

## About Blundell's Copse

Blundell's Copse is a remnant of ancient woodland in the heart of Tilehurst Village. The village is now a suburb of Reading on the western outskirts. Reading Council has saved a number of pockets of woodland in Tilehurst by making them nature reserves; Blundell's Copse is one of them.

This pamphlet introduces an easy, circular walk round Blundell's Copse. The walk is accessible for pushchairs and buggies for the disabled as well as for walkers. A gentle stroll around the wood will take about an hour.

There are many spots with seats, some overlooking the stream. In the late spring, the boggy area is filled with flowers. All year round there is cacophony from the many species of birds.

This walk is part of a larger walk which is described on [www.walkontheweb.org.uk](http://www.walkontheweb.org.uk) which takes in the other parks, nature reserves and woodlands in Tilehurst.

Please keep this woodland tidy, keep your dogs under control, take your litter home, and report any nuisances by phoning 0800 626 540.

In 2005, path widening and improvements were made thanks to funding by Living Spaces and the Environmental Trust for Berkshire.

## How to get there

### Walking

Easy distance from anywhere in Tilehurst. Make it part of a larger walk through our local parks - see [www.walkontheweb.org.uk](http://www.walkontheweb.org.uk).

### By bike

No motorbikes. Push bikes should not get in the way of walkers, but a gentle ride can be rewarding.

### By bus

No 17 is an excellent frequent service with stops on Norcot Road at Blundell's Road and at nearby School Road

No 28 goes to the Triangle and has stops on School Road

No 33 has stops in Corwen Road

For further information visit [www.reading-buses.co.uk](http://www.reading-buses.co.uk)

### By car

Some limited parking in Calder Close, Thicket Road, Bran Close and Teviot Road. Car park a short distance away in Church End Lane.

### Entrances

Access at all entrances are level except the entrance at B which has steps.

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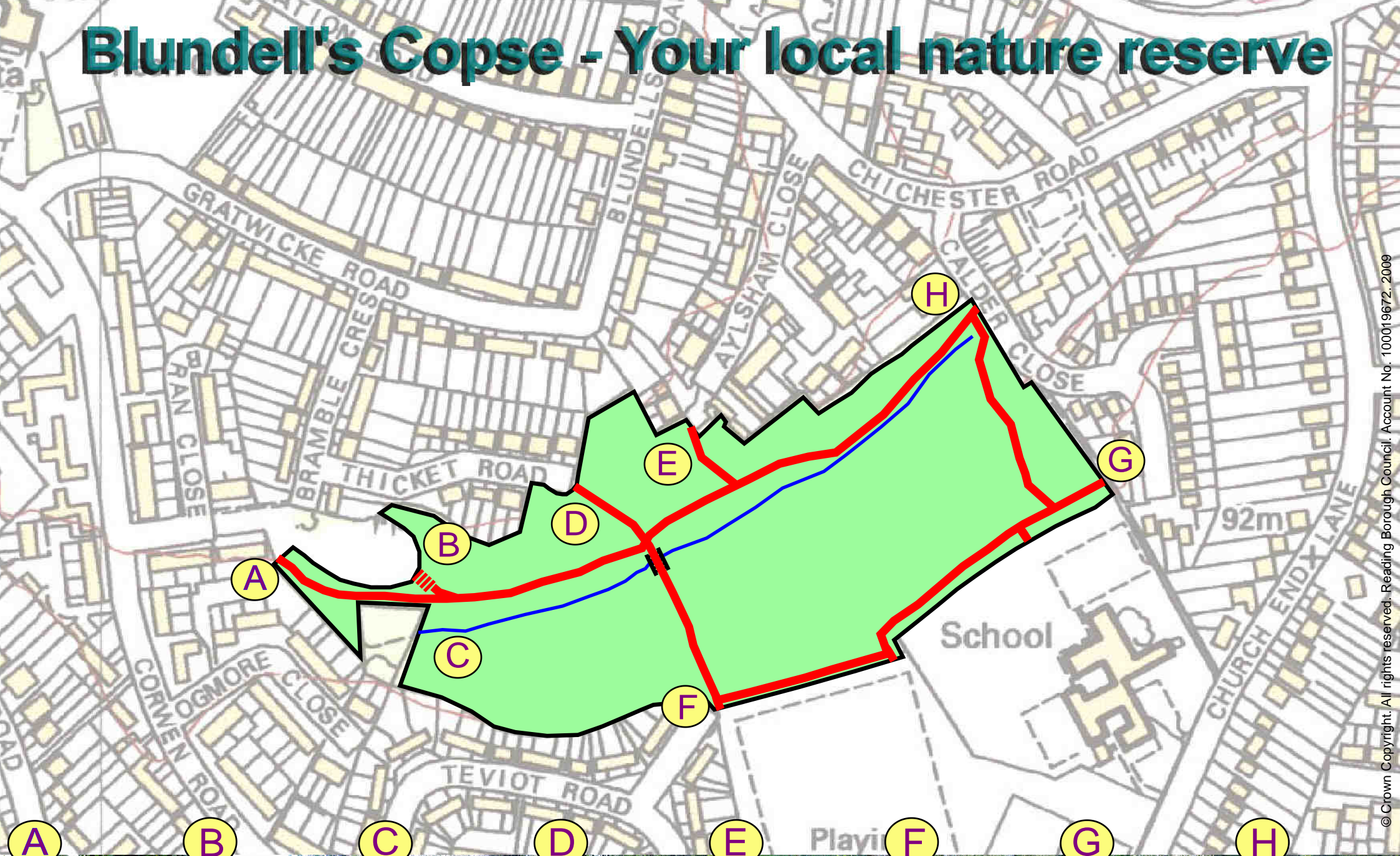
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