

**The Manor  
House Hotel**

**The  
Ashbury  
Hotel**

The Only Sport, Craft & Spa  
Hotels in the UK

**7.8 Mile Cycle Trail**

**PEGASUS WAY**

**INTERMEDIATE**

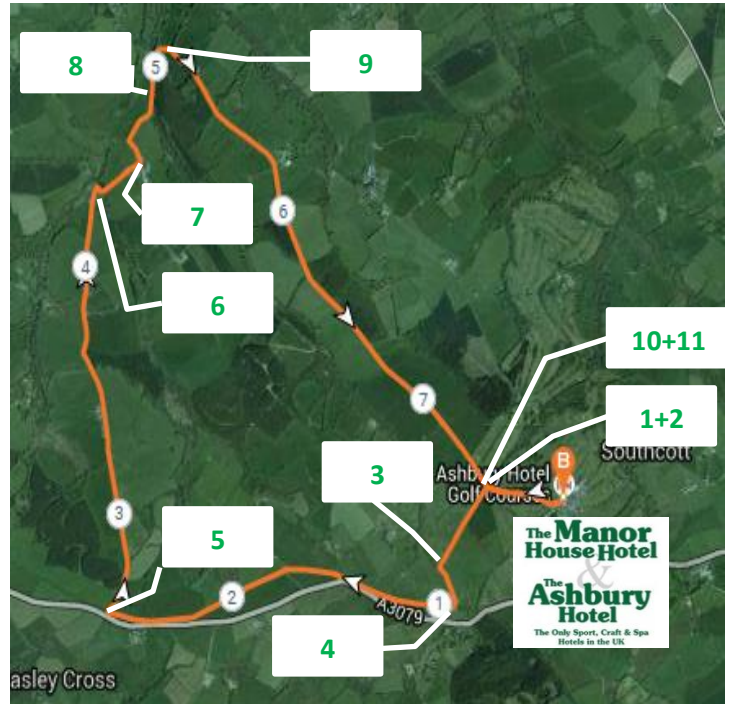
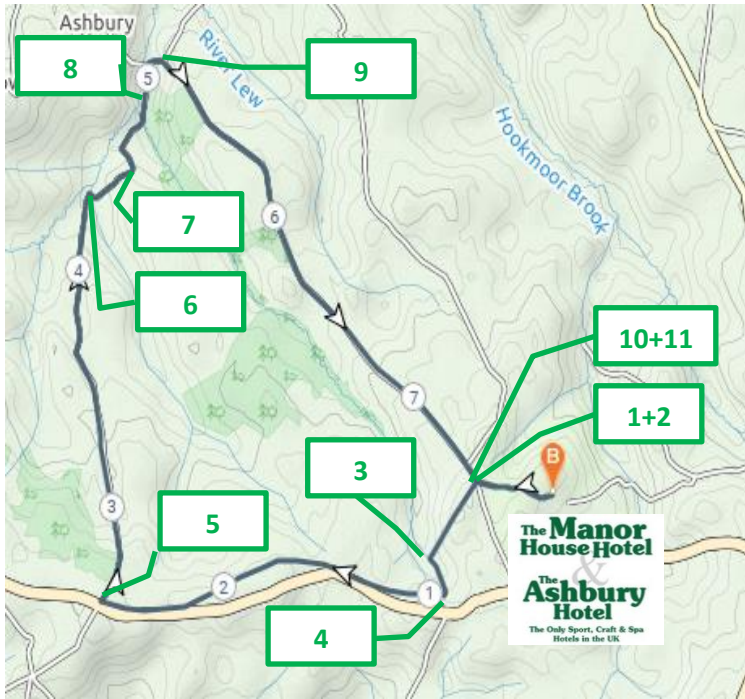


