

c242 Latrigg from Keswick

Keswick is on the A66 between Cockermouth & Penrith

The walk shown is for guidance only and should not be attempted without suitable maps.

Details	
Distance:	10km (6¼ miles)
Total Ascent:	415m (1361ft)
Time:	3½ hrs Grade: 4
Maps:	OS Landranger® 89 or 90 or OS Explorer Map™ OL4
Start/Finish:	Moot Hall, Keswick, Cumbria
Grid Ref:	NY266234

GPS data: Position Format = 'British Grid'
Map Datum = 'ord srvy GB'
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Fine views of Keswick from this Wainwright

S Go SE from Moot Hall (*Tourist Information Centre*) and walk between the Britannia Building Society and Gregg's Bakery before going NE on Station Street. Continue NE across the A591 (now on Station Road) to reach Keswick Leisure Pool. (½ km)

① Go through the Leisure Pool's grounds (keeping right of the building) and then NW (left) at a mini-roundabout to follow Brundholme Road and then Briar Rigg Road for 300m. (½ km)

② Go NE (right) on a track (*Spooney Green Lane*) signed 'Skiddaw' to cross over the A66. Go through another gate before climbing up through woods. Ignore a gate on the right (signed 'Brundholme Circular Walk') and a second clear track heading E (right) just after a hairpin bend (*this is a slightly shorter but very steep route to Latrigg summit*). Continue NE by the edge of the wood on a clear track that crosses a stream (*2nd hairpin*), goes through a gate and slowly begins to bear ENE to a junction. (1½ km)

③ Go sharply S (right) at the path junction to climb a clear grass path (signed 'No Horses or Cycles') that zig-zags to the summit of Latrigg (*bench*). (1½ km)

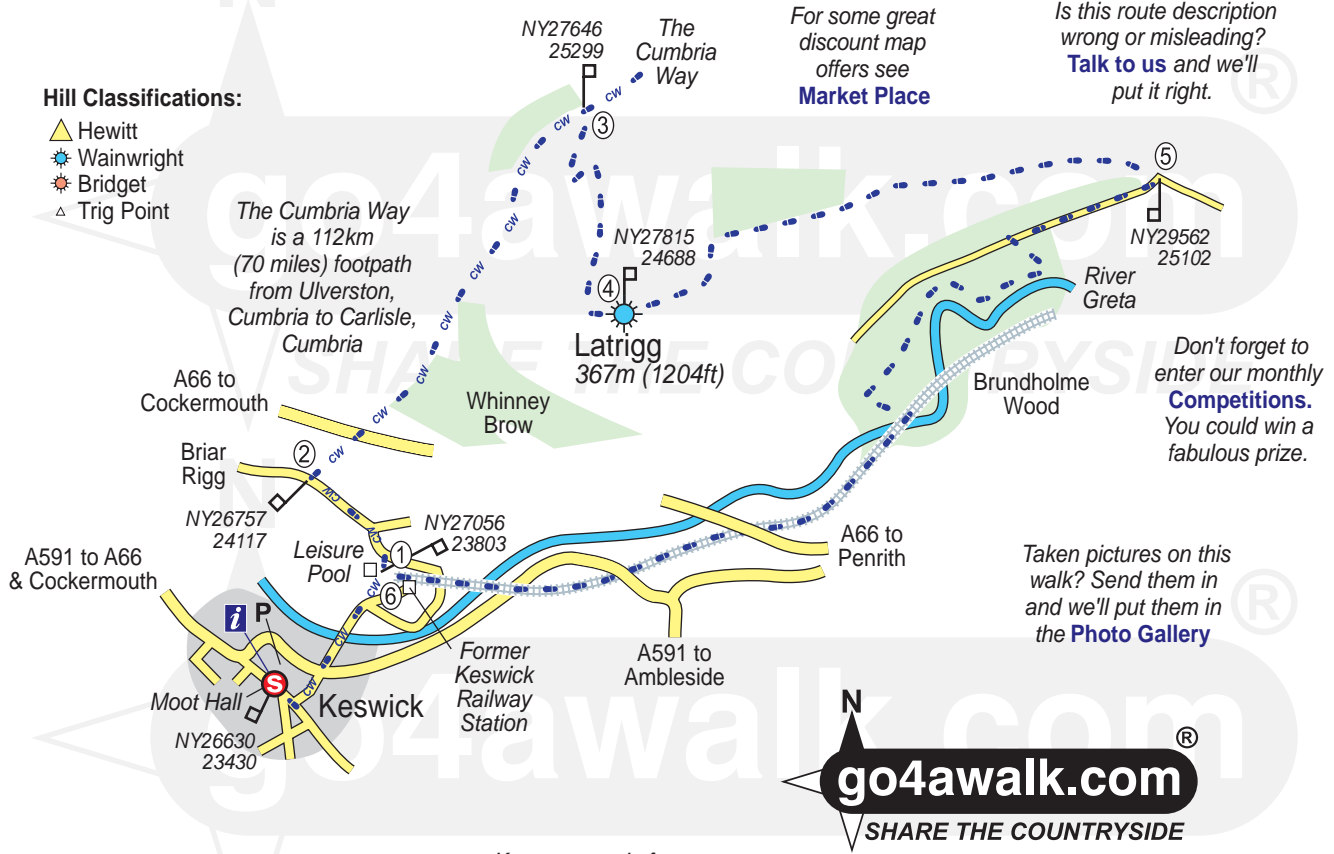
④ Go NE along the summit ridge, going through a gate before descending to the start of a grass track at a second gate. Continue NE on the track to reach a road. (2km)

⑤ Go SW (right) on the road to enter Brundholme Wood for 100m before bearing SE (left) on a 'Permitted Path'. Descend through the trees to the banks of the River Greta before going W (right) on the bank side path. Stay with the path as it climbs up high above the river to reach a signed path junction. Go SE (left - signed 'Railway Footpath') to return to the River Bank by a railway bridge. Climb up the steps to the trackbed and go SW over the bridge to follow the dismantled railway back to Keswick Leisure Pool. (3½ km)

⑥ Retrace your steps back to Keswick, Moot Hall and the start. (½ km)

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- ▲ Hewitt
- ⊙ Wainwright
- ⊙ Bridget
- △ Trig Point



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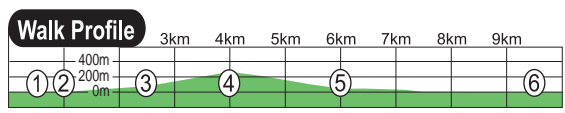
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