







Route Fact File	
Location:	2 miles north-west of Penistone, just off Royd Moor Road
Difficulty:	Two Boots
Route Length:	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Miles / 2.4 Kilometres
Walking Time:	1¼ hour
Terrain & Gradient:	From <b>points 1-2</b> along the eastern edge of the walk, the path is a wide surfaced track. As the walk continues past <b>point 2</b> , it becomes unsurfaced and can be muddy with lots of tree roots covering the path. There are no steps or stiles. Sturdy boots are recommended for this walk.
How To Get There:	<b>By car:</b> on-street parking is located near <b>point</b> <b>1</b> on Royd Moor Road, S36 7RD
	<b>From Penistone:</b> take the A628 heading West. After 0.7miles, take a sharp right heading into Thurlstone. Head uphill along Towngate and after 0.1miles, bear left onto Royd Moor Road. After 0.8miles, you'll see a small car park on your right.
	<b>From Holmfirth:</b> Follow the B6106 towards Penistone. After 6.7miles, take a left onto Royd Lane. Follow the road for 0.7 miles, then turn onto Royd Moor Hill which becomes Royd Moor Lane after 0.1miles. The car park will be on your left after 0.4miles.
	<b>By public transport:</b> Unfortunately, there are no public transport links for Royd Moor Reservoir.
	For up to date travel information from any location visit google maps to search directions.
Facilities:	None
OS Map:	Explorer OL1 and Explorer 288

Follow this shorter walk for charming views of the surrounding farmland and enjoy the native oak woodlands around the reservoir. The path

is riddled with tree roots in sections and can be

boggy at times. The walk is 11/2 Miles long.

## **Route Description:**

From the car park at **point 1**, head through the gate onto the track directly opposite the road. Keep following the track, ignoring a path to your left at **point 4** after around 650m, you'll see a gate on your left which leads onto the embankment. Go through the gate and cross the embankment to **point 2**.

Immediately after the embankment, the path bears left towards the reservoir with a bench on your right. Keep following the track to **point 3** where you'll meet a bridge. Cross the bridge and turn immediately left after the bridge. Follow the path crossing several small bridges and one large bridge to **point 4**. Turn right and follow the track back to the car park at **point 1**. Great care has been taken to ensure that the information in our route guides (or other information made available) is accurate. However, we accept no liability for any claim, loss, damage or injury (howsoever arising) incurred by those using the information provided in activity packs or by Yorkshire Water generally.

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