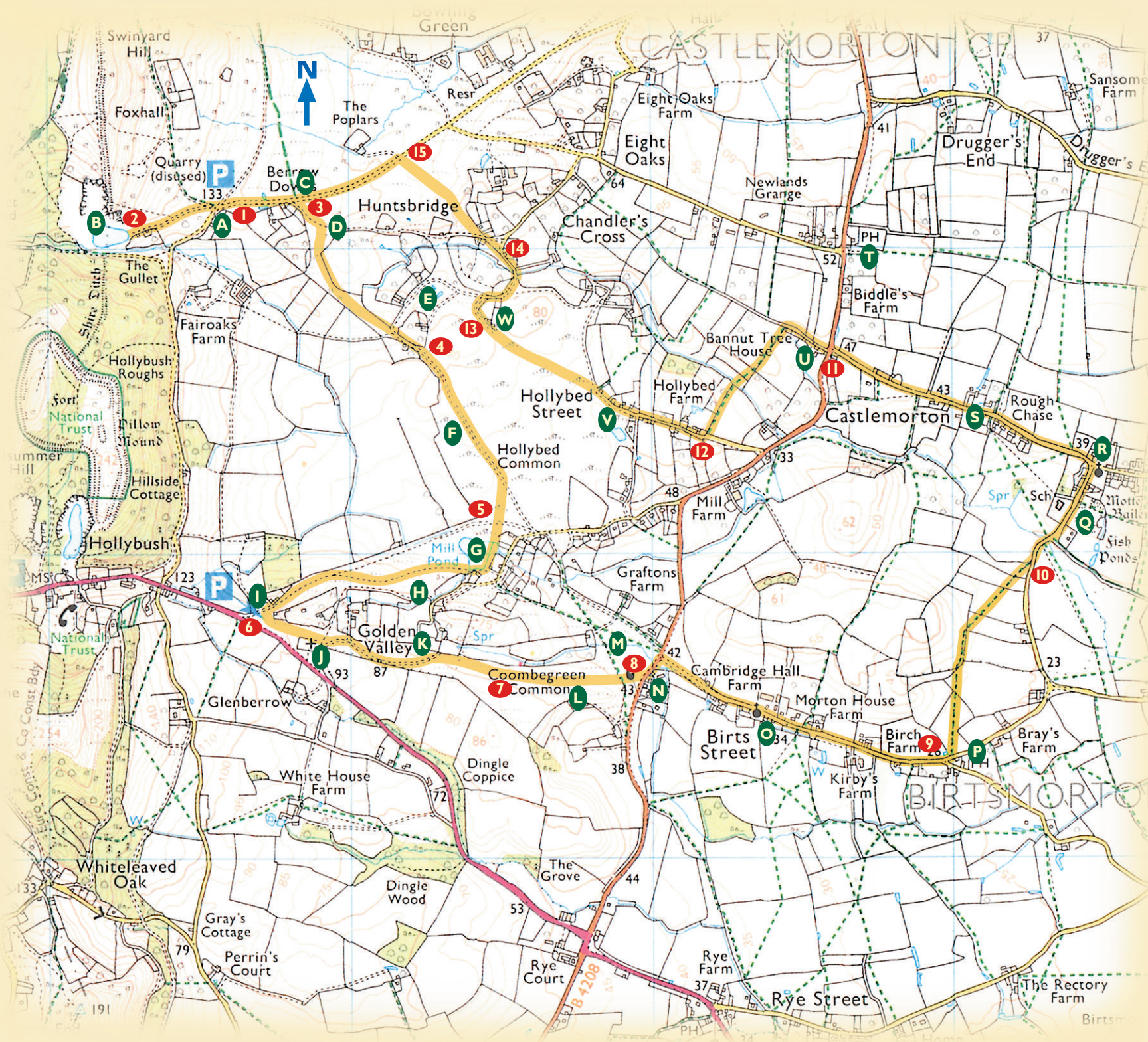


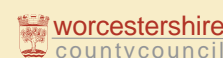
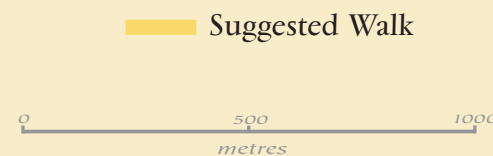
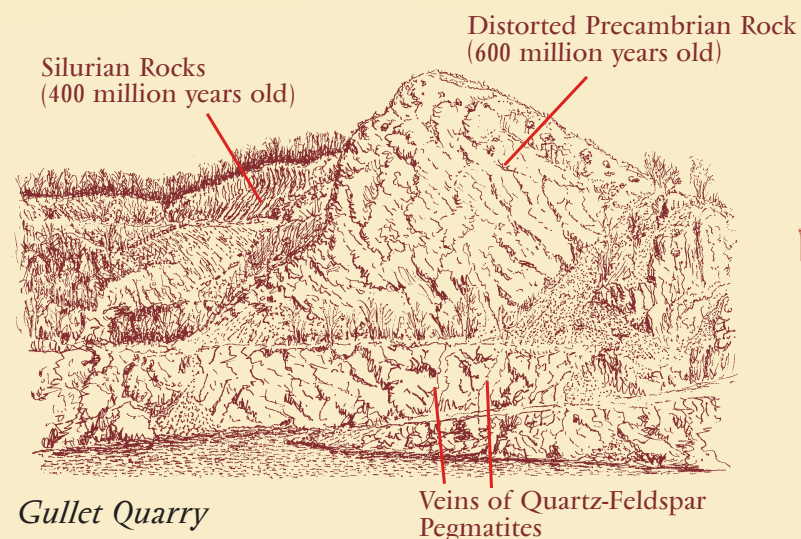
Route Directions

- 1 Park at Swinyard Car park (SO 766382). Take the metalled road towards the Hills (heading west) for 300m to arrive at the view point over Gullet Quarry.
- 2 Retrace your steps to the car park and carry on down the road for a further 200m.
- 3 Turn right just after the house (opposite the pool with the pollarded trees) and follow the track which passes between a succession of double posts. If in doubt keep to the edge of the common.
- 4 Just after you pass a house on your right you can either follow the track at the edge or a parallel track about 100m to the left. The latter passes over slightly higher ground giving better views. Carry on until you see the Mill Pond.
- 5 Aim to the left of the Mill Pond and cross the weir (CARE) and follow round the edge of the pond and then keep to your left after passing in front of a house. Carry on up the hill heading for the pass. (Alternative; pass to the right of the pond and carry on up the hill; you have the choice of several tracks which can help in a wet winter)
- 6 At the top of the rise turn left back on yourself and head for Hollybush Church. Carry on in the same direction after you have passed the Church.
- 7 Where the tracks fork, bear slightly left; pass through old quarry workings and keep to the left of a clump of trees on a hilltop. Carry on down the hill aiming for a green corrugated iron building with a red roof.
- 8 Turn left along the road, then right along Birts Street after 50m. Carry on for about 1 km until you reach the Farmers Arms.
- 9 Just before the Farmers Arms, take the left hand fork and after 40m go over a stile into a field. Head diagonally right across the field and carry on across a second field in the same direction. Keep to the right of the third field and enter a small wood on your right. Keep left through the wood and on leaving the wood, aim for the church spire across several more fields. (Alternative; take the road from the pub to Castlemorton; the views are not as attractive).



Farmers Arms

- 10 On reaching the road, carry on to the Church. At the church turn left and walk to the main road (800m).
- 11 Cross the road and turn left after the last barn (200m). Pass through the field and over a stile; then down over a bridge and up through a further field. Diversion; If you wish to visit the Robin Hood, the sign can be clearly seen from point 11.
- 12 On reaching Hollybed Street, turn right along the narrow road; as the road veers to the right (at 'the Bungalow') carry straight on across the common on the grass track.
- 13 At the top of the hill, veer to the right to join a small road; carry on to the right and then follow the road round to the left.
- 14 As the road swings to the right, go straight on between a red brick and a white house and carry on up the hill and across the plateau to reach a road.
- 15 Turn left along the road which will lead you to the car park.



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Mill Pond