

National Cycle Network, Downslink, Yew Tree Way, Christmaspie and Olympic Road Race cycle routes.

# The Surrey Cycleway

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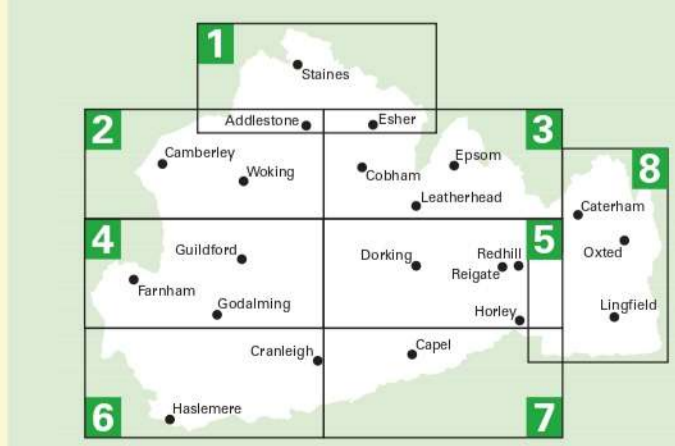
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## General information and tourist offices

- (Covered by OS Explorer Maps 145 and 146 and Landranger Maps 186 and 187)
- CTC [www.ctc.org.uk](http://www.ctc.org.uk)
  - Guildford Tourist Information Centre [www.guildford.gov.uk](http://www.guildford.gov.uk)
  - Haslemere Visitor Information Centre [www.haslemere.com](http://www.haslemere.com)
  - Mole Valley District Council [www.molevalley.gov.uk](http://www.molevalley.gov.uk)
  - Surrey County Council [www.surreycc.gov.uk](http://www.surreycc.gov.uk)
  - Sustrans (National Cycle Network) [www.sustrans.org.uk](http://www.sustrans.org.uk)
  - Visit Surrey [www.visitsurrey.com](http://www.visitsurrey.com)

## Surrey Cycle Guides

The Surrey Cycle Guides are a set of maps covering the whole of Surrey. Each guide provides a street map showing recommended cycling routes, locations of cycling facilities and sections of the Rights of Way network where you are legally allowed to cycle. The guides can be purchased from Surrey libraries. The following map shows you how to select the guides you require:



## What is the Surrey Cycleway

The Surrey Cycleway is a sign-posted cycle route consisting of a main loop of 150km (94 miles) and 9 links. It was first created in 1995 and gives cyclists the chance to explore some of the more tranquil parts of Surrey. The route uses quiet country roads and lanes, and is well signposted.



Although we have used quiet roads, it is important that you have some experience of cycling on roads and know the Highway Code before using the cycleway.

## Why cycle in Surrey?

Surrey is a county of great beauty and interest and cycling is one of the best ways of exploring this part of the county.

Among the attractions are the Surrey Hills, a picturesque area of countryside running east west across the southern half of the county. Within the Hills are the North Downs, probably the best-known landscape feature in Surrey.

Why not visit Leith Hill, the highest point in southern England? Or how about exploring the woodlands of Ranmore Common or seeing the wonderful views of Surrey from Winterfold Heath?

Many of the villages around the cycleway have cafes, tearooms or public houses where you can stop, enjoy a break and take in beautiful surroundings.

## Don't forget

- Carry a tool kit: pump, puncture repair kit, set of allen keys and a multi-purpose spanner
- Lights at night
- Take food and drink

(the E.T.A. [www.eta.co.uk](http://www.eta.co.uk) offers a unique cycle breakdown service)

## Cycling the Olympic road race route

All the routes on this map are signposted EXCEPT the Olympic road race route. Follow in the cycle wheels of the professionals along this route but do so with care. You are sharing roads with many motorists that require you to cycle in a safe and considerate fashion. So follow the Highway Code.

## Downs Link, Yew Tree Way and Christmaspie Cycle Routes

The Downs Link Cycle Route links Guildford with the South Downs at Shoreham on Sea, West Sussex. Much of the 37 mile route follows the track of an old railway line and provides an easy cycling route for people of all ages and abilities.

The Yew Tree Way is a 15 mile on-road circular leisure cycle route in the Tandridge district of East Surrey named after an ancient Yew Tree to be found in the churchyard of St. George's Church, Crowhurst.

The Christmaspie trail is an off-road cycle route linking east Farnham with northwest Guildford.

Free maps are available from Surrey County Council's Contact Centre on:

**03456 009 009**

or email [contact.centre@surreycc.gov.uk](mailto:contact.centre@surreycc.gov.uk).

## National Cycle Network in Surrey

The following National Cycle Routes cross Surrey: 4, 21, 22, 221 and 223.

Further details and maps can be obtained from Sustrans on:

**0117 929 0888**

[www.nationalcyclenetwork.org.uk](http://www.nationalcyclenetwork.org.uk).

