

CRAFTY CAMPING / WOODLAND WORKSHOP DIRECTIONS

Crafty Camping & Woodland Workshop
Opposite - Higher Holditch Farm
Holditch
West Dorset
TA20 4NL
Office: 01460 221102 (office hours only & not monitored at all times)

We are in a very remote location with tiny lanes and lots of ways to get well and truly lost... It is impossible to talk people in over the phone so we strongly recommend using Google maps where we have registered the car park location for Crafty Camping and the Woodland Workshop. Please allow plenty of time as progress can be very slow in the local lanes.

Here is the link: <http://goo.gl/maps/rIujp>

Satnav does not always work for the last mile or so, it will probably take you to Manor Farm in the middle of the tiny hamlet of Holditch. From the grass triangle outside Manor Farm follow the lane up hill following the lane around a very sharp left hand bend by 3 cottages, our car park is then 1st left after a few hundred yards.

ARRIVAL INSTRUCTIONS

The Woodland Workshop & Crafty Camping car park is 20 yards uphill along Holditch lane from the entrance to Higher Holditch Farm (please don't go into this farm yard) - you will see our sign at the entrance to our car park. Having parked along the hedge in the car park, walk through the small pedestrian gate on the left and follow the footpath down to the woods (please do not follow the vehicular track across the meadow). You will see our communal yurt, craft workshop parachutes and field kitchen as you walk down into the woods. There are signs pointing you in the right direction from here.

If staying please move your slate sign on the "in/out" board as you arrive at the camp so that we know who is on/off site at all times. The duty phone managers name and mobile number is also displayed below the in/out boards and may change during your stay. Please do not leave any valuables in your car as we can not be responsible for unattended cars & contents despite being in a remote, quiet and generally trouble free location.

BY TRAIN TO AXMINSTER - Southwest Trains run hourly services from Waterloo, it is essential to pre-book a taxi from the station. www.southwesttrains.co.uk

LOCAL TAXIS: Paynes Premier Travel 01297 35895, Bluebird Cars 07591584790, Mat 07736 642738 or Axminster Taxis on 01297 34000.

FROM LONDON/M3

M3, junction 8 onto the A303, exit the A303 onto the A358 (signposted Chard), straight over traffic lights continuing on the A358 signposted Axminster, after 3.5 miles at the end of the village of Tytherleigh turn left into broom lane, which becomes Holditch Lane. Continue through the small hamlet of Holditch, the lane bends sharply left and after about 400 yards you will see our car park on your left. If you get to a T junction with Headstock Road you have gone 200 yards too far.

FROM THE M5 GOING SOUTH

Turn off the M5 at Junction 25 onto the A358, staying on the A358 until you come into Chard, then straight over the traffic lights continuing on the A358 signposted Axminster, after 3.5 miles at the end of the village of Tytherleigh turn left into broom lane, which becomes Holditch Lane. Continue through the small hamlet of Holditch, after Manor Farm the lane bends sharply left and after about 200 yards you will find our car park on your left. If you get to a T junction with Headstock Road you have gone 200 yards too far.

FROM THE M5 GOING NORTH

Turn Off the M5 at Junction 29 onto the A30 past Exeter airport to Honiton, turning off onto the A35 signposted to Dorchester. Turn left off the A35 onto the B3261 signposted Axminster, at the roundabout turning left onto the A358, continue out of Axminster on the A358 towards Chard. After 1.5 miles turn right into a lane signposted to Waggs plot, go over the railway crossing and then take the 1st left lane, and then bear left at the next T junction until you reach a T junction with Holditch Lane where you turn right into Holditch. Continue through the small hamlet of Holditch, follow the lane bending sharply left around two cottages, after about 200 yards you will find our car park on your left. If you get to a T junction with Headstock Road you have gone 200 yards too far.



THE SCENIC ROUTE FROM BRIDPORT AND BEAMINSTER

(small lanes although only about 10 miles, allow 20 mins from Beaminster)

From Bridport go north to Beaminster on the B3066, go through Beaminster and turn left at the mini roundabout to Broadwindsor on the B3163, in Broadwindsor turn left at the village shop onto the B3164 along the rim of the marshwood vale (you can see the sea to your left on a clear day). At the crossroads go straight over signposted to Thorncombe on the B3165. At the next crossroads turn left signposted Holditch. Keep bearing right at both of the next two junctions, keep on this lane when passing the red sign to Hewood and then turn left into Holditch Lane, you will see Oscar the owl at the entrance to our car park on the right after 200yds, just before Higher Holditch Farm.

