



BRITISH WALKING FEDERATION

PERMANENT TRAIL 248

BANKS OF THE RIVER
HOUSE IN SELBY



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DISTANCE: 12km.

ENTRY FEE: £1.00. **AWARD:** Badge at £3.00

ENTRY SYSTEM: Postal – Send completed entry form, cheque, answers to the question & IVV Book. **CHEQUES:** Payable to The Irregulars.

START VENUE: Osgodby Village Hall (Map Explorer 209 GR 642337)

APPROACH BY ROAD: From A 19 (Selby -York) turn on to A63 towards Hull. In half an hour turn left into Osgodby Village and park next to Wadkin Arms Pub in the car park between the pub and the village Hall.

ROUTE INFO: The organisers are not liable for accidents, thefts and/or damage to property. Every effort will be made by the organisers to make this a safe, enjoyable and memorable event.

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ROUTE DESCRIPTION (Updated February 2016)

Turn RIGHT from car park, pass the pub and follow the road round the corner to the Left, Reach the A63 main road and cross it. Go to green public footpath sign and turn left down this path, sign says A19 Barby Road. Follow between hedges, then diagonally right to cross a small wooden bridge. Follow path straight ahead over 2nd wooden bridge to main road.

Q1 - How many steps to the road A19?

Cross the very fast and busy main road with care. Then straight over down the steps, through a small woodland. Follow the path left down the field side through a wooden gate to the road. Cross the road, almost immediately opposite turn down the road signposted Peartree Close and in a short distance 4 yard pass sign saying Riverside Close turn right down the side of the field and then up the bank to the top of the walled riverside path. Turn LEFT and follow the river bank path, ignoring any tracks down, all the way to Selby. Ignore all tracks down and stay right next to the river,

Q2 - At the yellow sign which 2 names are advertised as over the level crossing?

Still ignore all paths away from river bank. Eventually you arrive at the Old Selby Toll Bridge. If you wish to visit the town and its Abbey you can turn right here.

Q3 - The old wheels for the swing bridge were in use from which dates?

Cross the main road and straight over continuing on the banks of the River Ouse, with the river still on your right.

Q4 - The last house before open ground is named after which tree?

Still on the river bank pass derelict farm buildings and at a bend near a large tree turn right through gate with a yellow footpath sign, stay along the river bank following a small wall. You can stay on the track below the bank if you prefer, its drier. Go under the road bridge(Selby Bye Pass) and over the stile by double wooden gates. Carry on along the track by the river bank. A dyke comes in from the left after more derelict buildings.

Q5 - What is the date on the oblong building at the end of the dyke?

Carry on along the track, pass Turnham Hall, to a track on the left (leaving the river bank), just before a bungalow. Proceed up this track; it is called Carr Lane on a map. Cross a railway and exit at main road, A63. Turn left, cross the road and first right into Lund Village.

Follow this lane through the small hamlet, it bends left and right and continues through arable land. At Gale House on right turn LEFT down Old Railway Walk. Leave the railway walk by turning right at the metal gate with several signs. Its signed Osgodby.

Q7 - On orange/red sign what have you to report?

The wide track leads across fields and becomes tarmac. Then turn left with the main road. The Wadkin Arms is soon reached on your left.

Before dashing off home why not spend some time wandering round Selby.

WELL DONE FOR COMPLETING THE WALK

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