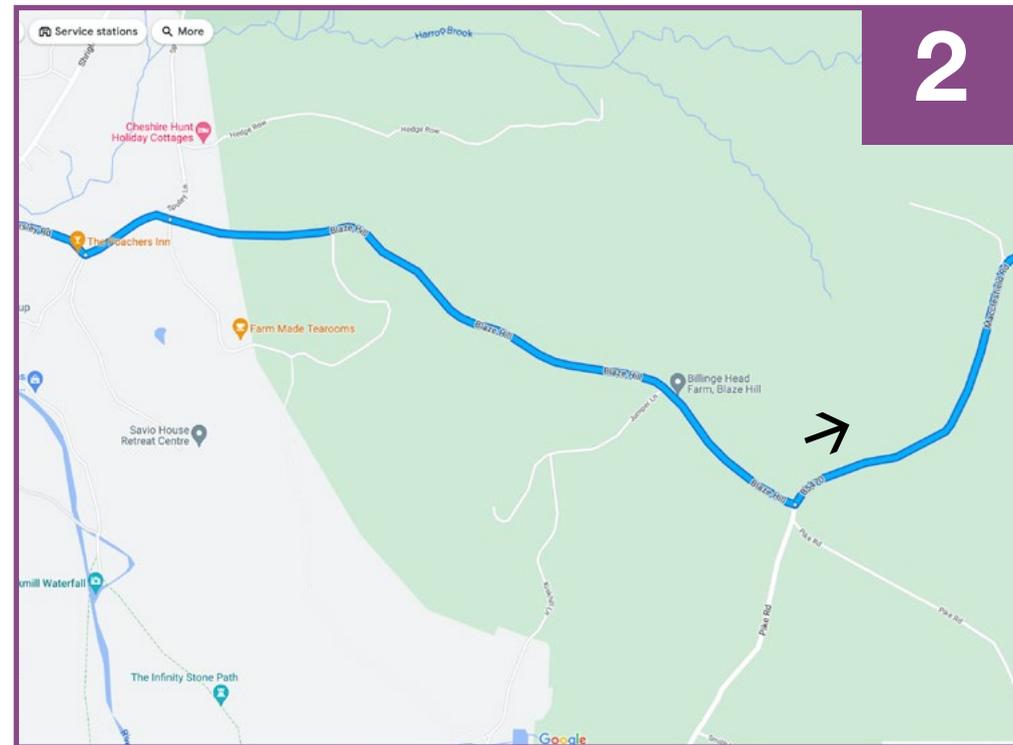
START TIME:
 8.45am Gather at vehicles
 9.00am Depart

**Don't forget to collect
 your Rally Stamp No.1
 on the inside front cover.**

Map 1
 Turn left out of Hollin House Hotel
 Take first right onto Chancery Lane
 Turn left onto Lord Street
 Take next left onto Church Street
 At roundabout take 3rd exit onto Shrigley Road and then
 right onto Ingersley Rd

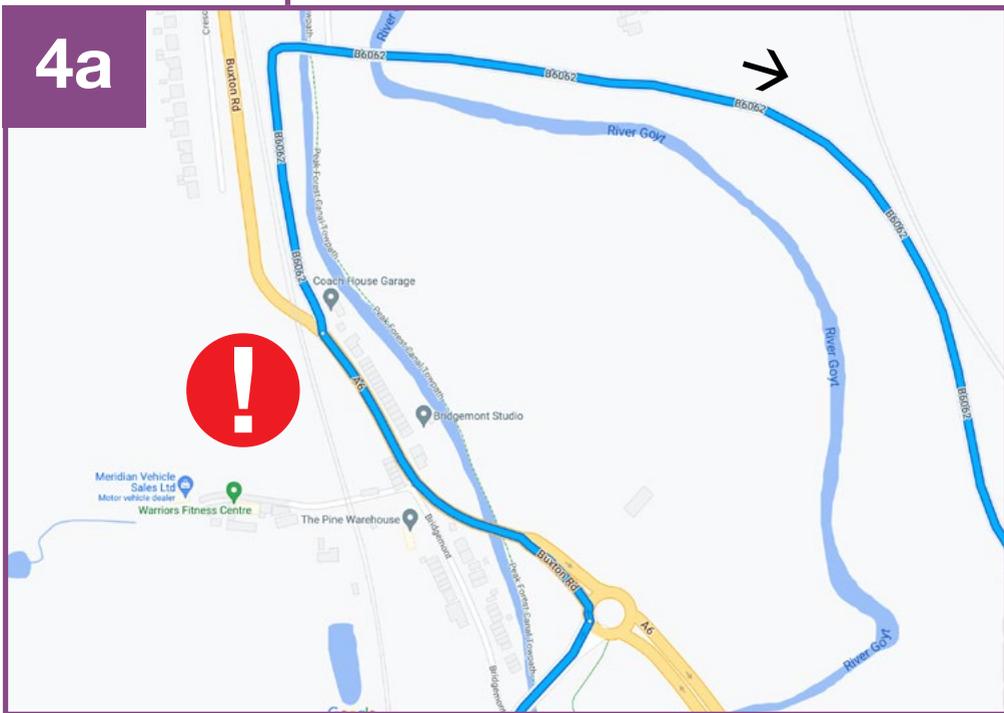
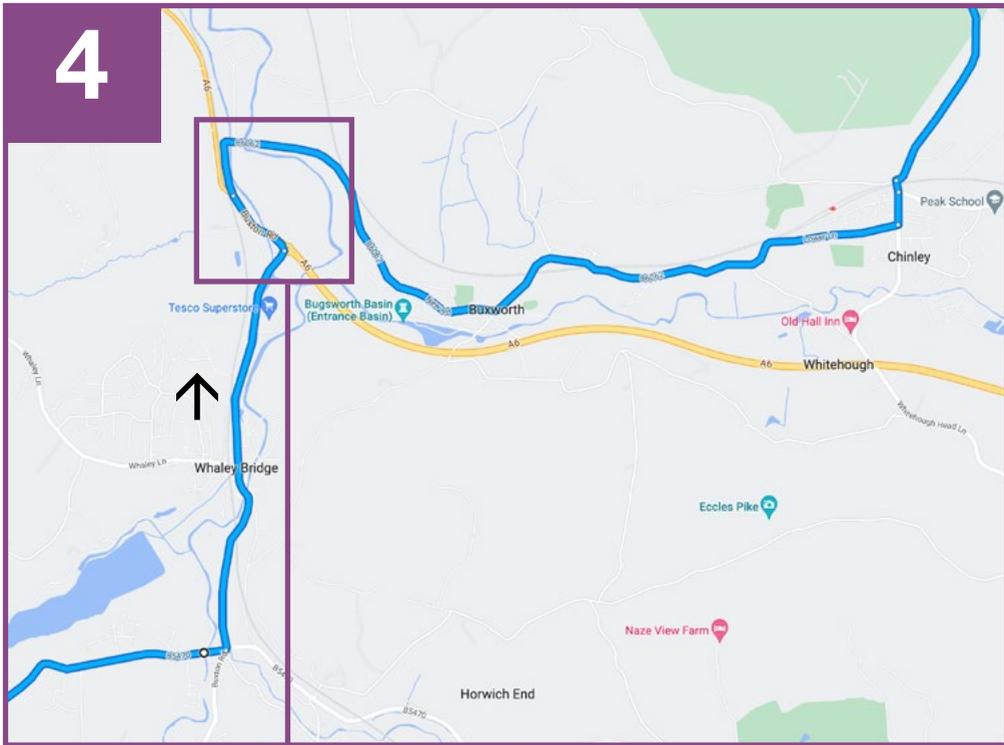
Map 2
 At T-junction turn left onto Macclesfield Rd/B5470

Map 3
 Follow B4570 and then turn left onto Buxton Rd/A5004



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Map 4/4a

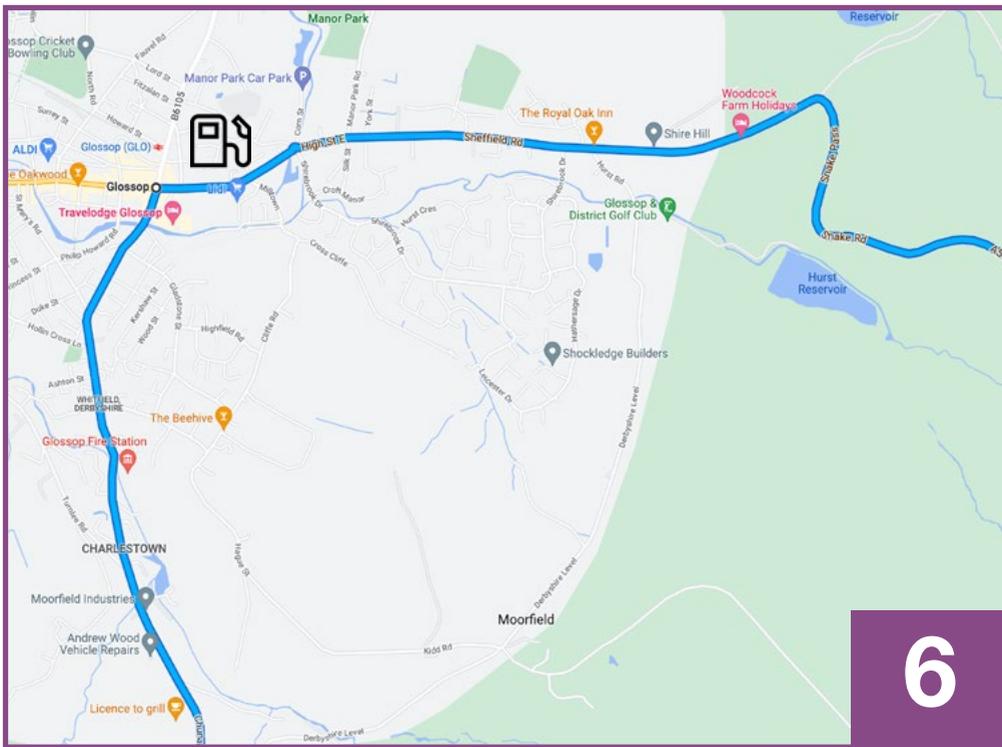
At roundabout take 1st exit onto Buxton Rd/A6

