

JURASSIC CYCLE TRAILS

3 FUN & INTERESTING BIKE TRAILS SUITABLE FOR ALL THE FAMILY

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Local Cycle Routes (LCR) and National Cycle Network (NCN) numbers can be found on blue cycle route signage on all trails.

LODMOOR TRAIL - 3 MILES

This trail is ideal for short family rides where many youngsters have achieved their first rides or first experience safely tucked up in a child seat, trailer or tagalong.

Route from Overcombe Car Park **7 4 6**

WEYMOUTH TRAIL - 8.5 MILES

Explore the delightful seaside Georgian town of Weymouth with its award winning beach and picturesque 17th Century working harbour - lots of places to explore.

Route from Overcombe Car Park **7 4 26**

PORTLAND TRAIL - 17 MILES

The full Jurassic Trail will take you to Osprey Quay and the world famous Isle of Portland with its 180,000 million years of history and unique landscapes and views.

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Mileages are round trips - easy to follow signed routes on cycleways and quiet streets with safe crossing points.



TRAFFIC FREE CYCLING!

There are **24 miles** of cycle routes in Weymouth & Portland, the majority are traffic-free.

This includes National Cycle Network route 26 which provides a direct and traffic-free connection to Dorchester and beyond by bike.

JURASSIC TRAIL EXTENSIONS

BOWLEAZE COVE - Extra 1.5 MILES

A great extension to your ride from Overcombe is to Bowleaze Cove a fun filled destination for all the family and the location for many ancient dinosaur bone finds.

PORTLAND BILL - Extra 11.5 MILES

On reaching Osprey Quay extend the ride all the way out to Portland Bill to see the famous lighthouse, Portland Bill Race and the quarry landscape.

ABBOTSBURY - Extra 21 MILES

From Weymouth divert west along the Jurassic Coast to the chocolate box village of Abbotsbury with its world famous Swannery, Tythe Barn and Tropical Gardens.

DORCHESTER - From Mount Pleasant Park & Ride Extra 12.5 MILES

Visit the county town for lots of visitor attractions, independent shops and impressive market every Wednesday. Just follow the traffic free NCN26 and head for the town centre.

Mileages are round trips - trail extension cycling is a bit more challenging on a mix of signed cycle routes, quiet roads and country lanes with some hill climbs.

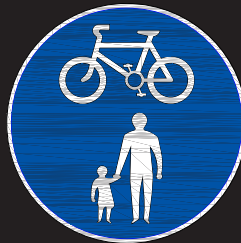


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SAFE, FLAT, FAMILY FRIENDLY
CYCLING TRAILS



BIKE POLITE CODE



Shared Paths - slow down, ring bell or say "excuse me" and say thanks when passing. Paths that can legally be shared by cyclists and pedestrians will be clearly signed as such, look out for each other and be considerate.

For useful cycling info and map downloads visit www.dorsetforyou.com/cycling & www.visit-dorset.com

The **Jurassic Cycle Trails** project has been supported by **Dorset County Council** as part of local improvements to walking and cycling routes - further information: www.dorsetforyou.com/lstf

Recommended Trails Car Park

Overcombe Car Park, Preston DT3 6SX

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LODMOOR | WEYMOUTH | PORTLAND

RIDE IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF
DINOSAURS

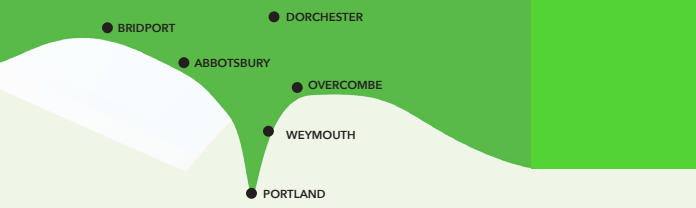


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DISCOVER THE CYCLE TRAILS OF WEYMOUTH & PORTLAND



Distances from Overcombe

	Miles	Kms	Leisure Ride 6mph	Direct Ride 10mph
Lodmoor	1	1.6	20 mins	5 mins
Weymouth	4.5	7.2	45 mins	20 mins
Sandsfoot	6	9.7	1 hour	30 mins
Ferrybridge	6.5	10.5	1hr 15 mins	35 mins
Chesil	7	11.3	1hr 25 mins	40 mins
Osprey Quay	8.5	13.7	1hr 40 mins	50 mins
Portland Bill	13.5	21.7	3hrs 10 mins	1hr 45 mins
Dorchester	8.5	13.7	2hrs	1hr
Bowleaze Cove	1	1.6	20 mins	10 mins
Abbotsbury	15	17	2hrs 30 mins	1hr 45 mins

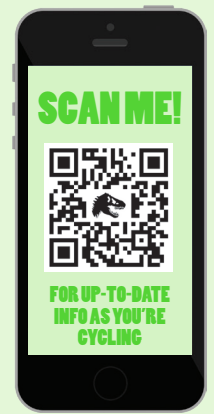
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weymouthbicyclehire.co.uk	07973 751393
tilleysmotorcycles.co.uk	01305 785672
westhamcycles.com	01305 776977



LOOK FOR THE LOGO

Keep a look out for Jurassic Cycle Trail logos on sign posts along the cycle route which will keep you on the right trail.



KEEP TRACK ON THE MOVE

Make the most of your ride by scanning the QR Code which leads you to the Jurassic Cycle Trails website featuring all the attractions, activities and amenities in the key locations. Also look out for the QR Codes on signage close to each main location - located underneath the trail logos.

www.jurassiccycletrails.co.uk

MAP KEY

LODMOOR TRAIL	3 Miles	7 4 6
WEYMOUTH TRAIL	8.5 Miles	7 4 26
PORTLAND TRAIL	17 Miles	7 4 26

TRAIL EXTENSION (indicated by a red dashed line)

- P** Parking
- WC** Toilets
- TA** Tourist Attraction
- CH** Cycle Hire
- Fork & Drink** Food & Drink
- Picnic Spot** Picnic Spot