

Lincolnshire's **WILD COAST**



Lincolnshire
Coastal
Country Park

Where the coast meets
the countryside





ADVENTURE AWAITS

Hear the Lapwing's peewit call or watch the Marsh Harrier soaring overhead while exploring Lincolnshire's rich birdlife across marshes, reedbeds and wetlands. Ideal for nature lovers and adventurers alike.

UNLOCK A COASTAL TREASURE TROVE

Bountiful
birdwatching
awaits!



National Trust Sandilands **A**

A former golf course is transforming into a vibrant wildlife haven. New habitats will attract migrating birds like Black-Tailed Godwit, Spoonbills, and Spotted Redshank, along with breeding birds such as Lapwing and Snipe.

Vast stunning beaches **B**

In the winter small energetic waders, such as Sanderling, patrol the waters edge seeking out whelks, cockles, starfish and more. Watching closely out to sea, you may even be lucky enough to spot Grey Seals and Porpoise.

Huttoft Bank Pit **C**

A former clay pit alive with wildlife. Watch and listen for Reed, Sedge and Cetti's Warbler in summer and Bitterns in winter. Marsh Harriers and Short-Eared Owls often appear in spring.

Chapel Six Marshes **D**

Accessible paths wind through reedbeds, making exploration easy. Look for Swallows feeding over the water or listen for hidden Warblers.

Anderby Marsh & Wolla Bank Reedbed **E**

Traditional grazing marsh and reedbed that support large winter flocks of Duck and Geese and birds like Curlew. Rare visitors such as Glossy Ibis and Black-Winged Stilts add excitement. In summer, listen for the Cuckoo or watch Marsh Harriers soaring.

The Late Queen Elizabeth II Lincolnshire Coastal Country Park is a haven for wildlife. Its mix of marshes, dunes and open water creates the perfect backdrop for spotting everything from Warblers to Waders.



Whether you're a seasoned birdwatcher or just curious, these reserves offer unforgettable encounters with nature!





England Coast Path	Picnic area	Farm shop	Disabled access	Parking
Main attraction	Equestrian centre	Refreshments	Toilets (all disabled access) – opening times vary	Includes parking for 2 larger vehicles
Walking route start points	Lincolnshire Wildlife Trust reserve	Other wildlife viewing areas		

Please keep your dog under close control when on farmland footpaths or near nature reserves and always clear up any mess. Dogs are not allowed on LWT reserves. Respect the Dog Restriction Zones at Anderby Creek and Chapel St Leonards beaches from 1st May - 30th September. Map reproduced from OS mapping with the permission of the Controller HMSO © Crown Copyright. Unauthorised reproduction infringes copyright and may lead to civil proceedings. OS licence 100025370 Lincolnshire County Council.

DISCOVER MORE WILDLIFE WONDERS

Whether you love birdwatching or seal spotting, Lincolnshire's wildlife reserves promise unforgettable moments.



Freiston & Frampton RSPB Reserves

A stunning showcase of wetland restoration, these reserves are home to species like Redshank and Avocet. Thousands of Black-Tailed Godwits arrive in winter, while late summer sees huge gatherings of Knot and Oystercatchers.

Gibraltar Point ('Gib')

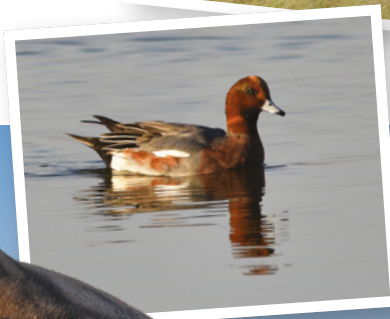
South of Skegness, this reserve is famous for migratory birds and stunning coastal views. One of Britain's first bird observatories, it's a must-visit for nature lovers.

Saltfleetby-Theddlethorpe Dunes

This year-round haven offers rare Natterjack Toads in spring, dune flowers in summer and wildfowl in winter - something unique in every season.

Donna Nook

From October to December, Donna Nook hosts around 2,000 Grey Seal pups - a noisy and magical sight. Help protect them by safely disposing of any marine litter.



Plan your next coastal adventure!



STEP INTO NATURE'S PLAYGROUND

Discover wildlife, stunning beaches and peaceful nature reserves along Lincolnshire's beautiful coastal walking routes.

Chapel Point to Anderby Creek

Stroll through quiet coastal landscapes where seabirds call and nature thrives.

1

Chapel Six Marshes

Easy-access paths lead you through tranquil reedbeds and marshes teeming with wildlife.