CRUCIAL JUNCTION - Just before bridge, turn right (at fork) onto B6062

Map 5

Follow B6062 and at-junction turn right onto Maynestone Rd

Turn left onto Chapel Rd/A624



Map 6

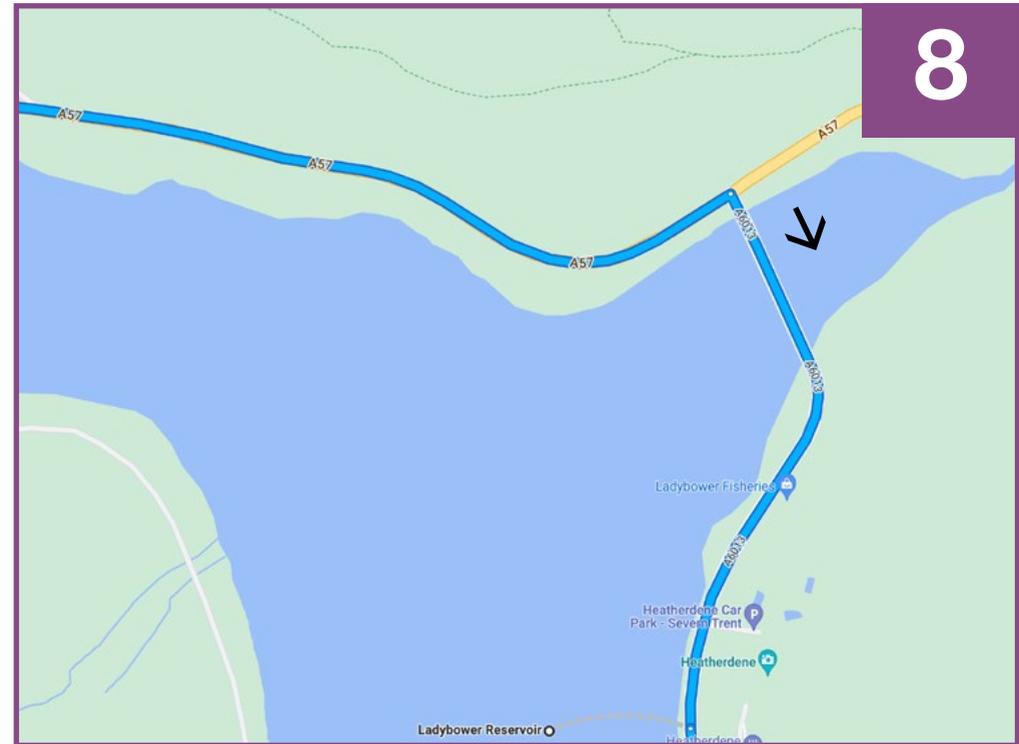
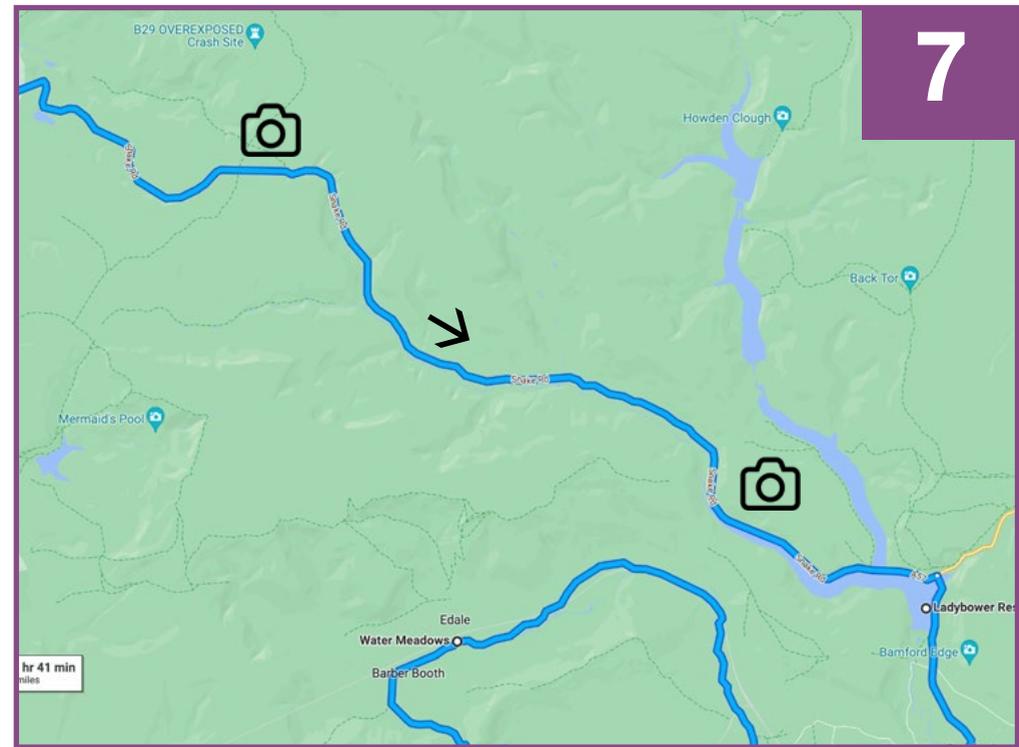
Follow A624 for 6 miles
 At traffic lights in Glossop, turn right on High St/A57
 Go straight on at roundabout
 Continue on A57/Snake Pass

