ROUTE DESCRIPTION

This short route is a relaxing cycle ride that takes in areas of outstanding natural beauty and offers great seaside views of the Southport coast. You will cycle past Queen’s Jubilee Nature Reserve and Victoria Park, home to Southport’s Flower Show, along Esplanade.

You will travel along the disused Cheshire Lines Railway, passing the site of the old Birkdale Palace Station, up to Birkdale Local Nature Reserve and the world famous Royal Birkdale Golf Course.

The route passes through an area of housing that was historically referred to as the “Castles in the Sand” and returns to the Cheshire Lines passing the site of the old Palace Hotel, a once 200ft long luxurious hotel that was reputedly popular with stars like Frank Sinatra and Clark Gable.

VISIT

VISIT Sefton and West Lancs are continuing to develop the cycling offer within and around the area by building on the existing potential.

Co-ordinated packages of activities, promoting and marketing the wider area, are continually being developed.

For information on any upcoming events and other cycle routes see our website www.visitsletonandwestlancs.co.uk

CYCLE ROUTES

This route is one of a series of themed routes in Sefton and West Lancashire. They are suitable for families and the less experienced cyclists and include many of the area’s landmarks.

All routes are signed and have accompanying leaflets. These are available at all Cycle Hire Centres or via the website.

CYCLE HIRE

If you are visiting Sefton and West Lancs and you don’t have your bike, you can still enjoy our range of themed routes by hiring a bike at one of our cycle hire centres. A wide range of bikes are available for all the family.

For further information or to pre-book, please contact the cycle hire staff or see the website.

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Marram Route
- Beginner/easy
- Mostly off road
- Distance 3 miles
- Time 20-30 mins