



Buggy Walks in West Wight

WINDMILL ROUTE
Information Sheet

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



1 Footpath T13 is one of the old rights of way which linked the 5 ancient settlements of Freshwater. Middleton was one of these settlements, the name meaning 'middle farm'.

Q Do you know where this photo was taken?



2 Stonewind Farm is built from stone reclaimed from the old windmill (pictured here about 1880) which burnt down. Look out for Windmill Cottage which is on top of the hill beside path T5 'Windmill Lane'. See www.postcards.shalfleet.net for further details.



3 Path T7 was originally constructed as the private carriageway between Farringford House, and Freshwater Court, located in the woods to the east of T5.

Q Do you know who had this lane built?

1. This photo was taken on T13 near the crossroads. More information available on the Histree Trail website.
2. Lord Tennyson had this path built as his in-laws, the Welds, had Freshwater Court, and this lane connects the two houses. Freshwater Court was built in the 1850s.