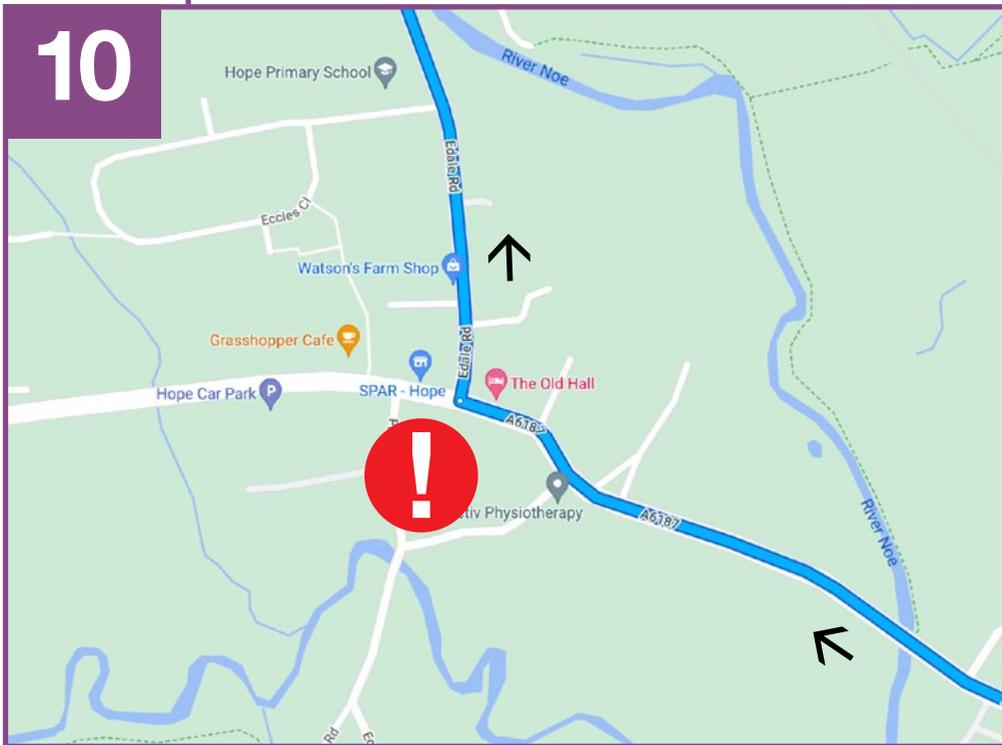
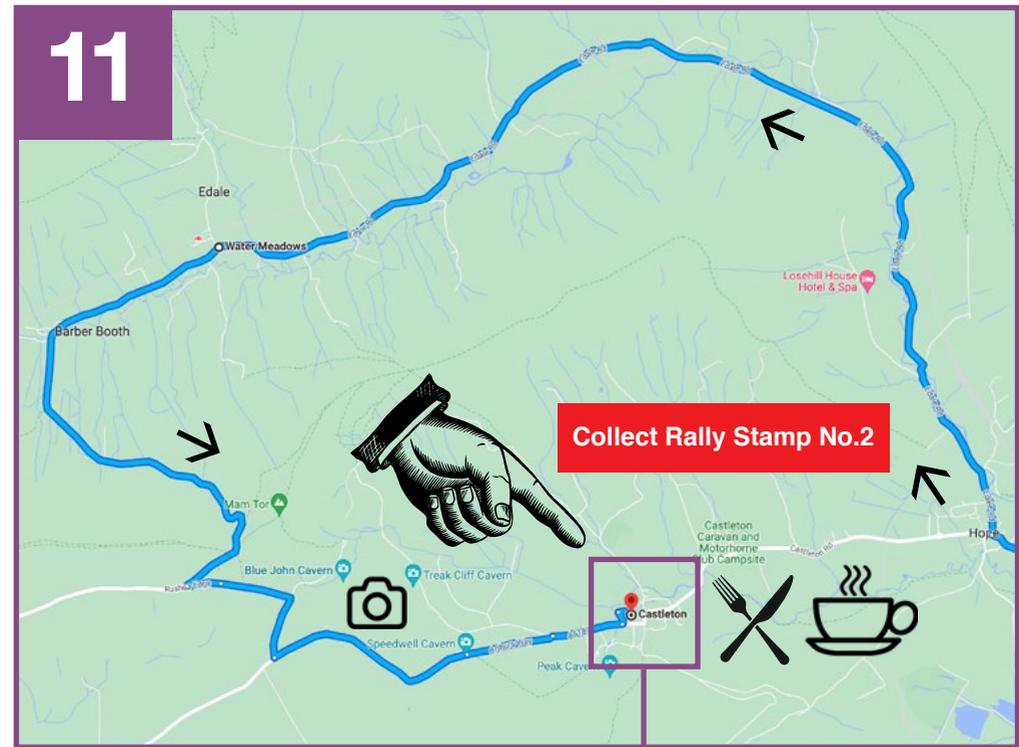
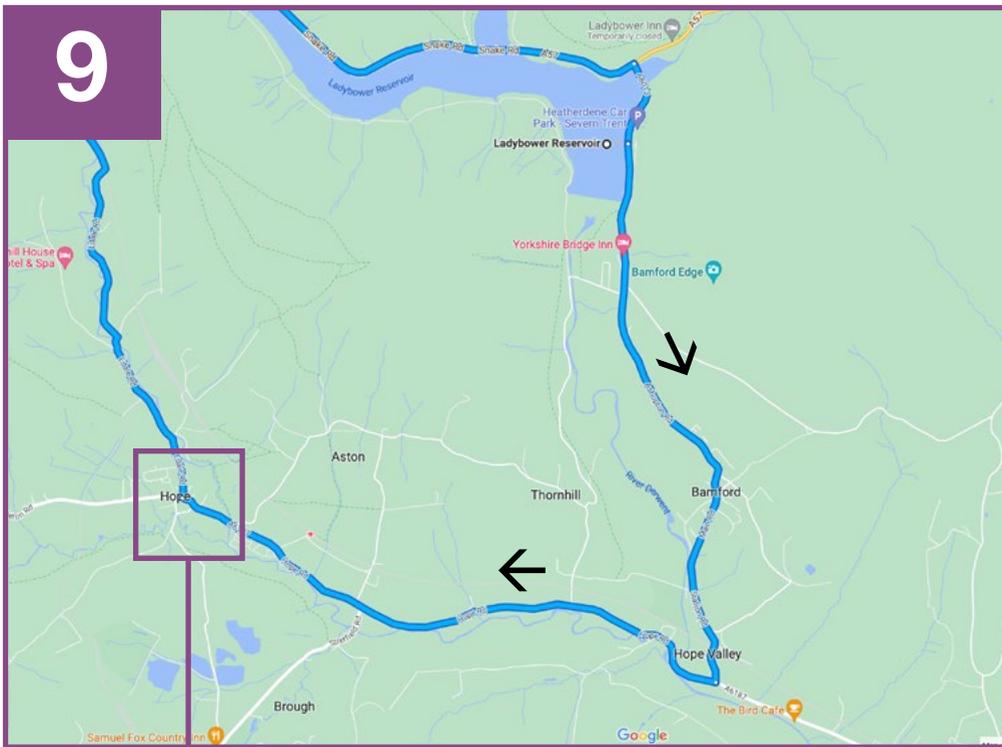
Map 7

Follow Snake Pass for 13.7 miles - Enjoy the views!

Map 8

At Ladybower Reservoir, turn right onto Ashopton Rd/A6013



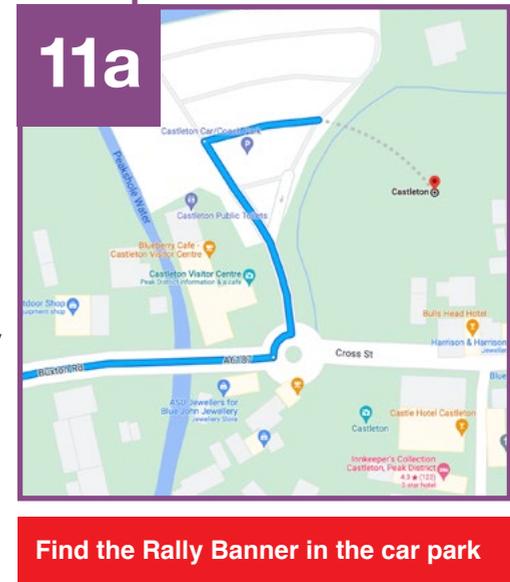


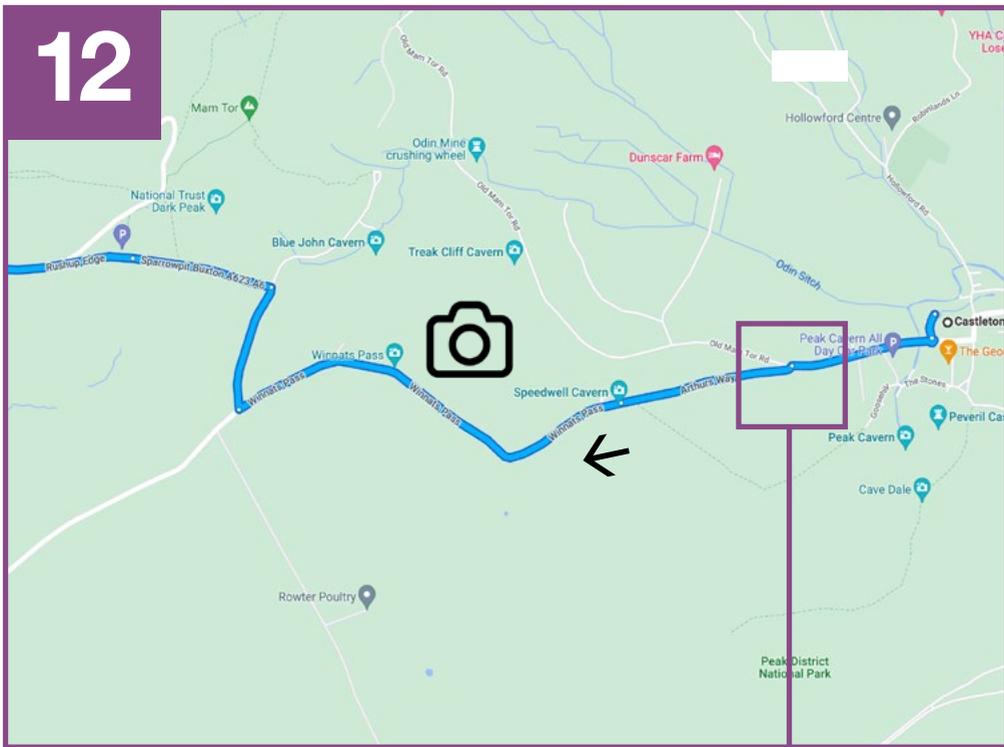
Map 9
Follow A6013 past Bamford train station
Turn right onto Hathersage Road/A6187

Map 10
Continue on A6187/Hope Rd
CRUCIAL JUNCTION - By church, turn right onto Edale Rd (signposted Edale)

