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Portsdown Walk Number 3

What You'll See

• WWI Anti-Invasion Redoubt

• Q-site observation bunker

Details

Distance: 2.25 miles (3.6Km)

Time required: 2 hours or more to allow for looking around

All walking is on the flat and off road. Boots

Conditions: required. After a wet spell Wellingtons are

advisable. Wear clothing that will protect you

from the undergrowth

Disabled access: Not possible

Facilities: None. No public toilets

What else to do: Visit the Q-site secondary bunker

Before you start

You may want to print off some notes and photos from the PORTSDOWN TUNNELS website about the places you are going to visit. This is best done from the page you downloaded this document from, as there are links there to all the sites.

The Route

The start of the walk is at a small carpark [see maps 1 & 2] which is accessible from the Eastern Road roundabout on the A27(T). Make your way to Portsmouth using either the A27 from the east; the M27 from the west; the A3 from the north. [see map 1]

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Using map 2 follow the red marker to the pedestrian underpass under the A27(T).

Using map 3 follow the red marker making you way east as best you can until you find the WWI redoubt. A wooden electricity pylon sits directly on the site.

Make your way back to the carpark by the same route.

From the car park go a little way south until you find the Q-site bunker marked 'QS' on map 2.

There is another Q-site bunker on the east coast of Farlington Marshes [see map 2] which you could make your way to using the coastal path at a convenient point during the walk.

Farlington Marshes

Farlington Marshes is Site of Special Scientific Interest and is designated as a European Special Protection Area. Please treat the area with due respect.

Feedback

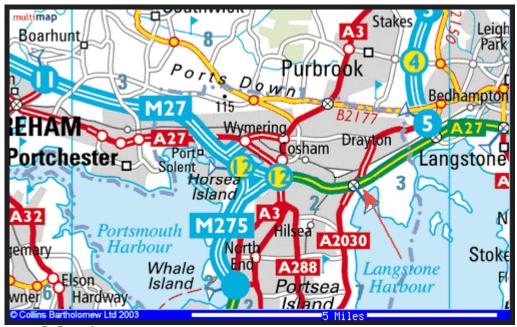
I would be very interested to receive any comments you may have after you have taken this tour. You can email me from the PORTSDOWN TUNNELS website.

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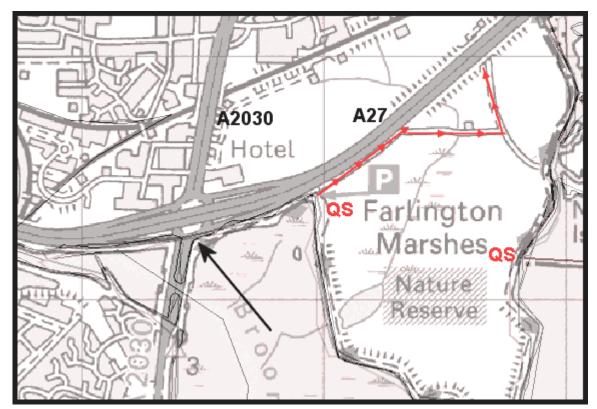
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Map1 the roundabout access to the carpark is arrowed

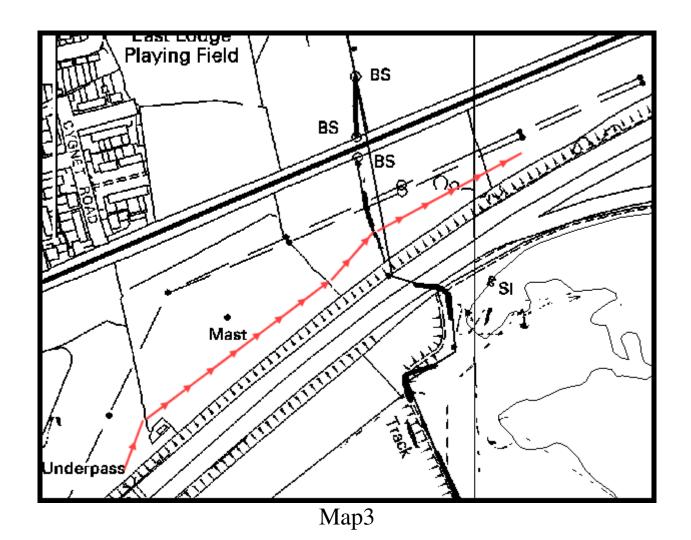


Map2 — the access road to the carpark is arrowed

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