

Walks For All

Lister Park & Cartwright Hall

Walk 9

Name Lister Park & Cartwright Hall

Distance 3.5 kms / 2.2 miles

Grade



Mild walk to explore Lister Park and Cartwright Hall Museum



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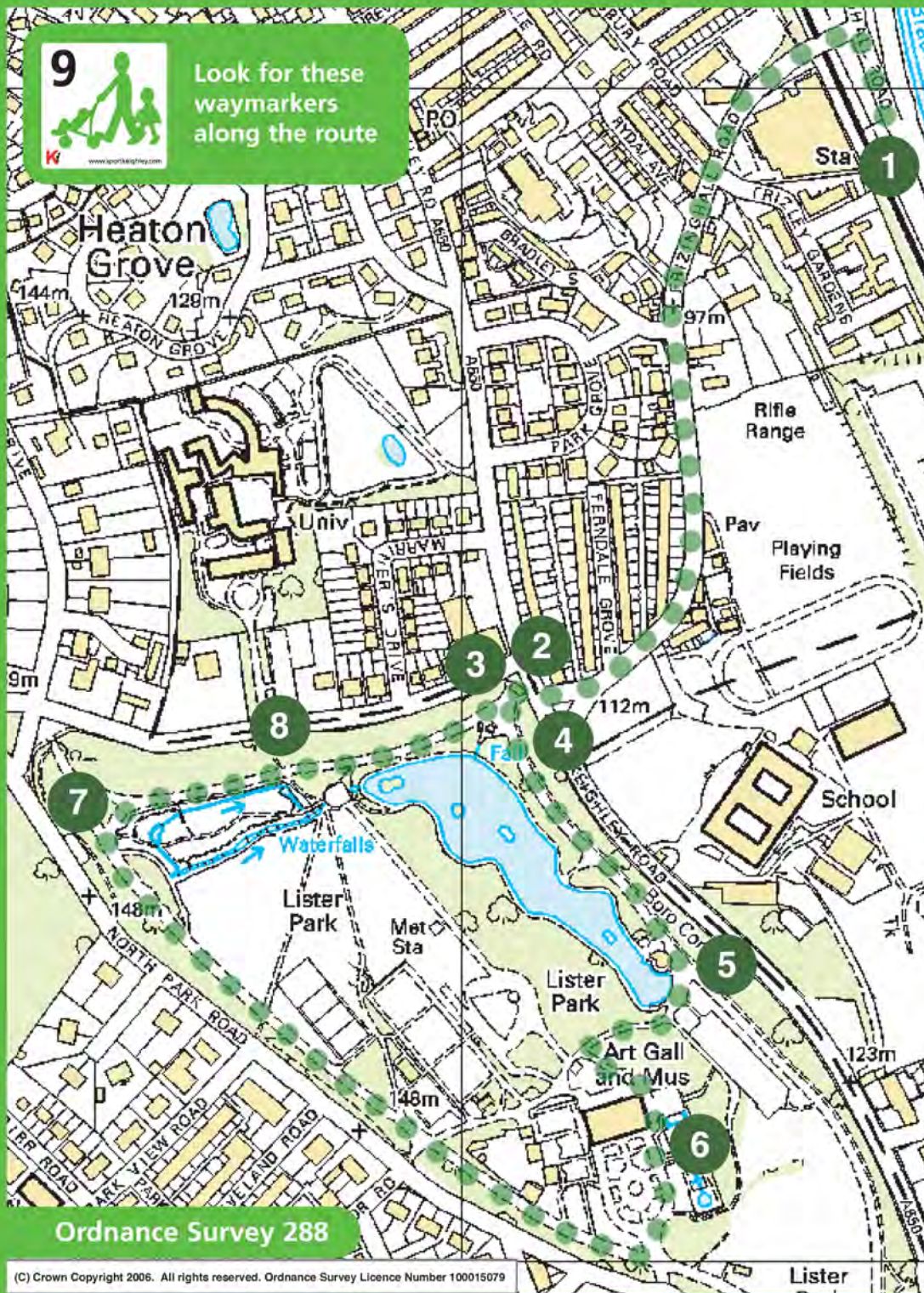
For details of travel to walks see 'Journey Planner' at
www.wymetro.com

For details of further activity in the area see
www.aktivedirectory.org.uk

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Look for these waymarkers along the route



Ordnance Survey 288

The Route:

- 1 Turn left and walk up the road and left around the corner in to Frizinghall road. Follow this road for half a kilometre, all the way up to the junction and crossings at the top of Frizinghall road opposite the large Castle gate like entrance in to Lister Park.
- 2 Use the series of crossings to cross the road over to the entrance.
- 3 Through the entrance you are faced with the large monument, take the path on the left and walk along through the park you will come to the boating lake and café.
- 4 Turn right to walk up hill past the lake and café on your right and the children's play area on the left. You will now see the large grand building of Cartwright Hall.
- 5 Walk up the hill and turn left at the top to walk past the hall and then turn right to come to the main entrance in to Cartwright Hall. Take time to explore the Hall and Art exhibitions.
- 6 On leaving the Hall walk under the arch and straight forward through the gardens passing the statue and towards the large iron gates. Turn left and follow the path up and all the way along passing the Lister Park information building on your right. Continue straight on along the wide path to the other side of the Park.
- 7 Look down to your right and you will see the ornamental gardens. Turn right to walk down through the gardens and water features. You will come to a large circle with small stone fossil plaques inserted in the floor.
- 8 Take the path on the left here to walk back down to the main entrance, which you came through. Cross over the road, again using the series of crossings and retrace your steps back down Frizinghall road. The train station for the return to Keighley, is on the left side going down Frizinghall road. You will see a path down to the platform on the left before the road bridge.



Points to note

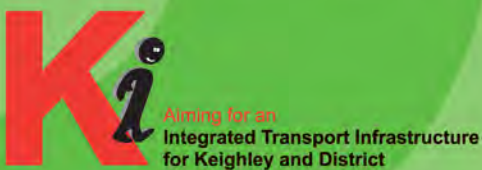
- Do not confuse the markers on the enclosed map with any way marker symbols you may see placed along the actual walk. The numbered markers shown on the map are to give approximate location on the route with the numbered written instructions.
- This walk may be shortened to 2.5km / 1.6 miles if you catch the bus to Lister Park from Keighley bus station and return by bus. There is a bus stop outside Lister Park on the A650 Keighley Road. The shuttle buses run every ten minutes.

Places of interest

Lister Park is a large well-maintained park with good facilities. There is a small boating lake; children's play area and gardens to explore, as well as Cartwright Hall that stands in the middle of the park. There are toilets and art galleries in Cartwright Hall with free admission and a small café on the edge of the boating Lake.

Transport to walk

Catch the train from Keighley to Frizinghall. Leave the train station at Frizinghall via the steps and up onto the main road.



The Keighley Walking Initiative

Grades of walks available:

-  Mild to moderate, suitable for pushchairs. Usually less than 3.5km.
-  Mild to moderate, not suitable for pushchairs. Usually less than 3.5km.
-  Moderate. Usually less than 6.5km.
-  Hard. Usually over 6.5km.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please read this! This is your responsibility!

This leaflet shows a route utilising Public Rights of Way. Please follow the Countryside Code. In particular: keep to paths, leave gates as found, take litter home and keep dogs under control (www.countrysideaccess.gov.uk).

If you are new to exercise or have any existing medical condition or concerns check with your GP before undertaking physical activity. Check that the route is suitable for your level of fitness and that you have adequate resources for your planned activity.

Wear clothing and footwear appropriate to the conditions and time of year.