



Under Route updates:

(Map OS Explorer OL43). This stage of the trail begins from Corbridge at the south end of the bridge at the access road in front of the Lion Court apartments. Turn right and follow the road as it climbs to go over the bridge over the railway. Just beyond the two traffic mirrors, go up the steps to enter the woods.

Bear right and follow the path between the trees and go through the waymarked gate. Continue up the field edge. At the top of the field go over the stile. Cross the road with care and enter the field opposite. Continue along the field edge with shrub land on your right. Leave the field by the waymarked stile.

Cross the lane (Ladycutter Lane) and go through the waymarked gate. Continue straight ahead climbing quite steeply at times as you pass through a further four kissing gates. You meet an access road at Mount Pleasant Cottage. Turn left and walk down the road for a short way and bear left at the fork. (If the weather conditions are bad you may prefer to turn right and continue on the road), Walk down the road for about 120yds and go over the stone stile on the right. Walk up the field towards the gap between the tree and the telegraph pole to a ladder stile. Cross the stile and continue ahead in the same direction to exit via the stone stile onto an access road to Burn Brae Lodge

Ignore the access road but instead turn left to walk up the minor road. Continue along the minor road as it climbs steadily with woods on your left before it bears left to climb past High Ash and High Level Cottage. At the top of the climb you pass Prospect Hill farm. At the crossroads turn left. The road descends gradually for about $\frac{3}{4}$ mile.

(Map OS Explorer 316). At the T-junction turn left. After about 220yds, turn right into the entrance to some properties at Riding Hills. Walk straight ahead between the properties and turn right before reaching a gate. Walk a few yards along the side of the property and go through a gate. Cross a stile to exit from the properties. Continue down the field edge with the hedge on your left. After going through two gates you arrive at road. Turn left and follow this slightly busier road past the pleasant properties of Beauclerc. Continue along the road as it bears right and descends to meet the main road. Cross over with care and turn right into Riding Mill. Continue ahead to rejoin the route described from The Wellington on Page 125.

This amendment adds $\frac{3}{4}$ mile to the Corbridge-Riding Mill section. If you wish to make up for lost time and avoid further climbs, you can follow the pavement alongside the A695 from Riding Mill to Stocksfield, rather than the more scenic route

(see P125-128).