



PICKUP BANK BLAST

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The route will be well marked with tape and sprayed arrows. However, just in case.....

16km route:

Turn left out of venue to join bridle path. Continue past Magnoll's Farm on left.

Continue along track, crossing 2 roads (marshalled) and continue on grass track to top of hill.

Turn right onto road.

At top of Belthorn Village turn left (after bus stop) down Bank Fold Lane.

(STEEP SECTION – is ride-able, but dismount if you prefer).

At T-junction of un-made lanes, turn right and continue to main road.

Cross road to join bridle path, passing 'Shaws' factory on right and continue to **Checkpoint 1.**

Follow Harwood Lane down the hill to Hoddlesden Village and bear left to village centre.

Pass corner shop on left, follow road downhill to **Checkpoint 2.**

Bear left.

Continue along road, past cemetery on left.

Turn right after terraced houses (at bus stop at Waterside) and continue straight on track, retracing your steps for short time.

Instead of taking fork in the road to the left (where you came down), carry straight on. Ignore 'no entry' signs. Use bridle path on right in front of house. Follow grass track to top.

Turn right at top, then left at main road to return to bridle path on right and re-trace steps down field and back to venue.

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21km route:

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At T-junction of un-made lanes, turn right and continue to main road.

Cross road to join bridle path, passing 'Shaws' factory on right and continue to **Checkpoint 1.**

From **Checkpoint 1**, cross busy road with care and follow markers right to loop the fields.

Follow markers left after your loop which come down to a road crossing, go straight across into next field.

Turn immediately right down edge of field to houses and follow track left to road.

Turn left onto Pole Lane, then right onto concessionary bridle path after houses.

DO NOT RIDE ON THE PLAYING FIELDS.

Follow bridleway around and up until you reach another road with some houses opposite. Turn right then left at the end of the houses before descending down stony bridle path to Hoddlesden village.

Continue straight ahead on Carus Avenue, through housing estate and down terraced street to village centre.

Pass corner shop on left, follow road downhill to **Checkpoint 2.**



Bear left.

Continue along road, past cemetery on left.

Turn right after terraced houses (at bus stop at Waterside) and continue straight on track, retracing your steps for short time.

Instead of taking fork in the road to the left (where you came down), carry straight on. Ignore 'no entry' signs. Use bridle path on right in front of house. Follow grass track to top.

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27km route:

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Turn right onto road.

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Cross road to join bridle path, passing 'Shaws' factory on right and continue to **Checkpoint 1**.

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Pass corner shop on left, follow road downhill to **Checkpoint 2**. Turn right.



Follow Long Hey Lane for short time, turning left towards big mansion!
Bear right up hill, taking short detour through field on right (Thank you,
local farmer!)

Continue on un-made lane round to the right, uphill then left past Top o'th'
Coppo Farm and follow markers straight up steep moorland track in front of
you.

Go through gate, cross road and follow markers over moor until you meet the
road at the other end.

Continue right along road, turning first right onto un-made lane. At end, turn
left downhill (Long Hey Lane) to complete loop and return to Hoddlesden
village.

Turn right at **Checkpoint 2**.

Continue along road, past cemetery on left.

Turn right after terraced houses (at bus stop at Waterside) and continue
straight on track, retracing your steps for short time.

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