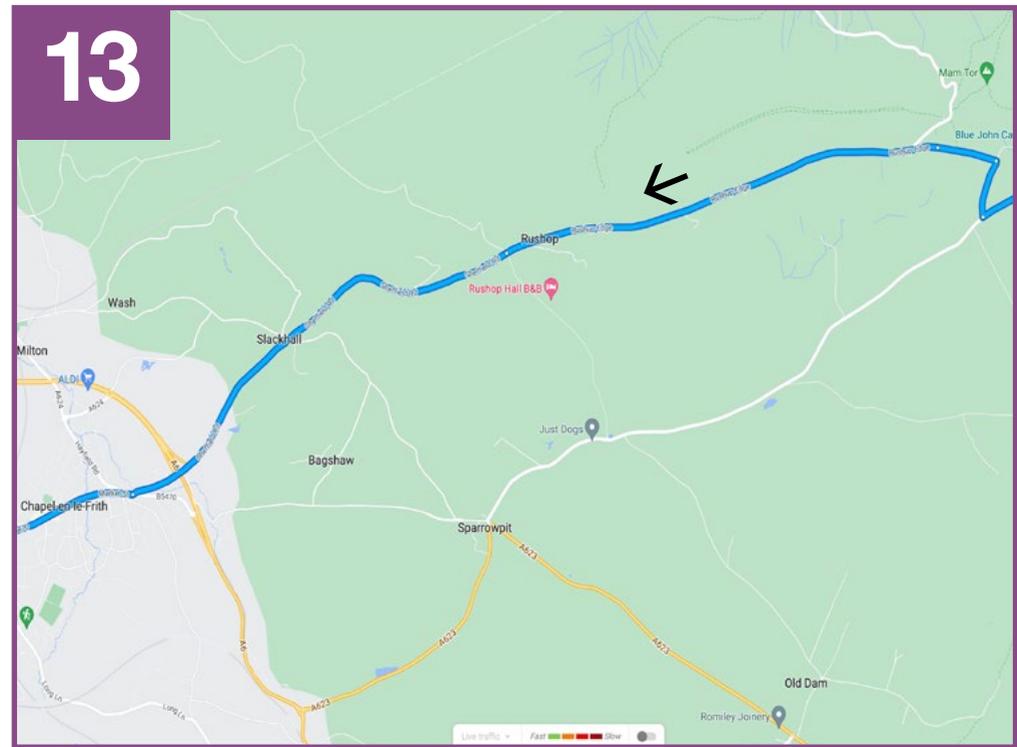
Map 11
Follow Edale Rd
At T-junction, take sharp left onto Rushup Edge/A623.A6
Continue past Blue John Cavern
Turn left onto Winnats Pass (signposted Castleton Caves)
Continue past Speedwell Cavern
At T junction turn right onto Buxton Rd/A6187

Map 11a
At roundabout in Castleton, turn left into car park
Enjoy your lunch and feel free to visit the shops/visitor centre
REMEMBER to get your 2nd Rally Stamp!



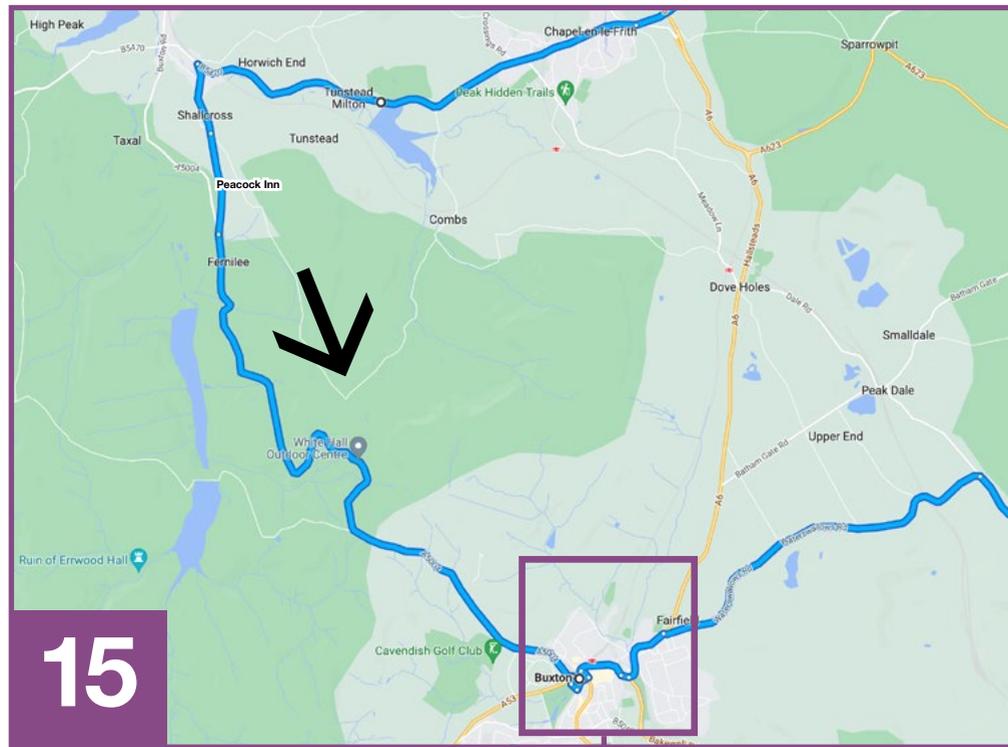
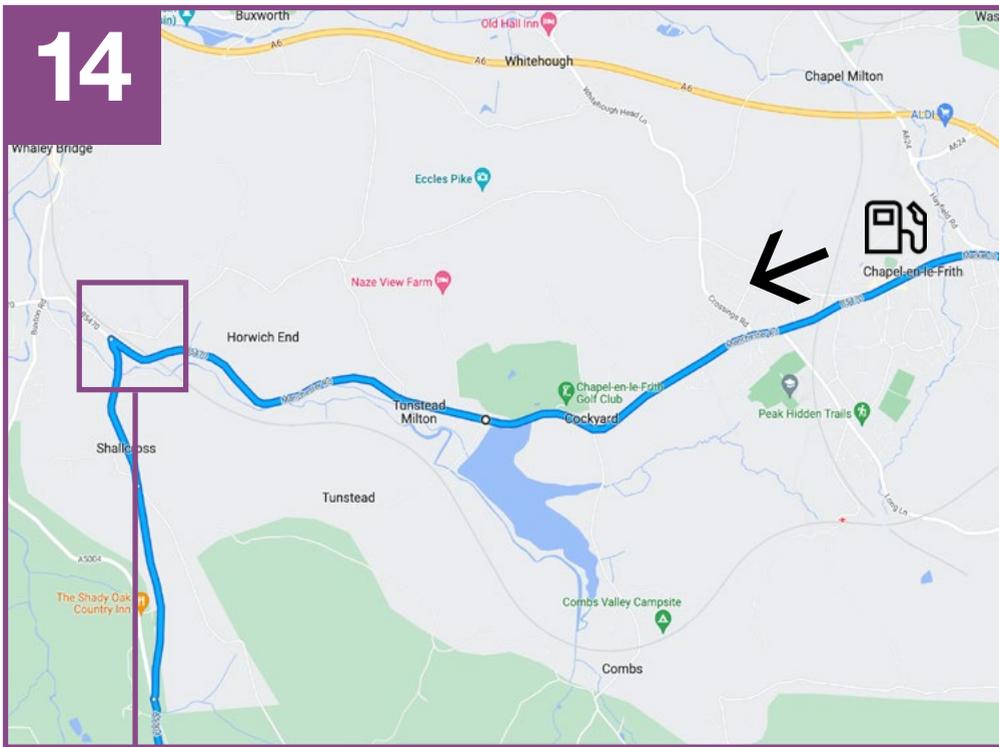


Map 12/12a
 Turn right out of the car park
 Turn left onto Arthurs Way
 Continue back past Winnats Pass
 Take 1st right back towards
 Rushup Edge A623.A6

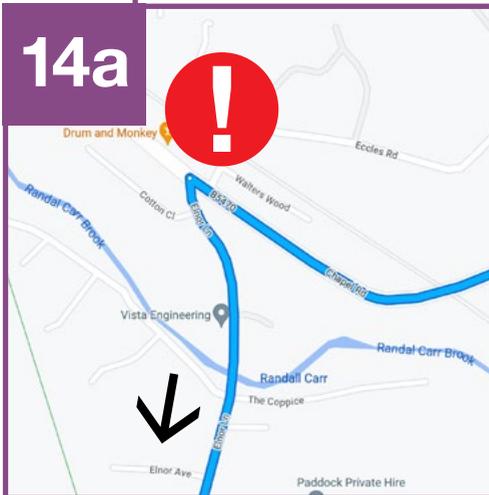


Map 13
 Continue toward Chapel-En-Le-Firth (under the A6)
 At T junction turn right on Market St/B5470

