



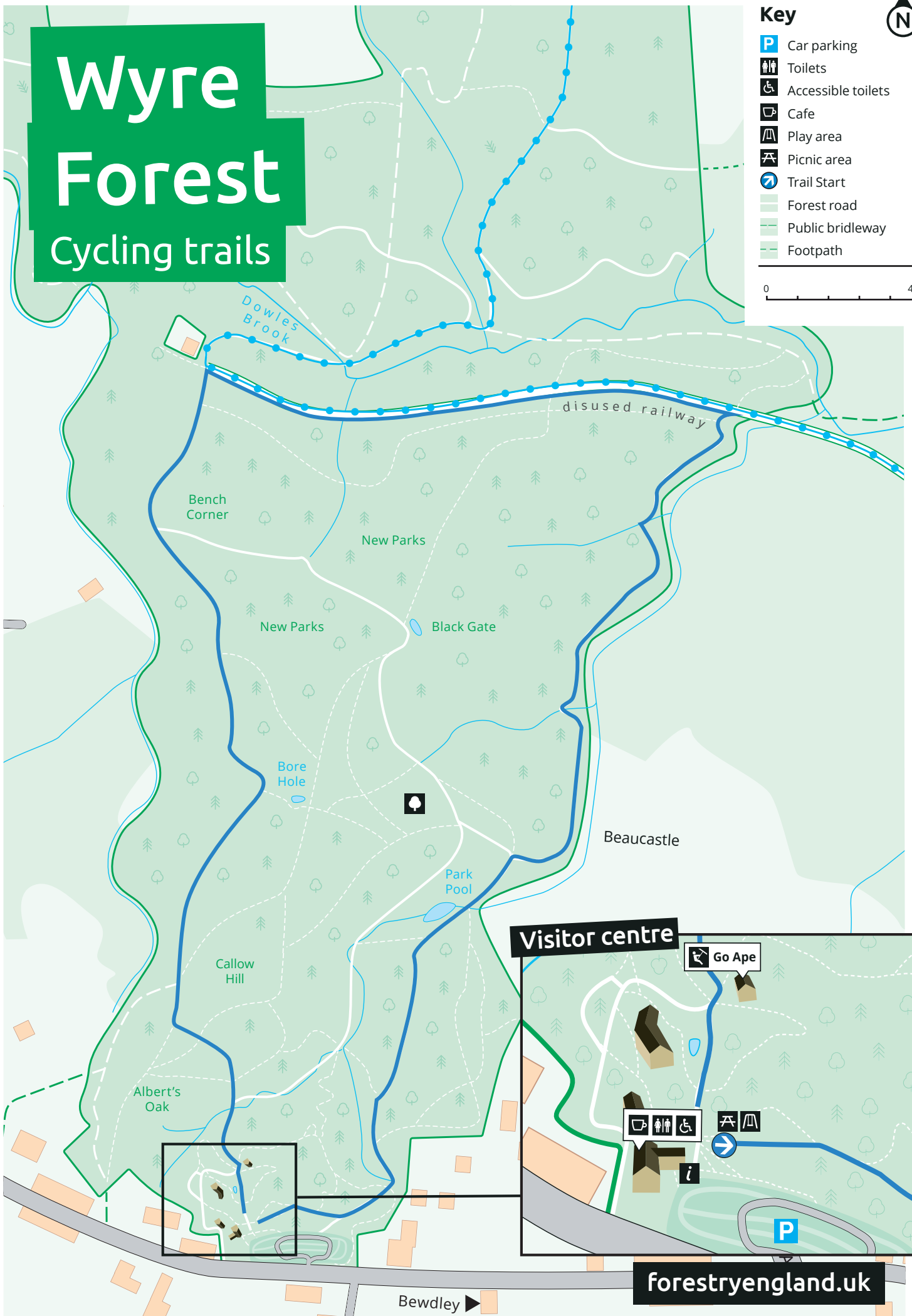
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- Toilets
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- Cafe
- Play area
- Picnic area
- Trail Start
- Forest road
- Public bridleway
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Wyre Forest

Cycling trails



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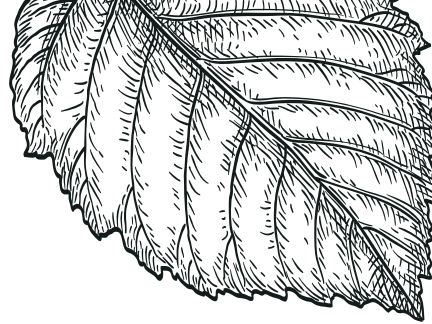
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Cycling trails at

Wyre Forest

Wyre Forest is a great place for families to explore on two wheels. Ride our family cycle trail, follow the forest road network or join the National Cycle Route that runs through the middle of the forest.

Trail information

Family Cycle Trail —

■ **Grade:** Moderate (Blue)
7.7 km (4.7 miles)

Along forest roads and tracks, you'll head in the Wyre Forest National Nature Reserve descending down to the disused railway line before taking a steady climb back up to the visitor centre. Be aware sections are shared with walkers and horse riders and can get muddy at times.

Route 45 ●—●—●

National Cycle Route

Route 45 is part of a national cycle route, linking Chester to Salisbury, passing through Wyre Forest. It enters the forest at Button Oak and heads south along the forest roads, across Dowles Brook heading towards Bewdley along the old railway line. The Family Cycle Trail links Route 45 to the visitor centre.

How our cycle trails are graded

● Green Easy	■ Blue Moderate	Expect: A mixture of climbs and descents with moderate gradients, technical features like tree roots and rock steps; jumps and berms. Rollable features at controlled speed. Variable surfaces.	▲ Red Difficult	◆ Black Severe	◆◆ Double-black Extreme	Forest road & similar	Expect: Gradients can be steep or variable. Surfaces may be uneven, loose or potholed. Navigation skills are useful (routes not always waymarked). Look out for vehicles, forestry work and other visitors.
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Emergency info

Key locations:

Callow Hill, Bewdley DY14 9XQ

Grid Ref: SO7498 7405

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Nearest access road: A456

In case of an emergency, call 999

Inform Forestry England on

T: 0300 067 4935

Hospital with A&E unit:

Worcester Royal Hospital, Charles Hastings Way, Worcester, WR5 1DD

T: 01905 763333

The forest code

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

Cycling safety

- Have the right bike and wear the right safety clothing for the type of riding you're doing.
- Cycle within your abilities.
- Don't rely on others; can you get home safely?
- Take care around other visitors, walkers and horses.
- Always follow warning signs, instructions and diversions.
- If a vehicle is loading timber, wait for the driver to let you pass.
- Expect the unexpected.
- Off-road cycling is an additionally hazardous activity carrying significant risks. It should only be undertaken when you understand those risks and can deal with them. The guidelines on this panel must always be used in conjunction with the exercise of your own experience and careful judgement.
- Routes may change due to tree felling or other forestry work. These works can be dangerous, so follow all warning signs and instructions.
- Motorbikes, electric motorbikes and quadbikes are not allowed in the forest.