

Thieves Pass

Route	Surface	Distance/km	Ascent/m
Thieves Pass via Craigmore Woods	Gravel	41.4	500
Start			
Burnfield Avenue, PH26 3HH			
Car parking			
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Waypoint/ km	Description		
0	SE down Burnfield Avenue and follow Speyside Way route towards Nethy Bridge		
5.4	Exit old railway line via signed path on left and turn left onto farm track		
5.7	Right onto B970		
6.4	Left onto forestry track		
8.8	Right then left on forestry tracks, stay on main track to road		
10.9	Left on unclassified road		
12.7	Right on unclassified road towards Dorback		
16.0	Right on track at Ballintuim		
17.2	Ford Dorback Burn and continue on track		
18.3	Gorge narrows and some hike-a-bike depending on bike and skill....		
20.3	Ford small burn and keep right on track		
23.5	Right on track		
25.3	Left at T junction		
28.2	Right at fork in track, continue into Nethy Bridge as track changes to road		
31.4	At B970 in Nethy Bridge EITHER right and immediately left to return via the Speyside Way OR right and return to Grantown by road		
41.4	Burnfield Avenue		
Accessibility issues			
Locked gate and narrow bypass at 2.4km, Narrow track at 2.5km near Smokehouse, lots of gates (many with poor hinges and latches) on Speyside Way. Thieves Pass narrow with some hike-a-bike			
Café(s)			
Nethy House, Nethy Bridge			
Notes			
The B970 is relatively quiet so makes a viable return route. Pavement on A95 is wide enough to cycle on between the B970 junction and the A939 roundabout			

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Map

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