

Bracknell in Bloom



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Blooming Biodiversity Trail

Start at the Blooming Biodiversity sign by Bracknell Bus Station (1). Walk towards the train station under the subway marked Railway Station. Walk up the spiral and past Coopers Hill Community Centre. Cross Old Bracknell Lane East and pass Bramley Wood day nursery. Turn left down towards the subway and right at the end (2). Turn left to see Bill Hill wildflower verges where you can find cowslips and bluebells in spring.

Cross Crowthorne Road and follow the path downhill, and turn right through Frog Copse where there is an abundance of birds and butterflies (3). From the copse, walk out of the cul de sac and turn right down Frog Lane. At the end, turn left past the Downshire Arms pub. Cross Wildridings Road and turn right through the Twin Bridges underpass (4) and walk to underpass marked Town Centre. Continue straight through the next two underpasses, turn right out of the underpass and up past Ford. At the roundabout cross the road and walk into Arlington Square. Follow the curved path to the right and turn left to walk round leftside of the fountain (5).

Turn right and then left towards Honeywell alongside the car park and turn left at the end. Cross the small bridge to the right and turn right pass the Weather Vane pub, then walk down the underpass and to the right. Turn right out of the underpass towards the Skimped Hill Health Centre. Pass the market and walk down the steps through the underpass towards the town centre. Continue past the police station and down the underpass where you find orchids (6). Turn left for a shorter route. At the MET office roundabout (7), turn right under the underpass, right underneath and left up the slope. Turn right down Larges Lane and walk up the right side of the road.

At the bend cross the road into the Larges Lane cemetery where you can see Devil's Bit Scabious (8). Walk out of the cemetery and turn right towards the St. Josephs Primary School. Turn right at the end down London Road. At the roundabout use the underpass to continue down London Road. At the Running Horse roundabout (9) go down the underpass and turn right to Broad Lane. Turn right up the slope and cross the road, walking on the right side of the Broad Lane under the railway bridge and towards the Horse and Groom Roundabout. Follow the path round to the right down Bagshot Road. Use the pedestrian crossing at the lights and follow signs to the town centre.

Have you seen them?



Bullfinch



Cowslip



Stag Beetle

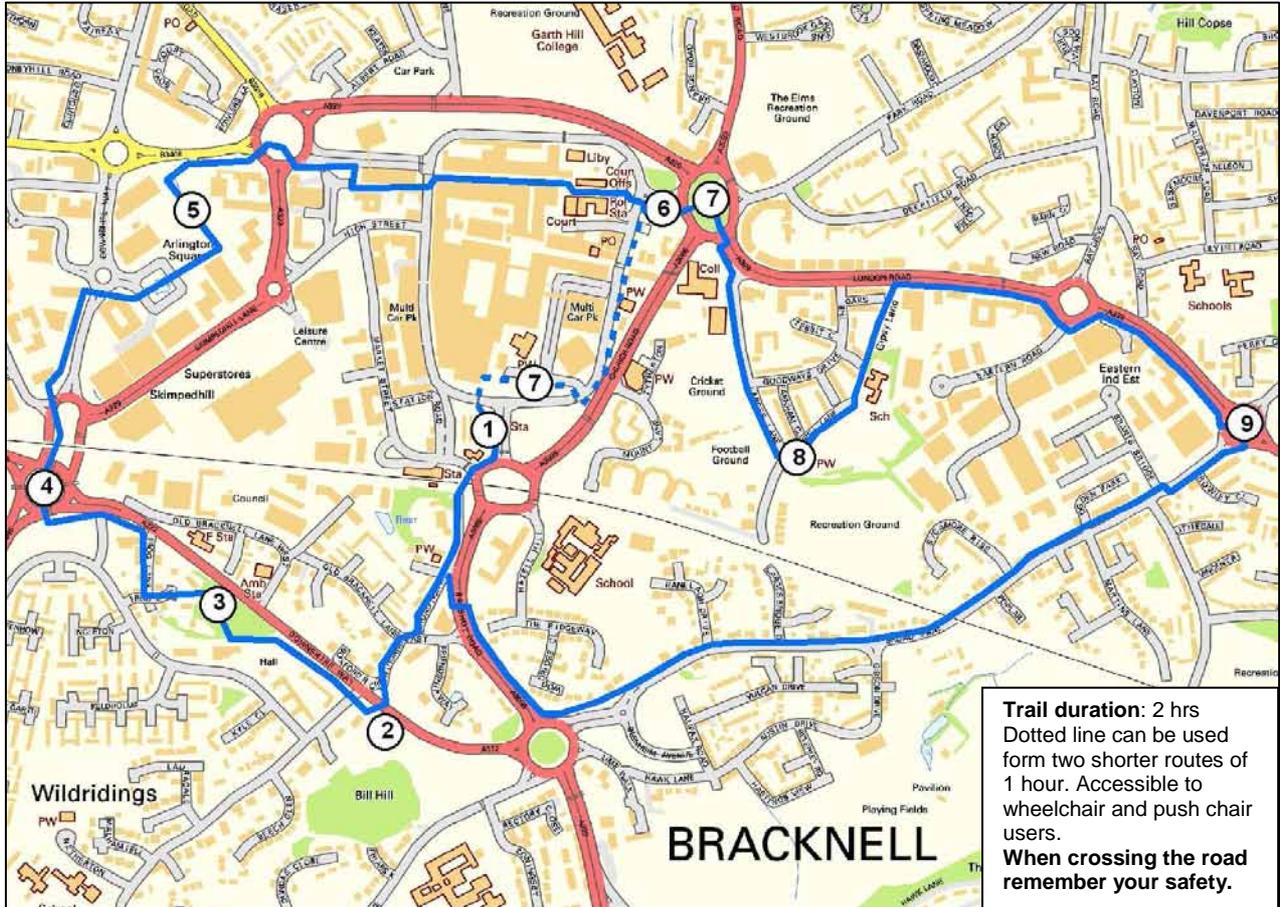


Devil's bit Scabious

Tell us if you see any of these Bracknell Biodiversity Action Plan species whilst out in the town. Send your records to biodiversity@bracknellforest.gov.uk or post to the Biodiversity Officer, Bracknell Forest Borough Council, Market Street, Bracknell, RG12 1JD.

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