Waveney Ramblers Guia de Isora 6 Guia Jaral Chirche A B C

OS Map: Track: <u>GPX for SatNav</u> 7.6 Miles Updated: 2020-01-16

Walks A, B, C. The paths are mostly rocky lava. A) 9 km, 560 metres ascent on poor paths - not recommended. B) 11.0 km, 693 metres on a good path.

C) 11.8 km, 876 metres on a good path.

One short section shared by vehicles was a little slippery.

The legs between two ridges were narrower with steep drops, especially route A. There's a vertigo risk but it's fine for regular mountain walkers. The shortest version of this walk (A) is not recommended. The path was not in great condition.

Starting from Calle Campo, head SW dropping down to the main road and head to the bus station.

From the bus station, head SW along the main road for 740 metres.

Cross a ravine and straight after the road bridge, turn left uphill on a footpath. Not down to the farm!

The path zigzags up and then heads roughly east, up the ridge with the ravine on the left.

After 400 metres bear right away from the ravine ignoring the way marks.

Follow this path, later skirting farm land until it meets a concrete road.

Head uphill on the concrete but don't bear left to the house.

Before the corner, bear right and head roughly east on a good path into another ravine.

This comes out on a road. Head briefly south and join the main road into El Jaral, east, uphill.

At the Y junction take the right fork uphill to the village. Later take another right fork still heading up.

The road ends and the footpath continues up the ridge, NE for 500 metres.

The footpath crosses a tarmac road. Continue ahead on the footpath on the ridge, NE for another 550 metres.

At a junction decide whether to do the extra 600 metres and 150 metres ascent.

ROUTE B: Turn left, north, and follow the path which crosses several ravines.

This path is narrower with a slight risk of vertigo if you don't like steep drops.

After the ravine crossings, the narrow path meets a road wide enough for 4x4 vehicles.

Head west downhill following the ridge.

ROUTE C: Continue ahead, uphill. There is a right left zigzag. At a building, turn left, west, and start downhill on a small path. Join the road wide enough for 4x4 vehicles.

BOTH: The surface has been disturbed by traffic and is unstable so take care to avoid involuntary sitting.

Near Chirche, head north across the ravine that's dangerous in flash floods.

Head downhill on the tarmac road through the village.

The walk can be shortened slightly by following the road all the way to Guia de Isora.

A prettier way home leads up Calle el Roquillo, NW. 500 metres up this path, turn left, SW, and head downhill.

The footpath joins the pipes down to the waterworks.

330 metres from the crossroads, bear right away from the pipes, NW for 460 metres.

At a tarmac lane, turn left, SE for 80 metres. Turn right, SW, on the footpath downhill.

Follow this all the way to the waterworks. Head SE to join the main tarmac road down.

Head downhill keeping right to get back to the Calle Campo bus stop.

Alternatively zigzag through the town back to the bus station.

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