2

Anderby Creek to Marsh Yard

Discover untouched sands and a serene atmosphere on this idyllic stretch of the coast.

3

Huttoft Car Terrace to Sandilands

Complete your journey with peaceful trails, where the views are worth every step.

4

The King Charles III England Coast Path

Take in sweeping views, wildlife-filled dunes and pristine beaches on this spectacular route.

PLAN YOUR VISIT

Parking:

Located at Chapel Point, Chapel Six Marshes, Anderby Creek, Marsh Yard, Huttoft Car Terrace and National Trust Sandilands (charges apply).

Toilets:

Available at major spots, with a Changing Place at National Trust Sandilands.

Motorhomes:

Welcomed at Huttoft Car Terrace (under 6m, no overnight stays).

Horse riding:

Allowed on most beaches outside of peak times (April-September, 9am-6pm). Field Farm Equestrian Centre offers parking for longer vehicles.

Find out more



Food & drink:

Enjoy a meal or snack at the North Sea Observatory, Anderby Creek Café or Vista at Huttoft Car Terrace.

Accessibility:

Chapel Six Marshes, National Trust Sandilands and Huttoft Marsh have easy paths for everyone to enjoy.

Dog friendly beaches:

Perfect for your pup – just keep them on a lead elsewhere.



Late Queen Elizabeth II Lincolnshire Coastal Country Park Partners

East Lindsey District Council
Lincolnshire County Council
Lindsey Marsh Drainage Board
Lincolnshire Wildlife Trust

National Trust
Natural England
Environment Agency
National Farmers' Union

Chapel Point to Anderby Creek



Stroll through quiet coastal landscapes where seabirds call and nature thrives.

8.85km (5.5 miles)
2 hours 45 mins

- 1 Leave the car park via the entrance, cross the road, turn left and then immediately right, past Chapel Point Nature Area. After approximately 90m turn right onto a public footpath through the entrance of Eastfields Park. Take the second road on the left, signed public footpath, and after approximately 60m bear diagonally right to the far corner of the grassed area. Turn right and walk between the rows of chalets to a bridge.
 - 2 Cross the bridge, turn left and walk around the edge of the caravan park to a gate. Go through the gate, and follow the driveway past the house and out of the caravan park to join a road. Follow the road straight ahead for approximately 400m to a T-junction. Continue straight ahead along the road for approximately 200m.
 - 3 Turn right along Stones Lane.
 - 4 At the end of the lane, by a small compound, carry straight on, keeping the drainage ditch on your right. Follow the drain for approximately 550m to a junction with a track and footpath.
 - 5 Turn right and follow the footpath as it bends to the left.
 - 6 As the path bends to the right, leave this path and walk straight ahead along another footpath, keeping the ditch on your left. Follow the path straight on as it becomes a track.
 - 7 At a junction of paths, turn right over a bridge and walk straight ahead along the field edge to a road.
 - 8 Cross the road with care and walk up the track opposite, turn right and follow the permissive path along the top of Roman Bank to Wolla Bank.
 - 9 At the road turn left to the car park. Turn left and walk through the car park and follow the path straight ahead behind the dunes to the viewing platform. This path forms part of the England Coast Path, and runs along the edge of Wolla Bank Reedbed and Anderby Marsh nature reserves.
 - 10 Follow the path to the right and climb up to the viewing platform. Follow the steps down towards the sea. At the end of the steps turn left along the path between the dunes. Follow the path in front of the houses to Anderby Creek.
 - 11 To continue the walk go on to the beach, turn right and walk along the beach for approximately 3km (2 miles) to the North Sea Observatory and the starting point.
- ! Accessibility and suitability:**
This walk uses field paths, quiet roads, tracks and the beach. There are no stiles and you are unlikely to encounter livestock.





P Parking

♂♀ Toilets

☕ Refreshments

Starting point and parking:

North Sea Observatory, Anderby Road, PE24 5XA

Grid reference: TF 562 732

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Other notes:

- Linked to public transport

Chapel Six Marshes

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Easy-access paths lead you through tranquil reedbeds and marshes teeming with wildlife.

0.64km (0.4 miles)
30 minutes




! Accessibility and suitability:

There is a circular route around the site, approximately 600m (0.4 mile). The paths are hard surfaced but bumpy in places with some loose stones. All paths are over 1m wide. After heavy rain or frost the stone path can become soft and sticky in places.

The route is either level or gently sloping.

For detailed information about the slopes and surfaces and to see if the paths are suitable for you, please see the map overleaf. Only slopes with gradients over 1:25 and cross slopes over 1:33 are shown on the map.

