

Derbyshire Dales TR July 18 run
To Izaak Walton Hotel Thorpe Cloud
Dove Dale

Welcome to our run 29 July 2018 we are exploring the confluence of the lower river Dove with the river Trent. We will pass through Repton the ancient capital of the Kingdom of Mercia. Then, following the Dove up stream (loosely) to Thorpe Cloud at Dovedale. By Passing Tutbury with its historic castle, via Ashbourne and Ilam.

There will be a car park concours, car of the day judged by IW staff

To the route:-

Assemble in Amber car park for a 10:15 am start !

1. **Left** out of car park then **right** on to **B6013** follow to Tlights.
2. **Left** at lights right around island to join **A38** to Derby
3. **At Little Eaton** island follow A38 to Birmingham
4. **At Markeaton** island follow A38 to Birmingham
5. **At California** island follow A38 to Birmingham (M1South)
6. On A38 take slip rd to A50 (Toyota island) take 2nd exit B5008
Willington/Repton.
7. At rounda't take 3rd exit B5008 into Willington bearing **rt** at mini
roundabouts then turn **left** under low bridge to Repton

8. At m'kt cross turn **right** on Burton rd to Newton Solney
9. In Newton turn **right** at Unicorn pub into Blacksmiths Lane follow to Trent Lane (a gravel rd passible with care) To the confluence of the rivers." A photo opportunity".
10. Turn and retrace road to B5008. Turn right passing Bricklayers Arms to Burton on Trent. In to Winshill past Sump Pub to T lights. We turn right over bridge. However, major work is occurring on the bridge, we may have to divert!!
11. At lights turn **right** A511 follow over bridge bear left thro' Tlights
12. Straight on thro' next Tlights past Burton Brewery on left
13. Thro' next Tlights on A511 left lane Abbots Bromley/Tutbury
14. At rounda't 2nd exit to Tutbury (speed cameras along this stretch)
15. At rounda't 2nd exit (tutbury bypass) to A50 Uttoxiter
16. At rounda't 2nd exit A50 Uttox/Hatton past Castle hotel over mini rounda't straight on to Salt Box Café for "comfort stop"
17. Exit Salt Box right

18. First turn left Church Broughton/ Longford (Sutton Lane) over A50
beware potholes along roadway, Passing Barton Field Centre
19. At T junct turn **right** Longford/ Kirk Langley thro' Lonford past
church, lodge house with Totem pole
20. Turn **left** (no sign) into Hoargate Lane (just before Ostrich Inn)
past Red Lion at Hollington ,Ednaston business centre. In Ednaston
passing Yew Tree to T junct turn **right**.
21. At next T junct with A52 turn **right on to A52**
22. Turn 2nd **left** (not signed) into Mill Lane/Slack Lane
23. At Y junct turn left into North Lane signed Bradley passing
Just for dogs
24. Bear left signed Bradley (pinfold lane)
25. Turn right signed Moorend (Hadley Lane) very narrow rd!
26. At T junct turn right for Ashbourne under the house bridge!!
27. At X junct with A517 straight over signed Offcote/ Kiveton (
steep/narrow roads)
28. At T junct bear left (no sign) over Henmore Brook

29. At T junct with B5035 turn left for Ashbourne
30. In Ashbourne turn left into Cokayne Ave (any relation of Barry?)
round Madge's Corner to T lights (not car park)
31. Right at lights short run to next T lights
32. Straight on to mini roundabout past St Oswald's hospital
33. Mini roundabout exit to A52 roundabout
34. A52 3rd exit Leek
35. Roundabout 1st exit Leek
36. Enter Mayfield, Staffs over Hanging bridge up Swinscoe hill
37. At sign Oakover/Mappleton turn **right**, follow over cattle grid
watch for sheep/lambs. Then over Cattle grid.
38. At grid/Tjunct turn left into Yerley Hill past Oakover Hall
39. Passing Blore Hall turn **right** signed Ilam, Izaak Walton
(watch for sheep!) This road overlooks the confluence of the Manifold
and Dove valleys ,looking towards Thorpe Cloud.
40. In Ilam turn right at plague monument, follow road.
41. Turn left to Izaak Walton/ Dovedale stepping stones

