

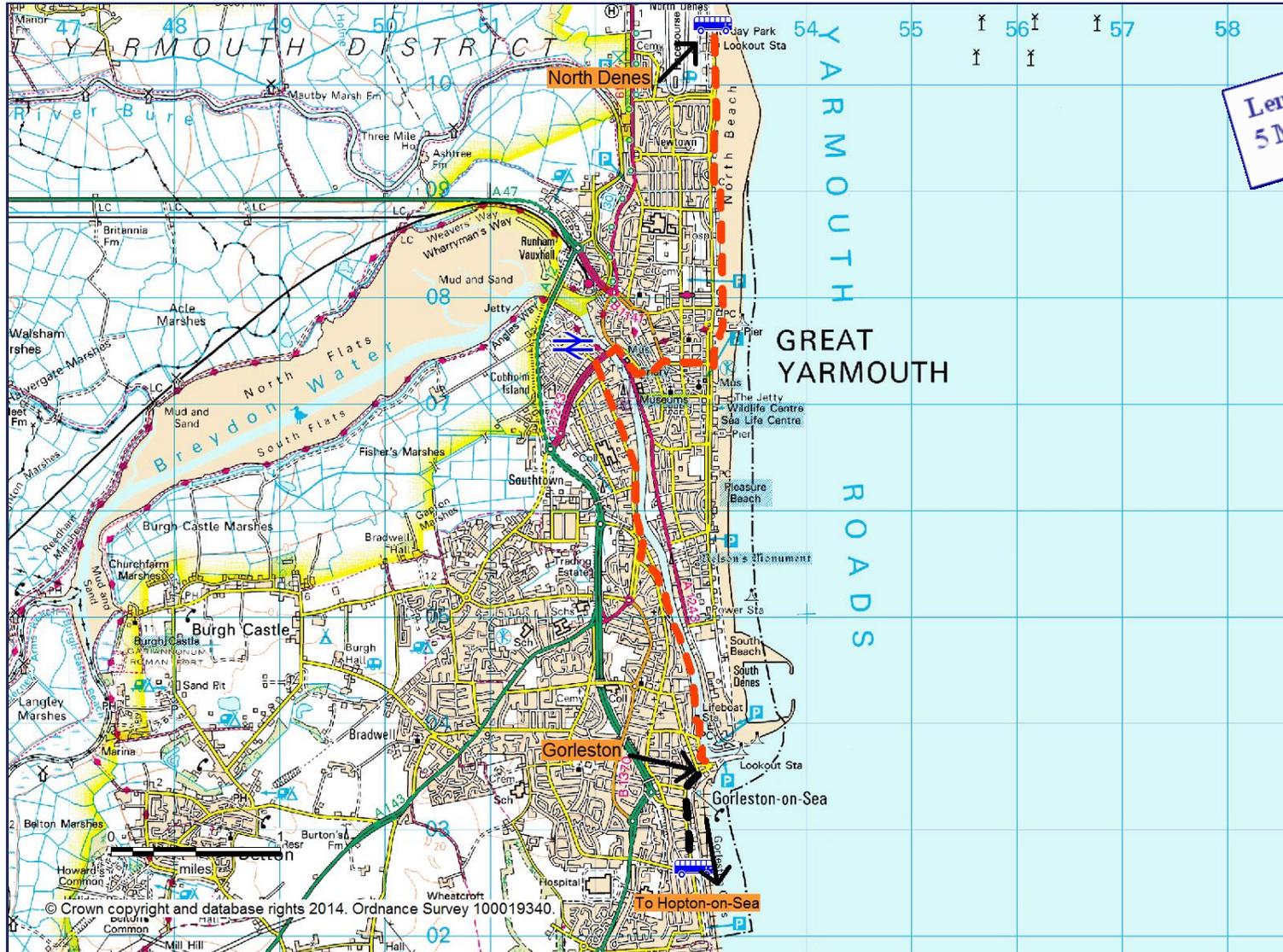
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Coast Path Stretch 2 Section 6 (of 7) North Denes to Gorleston Beach

Legend



- This walk
- Adjacent Section/s
- Link to Public transport
- Closest Bus/ Train Locations



Length:
5 Miles

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Along the way

Great Yarmouth is a town of contrasts, from the working port and quays that uphold a long and robust maritime heritage, to the Golden Mile's energetic hub of amusements, entertainment, pubs and restaurants. All of it offers spectacular views across the North Sea, watched over by the elegant windfarm off Scroby Sands. If you have the time, it's worth stepping away from the coast path. Just a short distance away is the town's busy market, and there's a wealth of historic buildings and museums in which to explore Yarmouth's past.

Back to the present, and the coast path undergoes a dramatic change. From the golden sands of North Denes and Scroby beaches, to the vivid streaks of marine rust and steely greys of the harbour, Gorleston Quay offers the chance to witness the workings of a modern port up close. Watching from mere metres away, the sight of huge ships beginning or ending their long voyages is an impressive sight. The maritime industrial heart of Norfolk's coast soon gives way to the altogether softer edges of Gorleston's hidden gem of a beach, inviting the walker down to watch the summer regattas that launch from there, or the surfers that gather for the winter swells.

For further information please visit www.norfolk.gov.uk/trails

Walk summary

An urban walk that celebrates the region's maritime heritage.

Getting started

The walk starts from North Drive, Great Yarmouth.

Getting there

The 3 bus service stops on North Drive, North Denes, Great Yarmouth and the 1 and 1A bus services stop on Marine Parade, Gorleston-on-Sea. Limited free car parking is available various points on North Drive. Car parking is also available on Lower Esplanade, Gorleston (Charges may apply).

National Rail enquiries: 08457 484950.

www.nationalrail.co.uk/

Traveline enquiries: 0871 200 22 33.

www.travelineeastanglia.org.uk

Maps and guides

Ordnance Survey Explorer Map OL40, The Broads, available from Ordnance Survey shop
www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/oswebsite

What to expect

Pavements and metalled road surfaces, plus flights of steps at various points.

Facilities

There are cafes, pubs, restaurants and accommodation along and close to the route. There are public toilets along the route, and close to the end point.