3. Black Park Family Walk

4 miles

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What better way to enjoy an outing with the family than to go for a walk around Black Park? There is something for everyone. This walk passes through lovely woodland and open heathland, leaving enough time to relax at the café or have a picnic by the lake.



Terrain: A flat, easy walk on good paths. Total Ascent 45m

Start & finish: Black Park car park, Black Park Road, Wexham SL3 6DS. Grid ref: TQ 005 832

Food & drink: Café San Remo by the lake Parking: Black Park pay and display car park

Local transport: No public transport to the start point. The nearest bus route stops in Swallow Street, Iver Heath. Bus

3 runs between Slough and Uxbridge on all week.

This walk was created for the book "50 Great Walks in the Chilterns" available from the Chiltern Society, White Hill,. Chesham



3.0 From the main road entrance, take the wide track immediately to the left of the car park and go past an information board. Continue along the wide track for nearly a kilometre and follow it past a righthand bend to a junction of tracks. Turn left past a house, Black Park Cottage and fork right towards a kissing gate in a wooden fence.

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- 3.1 Go through and proceed straight ahead along a rough path for 200m and look for an unmarked path on the right. 100m ahead is the gate to Heathfield Lodge.
- 3.2 Turn right along the path to reach a kissing gate. Go through, turn left and immediately right and continue to a meet a major track. Turn left along the track, follow it round to the right and go straight across the next major junction. Stay on this track, past the Habitat Trail

information board, for 530m to a T-junction. Ahead are the green railings of Pinewood Studios.

3.3 Turn right along a wide track and follow it for 1km to a major junction where the railings on the left end. Continue forward for 30m and look for a path bearing half right.



- 3.4 Bear right along the woodland path for 150m to a four-way path junction. Continue straight ahead through the bracken and bear right at a fork to a T junction. (Notice the characteristic black hue of the pine trees). Turn left along a major track, ignore the first turn to the right and continue ahead for a further 100m to take the second turn.
- 3.5 Follow this wide track for 330m to the next major junction. Turn left for a few metres to a grassed area on the right with a stone sculpture at the back.
- 3.6 Turn right over the grass, go past the sculpture and stay on the path for a further 350m, through the pine trees, to another junction.
- 3.7 Turn right past the 'Folly' artwork by Richard James and, at the junction, go straight ahead following the signs to the café and toilets. The café is a perfect place for some well-earned refreshments. Take the footpath round the left side of the lake, go over a wooden bridge and turn left to return to the car park.

We hope you have enjoyed your walk. Please remember to rate the walk and add comments. We are interested in how we could improve the instructions or the route and would like to hear about any issues with paths on the walk.