Wondering Heights Walk from Ogden Water Visual Guide

This walk goes up a hill and most of the walk is unpaved. There is only one place to sit at the very end of the walk.

If you're using mobility tools, need rest points, or uneven and unstable surfaces are challenging, please take a look at the photos and decide if this is for you.

There's also constant wind. It's not strong, but it's always there.

How do you get there?



The walk starts from the Ogden Water car park.

Postal Code: HX2 8YA



You can drive.

Parking is £1.

There is accessible parking on Ogden Lane.



There are two parking lots.

To get to the parking lots and the walk turn right just before the accessible parking.

The parking lot is gravel and footing is unstable.



You can take the bus.

From the Bradford Interchange you can take the 67 and then transfer to the 502.

The closest bus stop is Keighley Road Syke Lane.



From the bus stop walk up to the hill.

Cross the street to Ogden Lane.



Walk down Ogden Lane to the accessible parking.



If you follow Ogden Lane to the left of the accessible parking you will come to the visitor centre.



The visitor centre has a shop.

The shop is cash only.



There are also toilets across from the rest stop.

Where is the walk?



The walk starts from the lower parking lot.



There will be a gate.

Just push the gate open.

What3words: awakening.sounding.examples

The first part of the walk is on a gentle to moderate incline.



About 0.7km along there is a stone wall.

There is a sign that says 'Drystone Walling Display Area'

The path gets much steeper beyond this point.

This might be a point to decide if you want to continue.



There is a gate.

You can walk through on the right.



This is the steepest part of the path.



About 0.5km along, towards the top of the steep climb is a partial wall.

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From here the trail is much harder to see.

The footing is uneven.

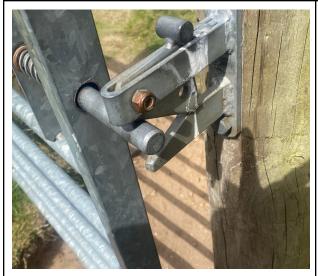
It curves between two orchards.



Another 0.4km along, at the top of the climb there is a gate.

The footing around the gate is very steep and unstable.

What3words: haystack.evolution.shorten





Once through the gate walk along the edge of the ravine.

The ravine should be on your left.



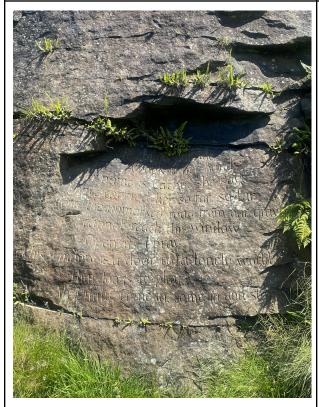
Go another 0.4km along until you come to a stone bench.

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To the right of the bench are these rocks.

There will be a very steep path leading down towards these rocks.



If you follow this path down you'll find this stone.

This stone is carved with a tribute Kate Bush wrote to Emily Bronte.



Climb back up to the top of the ravine.

Walk back the way you came.



Here's the gate with the tricky footing from the other side.



Here's the path between the orchards.



Here's the path just past the partial wall.



Here's the drywalling display area.