



**Brief Description:** Tom Corner offers a 1.4 mile (2.2 km) or 2.8 mile (4.5 km) out and back route across rugged moorland to a waterfall. You can see spectacular colours from the heather in mid-late summer and spot moorland birds all year round.

**Access and Facilities:** Nearest Accessible Toilet is at Fountains Abbey Visitor Centre, Abbey Road, Ripon, HG4 3DY. **What3Words:** fries.coach.acoustics.

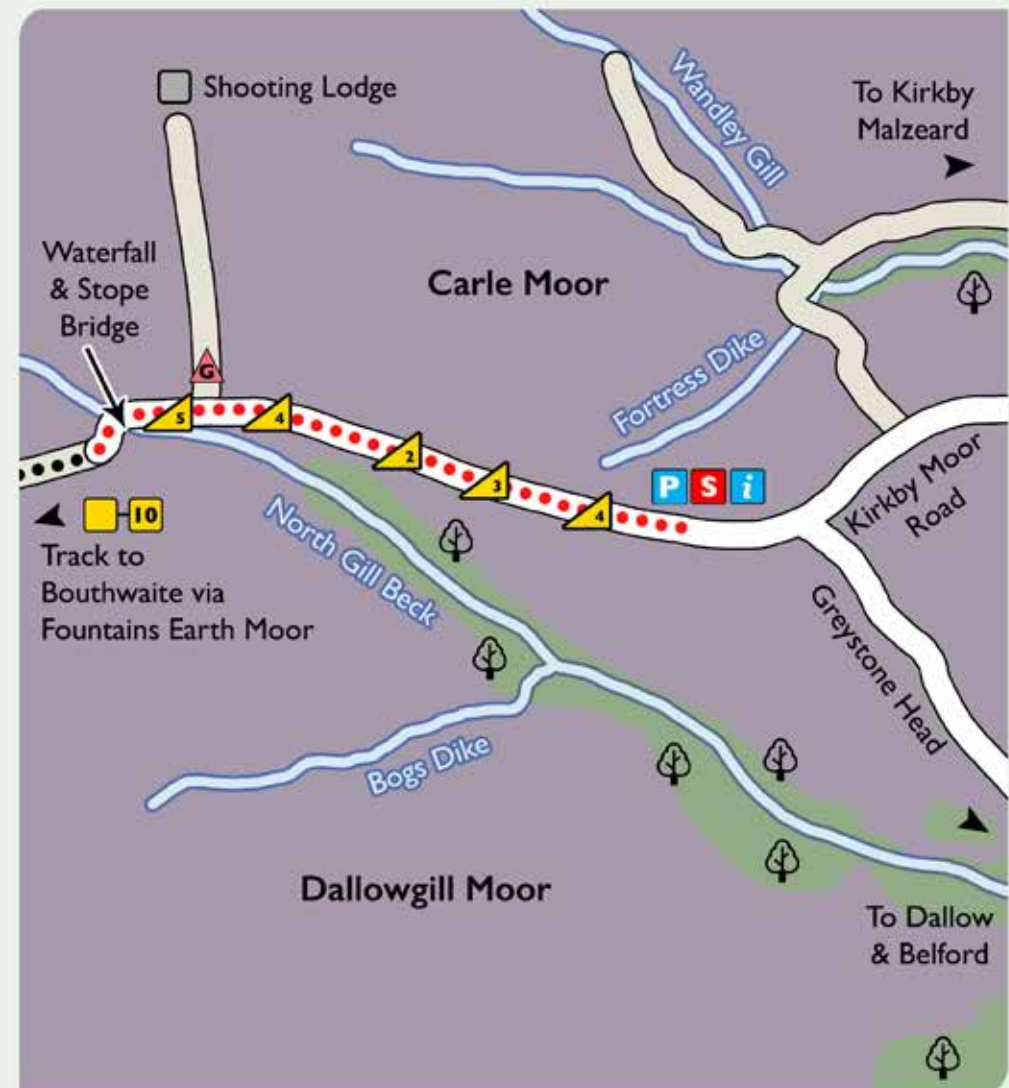
**Features of Interest:** Centurian Mosaic, Information Boards, Moorland Views, Waterfall, Wildlife.

**Location:** Parking area on Kirkby Moor Road, HG4 3QY. **What3Words:** harmlessly.flock.marriage

**Public Transport:** Nearest Bus Stop is in Kirkby Malzeard, 3.6 miles (5.7 km) from the start of the trail. Buses 138 & 138A operate a daily service to and from Masham.



**Route Details:** The accessible route is on a tarmac road, which is severely rutted in places (C). The road is undulating throughout (up to 5). Caution must be taken, as traffic often uses the route. The route can be extended further onto the moor to link with Trail Card 11, however, the track becomes rutted and uneven.



## TRAIL CARD & MAP KEY

	Suggested Route		Viewpoint
	Alternative Route		Motorcycle Barrier
	Slope/Hill (Level)		Speed Humps
	Linked Trail		Steps (and how many)
	Suitable for Cycling		Café
	All-Terrain Chair Route		Public House
	Trail Start Point		Bench/Seat
	Parking		Picnic Area
	Information Board		Playground
	Bus Stop		Cattle Grid
	Accessible Toilet		Trees/Wood
	Accessible Fishing Platforms		Lake/Pond
	Accessible Gate (Manual Wheelchairs & Scooters)		Landmark Building
	Gate not Accessible to Wheelchairs		
	Caution		

Each card has a letter & number (for example **A3**) in the top right hand corner. It describes the **surface** and **slope** of the **most difficult** parts of the main route. With the map and text, this will help you to decide whether to do the whole route or just the easier sections. The bicycle symbol indicates all or part of the route is suitable for cycling.

### Surface Quality (in dry weather)

- A** - Smooth (tarmac, paving, concrete, etc.)
- B** - Quite Smooth (short grass, compacted earth/stone, etc.)
- C** - Uneven (worn grass, loose stone, some ruts, tree roots, etc.)
- D** - Rough (long grass, soft earth, sand, gravel, severe ruts, roots, etc.)

- 1** - Gentle (up to 1:20)
- 2** - Quite Gentle (up to 1:16)
- 3** - Fairly Steep (up to 1:12)
- 4** - Steep (up to 1:8)
- 5** - Very Steep (over 1:8)



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