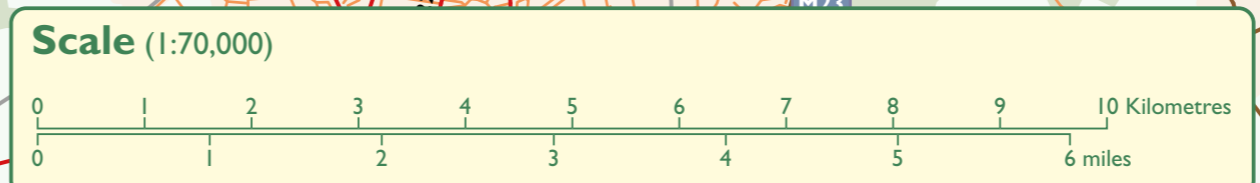
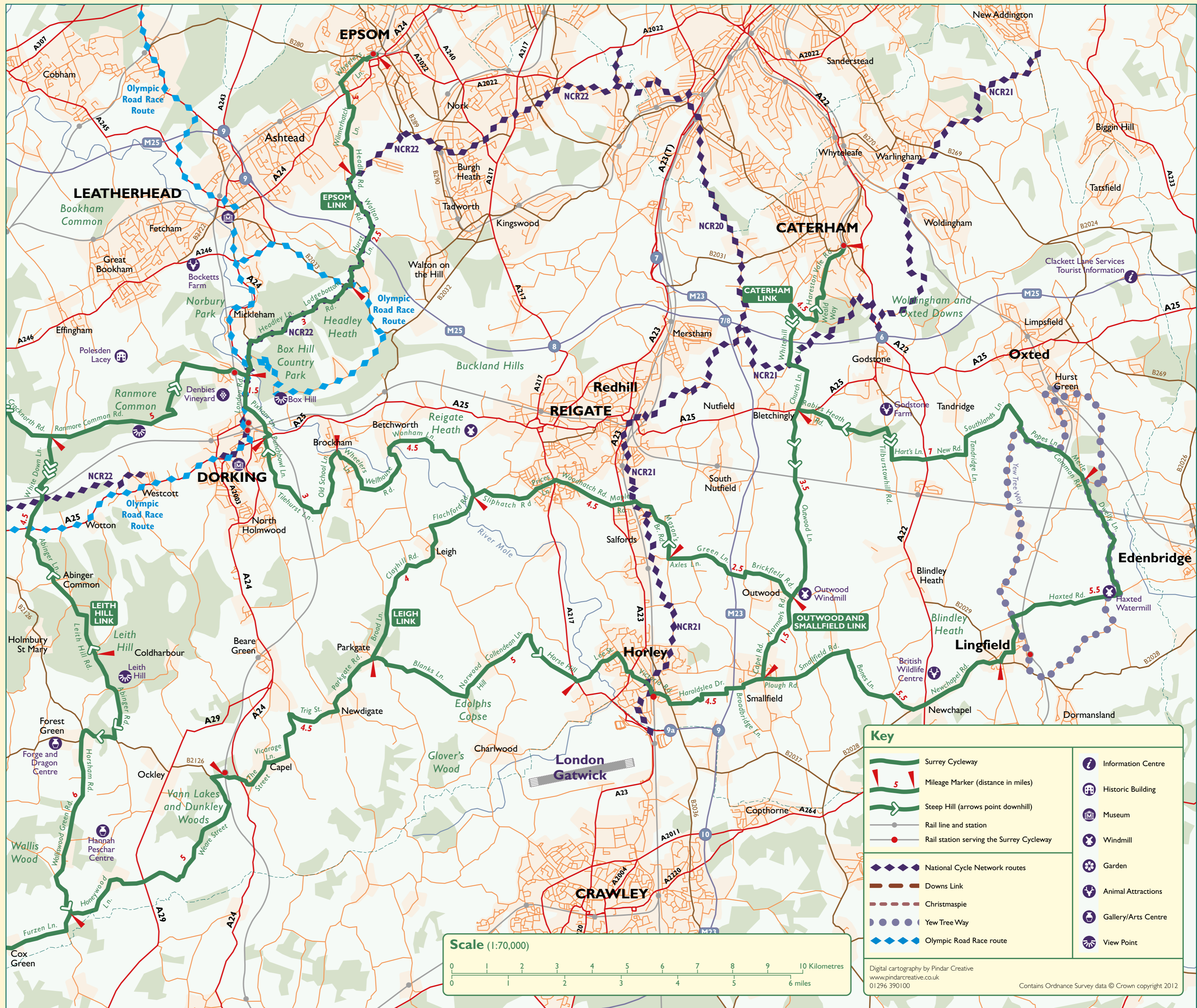
## Surrey County Council cycling website

For information on:

- Cycle shops
- Cycle safety
- Cycle training
- Cycle rides and events
- Cycle security

and other cycling related information in Surrey visit

[www.surreycc.gov.uk/cycling](http://www.surreycc.gov.uk/cycling)



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	Surrey Cycleway		Information Centre
	Mileage Marker (distance in miles)		Historic Building
	Steep Hill (arrows point downhill)		Museum
	Rail line and station		Windmill
	Rail station serving the Surrey Cycleway		Garden
	National Cycle Network routes		Animal Attractions
	Downs Link		Gallery/Arts Centre
	Christmaspie		View Point
	Yew Tree Way		
	Olympic Road Race route		

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