

SUMMARY

The Parish of Syderstone has 10 Public Rights of Way (PROW), totalling 8.6 km (5.3 miles) in length.

Additionally there is Syderstone Common, which offers 42.5 hectares (105 acres) of open space, which the public may freely enjoy.

MAP SHOWING PROW NUMBERS

Where space permits the start and end points of each path are numbered



A description of each path appears on the following pages

PARISH OF SYDERSTONE PROW

Public Rights of Way (PROW) are numbered within each parish. In this report the following parish prefixes are used:

S	Syderstone Parish
ER	East Rudham Parish
BB	Bagthorpe with Barmer Parish

There are various types of PROW, namely

FP	Footpath	Walkers
BR	Bridleway	Walkers, Horses, Bicycles
RB	Restricted Byway	Walkers, Horses, Bicycles, Horse Drawn Vehicles
U	Unclassified County Road	Open to all Traffic

For example S-FP1 is Syderstone Footpath No 1, which is 1000 metres in length (1000m).

Where a path crosses a parish boundary, its number and possibly its classification will change. For example the S-BR3 from Creake Road to Burnham Green Lane continues to the parish boundary as S-RB4, where it becomes BB-RB2 to Barmer and beyond.

When reporting a PROW problem to Norfolk County Council (NCC), the highways authority, it is necessary to quote both the parish name and PROW number. There is an interactive map on the NCC website, where you may click on a path or part of a path to obtain the details of its parish and PROW number, see <http://maps.norfolk.gov.uk/highways/>

SYDERSTONE

S-FP1 Syderstone Church to Creake Road (1000m)

Starting at St Mary's Church, The Street, Syderstone this footpath runs alongside the graveyard and across an open field to a mature Beech tree. Here it continues straight on (north) before turning left (west) to Creake Road.

Turning right (east) at the Beech tree it is the S-RB2 to the main road to South Creake (Bloodgate Hill Road). Across the main road it continues east as the U22226 (Shering Wood Lane) to White Hall Farm.

S-RB2 Beech tree on S-FP1 to Main road to South Creake (400m)

See S-FP1 for details

S-BR3 Creake Road to Burnham Green Lane (600m)

Starting at the metal farm gate about 100m beyond the last house in Creake Road, this Bridleway heads north, then north west through Womack Wood to connect to Burnham Green Lane.

The route continues north west as the S-RB4 to the parish boundary at the entrance to Manor Ling Wood, where it becomes the BB-RB2 to Barmer.

S-RB4 Burnham Green Lane to parish boundary (300m)

See S-BR3 for details.

S-RB5 Burnham Green Lane (1880m)

Burnham Green Lane starts at Syderstone pond and runs northwards connecting to Jacks Lane, and then via the U23503 and the C479, to West Road, North Creake. It was shown on Ordnance Survey (OS) maps as a PROW until 2008, when it mysteriously disappeared as such. Neither the OS nor NCC could provide any explanation. In the face of such official obscurity, there was no alternative but to apply for a Modification Order listing it as a Restricted Byway (RB).

On 18th January 2013 the Order was made re-instating it as Syderstone Restricted Byway No 5. The same Order also made Jacks Lane to the north of Syderstone as Restricted Byways, namely Bagthorpe with Barmer RB/9 (770m) and Barwick RB6 (860m). Thus the complete route from Syderstone to North Creake was safeguarded.

S-RB6 Northern boundary of Syderstone Warren & Syderstone Common (1900m)

Please note that Syderstone Warren is the land between Docking Road and Rudham Road, whereas Syderstone Common is the land between Rudham Road and Tattersett Road.

This Restricted Byway starts at Barmer as the BB-BR3. At the parish boundary just north of Docking Road Syderstone it becomes the S-RB6 which crosses Syderstone Warren to Rudham Road and then follows the northern boundary of Syderstone Common to the small car park at the junction of Mill Lane and Tattersett Road. It continues south-west as the S-RB7 and then east as the S-RB8 to arrive at the junction of Tattersett Road and the B1454. These two sections are badly overgrown and rarely used.

S-RB7 Syderstone Common (200m)

See S-BR6 for details

S-RB8 Syderstone Common (200m)

See S-BR6 for details

S-RB9 Southern boundary of Syderstone Warren & Syderstone Common (1400m)

Please note that Syderstone Warren is the land between Docking Road and Rudham Road, whereas Syderstone Common is the land between Rudham Road and Tattersett Road.

This Restricted Byway starts at the junction of Docking Road Syderstone and the B1454 and runs along the southern boundary of Syderstone Warren to cross Rudham Road and follow the southern boundary of Syderstone common for a short distance before crossing the B1454 and connecting to ER-RB12 which runs part way along the boundary of Coxford Wood. Today ER-RB12 only runs a short distance, having been stopped up in 1969 for improvements to the B1454 road.

The part of S-RB9 which runs across Syderstone Common (400m) is badly overgrown and rarely used, which is hardly surprising since it does not lead anywhere following the stopping up of ER-RB12.

U22226 Shering Wood Lane from Bloodgate Hill Road to White Hall Farm (800m)

Bloodgate Hill Road is the continuation of Tattersett Road northwards to South Creake. U22226 is a county road with a grass surface, which are often called a Green Lane. See S-FP1 for details.