

Treuddyn Circular Walks - No 4

Distance 4 miles
Allow 2 - 3 hours

There are some fabulous views of Waun y Llyn on this walk. Hard silica sandstone was quarried here in 19th and 20th centuries and taken down the hillside to Coed Talon where it was ground into silica. You also get good views over the disused railway line at Coed Talon and the adjoining wetland that is managed as a nature reserve. Look out for orchids and other wildflowers in the grassland before you reach the old school in Coed Talon.

Coed Nant Byr or Coed Talon Woods are fabulous, carpeted with wildflowers in the springtime. Lesser celandine, wood sorrel and wood anemone are followed by bluebells and pungent wild garlic. Later on in the walk you also pass an old lime kiln, tucked away in the hedgerow.

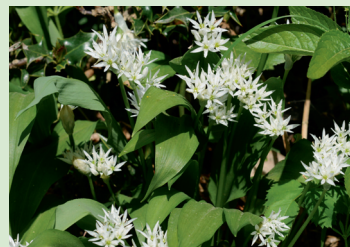
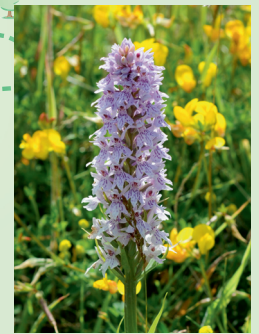
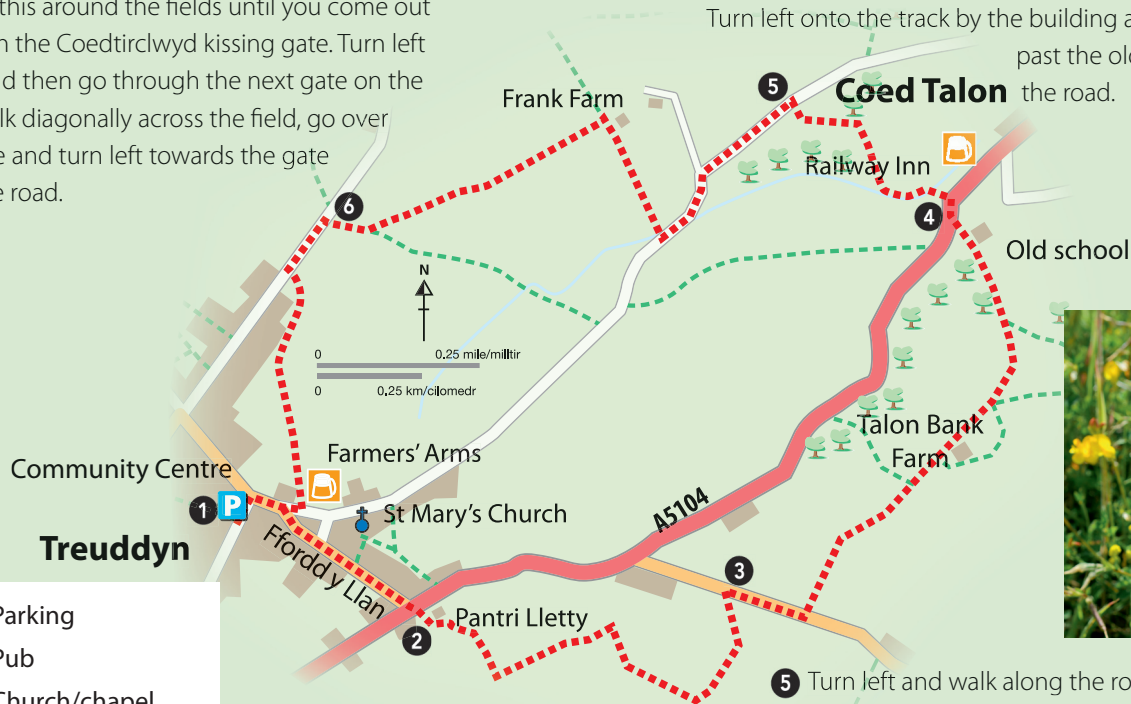
Start in Village Community Centre car park on Queen Street

1 Turn left out of the car park and right down Llys Degwm. Follow the road around to the right past the Farmers' Arms to the main road (A5104).

2 Cross over the road and go up the steps in the farm shop car park onto the permissive path. Follow this around the fields until you come out through the Coedtirclwyd kissing gate. Turn left here and then go through the next gate on the left. Walk diagonally across the field, go over the stile and turn left towards the gate and the road.

3 Turn right and walk along the road. Ignore the footpath by the house but take the next footpath into the field. Follow the path alongside the fence through a gate and over two stiles to the driveway. Turn right onto the drive and then go through the white gates of Talon Banks Farm. Carry on through the brown gates by the house and the kissing gate into the field. Go over the stile and continue down the hill, keeping the ménage on your right. Go over the stile in the hedgerow and bear left down the field.

Turn left onto the track by the building and follow this past the old school down to the road.



5 Turn left and walk along the road past the drive to Frank Farm. Turn right onto the footpath and follow the path alongside the hedge to the farmyard. Do not go straight on here but go over the stile on the left and follow this path up the field. Carry on over two stiles and then bear right, keeping the hedge on your right, up to the road.

4 Turn right onto the road and then right onto the waymarked path next to the former Coed Talon Hotel. Go over the bridge and follow the path around to the right and up the hill through the woodland. Carry on along the path at the top of the bank and go through the gate into the field. Go straight up the field and through the gate on the right. Follow the path to the road.

6 Turn left onto the road and then left again onto the footpath as you come into the village. Continue around the back of the houses and go through the old metal kissing gate. Follow the well-worn path across the field to the kissing gate and continue to the road. Turn right up the road, then left into Queen Street and back to the car park.

- Parking
 - Pub
 - Church/chapel
 - Public right of way
 - Route
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