

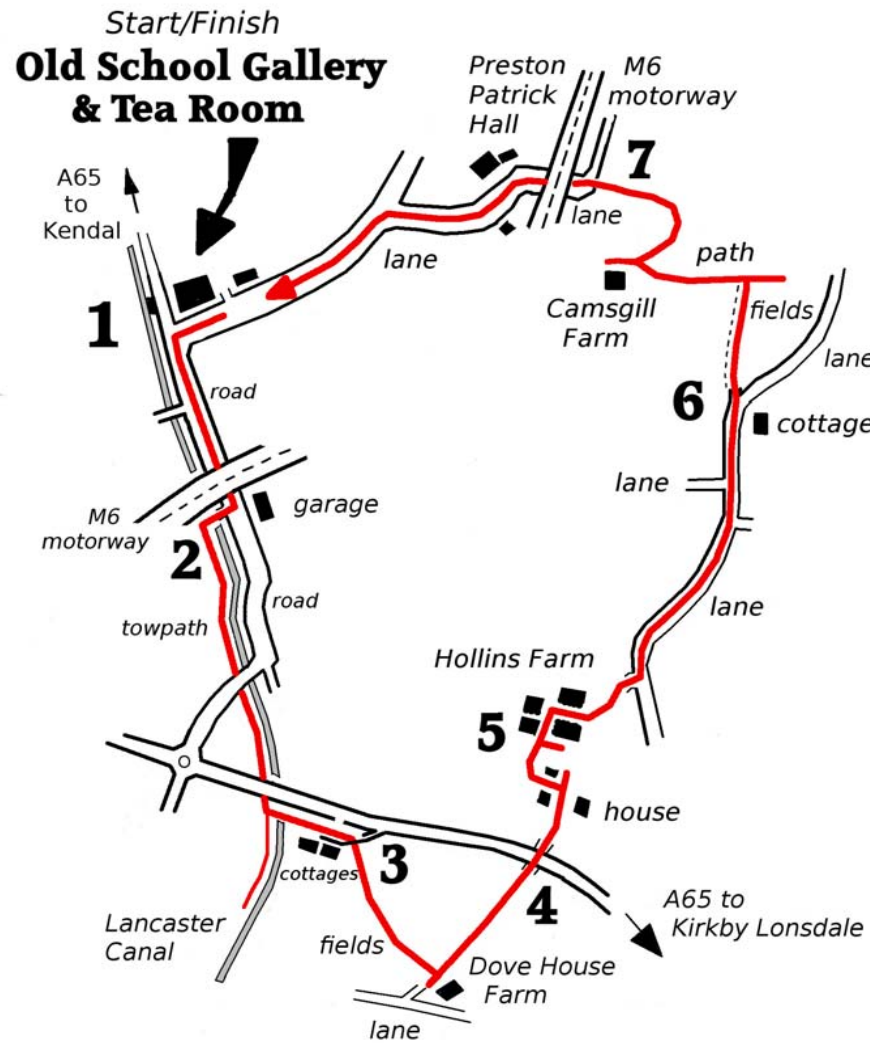
“Country Walks”

