BROCKHOLES

DIRECTIONS TO BROCKHOLES BY BUS

FROM PRESTON BUS STATION

If you are coming from Preston Bus Station catch either Stagecoach-in-Lancashire bus 59 or Transdev Lancashire United Ribble Valley Express service X80/280 and get off at the Tickled Trout Hotel, just before the M6 junction.

After alighting from the bus, walk back over the river bridge, taking the first track on the right by a metal crash barrier fence. Walk 50 metres along the track, before going through the metal kissing gate on the right which leads onto the cycle track, now the Guild Wheel Cycle Way.

FROM EAST LANCASHIRE

In the other direction Bus 59 provides a direct service from Blackburn or Accrington (half hourly weekdays, hourly Sundays) whilst the Lancashire United Ribble Valley Express X80/280 serves Skipton, Barnoldswick, Clitheroe and Whalley, (connections from Burnley) hourly on weekdays, two hourly on Sundays.

If coming from the Blackburn or Clitheroe direction, depart at the first bus stop past the M6 which is the Tickled Trout. Cross the A59 carefully at the refuge, then follow directions for the Preston bus.

Follow this level tarmac track which soon goes alongside the river and under the concrete arches of the slip roads, motorway and along the vehicle access road to the main entrance to the reserve.

GENERAL INFORMATION

DO NOT walk towards the M6 Motorway Junction. There are no footpaths or pedestrian refuges in this area, and no pedestrian access to Brockholes.

If walking back from the main Visitor Centre to your bus stop, allow 40 minutes for the full walk.

For downloadable X80/280 timetables log onto www.lancashirebus.co.uk.