



Boundary Close Footpath leading to Kingsdown Road - One of the many footpaths criss crossing the parish

Footpaths of Stratton St. Margaret

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Ordnance Survey References given where known.

The original 'Coffin-way' from Upper Stratton to St. Margarets church is these days named Cowleaze Walk, starts at Beechcroft Road (SU 173 878) and runs through Meadowcroft Estate.

Green Road (SU 165 868) to Bridge End Road (SU 166 860) between Old Highworth Railway line and BMW plant.

One of the nicest is the old Kingsdown Lane which forms part of the Eastern boundary and goes from Highworth Road (SU 180 891) to Blunsdon (SU 152 896) passing behind the Crematorium and Stratton Wood. It is an ancient trackway and is protected as such.

There is a route from White Hart (SU 183 863) to Rat Trap (SU 175 877) that runs mostly parallel to A419. It runs behind Watermead (SU 183 866) , past the church (SU 179 870) and comes out by Church of Latter Day Saints (SU 175 879).

There are two foot crossings of the A419, one at back of Watermead to South Marston (SU 184 867) the other behind Garden Centre (SU 161 888) in Hyde Road to Stratton Wood & Blunsdon. Both are difficult as Highways Agency have not left gaps in centre barriers.

1987 Flyover footpath constructed from Bridgmead (SU 186 866) to White Heart (SU 183 863) over A419 and joins cycle route to Greenbridge (SU 173 857) and then on into Swindon.

Newest footpath/cycleway is from Highworth Road junction with A419 (SU 175 879) to Industrial estate on old Vicker's site (SU 180 887).