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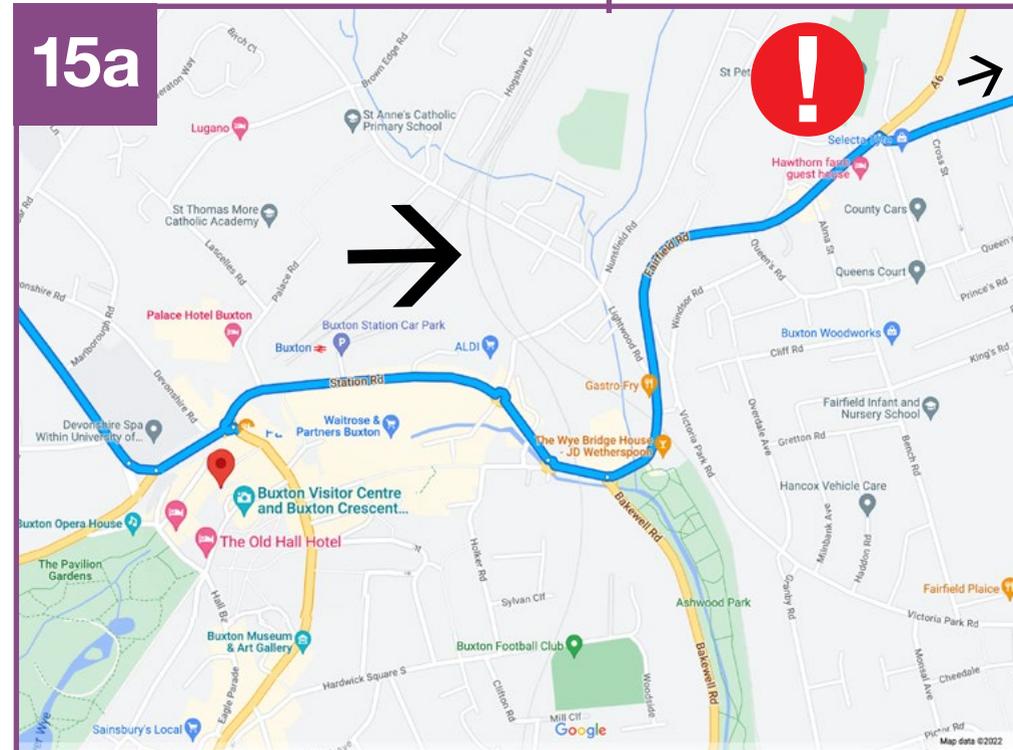
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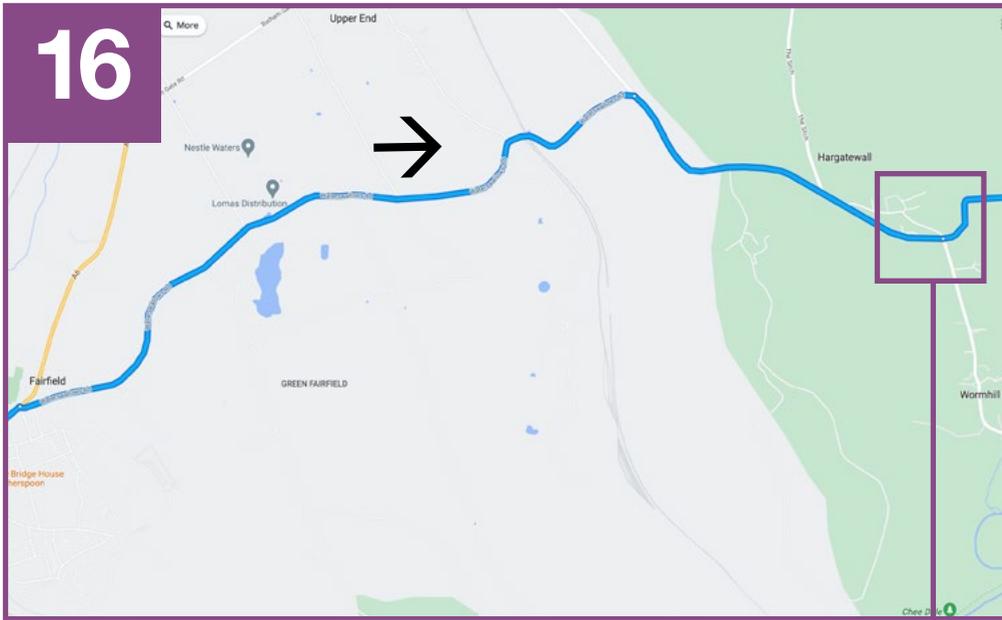


Map 14/14a
Continue on B4570 for 3.3 miles
CRUCIAL JUNCTION - Turn left on Elnor Ln

Map 15/15a
Turn left onto Long Hill/A5004
Continue on A5004 and follow road to the left into Buxton/A53
At roundabout take 1st exit onto Station Rd (past Palace Hotel)
Follow A53 over next two roundabouts and join A6/Fairfield Road
CRUCIAL JUNCTION - Turn right onto Waterswallows Rd (by speed camera/tyre garage)

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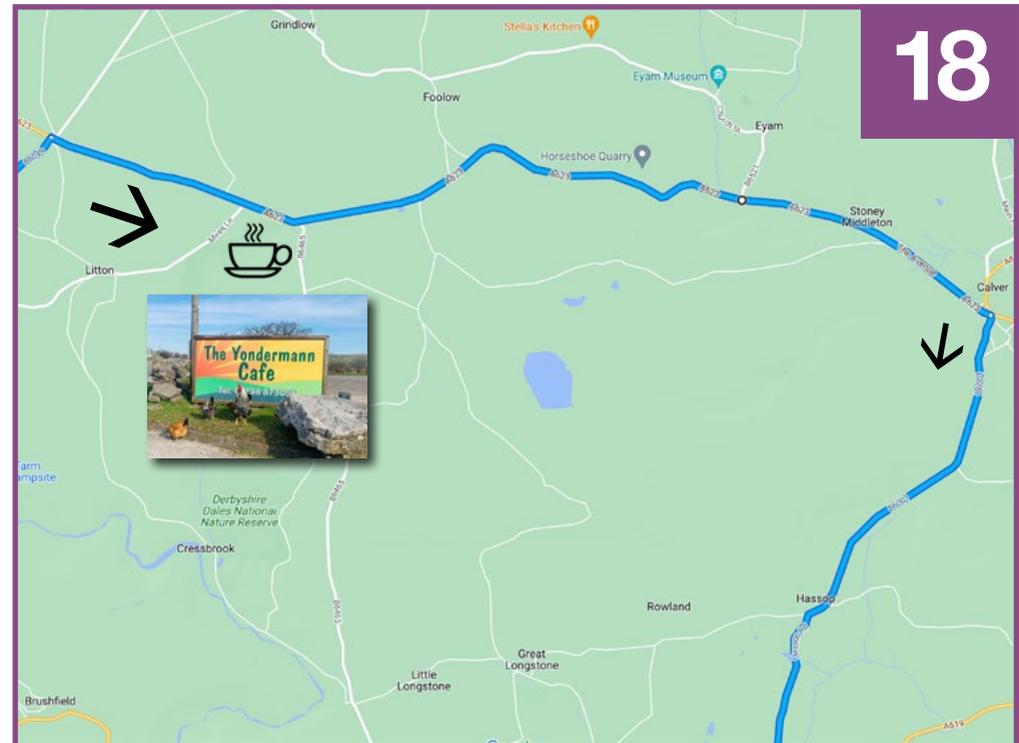
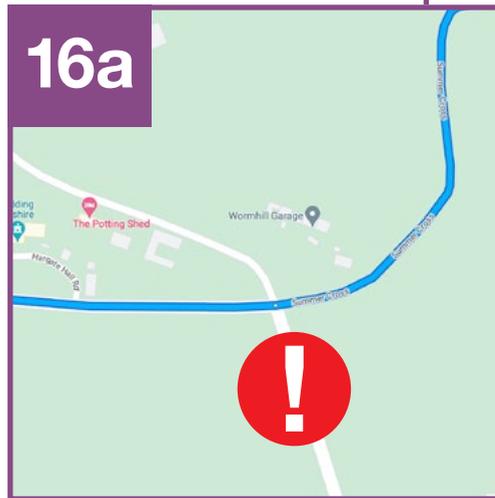


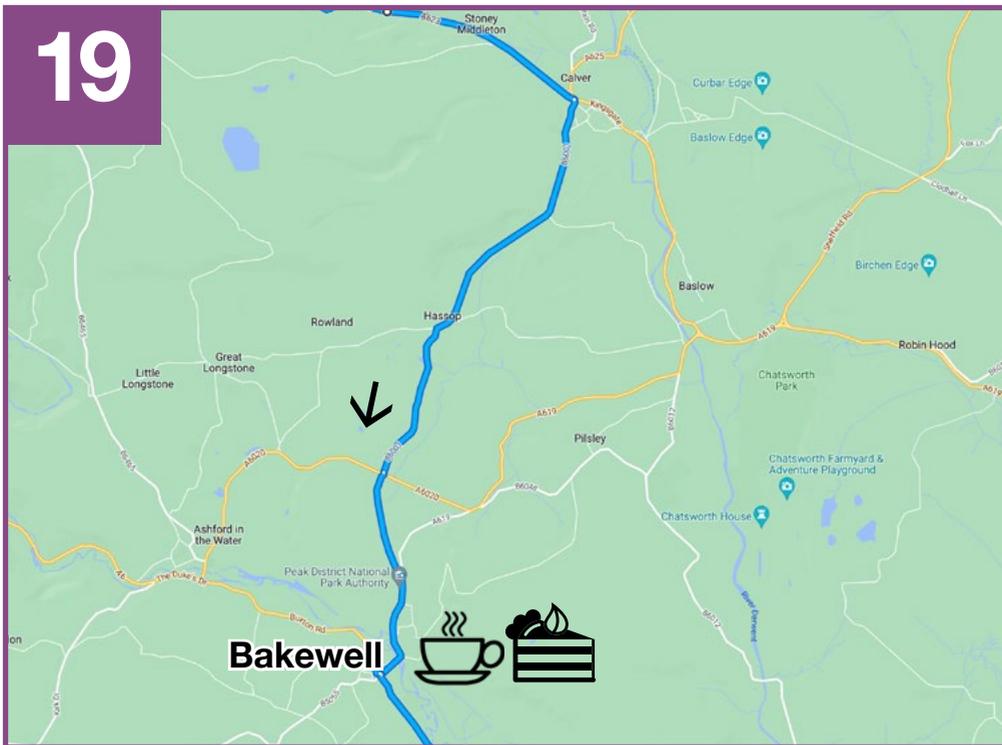


Map 16/16a
Continue on Waterswallows Rd
CRUCIAL JUNCTION - After 4 miles,
continue straight onto Summer Cross (do NOT
follow road to the right)

