

# Waveney Ramblers Waveney Bounds Two 27 Rickingham and Thelnetham

Track: [TM 03764 75329](#) [GPX for SatNav](#) 8.4 Miles Updated: 2025-01

Meet at Rickingham, Saint Mary's Church. Street parking nearby.

Head SW along Bury Road.

Turn left, SW, into Low Meadow. Head to the A143.

Cross the A143 and continue SW. Turn right, west, to Briar Lane.

Turn left, SW, along Briar Lane, later west.

Turn right, NW, along Oakwood Lane.

Cross the A143 and head NW along Town House Lane.

Turn right, north, along Wattisfield Road. Veer left to stay on Wattisfield Road.

Soon after Wattisfield Road bends left, west, opposite The Homestead, turn right, north, across an open field.

At a mid-field track, turn right, NE.

Turn first left, north, hedge right, towards Thripskin Farm.

At the lane, turn left, west, soon NW, towards the High Street.

Turn right, NE, along the High Street.

At the Thelnetham crossroads, take a look at the architecturally attractive old school, now the village hall.

Turn right, east, along Church Lane.

Veer left, NE, to visit Saint Nicholas' Church.

The footpath goes right, east, before the church gate. Return here after visiting the church.

Follow the footpath, east, church left, across a meadow.

Go through a hedge gap, then left, NE, soon north, hedge left.

The path kinks right and left and continues north, woodland right.

Turn right, east, into Hinderclay Fen. Cross a track and continue east passing sculptures.

Turn right, south, to reach Fen Road, ponds right.

Turn left, east, along Fen Road. Continue along Fen Road, SE, soon south.

Turn sharp left, NE, along Hinderclay Road.

After the Gressingham Foods car park, turn right, south, along Southern Lane, car park right.

The lane dwindles to a footpath, SW, soon south, then SE.

The path turns right, SW, and converges with the River Little Ouse / The Grundle.

Follow the path, river right, for some distance.

Pass the strong metal farm bridge and continue SE, river right.

Kink right and left and head SE, water meadow right, tall poplars ahead.

Keep left across the meadow. About mid way, turn right, SW, and cross the meadow.

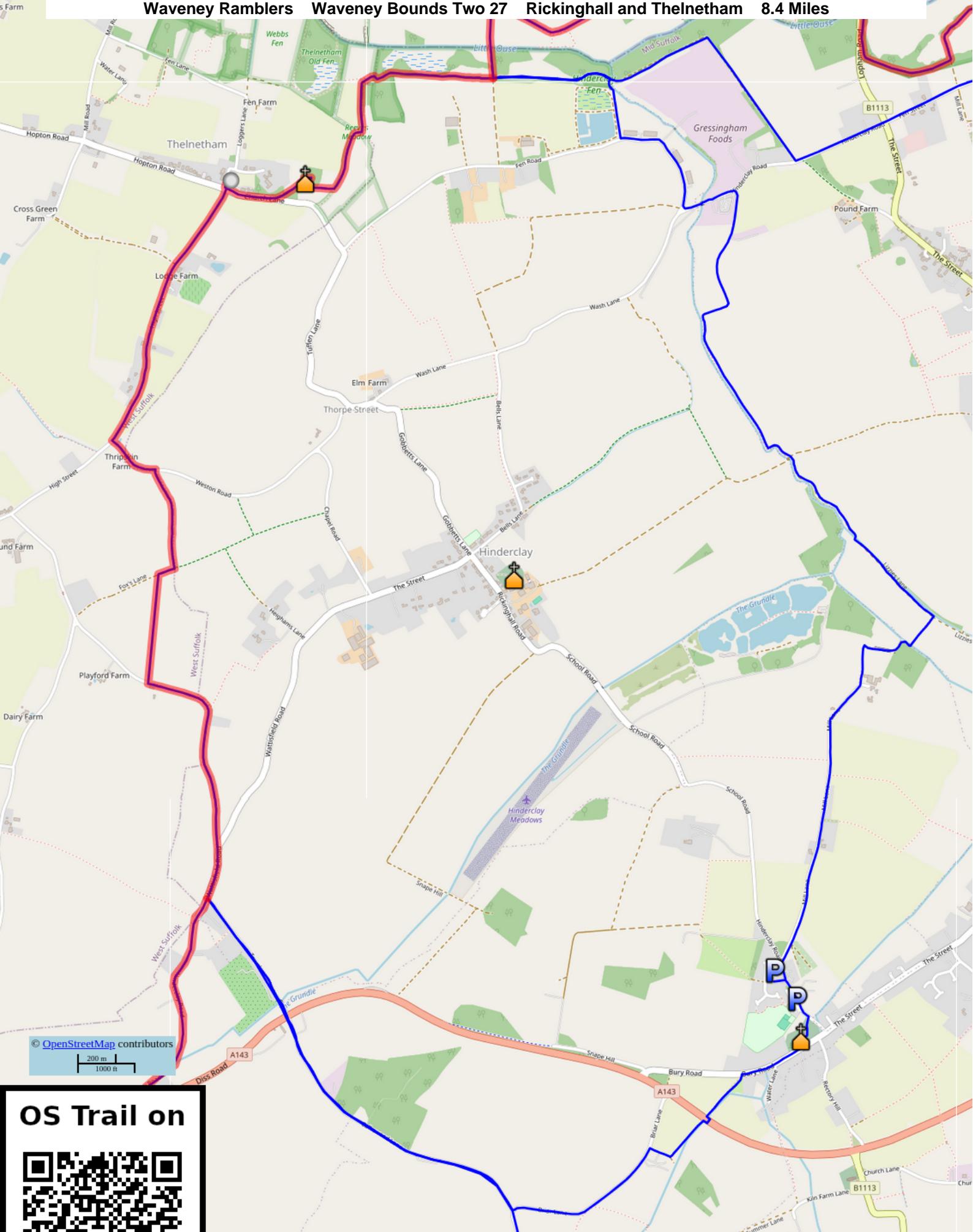
Cross the river and turn right, NW, and very soon, left, SW, later west.

The path bends left, south, and merges into Mill Lane, SW.

Head along Mill Lane, SW, later south.

Merge left, south, with Hinderclay Road, soon SE.

Turn right, SW, into Saint Mary's churchyard and head back to the start point and parking.



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