



## Public House Walks

### The Inn at Cranborne

CRANBORNE



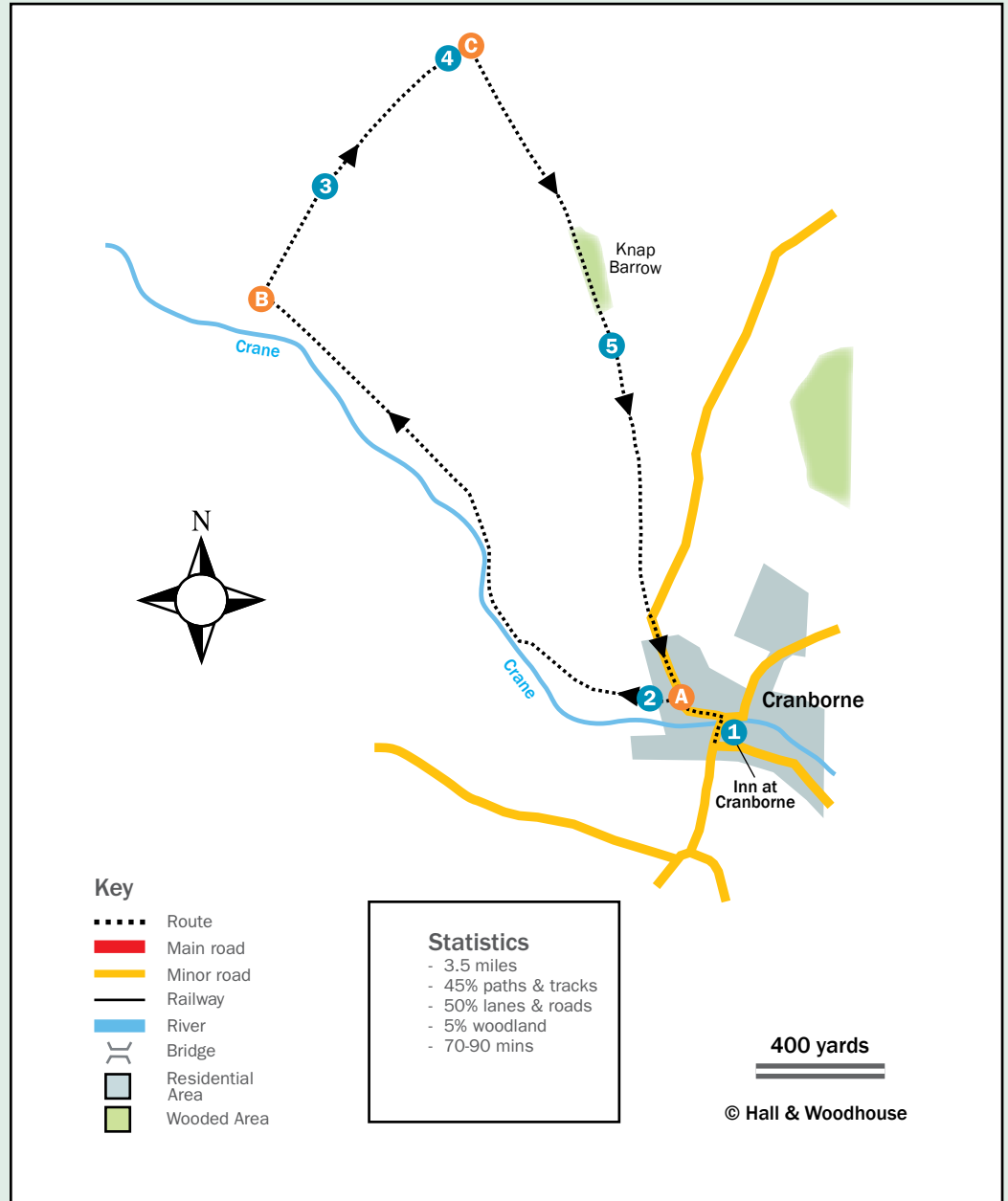
*"An undulating and rewarding walk across the ancient chalk downland of North Dorset. Good under foot with expansive views and an abundance of birdlife."*

**3.5 miles**

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**1** From the pub car park entrance, turn right along Castle Street for 30 yards and turn right at T junction. Cross road and continue ahead on pavement for 100 yards past Post Office to right.

Turn left into The Square and 100 yards ahead, bear right at 1 o'clock into the High Street. 60 yards on, road bends to right. Follow round and 40 yards ahead, turn left between

**A** houses on to track (see assist).

60 yards ahead, pass through wood gate and continue ahead on track across field with **2** Cranborne Manor 150 yards to left. After 400 yards, pass through Manor Farm and bear right on to lane.

Pass large barn to right and continue ahead with river Crane to the left (not always visible). Follow lane for 1500 yards through glorious rolling countryside with power lines running parallel 15 yards to left.

Pass Cranborne Farm to left and turn right past marker post (see assist) on to chalk and flint track (part of the Jubilee Trail). **3** Follow gently uphill past fields and hedges.

After 500 yards, gradient increases. Continue on track for 500 yards and it levels out then heads gently downhill for 60 yards. With metal gate and wonderful views **4** and **C** intersection (see assist).

Follow grass track gently uphill between hedges. After 650 yards, pass woods of Knap Barrow to left. Continue and 450 yards on, pass to left of metal gate and continue on track past houses to left. Track becomes a tarmac lane. Follow gently downhill between high hedges.

300 yards ahead, gradient increases. 120 yards on, pass road sign to left and bear right on to lane into Cranborne. Follow gently downhill past delightful houses for 300 yards and lane bends left.

Follow round and continue for 160 yards to the T junction. Turn right past Cranborne Stores and follow pavement back past Post Office.

It's just 100 yards back to the Inn at Cranborne for some well deserved hospitality!

