

National Trails

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Pennine Bridleway

NATIONAL TRAIL



The Settle Loop

THE SETTLE LOOP

The Settle Loop is the first section of the Pennine Bridleway to be opened in the Yorkshire Dales National Park. The loop is a 16km (10 miles) circuit taking in stunning limestone scenery including views of the nationally important Malham Tarn...

The loop starts in Settle and climbs out of this lovely town into the Yorkshire Dales National Park, traverses a wonderful limestone upland, before descending back towards Settle. The trail incorporates open grassy stretches, limestone outcrops, grass / gravel paths and quiet winding lanes near Settle. There are many other bridleways in the area which can be used to extend your journey by linking to Malham village and Tarn, and over into Littondale and Wharfedale.

The Pennine Bridleway will weave its way for 560km (350 miles) through the Pennine hills from

Derbyshire to Northumberland using a mix of old pack-horse routes, drove roads and newly created bridleways.

The whole trail will be available for horse riders, mountain bikers and walkers.

Already there are 192km (120 miles) ready to ride starting in Derbyshire through to the Mary Towneley Loop.



GETTING HERE

Settle is easily accessible by train from Leeds, Bradford and Skipton, and is the start of the famous Settle to Carlisle railway line. The service does carry bicycles although you should book in advance. Full timetables are available from www.settlecarlisle.co.uk/timetables/index.cfm

By bus you can get to Settle from Skipton, Ingleton and Clitheroe. Malham has services from Lancashire and West Yorkshire on summer weekends, and from Skipton and Settle more frequently.

You can find out more from www.traveldales.org.uk or phone 0870 608 2 608

Places to stay

This leaflet lists accommodation near to the loop that has facilities for cyclists and horse riders. A wide variety of other accommodation is available, and details can be found on www.yorkshiredales.org, or from the local National Park and Tourist Information Centres.

For more information, including accommodation, on the Pennine Bridleway visit www.nationaltrail.co.uk/pennine-bridleway



FARRIERS

Mark Wood Gargrave 07967 329872

VETS

Dalehead Veterinary Group Settle 01729 823538

RIDING CENTRE

Yorkshire Dales Trekking Centre Malham 01729 830352
 Kilnsey Trekking & Riding Centre Conistone 01756 752861

TACK AND FEED SHOPS

Northern Equestrian Tack Shop Rathmell 07792 676773

CYCLE SHOPS

Settle Cycles (sales) Settle 01729 822216
 Dave Ferguson Cycles (sales & hire) Skipton 01756 795367
 Skipton Bicycle Shop (sales & hire) Skipton 01756 794386
 Lister Arms (hire only) Malham 01729 830330

TOURIST INFORMATION CENTRES

Malham National Park Centre Malham 01729 830363
 Settle Tourist Info Centre Settle 01729 825192

ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION

Stainforth Youth Hostel YHA HORSES 3km SD821 688 Stainforth, Settle BD24 9PA Tel 08707 706046 DRY Washdown Facility available.	Melling Dub Farm SELF CATERING COTTAGES HORSES 15min drive SD558 779 Tosside, Settle, BD23 4SD Tel 01729 840830 6 DRY Washdown Facility available.	Yorkshire Dales Trail Riding BED & BREAKFAST HORSES 3km SD791 641 Paley Green Lane, Giggleswick BD24 0DZ Tel 01729 824754 4 DRY Washdown Facility and Sofabed available.
Liverpool House Guest House GUEST HOUSE on the loop SD818 636 Chapel Square, Settle BD24 9HR Tel 01729 822247 4 2 1 Washdown Facility available.	Wapping Hall HORSE ACCOMMODATION ONLY on the loop SD822 638 Commercial Street, Settle BD24 9HP Tel 01729 823652 3 4 DRY Washdown Facility available.	Miresfield Farm BED & BREAKFAST 2.5km SD901 630 Malham BD23 4DA Tel 01729 830414 11 rooms Washdown Facility available.
River House Hotel HOTEL 2.5km SD901 628 Malham BD23 4DA Tel 01729 830315 6 1 2 1 2 Washdown Facility available.	Golden Lion Hotel HOTEL on the loop SD818 636 Duke Street, Settle BD24 9DU Tel 01729 822503 2 2 8 2 2 Washdown Facility available.	Buck Inn INN 2.5km SD901 630 Malham BD23 4DA Tel 01729 830317 2 2 6 2 Washdown Facility available.
Whitefriars Guest House GUEST HOUSE on the loop SD818 638 Church Street, Settle BD24 9JD Tel 01729 823753 1 3 1 4 Washdown / Drying Facility and Cycle Storage available from 2006. B+B package available in Malham.	The Royal Oak Hotel HOTEL on the loop SD818 637 Market Place, Settle BD24 9ED Tel 01729 822561 7 rooms Washdown Facility available.	Craven Country Ride HORSE ACCOMMODATION ONLY 20min drive SD898 547 Pot Haw Farm, Conistone Cold BD23 4ED Tel 01729 830277 4 DRY Washdown Facility available.
Yorkshire Dales Trekking Centre HORSE ACCOMMODATION ONLY 3km SD901 628 Holme Farm, Malham BD23 4DA Tel 01729 830352 5 10 DRY Washdown / Drying Facility and Cycle Storage available from 2006. B+B package available in Malham.	Beck Hall Guest House GUEST HOUSE 2.5km SD901 629 Malham BD23 4DJ Tel 01729 830332 2 1 9 2 Washdown Facility available.	Eastwood House BED & BREAKFAST 2.5km SD901 632 Malham BD23 4DA Tel 01729 830409 4 rooms Washdown Facility available.

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Distance from Bridleway
 Grid Reference

Stables
 Grazing
 Horsebox Storage
 Quality Rating

Single
 Double
 Family
 Twin

Cycle Storage
 Drying Facilities