

THORNER WALKS AN INTRODUCTION

We are very fortunate in Thorner to have an extensive network of footpaths on our doorstep. Leave in any direction and you are very quickly in beautiful countryside on well marked and maintained footpaths.

The walks in this section of the website are both long and short, so there is something suitable here for everyone to enjoy whether you are a regular walker or new to walking. No special equipment is needed, all you need is decent footwear and suitable clothing.

Thorner Walking Group meets every Wednesday at 1 pm at the bench by the bus stop opposite The Fox public house in the centre of Thorner. New members are always welcome, just turn up. All the walks you see here start at our meeting point and have been compiled with the group's help. If you've any feedback on the walks, get in touch (insert contact details). Please stick to the routes suggested. All the walks use public footpaths or permissive paths, if you stray from these you are trespassing.

If you want to go a step further and help maintain some of the paths, Thorner has regular working parties to clear vegetation and repair stiles. If you would like to help with this, please contact wendyeileenmiller@googlemail.com.

Remember - a good walk is really two good walks. Once you've done one of the walks here, try doing it the other way round next time. You'll be surprised what a difference it makes.

Happy Walking.

PLEASE WALK CAREFULLY AND PLEASE:

1. If you have a dog with you, the dog should be under close control and on a lead if you are passing through a field with livestock in it. You must clean up after your dog, even on a rural footpath.
2. A record of all public rights of way is maintained by Leeds City Council. The Definitive Map for Thorner marks all paths that are available for public use <https://leedscouncil.maps.arcgis.com>. There is no Open Access in Thorner. If you stray from the official path you are trespassing.
3. Please be especially careful of traffic when crossing or walking along busy roads.

**THANK YOU!
ENJOY YOUR WALK!!**

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