Map 17
Turn left at T-junction and then 1st right
on Parke Rd
Turn left onto High St/B6049

Map 18
Turn right at T-junction onto A623
Follow A623 for 5.4 miles

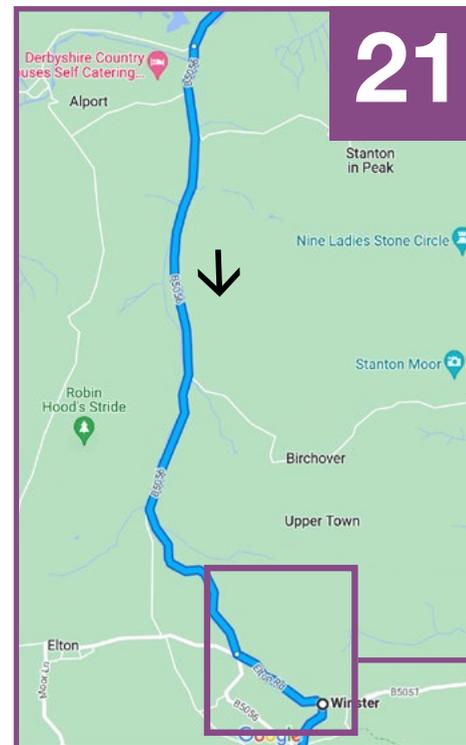
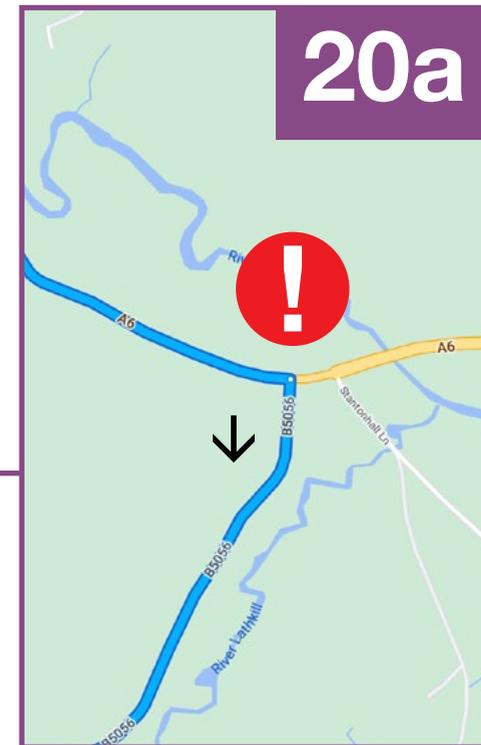


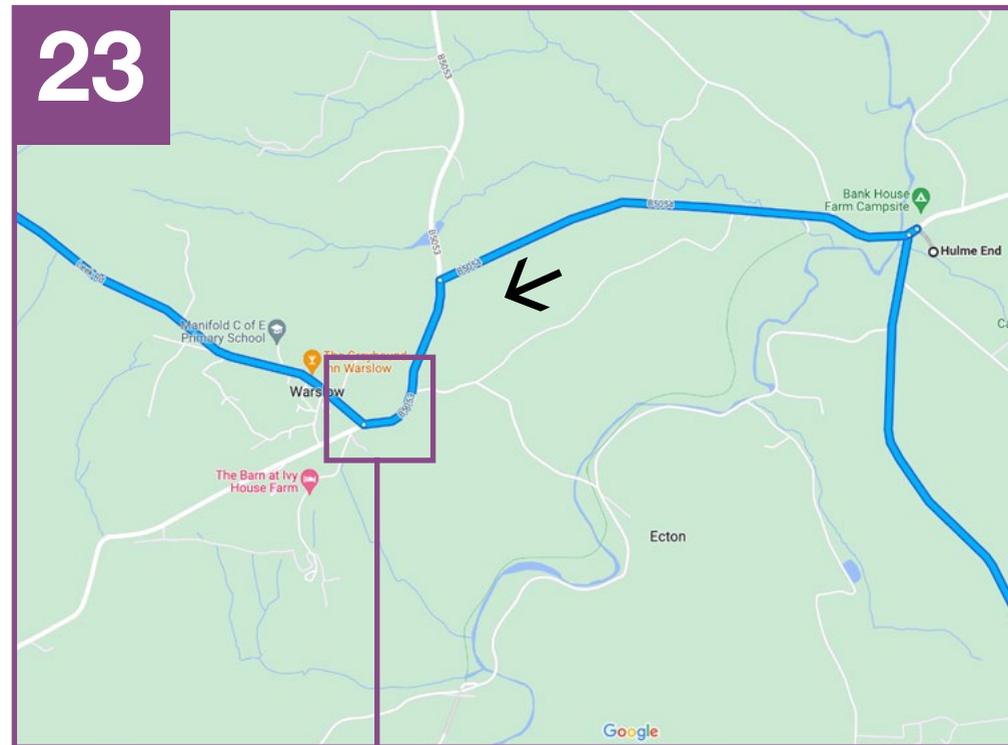
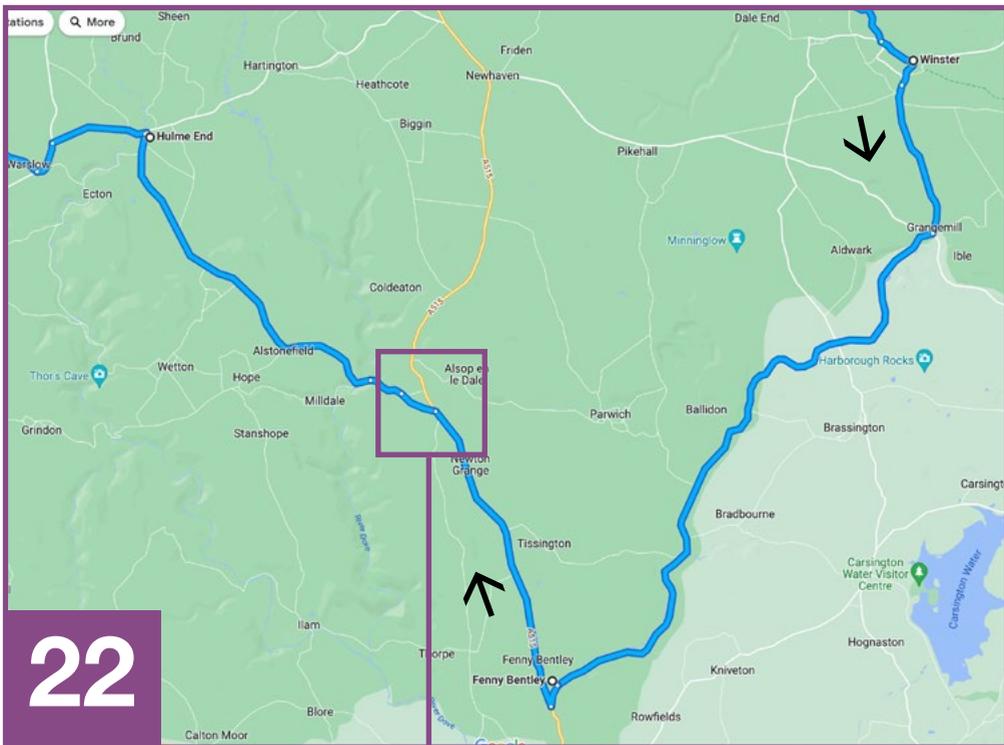


Map 19
 At traffic lights, turn right onto Hassop Rd/B6001
 Follow Hassop Rd/B6001
 At T-junction turn right onto Baslow Rd/A619
 Follow A619 into Bakewell
 Enjoy Bakewell and eat some Bakewell Pudding!