Passing/stopping places are located at several positions along the route.

-  Uphill section
-  Downhill section
-  Slope across path



Anderby Creek to Marsh Yard

3

Discover untouched sands and a serene atmosphere on this idyllic stretch of the coast.

8.85km (5.5 miles)
2 hours 45 mins

1 With your back to the beach café walk ahead along the track running alongside the car park and then past a row of bungalows. Continue straight on through a small area of sycamore trees.

2 After leaving the trees bear right to a track running along the bottom of the dunes, an area known as Moggs Eye. Follow the track into Marsh Yard car park and picnic site, to the toilets.

3 **For the shorter walk** turn right, just after the toilets, on to the beach. Turn right and walk along the beach for approximately 1.5km (1 mile). Skip to point 5.

For the longer walk continue straight on through the car park. Bear left to follow the England Coast Path behind the dunes and along the edge of a field. At the end of the field cross the bridge and continue on in the same direction. On your left is Huttoft Marsh nature reserve. Look out for the bird viewing screen on the left.

4 At the road, and Boatshed café, turn right onto Huttoft Car Terrace. Walk onto the beach, turn right. Walk along the beach for approximately 3km (1.75 miles) back to Anderby Creek.

5 Anderby Creek is easily identified by the row of houses on top of the dunes. Turn right, just before these houses, past the Cloud Bar, to return to the starting point.

! Accessibility and suitability:
This walk uses field paths, quiet roads, tracks and the beach. There are no stiles and you are unlikely to encounter livestock.





P Parking

Toilets

Refreshments

Starting point and parking:

Car Park, Sea Road, Anderby Creek, PE24 5XW

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Other notes:

- Dog friendly route
- Linked to public transport

Huttoft Car Terrace to Sandilands

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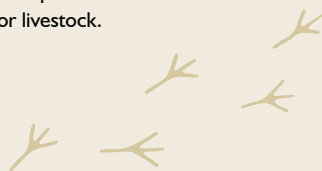
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9.66km (6 miles)
3 hours

- 1 From the car park access ramp walk through the smaller car park to the north and carry straight on along the concrete sea wall, part of the England Coast Path. Follow this for approximately 2.5km (1.5 miles) towards Sandilands. Sand may cover the sea wall at certain times of year. Alternatively you can walk along the beach. As you approach Sandilands walk past the first row of beach huts to a gap.
- 2 Turn left and leave the sea wall, down some steps, to the car park. Walk across the car park behind the toilets to the road.
- 3 Turn left along Roman Bank and then right onto a public footpath at the entrance to Masons Close. Follow the path to the right of the bungalow ahead and turn right around the edge of the yard and then behind a barn. Follow the path straight across a small field to a bridge.
- 4 Cross the bridge, turn left and follow the path beside the drain to a road.
- 5 Turn right and walk along the verge for approximately 100m. Turn left onto a public footpath, taking care crossing the road. Follow the path beside the ditch, over a bridge and then straight on to a junction with another footpath.
- 6 Turn left and follow the path straight on along the former railway line known as the Sutton Branch Line Walkway. Cross a large drainage channel and continue straight on along the old railway line for approximately 900m (just over 0.5 mile) to a road.
- 7 Cross the road and walk along the footpath opposite, beside a hedge, to reach another road.
- 8 Turn left and follow the road to a T-junction.
- 9 Turn left onto the footpath along the field edge. Cross the road with care and walk along Sea lane, taking care crossing the road walk along Sea Lane past a farm on the left. The road will then bend to the right, left and then to the left again.
- 10 At this last bend leave the road and walk straight ahead along a track with a drain on the right. Follow the track for approximately 1km (0.6 miles) to its end and the edge of a field where there is a fingerpost and owl box.
- 11 Turn left and follow the path beside a ditch, then across a small field to another ditch. Turn right and follow the path to the road.
- 12 Cross the road with care, turn left and walk along the road for approximately 80m (take care as this road can be busy during the summer months). Walk up onto the roadside bank and continue in the same direction along the bank to the road that leads into Huttoft Car Terrace.
- 13 Turn right to return to the car park and start.

! Accessibility and suitability:

This walk uses the sea wall (or sandy beach), field paths, and quiet roads. There are no stiles or livestock.





P Parking

Toilets

Refreshments

Starting point and parking:

Huttoft Car Terrace, Huttoft Bank, LN13 9RT

Grid reference: TF 541 786

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Other notes:

- Dog friendly route
- Linked to public transport