

The Greensand Way

Oxted Place (TQ382510) to the county boundary
just beyond Limpsfield Chart

5½ miles, allow 2¾ hours

map 10

A

Continue along a metalled track at the entrance to The Mount. Cross the drive and continue to the road at Broadham Green. Turn left along the road, then right along Tanhouse Road. Turn left and cross a stile opposite The Hay Cutter. Walk along the right-hand side of the field to a stile. Cross, then bear left and follow the path through a kissing gate to a complex of buildings at Oxted Mill.

B

Continue to Spring Lane. Turn right along the road and walk uphill to Woodhurst Lane. Cross and go up narrow path on left. Walk for 400 yards between gardens, then along a metalled drive to a T-junction.

C

Turn left along the road. After 220 yards cross Rockfield Road and follow the bridleway ahead. At entrance to Limpsfield Common take left fork up to a metalled lane with Limpsfield Common on your right. At St Michaels, cross Wolf's Row and walk over the common to New Road.

D

Cross the road and follow the main track over the common to Brick Kiln Lane. Bear right along the road, then after 120 yards take the footpath on your left and cross the golf course diagonally for 50 yards.

E

Cross the road taking the footpath to the left of Pains Hill Chapel and follow it to Pastons Lane. Turn left and walk to the end of the road. Turn left along a gravel lane at Pastons Cottage, and continue along the footpath ahead to the road at Limpsfield Chart.

F

Cross the road, turn right and walk along the tarmac path for 270 yards. Cross Ridlands Rise and go ahead along an unmade road to another road. Bear left, pass The Carpenter's Arms and follow footway to a T-junction.

G

Cross and follow the footpath ahead, then after 250 yards bear left. Follow the path for about 2/3 mile, going over three

broad cross-tracks. Bear left at the next junction and continue to a meeting of six tracks at the county boundary.

Take the track ahead between houses to the road at Goodley Stock. Cross the road to a stile. Walk across a clearing to a track. You are now in Kent's section of the Greensand Way and can find directions and maps for this at:

www.kent.gov.uk/explorekent

There are various car parks close to either side of the county boundary.

Interesting features

85 Oxted Mill

A water mill has stood here since the mid-19th century, with an extension built in 1893. This was powered by a turbine and produced much finer flour than before.

87 Former St Michael's School for Girls

The Gothic tower of this red-brick building, built in 1886, provides a landmark for miles around.

88 Limpsfield Common

When the Lord of the Manor first tried to establish brickworks here in 1830 he caused uproar among the Commoners who had held rights since the 14th century.

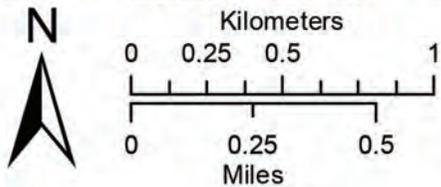
89 The Salt Box

This 16th century house may have been used for the drying of salt brought from the south coast on its way to London.



The Old Bell at the crossroads has an interesting jettied upper floor.

The Greensand Way - Map 10, Oxted Place to Kent border at Goodley Stock



Also use Ordnance Survey Map: Explorer 146 & 147

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