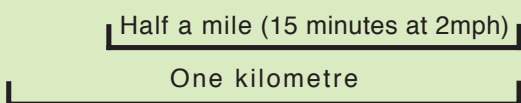
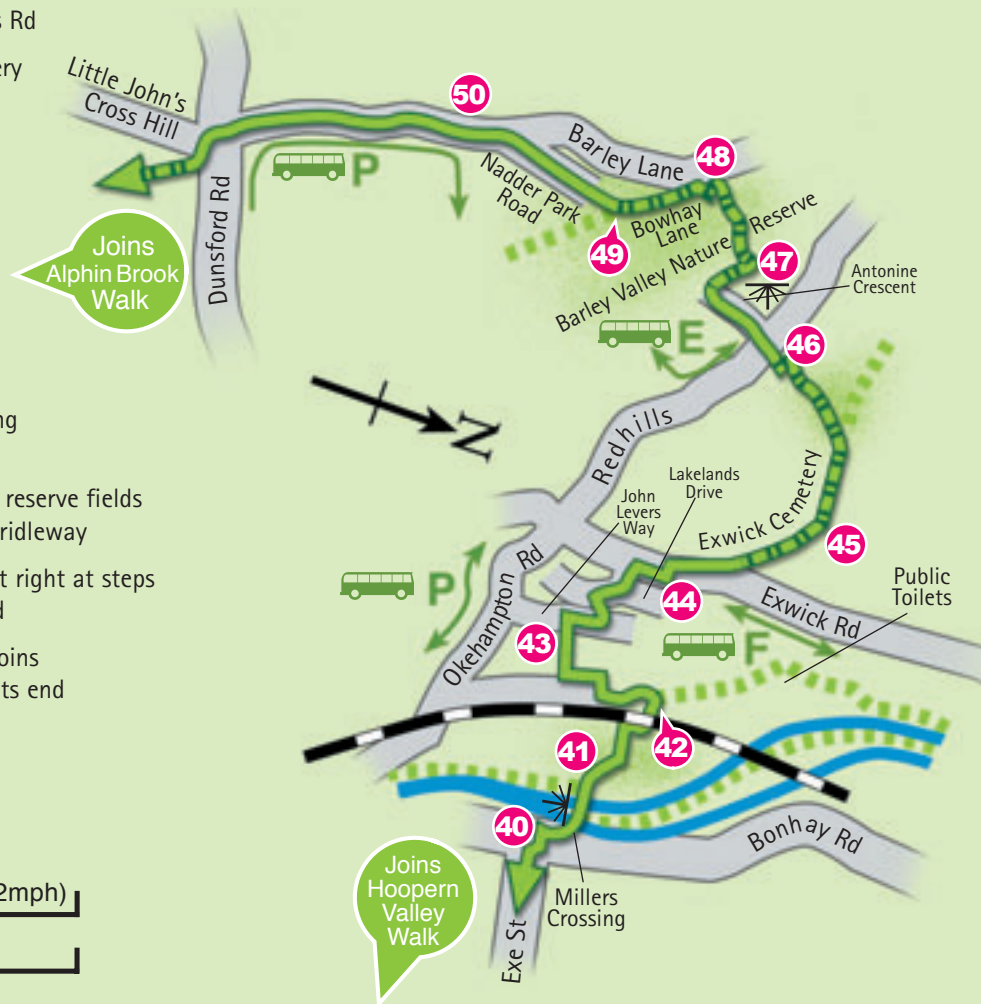


Directions (anti-clockwise, east to west)

- 40** Start at Millers Crossing footbridge by the Mill on the Exe in Bonhay Rd
- 41** Cross bridge and follow path straight ahead across Flowerpot playing fields
- 42** Walk under rail bridge and turn left then turn right towards the allotments entrance. Stay on path around allotments
- 43** At end of path turn right on John Levers Way then left up path to Lakelands Drive. Turn right then left to Exwick Rd
- 44** Turn right on Exwick Rd, walk past the cemetery, turn first left at Foxhayes Rd
- 45** This lane takes you past the cemetery then take the left fork up steep hill and steps to a small playground. Continue on path to Redhills road
- 46** Cross Redhills and head up Antonine Crescent. Straight ahead, then enter field
- 47** Find viewpoint in field, at top of hill then left down through Barley Valley nature reserve (crossing wooden bridge then uphill ahead)
- 48** Through wooden gates from nature reserve fields to emerge at top of Bowhay Lane bridleway
- 49** Sharp left down bridleway then first right at steps and short path to Nadder Park Road
- 50** Bear left where Nadder Park Road joins Barley Lane. Follow Barley Lane to its end on Dunsford Road

Exeter Green Circle Walking Route

- On footpath, pavement or quiet road (generally smooth surfaces; occasional kerbs)
- On public footpath or bridleway or permitted footpath (surface may be rough or muddy; occasional gates and steps)
- Connecting footpaths
- Connecting bus routes to and from City Centre (times and routes subject to change)
- Railway line
- Viewpoint



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The EXETER GREEN CIRCLE is a twelve-mile walk that provides a great walking experience within the boundaries of Exeter – from green countryside valley parks to the pavements of quiet leafy suburbs.

This part of the GREEN CIRCLE explores the green areas and viewpoints in Redhills and the western fringes of Exeter. There are one or two steep climbs between the River Exe flood plain, with its allotments and playing fields, and these leafy hills. The Millers Crossing bridge over the Exe is one of the highlights of the walk, especially when the river is high.



