



# Buggy Walks in West Wight

See if you can spot these points of interest as you walk around  
The Causeway . Can you answer the questions too? \* Answers at the bottom of the page



**1** This is a very old cottage.

**Q** Can you find it on  
Longhalves Lane?

**Did you know?** It is said that, in the 1300's, the Rector of Freshwater was involved in smuggling wool. He probably used the same path that you are walking today! Also, for centuries The Causeway was the only crossing point over the Western Yar— before a bridge was built at Yarmouth.

**2** Look for this tree towards the east end of Longhalves Lane, with many stems to its trunk.



**Q** Do you know what type of tree this is?

2. This is a field maple. It has been 'copiced' (had it's trunk cut back) at various times to produce these interesting shapes.

**3** The Co-Op stands on the site of the old Freshwater Railway Station where parts of the platform can still be seen right at the back of the car park.



This locomotive is called "Freshwater" and is now at the Isle of Wight Steam Railway. It was originally used on the Freshwater, Yarmouth and Newport railway which ran from 1889-1953.

