Race the Train

Route Directions

Exit Hampton-in-Arden Station and turn left onto High Street
Turn left into Fentham Road, the third road on the left, opposite the war memorial
Follow Fentham Road for about 500 metres until you reach the library at the junction with
Butchers Road. Here the road widens so assemble here for the start. Don't stand in the roadway
Run along Fentham Road and turn left into Marsh Lane at the T-junction
Run down Marsh Lane to the bottom and take section of off-road footpath emerging onto lane
alongside railway track
Follow lane left under railway bridge, coming to track ahead across green area adjoining the A425
trunk road
Cross the dual carriageway. CAUTION! This is a busy trunk road so take care when crossing.
Take the farm track ahead and take the gate/stile into the field
Follow the path across the field to the stile in the top right corner of the field
Follow the path through the wood (look out for roots and for low branches)
Exit the wood, turning left and follow the path, coming to a stile
Go left at the stile coming to another gate/stile
Follow the diagonal uphill and downhill path, through the trees to the right of the lake
Take the boardwalk across towards the church. Take care, some of the planks are very springy
Go through two gates into Berkswell churchyard
Exit church driveway onto Lavender Hall Lane
Cross Lavendar Hall Lane diagonally right and take signed footpath opposite at side of house
Follow footpath to Baulk Lane – path has hedge to your right through two fields, then path
crosses through hedge near top of third field so that hedge is now on your left
Cross Baulk Lane diagonally left and take off-road footpath
At 4-way junction take left path and then follow path as it swings right and goes uphill
At crest path goes half-right through corn field
Path emerges onto farm driveway – look out for stile on left part way along driveway
Take path through two fields then turn right onto driveway to exit onto Truggist Lane
At Truggist Lane turn left and follow Truggist Lane until it just before Jasmine Cottage
Turn right onto a footpath through to Hodgetts Lane
Turn right at Hodgetts Lane and follow the road over the railway bridge until Avondale
Opposite Avondale take footpath on the left of the road leading to Nailcote Lane
Turn left onto Nailcote Lane and follow the road to the traffic lights before the bridge
Just a few metres after the traffic lights take path on the right- if you are on the railway bridge you
have gone too far
Run along the edge of Nailcote Hall golf course and turn left just before the mobile phone mast
Follow the path across the bridge to emerge onto Duggins Lane
Follow Duggins Lane to the bottom and turn right into the dead end leading to the station at Tile Hill