Irresistible Offa

Llanymynech

- Park along canal in car park. Walk along the canal to the bridge, then up the steps to the road before walking uphill and taking the left hand turning to Pen y Foel. When the road splits, turn right, then right again and follow the white acorn sign. The road turns into someone's driveway. Go through the rounded steel gate to the left and into the woods.
- Go through the first gate then at the crossroads turn turn left up a very steep slope. At the top of the hill veer left to the next Offa Dyke acorn sign. Keep to the right, below Asterley Rocks and the remnants of a hillfort.
- The path takes you onto the edge of the golf course then in and out of bushes around the western side of the course. On reaching a gully, follow the acorn sign straight over.
- Continue, with open views to your left, until some wooden steps and a Shropshire Wildlife Trust sign. Turn right here and follow the track straight on down the lane.
- Follow this until it bends sharply to the left, go straight ahead coming towards 2 metal gates, take the one on the right with the stile. go through this gate and through some trees before coming to an open field. Continue straight through this field and over a stile at the other end.
- This takes you through woodland before coming out onto the golf course again. Walk left, around the edge. As this path comes out of the woodland you will come to a finger post, follow this left back into the woodland and down towards a wooden kissing gate. Follow the lane until coming to crossroads, take the first exit right following the metalled road until a junction. Here turn right sign posted the golf course. Follow this road until coming to a Public Footpath sign by Rock Cottage turn left here. Go over the stile and keep descending till you reach a trickle of a stream.
- To your right and above you is a track. Turn right and continue along the base of the limestone cliff and past some iron figures. Turn left, downhill, at the drumhouse. Go through a short tunnel under the road, past buildings in the Limeworks Heritage Area before returning back to the carpark.









