



## CIRCULAR WALKS



### Etal Village

**Distance:** 6 Miles  
**Grade:** Easy to moderate  
with some climbs.

**When walking in the countryside please remember that paths may be a little rough underfoot and on occasions muddy.**

**Please ensure that you have suitable footwear and clothing, and carry a bottle of water especially in warm weather.**

**Always close and fasten gates behind you and ensure that dogs are kept under close control.**

**Please stay on the signposted/way marked paths.**

### Directions

- A. Start/Finish in the car park at Etal Castle.
- B. Follow the road out of the car park and turn left (signposted 'riverside walks').
- C. Go through the small gate signposted Tindal House/Twizell Bridge and follow the path (*part of the Sustrans Route 68 Derby-Berwick cycleway*) alongside the river to Tindal House.
- D. Turn right onto the tarmac road at Tindal House, follow the road until you reach the T-junction then turn right.
- E. After 500m take the signposted footpath across the field to your left. Zigzag left and right across the road and walk past Greenlawalls Farm.
- F. Follow the signposted and way-marked route behind Greenlawalls farm, then following the waymarked path which turns right uphill. Follow signs to Etal Moor.
- G. On Etal Moor (*access land*) follow the path through the woods and across the field to the farm track.
- H. Follow the track until you reach the road; turn right past Letham Hill/Errol Hut and at the bottom turn right again, following the footpath to Etal Village.

**See Map overleaf**



## Refreshments and things to see along the way

### In Etal

Etal Castle (*operated by English Heritage, this haunting 14<sup>th</sup> Century castle and exhibition room is open to the public April – September; weekends throughout winter*)

Taylor & Green furniture makers

Lavender Tearoom, Etal PO, Shop & Plant Centre  
(*snacks, light lunches, gifts and general provisions throughout the year*)

The Black Bull (*Northumberland's only thatched pub – meals and snacks available; beer garden*)

St Mary's Church.

### Along the way

Wildlife abounds on the River Till and in the surrounding countryside – keep your eyes peeled! There are fabulous views across the Milfield Plain towards Cheviot, and towards the Eildon Hills in the Scottish Borders.

Etal Moor was once the site of some of the many rural mine works in the area

**(care should be taken to avoid the fence-marked disused shafts).**

### Letham Hill

The site of a 200 year old smithy still in use today – Errol Hut Smithy and Woodwork specialises in wrought iron work, hand-made furniture, wood turning etc

*(Finished work can be viewed or purchased from Heatherslaw Light Railway or Heatherslaw Visitor Centre)*