# DIRECTIONS

|   | Distance  | Marker Point              | General Information   |
|---|-----------|---------------------------|---|
| ① | 0.0 Miles | <b>Ashbury Golf Hotel</b> | <b>From the Ashbury Hotel Reception Head West to the end of the Driveway</b>  |
| ② | 0.4 Miles | <b>STRAIGHT ON</b>        | <b>At the Ashbury Driveway Entrance, cross the road onto the Pines Course and stay tight to the hedge line on your left hand side to the bottom of the hill. You will have to leave the buggy road at the bottom to get around the back of the last tee to get to the far bottom left of this part of the golf course. BEWARE OF GOLFERS!</b> |
| ③ | 0.7 Miles | <b>TURN LEFT</b>          | <b>After the small bridge and Bridlepath Gate and follow the incline on the footpath</b>  |
| ④ | 0.9 Miles | <b>TURN RIGHT</b>         | <b>At the top of the hill turn right and follow the bridlepath along, remembering to shut the gates along the way!</b>  |
| ⑤ | 2.5 Miles | <b>TURN RIGHT</b>         | <b>At Venndown Cross next to the A3079.</b>   |
| ⑥ | 4.3 Miles | <b>TURN RIGHT</b>         | <b>At the Wadland Barton Farm Junction</b>  |
| ⑦ | 4.5 Miles | <b>STRAIGHT ON</b>        | <b>Follow the road past the farm house to the left – <u>DO NOT TURN RIGHT</u></b>   |
| ⑧ | 4.8 Miles | <b>STRAIGHT ON</b>        | <b>Carry past the entrance to the Wadland Barton Plantation which will be on your right</b>   |
| ⑨ | 5.1 Miles | <b>TURN RIGHT</b>         | <b>At the Kennel Bridge Junction leading you uphill, carry on for 2.4 miles</b>   |
| ⑩ | 7.5 Miles | <b>TURN LEFT</b>          | <b>When you reach the Ashbury Driveway</b>  |
| ⑪ | 7.8 Miles | <b>FINISH</b>             | <b>You will now have reached the Ashbury Hotel. We hope you have enjoyed the ride!</b>  |

# MAPS

## ASHBURY HOTEL – THORNDON CROSS – VENNDOWN CROSS – BOGTOWN - ASHBURY



### Route Information at a Glance

|                 |                            |                   |                            |
|-----------------|----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| Distance        | 7.811 miles                | Total Ascent      | 603 feet                   |
| Lowest Point    | 446 feet (at 4.79 miles)   | Highest Point     | 810 feet (at 1.73 miles)   |
| Uphill          | 2.52 miles (32.2%)         | Downhill          | 3.15 miles (32.7%)         |
| Flat            | 2.74 miles (35.1%)         | Max. Height Gain  | 364 feet                   |
| Steepest Uphill | +13.3% (at 5.11 miles)     | Steepest Downhill | -10.0% (at 4.14 miles)     |
| Longest Uphill  | 0.88 miles (at 6.41 miles) | Longest Downhill  | 1.73 miles (at 2.61 miles) |



# POINTS OF INTEREST

|           |                                      |  |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|--|
| 0.0 Miles | Ashbury Golf Hotel                   | From the Ashbury Hotel Reception Head West to the end of the Driveway  |
| 0.3 Miles | The Pines Course                     | The front nine holes of the Pines Course were completed in 2003. These holes were brought in to compliment and extend the existing holes on the Ashbury Golf Courses. The bridlepath down the left hand side of the first and second holes pre dates the golf course itself.   |
| 1.5 Miles | Maddaford Moor Halt Railway Platform | Keep an eye out for the railway platform on your right as you cycle this trail. This platform serviced Thorndon Cross for 40 years on the Okehampton to Bude line. It opened in in 1926 and was made redundant in 1966 with the full closure of the route.   |
| 4.2 Miles | Wigdon Mill                          | Wigdon Mill was one of three main water powered mills in the area. They were a necessary feature of village life servicing the community and the local livestock by producing flour and grain.   |
| 4.6 Miles | Wadland Barton                       | Wadland Barton is another area that is steeped in the rich local history with records ranging back to 1297. An "E Shaped" Manor House was erected on the site in 1664, sadly this building is no longer present but a stone outside the current building is inscribed 1685. From the valley around the farm you can clearly see Yes Tor and High Willhays, two of the highest peaks on Dartmoor. |