Preston Patrick with Millness

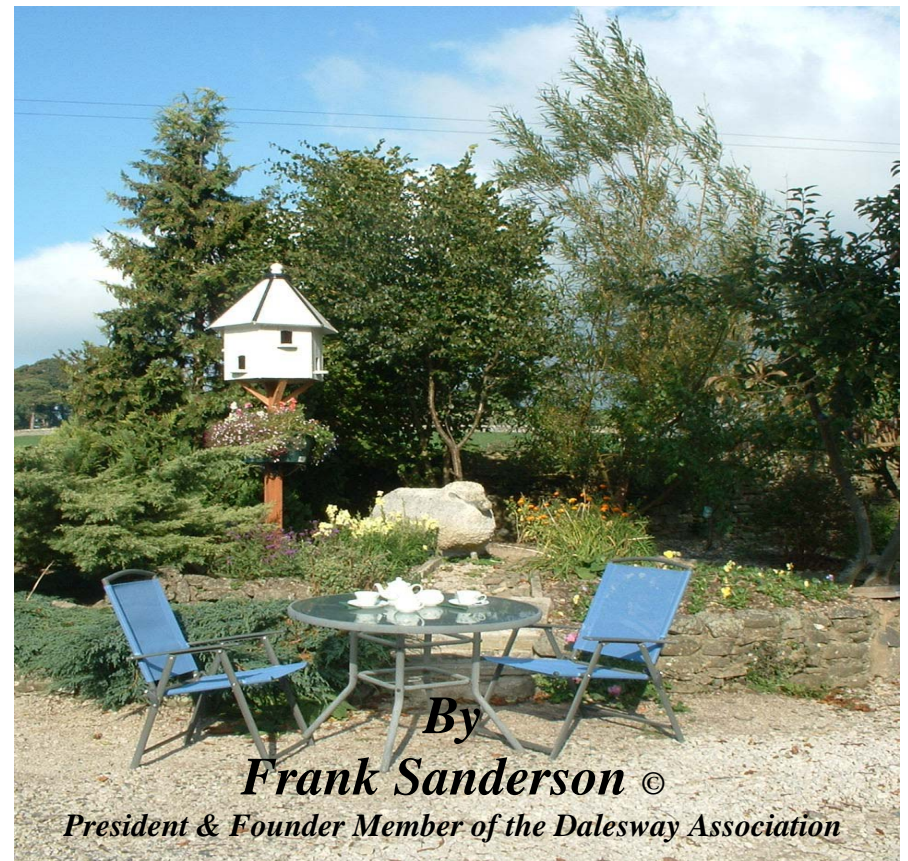
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3 miles : Allow 2 hours

Stout footwear is recommended

Start & finish at the
“Old School Gallery & Tea Room”
Preston Patrick,
Crooklands, Nr. Kendal.



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Start the walk from the main A65 road in front of the
Old School Gallery & Tea Room.

1. With the **Old School Gallery** on your left and the Memorial Hall over on your right, walk along the left-hand roadside footpath for 400yds, to pass underneath a bridge supporting the M6 motorway. – Immediately on the opposite side of the bridge, cross over to the right-hand side of the road (with care), to link up with a Public Footpath, signposted [*along Lancaster Canal*].

2. With the canal on your left, follow the tow-path for 300yds, to pass underneath a road bridge. – Continue for a further ¼ mile, to pass underneath another road bridge. – **Immediately, turn sharp left** onto a hard-surfaced track. – Ascend for a maximum of 125yds to locate a squeeze-stile/large gate on your right, situated on the edge of a field, signposted [*Public Footpath – Dove House Lane*].

3. Walk parallel to the right-hand hedge for 150yds, then cross over a double-stile to enter the next field. – Continue parallel to the right-hand hedge for another 150yds, to pass through a gate into the adjoining field. – Go straight ahead for 50yds and pass through another large gate, to link up with a hard-surfaced track in front of some farm buildings. – **Turn left** [*Public Way A65*] and follow a grassy path for ¼ mile, (bordered by hedgerow on both sides) to eventually arrive at the main A65 road.

4. Go straight across the road (with care) and join onto a hard-surfaced track, signposted [*Public Footpath*] & [*Hollins Farm*]. – Proceed for a maximum of 300yds, to reach a group of buildings. – **Turn left** ← and pass between the converted barns, to pass through a large gate after 50yds. – Continue on a hard-surfaced track for a further 75yds, to reach a point where the track forks. – **IMPORTANT : DO NOT** bear right along the track, but go straight ahead, between the farmhouse on your left and barns on your right, to enter the main farmyard.

5. Immediately turn right (away from the farmhouse), and pass between the farm-sheds, to link up with a double-rutted stony track – After 150yds, this track will terminate at a lane. – **Turn left** and follow this lane for almost ½ mile, to pass by a narrow lane on your left. – Continue on for a further 250yds, then, just opposite a white-washed cottage and garden up on your right, **turn left** through a large gate, signposted [*Public Footpath*], to enter a field.

6. Go straight ahead and walk alongside the left-hand fence/wall for 300yds, to reach the next corner of this field. – Locate and climb over a stile, to link up with a stony track. – **Turn left** and descend this track (bordered by hedgerow) for 200yds, to arrive at a T-junction with a track leading to a farm on your left (Camsgill). – **Turn right** (away from the farm) and after 400yds, this track will terminate at a lane.

7. Turn left and immediately pass underneath the M6 motorway. – Continue down the lane for ¼ mile (passing through the ancient farmstead of Preston Patrick Hall) to arrive at a T-junction with another lane. – **Turn left** and this lane will return you to the **Old School Gallery & Tea Room.** ©