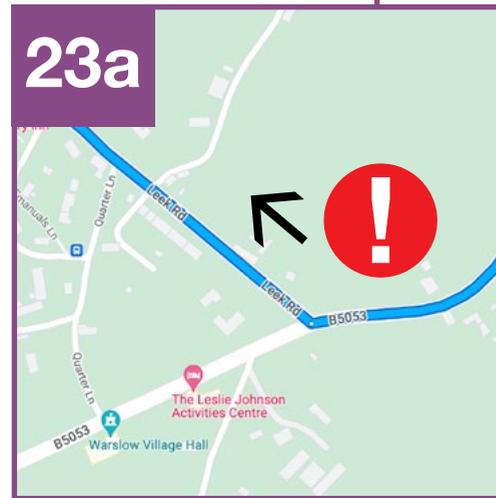
Map 20/20a
 Follow Haddon Rd/A619 out of Bakewell
CRUCIAL JUNCTION - Turn right onto B5056

Map 21/21a
 Follow B5056 for 3.6 miles
CRUCIAL JUNCTION - Turn left onto Elton Road/B5057 (signposted Winster)
 Turn right after church in Winster onto W Bank
 Turn left on E Bank
 Turn left on B5056



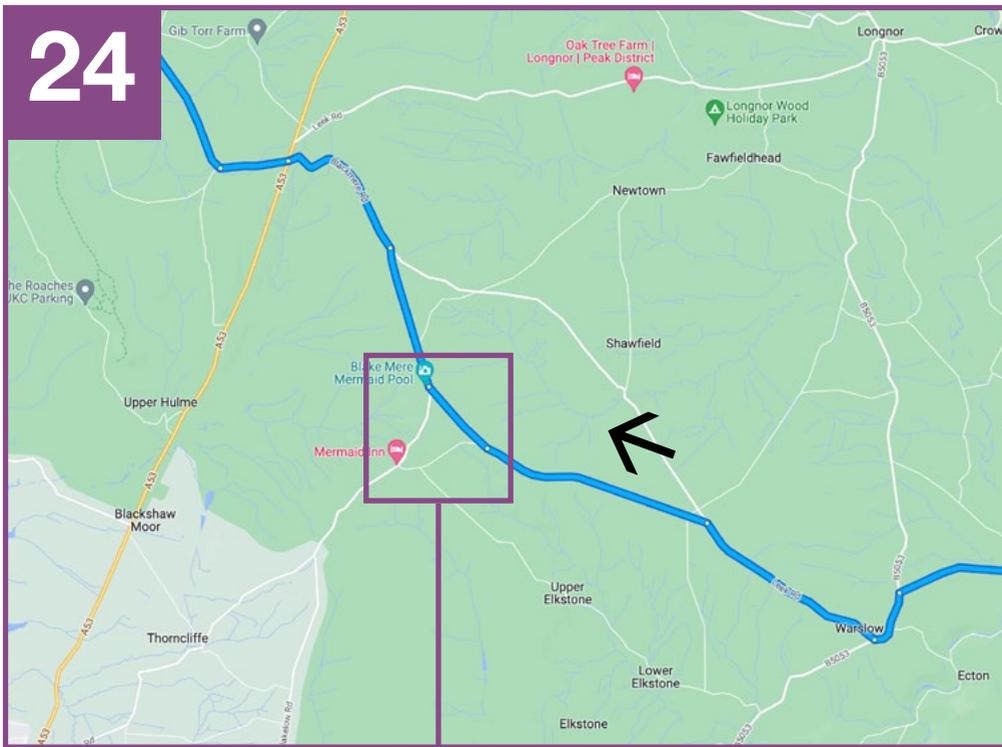


Map 22/22a
 At A5012 continue on B5056
 (over crossroads)
 Follow B5056 for 9.2 miles
 Turn sharp right onto A515 (signposted Buxton)
CRUCIAL JUNCTION - Turn left onto
 Green Lane

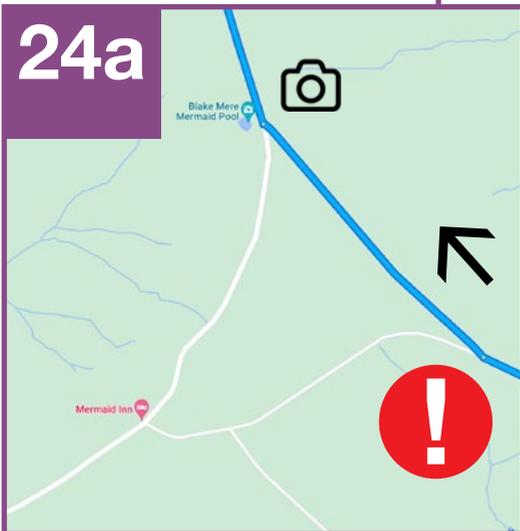


Map 23/23a
 Continue onto The Pinch/Lode Ln
 At T-junction turn left onto B5054
 (signposted Warslow)
 At T-junction turn left onto B5053
 (signposted Warslow)
CRUCIAL JUNCTION - In Warslow, turn
 right onto Leek Rd (signposted Newtown)

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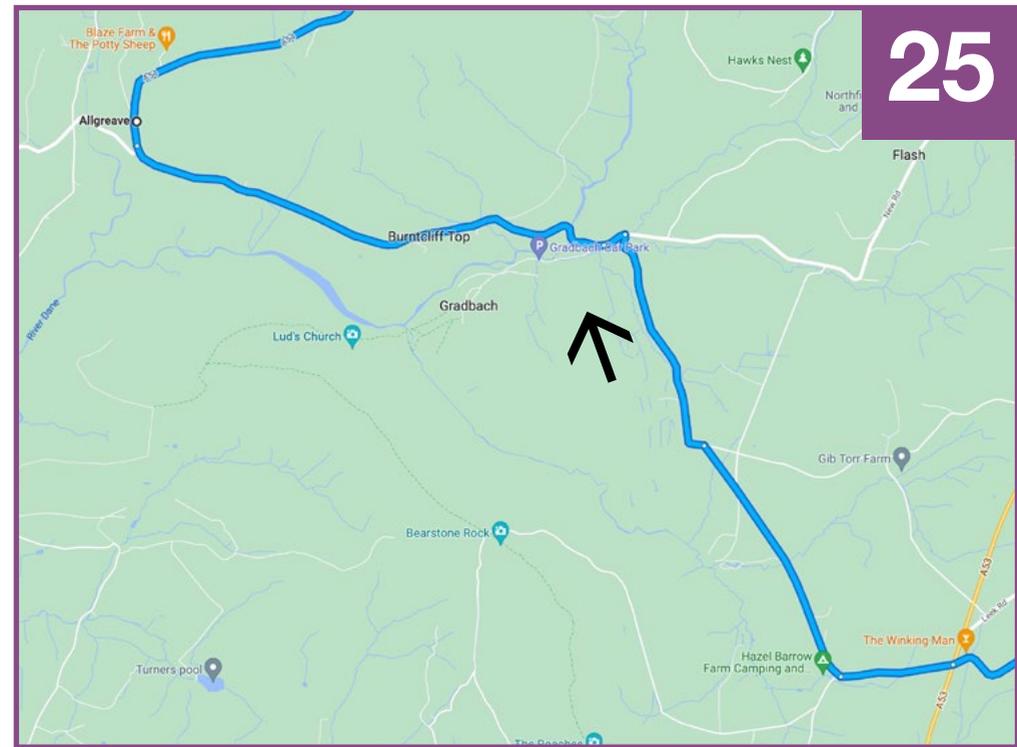
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Map 24/24a

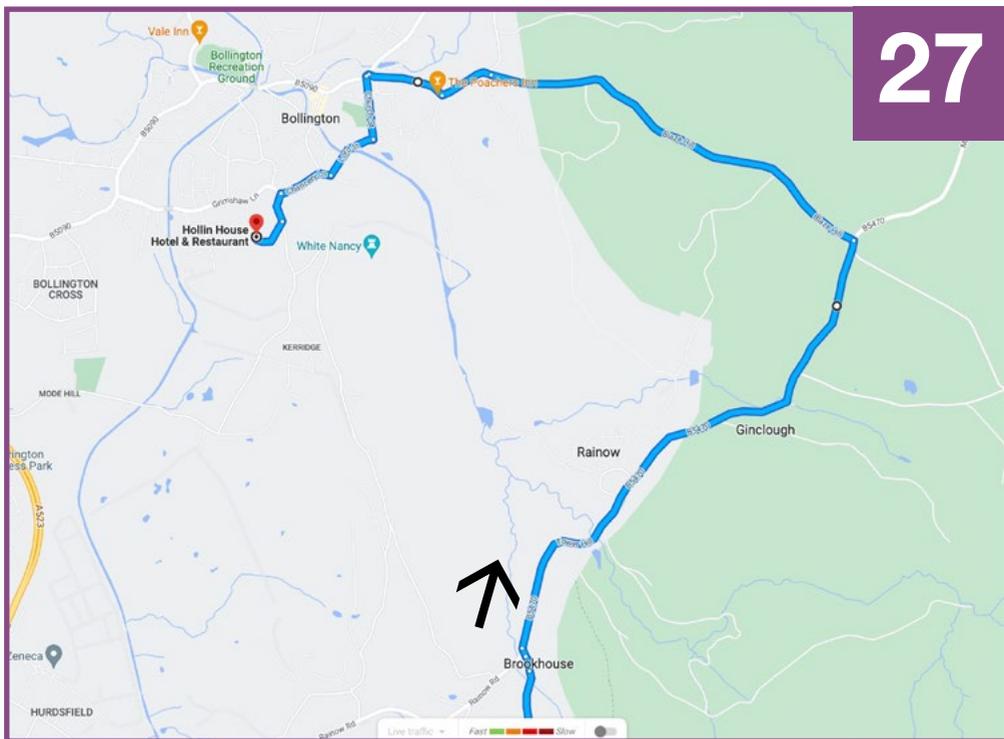
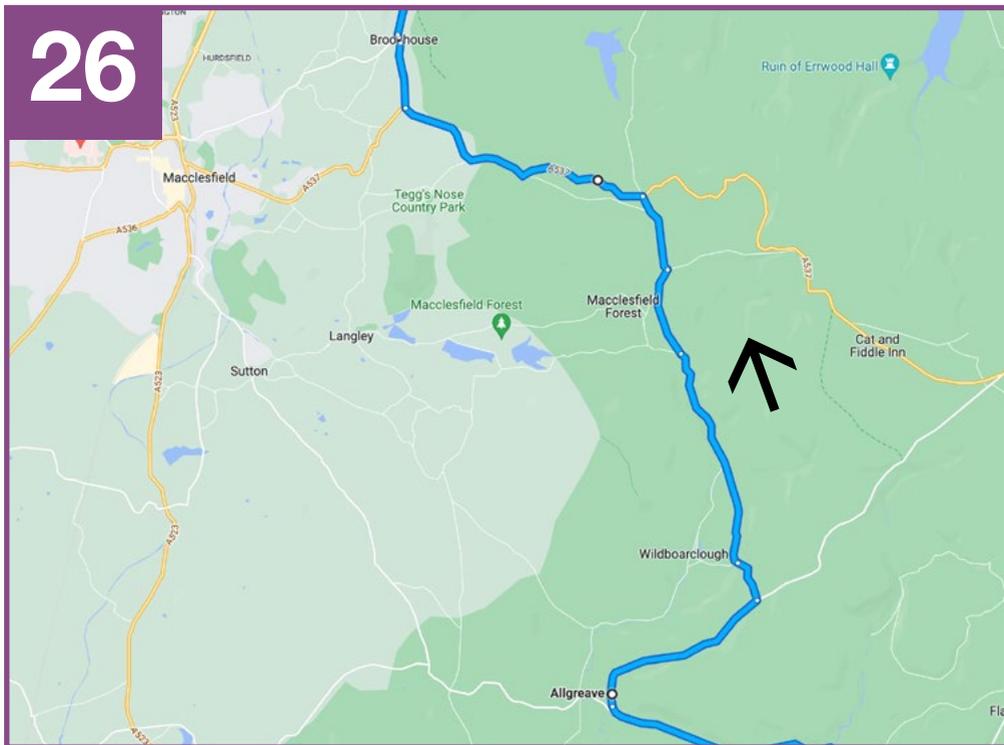
CRUCIAL JUNCTION – at T-junction,
turn right
Don't forget to stop and have a look at the
Blake Mere Mermaid Pool
Continue onto Blackmere Rd

