

# RIVERS LOOP

NB: This map is almost to scale but artistic licence has been used and not all roads are included.



## KEY

-  Rivers Loop: Sealed, hard surface
-  Unsealed surface (condition weather dependent)
-  Steep unsealed surface
-  Roads
-  Green spaces
-  Rivers
-  Toilets
-  Toilets with Changing Places
-  Bus Station
-  Car Park



# Bridport Heritage Trail

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Bridport Town Council is working to develop a heritage interpretation system that provides coherent, coordinated, and well-connected interpretation across the wider Bridport area.

We want to encourage local people and visitors to experience, understand and value our rich local heritage. We encourage people to visit the heritage attractions on offer across the Bridport area.

There is a companion heritage trail leaflet on the Saxon Town Loop with accompanying podcasts.

[bridportandwestbay.co.uk](http://bridportandwestbay.co.uk)

This heritage walk and accompanying podcasts have been supported through the Dorset National Landscape's Sustainable Development Fund.

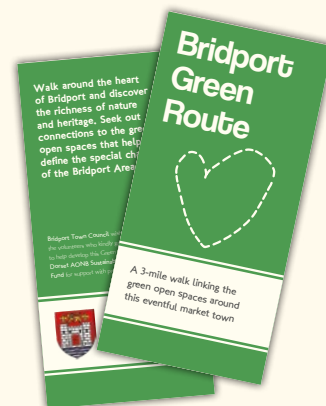


## Other useful information

### Bridport Green Route

A 3-mile walk around this historic market town.

The Green Route leaflet is available from Bridport Tourist Information Centre and as a download by clicking [HERE](#).



For more information about heritage attractions, walks and talks programme visit Bridport Tourist Information Centre.

## A walk along the Brit and Asker rivers to Bridport Harbour

Take time to explore the rivers that brought trade to the town and were harnessed by local industry. Along the way, enjoy the wildlife rich riverside corridors and treat yourselves with refreshments in West Bay.

Two downloadable podcasts have been produced offering heritage insights to accompany this walk - click to listen:

1. [Women workers in the net and rope industry](#)

2. [Shipbuilding in Bridport Harbour](#)

The walk is approximately 10 kms, allow 2 - 3 hours.

**West Bay Discovery Centre** is based in a Grade II listed former Methodist Chapel. The Discovery Centre is a unique attraction that offers visitors engaging ways to learn about wildlife, the forces of nature and West Bay's heritage in shipbuilding, tourism, and industry. [westbaydiscoverycentre.org.uk](http://westbaydiscoverycentre.org.uk)



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