

ANNAN WALKING GROUP – WALK 473

SUNDAY 14TH JULY 2024 AE FOREST

Walk Leader(s)	Craig Duggan (07756 654315)
Distance	Approx 5 Miles 8 kms
Walk Time	Approx 3.5 Hours
Walk Description	The walk takes us through stands of douglas fir trees which are beautiful any time of year. We then proceed up river through the forest to a scenic bridge over the river Ae and return back on the other side before crossing back over another footbridge to return to the start. Good under foot on well-maintained paths. Flat / level with only minor uphill sections.
Travel	From Annan take the A75 west at the 3rd roundabout on the Dumfries bypass Turn right onto the A701 heading north past Heathall and Locharbriggs. About 4 miles north of Locharbriggs turn left for Ae village. Just past the village turn right. The car park is 150 metres on the left. Arrive at car park next to Forestry commission offices and Cafe near Ae village. Toilets at Cafe. Mini-bus available for up to 16 passengers. Return Fare £5 Seats are on first come, first served basis. Please bring change of shoes to keep the bus clean. Mini-bus departs Murray Street car park, Annan at 9.30.
Walk Start Point / Toilets	Start Point:- Forestry commission car park at AE What3Words: herds.loudness.competing OS grid ref NX 985894 Start Time Approx – 10.30am Toilets – Nearby
Dogs	Dogs okay in owners cars. Should be on leads. May be livestock in fields (short sections only).
Refreshments	Bring own snacks, lunch and drinks.
Equipment	Appropriate outdoor gear for the time of year and ground conditions. Walking poles advised.

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