

W33 Brading Circular.

Brading is a small historic town and a number of hostelrys are taking part.

Outbound from Ryde, from the drop off bus lay-by, follow the pavement back and on the same side of the road, you are immediately at The Wheatsheaf. Literally just a minute further on you will find The Bugle Inn.

Exiting the Bugle, cross over the road and as you re-trace your steps back to the bus drop off, the Kynges Well awaits.

A further extension of the walk, turning right out of the Kynges Well, go past the 'Bull Ring' and carry on up The Mall, which is the original road through Brading. The main road which follows a 90 degree bend adjacent to The Mall was actually built many years ago as 'The By-Pass'. Sadly, hardly appears to be that now! Carry on along the Mall and on descending and then follow the road as it bends left to the Yarbridge traffic lights, you will come to the Yarbridge Inn.

Several routes inter-connect here, please look at programme notes for details.

For those wishing a complete circular with a difference proceed as follows (NOTE, the following is not suitable for pushchairs or wheelchairs). Coming out of the Yarbridge Inn, turn right over the railway bridge and immediately take the steps down to the footpath alongside the railway, numbered B69. This takes you to Brading Heritage Station, but beware this can become muddy and sometimes challenging with invasive foliage! You may be able to take a tour of the Heritage Signal Box as they should be available over the weekend.

Take the road back then to the centre for the bus pick up. Alternatively, you may wish to continue the week-end on one of the Island Line trains.