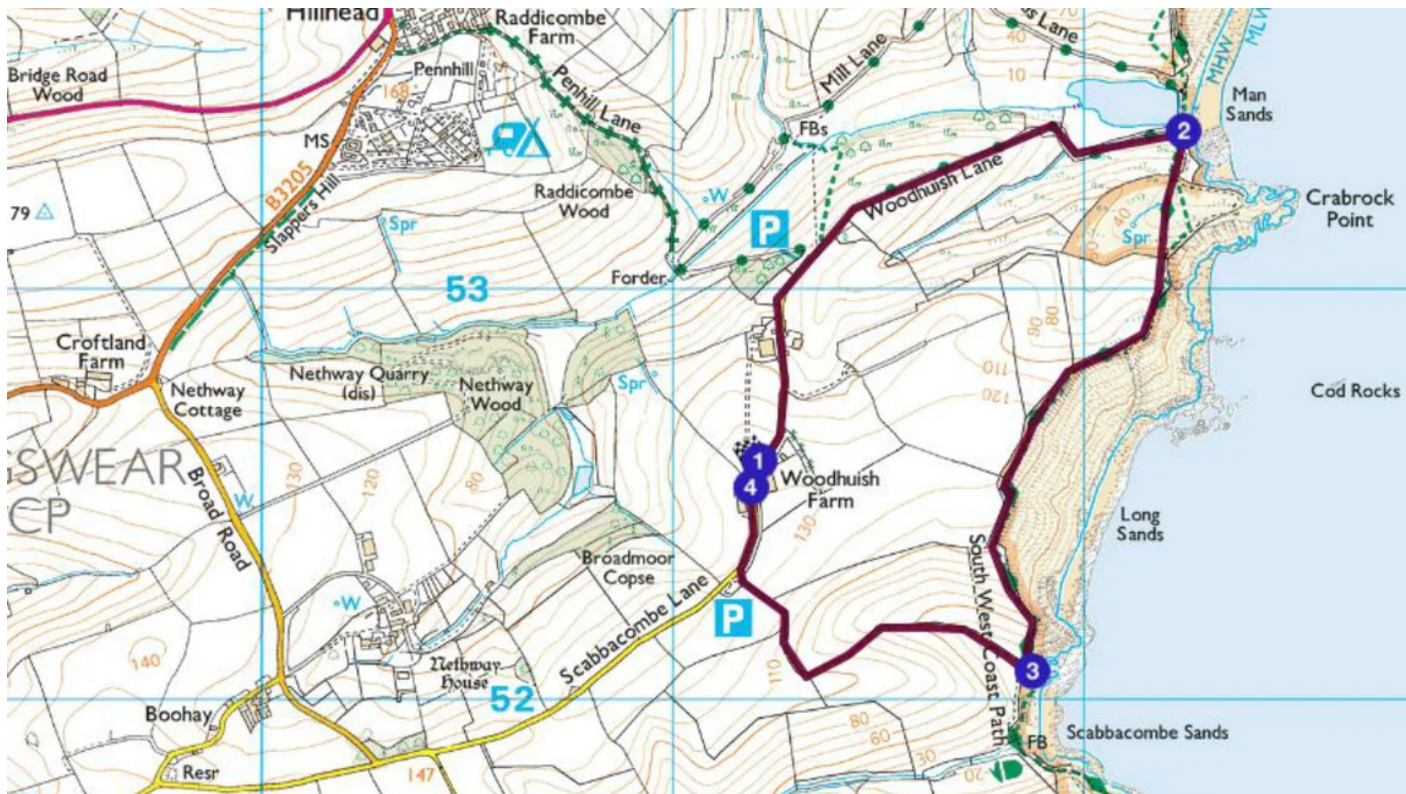


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Coastal circular walk from Woodhuish

A stroll down Woodhuish Lane to Man Sands Beach takes in the wetland area at Man Sands, which is a haven for birds. For a circular route you can follow the South West Coast Path to Scabbacombe Beach and finish off back at Woodhuish, a Victorian working farm complete with restored cider press.



Information

Address: Woodhuish Farm, Coleton Fishacre,
Brownstone Road, Kingswear, TQ6 0EQ

OS map: Explorer OL20 and Landranger 202

Activity: Walking

Moderate: Following a well maintained but naturally uneven coastal path which is steep in places. For further details, please see Terrain section.

Dog friendly: Please keep dogs on a lead near cliff edges.

Full trail: Miles: 3 (km: 4.8)

Duration: 1 hour

Terrain

The route follows a quiet country lane down to Man Sands Beach, and leads to a well maintained but naturally uneven coastal path which is steep in places. Be aware of cliff edges and keep children and dogs supervised.

Total steps: 4

Start point: Woodhuish Farm, grid reference SX913530

1. Follow the path from the car park down Woodhuish Lane to Man Sands. Along this route you will pass a bird hide, which is the perfect place to stop and look out over Man Sands wetland area.
2. From Man Sands Beach, strike out on the coast path heading right, following signposts to Scabbacombe Beach (approximately 1.5 miles). Enjoy the spectacular views and note Staddon Shales and Meadfoot Slates rocks, which regularly 'slump' onto the beach.
3. From Scabbacombe Beach head inland, following signs for Scabbacombe car park. This secluded beach is a popular spot with nudist bathers and dog walkers. Take care if swimming here as the currents are strong – don't use inflatables.
4. Head back down Woodhuish Lane until you reach Woodhuish Farm, which completes your circular walk.

End point: Woodhuish Farm, grid reference SX913530