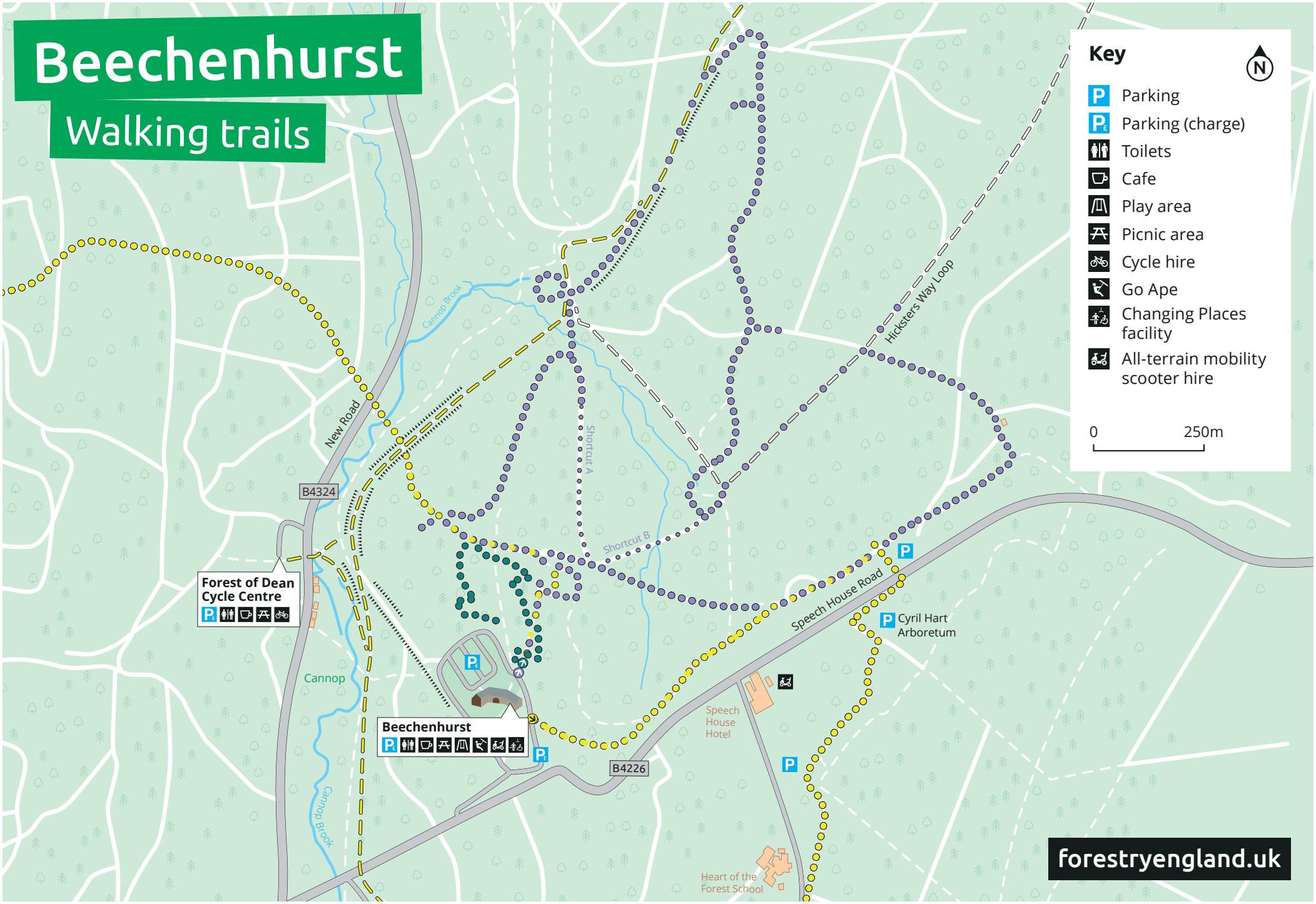


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Walking trails

at Beechenhurst

There are miles of tracks to discover here at Beechenhurst, or you can explore the woodland along one of these routes.

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Walking trails

Beechenhurst Trail ●●●

13km (8 miles)

This 'ramblers route' explores the north-west part of the forest. A challenging walk with lots of hills on unsurfaced paths. This trail is not fully waymarked, so an OS Explorer Map OL14 is advised. More information can be found at **fodramblers.org.uk**

Glade Trail ●●●

1km (½ mile)

This all-ability access route meanders through mixed woodland before returning to Beechenhurst through the Glade. Along the trail, discover interactive musical instruments designed to be used by anyone. Keep an eye out for information panels with things to look out for as you walk.

Sculpture Trail ●●●

7.7km (4⅔ miles)
Shortcut A: 3.2km (2 miles)
Shortcut B: 5km (3 miles)

This thought-provoking trail takes in a series of sculptures inspired by the forest; its trees, wildlife and industrial past. The trail uses a mix of hardstone tracks and unsurfaced pathways with two shortcut options available. More information is available at the trail start and trail leaflets can be purchased from the cafe or info point.

Walking trails nearby

Cyril Hart Arboretum Path

1km (½ mile)

Established over 100 years ago by plant collector Ernest Wilson, the arboretum has over 200 species of tree. The path is not waymarked but is easy to follow and surfaced for easy-access.

Emergency info

Key location: Beechenhurst, GL16 7EL

Grid ref: SO 6143 1210

What3words: ///dozen.liability.shredding

Nearest minor injury unit: Forest of Dean Community Hospital, Steam Mills Rd, Cinderford, Gloucestershire, GL14 3HY **T: 111**

Nearest A&E hospital facilities: Gloucestershire Royal Hospital, Great Western Road, Gloucester, GL1 3NN

In case of an emergency call 999. Inform Forestry England. **T: 0300 067 4800** (Mon to Fri, 9am - 3pm)

The forest code

- Protect and respect wildlife, plants and trees.
- Guard against all risks of fire.
- Keep dogs under control.
- Take your litter home.
- Make no unnecessary noise.
- Take only memories away.
- The forest is for everyone. Please be aware of other visitors.