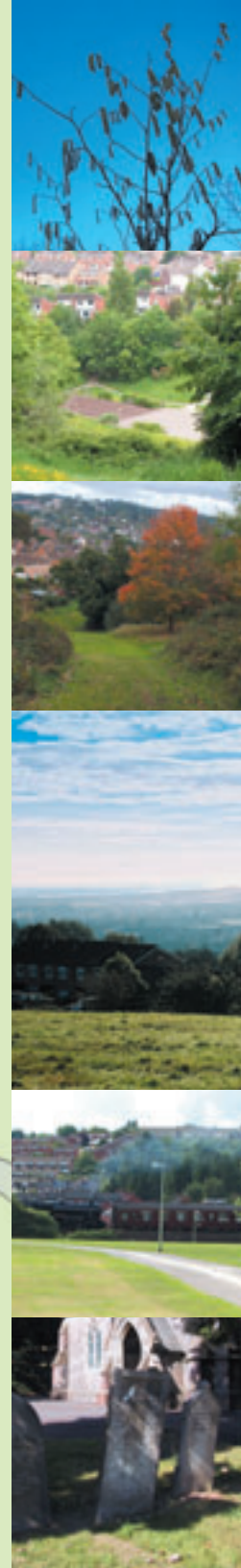
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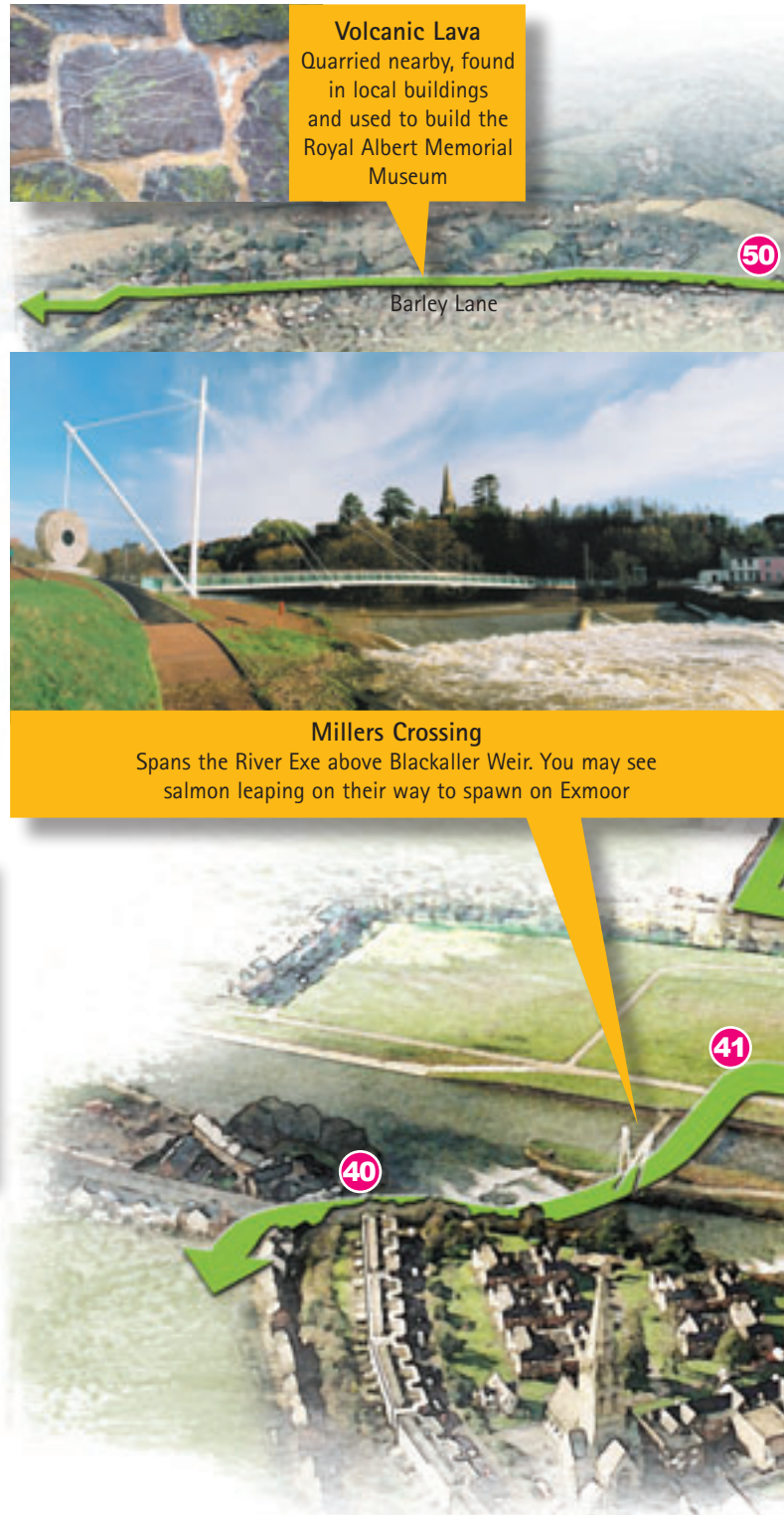
The Redhills Walk

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The Redhills Walk

- Two and a half miles between Millers Crossing and the top of Dunsford Road
- Panoramic views from the top of Redhills
- Crossing the flood plain of the Exe and climbing the hilly western fringe of the city



Volcanic Lava
Quarried nearby, found in local buildings and used to build the Royal Albert Memorial Museum



Barley Lane



Millers Crossing
Spans the River Exe above Blackaller Weir. You may see salmon leaping on their way to spawn on Exmoor

Bowhay Lane
Old sunken lane into Exeter once used to drive livestock to market



Barley Valley Local Nature Reserve
Watch for buzzards, foxes and woodpeckers



Cemetery Field
Steep woodland walk through a former brickpit



Exwick Cemetery
Alongside the route.
"Beneath that yew-tree's shade"
(Thomas Gray)

40 Numbers refer to notes overleaf