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Map 25

At A53 continue straight onto Hazel Barrow Ln (over crossroads)
Continue onto Newstone Brg/The Moss
At T-junction, turn left towards Love Ln
Continue onto Love Ln
At T-junction, turn right on A54



Map 26

Follow A54 for 1.6 miles and then turn left (signposted Wildboardclough)
 Turn 1st right (signposted Macc Forest)
 Continue onto Clough Rd
 At T-junction, turn left onto Ankers Ln
 Turn left onto Buxton New Rd/A537
 Turn right on Bull Hill Ln (signposted Rainow)

Map 27

At T-junction turn right onto Hawkins Ln/B5470
 Turn left onto Blaze Hill

Map 28

Continue onto Smithy Brow/Ingersley Rd
 At roundabout take 1st exit onto Church St/Lord St
 Continue onto Chancery Ln
 Turn left onto Jackson Lane
 Turn right into Hollin House Hotel – **AND YOU'VE CROSSED THE FINISH LINE!**



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See you in the bar...

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Lot 1

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A night's stay for two in one of Champneys elegant Manor Luxe rooms, inclusive of dinner, breakfast and full spa access. Kickback and unwind within the idyllic countryside surrounds at Champneys Eastwell Manor in Kent.

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Lot 2

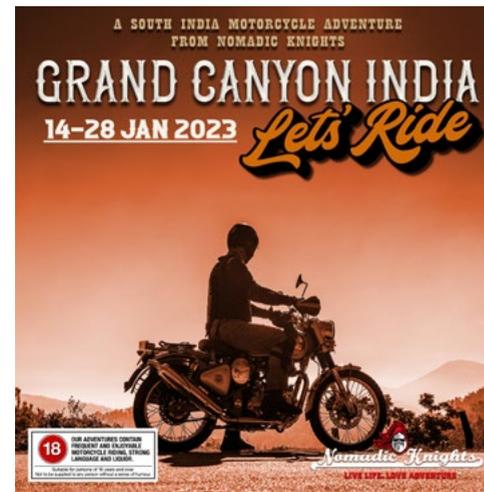
A days trail riding in Wales with world renowned RTW adventure motorcyclist Steph Jeavons and Moto Junkies and a signed copy of her amazing book 'Home By Seven'.

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Motorcycle hire is included. Voucher must be redeemed by Tuesday 28 Feb 2023.

Starting bid: £200

www.motojunkies.co.uk



Lot 3

Win a place on Nomadic Knights Grand Canyon India Motorcycle Adventure... and ride a VERY, VERY special Bullet! 14-28 January 2023.

The winner will be riding No.56 of the 'Tribute Black - Made to Order - End of Build Specials. One of the very last 500cc Royal Enfield Bullets. Existing riders already booked on this adventure can also bid and if the bid is successful, you simply pay Adventure Ashram as opposed to Nomadic Knights, best of luck and happy bidding.

This is an incredible adventure of a lifetime through South India! Experience the Grand Canyon of India, spend a night on a private island in the Arabian Sea and traverse the stunning Western Ghats mountain range Deccan Plateau. It is simply an amazing place to ride a motorcycle. Full details on the Nomadic Knights website.

Starting bid: £2500

www.nomadicknights.com

Flights are not included. Payment for this lot will not be required until participation on the trip is confirmed.



Lot 4

A Chelsea Home Match at Stamford Bridge in London with hilarious company and refreshments.

Join ardent Chelsea supporter and season ticket holder Tony Smith at a Chelsea Cup or Premiership home match plus a helping of traditional match day food and beer!

What happens on the pitch cannot be guaranteed but the experience will be a cracker.

Brilliant seats on the second row of the Matthew Harding Upper Stand.

Starting bid: £50

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Lot 5

A pair of handmade, made to measure leather boots from &Sons Trading Co. &Sons create timeless garments for the modern man, designed by & for crafts people, artisan makers & creative pioneers in their chosen fields of endeavour.

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Lot 6

Artisan Embroidery by Alison Fitzgerald.

Alison is an embroiderer extraordinaire and member of the rather infamous, creative and wonderfully potty mouthed Profanity Embroidery Group (PEG). Kathy Burke once described them on her Channel 4 series *All Woman* as the 'Punk version of the *Women's Institute*'. Alison has created a unique design to commemorate the Adventure Ashram 2022 Rally!

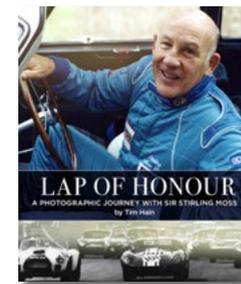
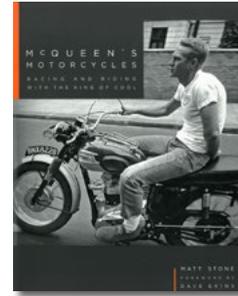
This work of appliqué, machine and hand embroidery measures 27x27cm... small enough to take home in a top box.

Alison also created Adventure Ashram's very well travelled Rally Flag!

Starting bid: £75

www.pegwhitstable.co.uk

Are you feeling lucky? Grab some raffle tickets to find out!



McQueen's Motorcycles

A book detailing king of cool Steve McQueen's racing and riding .

Donated by Johnny Ring Photography

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Secret Pillow – a pillow that unfolds into a blanket

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M Life Linen Yoga Mat

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Prize for the winner of 'Heads & Tails'

Champagne kindly donated by Johnny & Margaret Ring

And finally a massive **THANK YOU!**

Without the dedicated, energy, effort and support from so many, the Rally wouldn't be such an amazing event! Thank you for the difference you have made through giving your time, funds, expertise and gifts in kind. You are all amazing.

In no particular order, we say a huge thank you to:

Mark Edwards for yet one more time being the Rally's platinum sponsor, providing the funds for the Rally dinner and other associated Rally costs

Iain Laws for sponsoring the Rally drinks reception

Joss Durham - Landscape Artisan Ltd for sponsoring the table water at the Rally dinner

Vicky and Peter Romankiw of Tyres Galore for sponsoring the Rally trophies

John Crockart for sponsoring the Rally after-dinner chocolates

James Ellery and Image Factory for producing and donating the Rally plates, stickers and banners and hand delivering them to us

Veena Dooko of Rocket Charities for producing the Rally t-shirts and donating the commemorative cloth patches

Roy Clark for leading the organisation of the Rally on behalf of the Adventure Ashram Trustees and for pulling together a great route

Margaret Ring and Chloe Tucker for assisting Roy!

Iain Crockart for designing and printing the Rally guides

Mark Tucker for his photography throughout the Rally

Ollie Langston for being our ice-breaker host and auctioneer at the Rally dinner

We also say a heartfelt thank you to our merry band of volunteers who are helping out 'on the day': **Kim Spencer, Fritha Mason, Rebecca Smith, Caroline Smith** and **Vicky Drake**.

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