

ROMNEY STREET

Approximately 5 miles — Allow 3½ hours

This is a walk of fine views including Canary Wharf, with woodlands and wild flowers in abundance in season.

1. From Car Park enter Recreation Ground and turn right. Follow hedge to stile and cross onto bridleway. Leave at footpath on right past oast and farm.

2. Follow the path diagonally across field and railway track to road. Turn left and cross road to stile 200 yards on right. Take the path steeply uphill to brow. Seat at top affords magnificent views of the valley. Follow path steeply uphill between the trees to reach marked posts. Take the right footpath and follow this path onto the open hillside. Continue on the lower fork. Keeping fence on the left to stile. Follow path marked NW Kent & Circular Walk, through woodland and onto road. Turn right at road.

3. Take footpath on left just before Paines Farm and follow path through woods and into open field. In the valley take permissive footpath going left to Magpie Bottom.

4. At road turn right uphill to bridleway on left. Leave at footpath signed ahead. Walk straight with view of Canary Wharf on left. Turn right onto path to "Fox & Hounds" P.H.

5. From P.H. walk diagonally right across field to stile. Bearing left, follow this footpath for five minutes to reach bottom corner of narrow field. Take improvised stile on right followed shortly by another stile and walk down to road. Cross road bearing left and take left footpath posted. Following this on the edge of woodland and an open field to footpath at bottom left corner. Follow this footpath to road.

6. Turn right and walk to The Snail. At this triangle of land take the NDW as posted and walk down to road (view point).

7. At the road turn right and then left going through the Chalk Pit to the Station footpath, turn right. At road turn left and almost immediately down steps.

8. In Station Car Park take footpath on right with conifers on your left, past Church to Village Centre and Car Park.

