



The Hexagon



Pope's Seat

Conservation

Traditional Cotswold countryside is an ideal habitat for many birds and animals. We are helping to keep it that way by planting hedges, restocking our woodlands and allowing field margins to flourish for the benefit of wildlife.

The Estate is currently working on an initiative to improve the conservation status of the farmland surrounding the Park and as a result, will be making some positive changes to the access points and walking routes in the area to help protect the environment and wildlife.



Pearl Bordered Fritillary

A Park for all seasons

To ensure that the Park can be enjoyed by all and remains a safe and tranquil place, the use of bicycles is not permitted (with the exception of small children and Park residents).

Small family picnics are welcome, however, large gatherings or organised picnics are not.

Please be aware of any local advice or signs and be mindful of other users; the Park is part of a modern working Estate and there are often vehicles using the roadways.



Horse Riding

Horse riding is permitted in the Park between the usual opening hours of 8am and 5pm. Please be advised that a permit system will be in operation from Spring 2021.

Events

A number of events are held in and around the Park throughout the year, please see our website for forthcoming events and activities.

If you are interested in hosting an event, e.g. a concert, please contact the Estate Office.

Other Activities

If you are interested in using the Park, farmland or woodland for a business activity (e.g. exercise classes or a photography course), please contact the Estate Office to discuss a Commercial Activity Licence.



Dogs

Well behaved dogs are welcome in certain areas of the Park. There are dedicated routes for off-lead exercise as well as trial 'on-lead' routes which join up with permissive farmland walks, please see the plan overleaf.

Please be responsible for clearing up after your dog.



Welcome

Cirencester Park forms part of the Bathurst Estate and has been in the Bathurst Family for over 300 years. A short walk from the town, this historic parkland offers a unique landscape, with woodland rides and far reaching views.

We hope you enjoy your visit.

The Earl Bathurst

Open 8am - 5pm

The Park is open throughout the year*

*there may be the requirement to close the park occasionally, please check our website before visiting.

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Walking Routes





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History

The Bathurst Estate has been carefully stewarded for many generations after being originally purchased in 1695 by Sir Benjamin Bathurst. His son, the first Earl was responsible for laying out the park, now listed as Grade I Historic Parkland from 1710 onwards. This was done in collaboration with Alexander Pope (renowned poet and landscape gardener), who worked with the Earl on the Park, and designed the folly known as Pope's Seat, situated to allow views down seven vistas. Cirencester Park was intended as a relaxing, rural retreat, a place to escape and appreciate nature.

The Estate today comprises around 15,000 acres and is run by the 9th Earl Bathurst and managed in Trust for the benefit of succeeding generations. The running of the Estate comprises a range of activities, including a let residential and commercial portfolio, leisure events, extensive woodland management and a large in-hand farming operation.

Join us on Social Media

We would love to see your photos and share them with our followers. Please send your photos to our team at socialmedia1@bathurstestate.co.uk

To stay up to date with Estate news and events, please check out our social media accounts:

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


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Visit 'Beano in the Park' a short walk from Cecily Hill gates. Lady Bathurst's horsebox offers a range of refreshments.

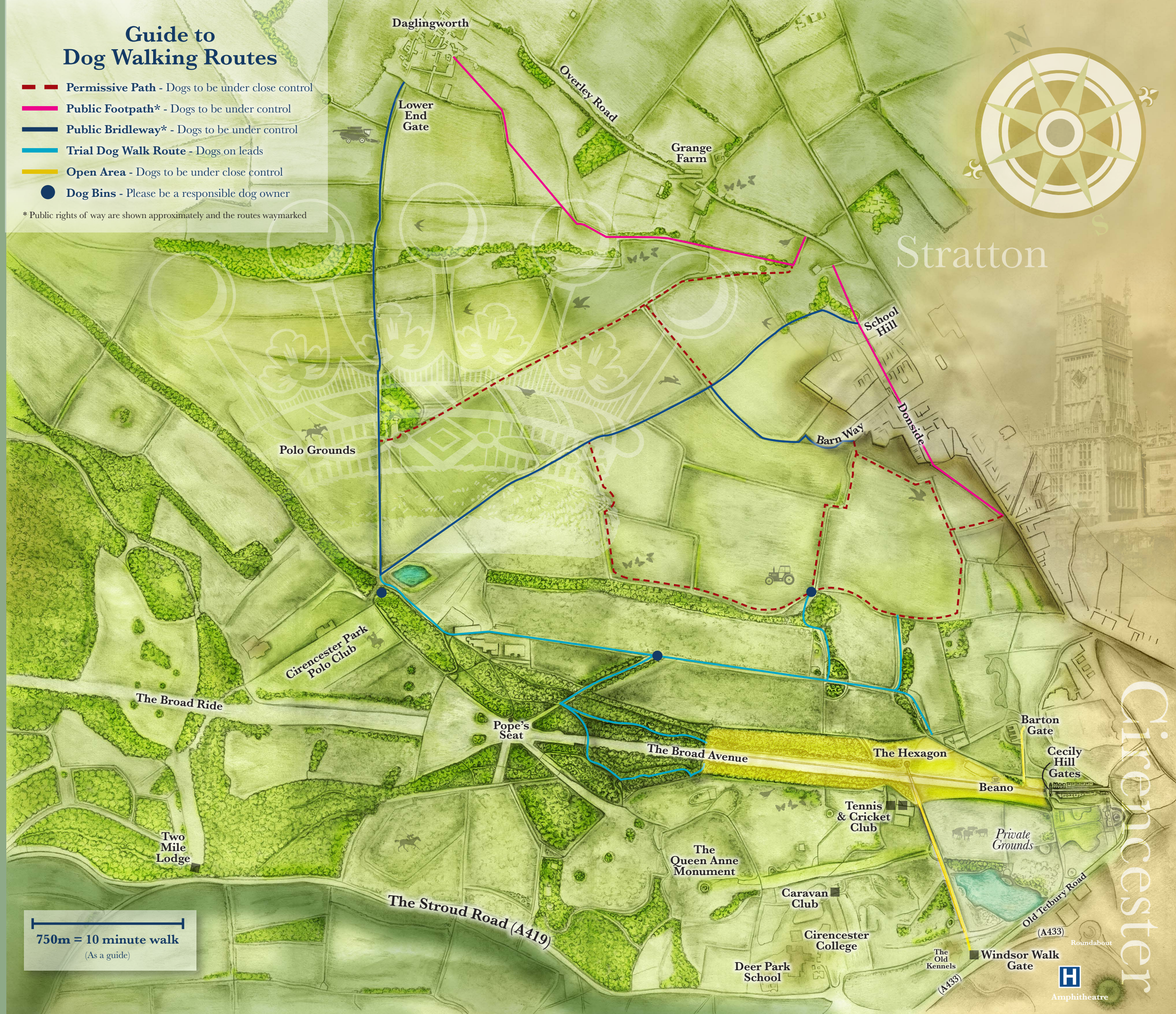
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Beano in the Park
for opening hours
and announcements.



Guide to Dog Walking Routes

-  **Permissive Path** - Dogs to be under close control
-  **Public Footpath*** - Dogs to be under control
-  **Public Bridleway*** - Dogs to be under control
-  **Trial Dog Walk Route** - Dogs on leads
-  **Open Area** - Dogs to be under close control
-  **Dog Bins** - Please be a responsible dog owner

* Public rights of way are shown approximately and the routes waymarked



750m = 10 minute walk
(As a guide)

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