BASE CAMP

1st Carnforth Scout Group

Off Kellet Road, Carnforth. LA5 9LN.

What Three Words locations:

Entrance off Kellet Road: dote.cautious.estimated

Entrance to Base Camp: steams.juggles.culminate

Challenge Information Packs

BaseCamp has various options for interesting weekend camps. One option is to hike to a camp from Lancaster, Morecambe, or one of the Lonsdale District Activity Centres. Then camp overnight before trying your hand at building a raft and launching it into the Canal. End the day(s) with an activity /cooking evening.

There are many Hikes options which can be of a length to suit your group's abilities.

BaseCamp has equipment to build two rafts.

Please note: *As the canal is shallow enough to stand at all points, no permit is required. Just suitable supervision ratios and leaders confident in leading a water-based activity.*

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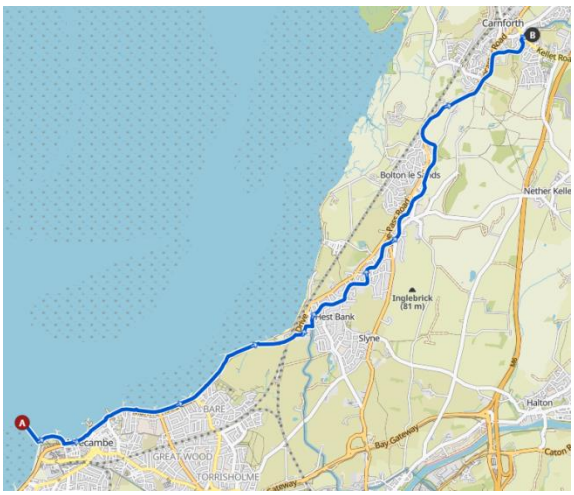
Start your 2-day programme with a Hike to **BaseCamp**. Below are two suggested hikes you might want to challenge your group to try.

Hike Option: 7 miles from Morecambe

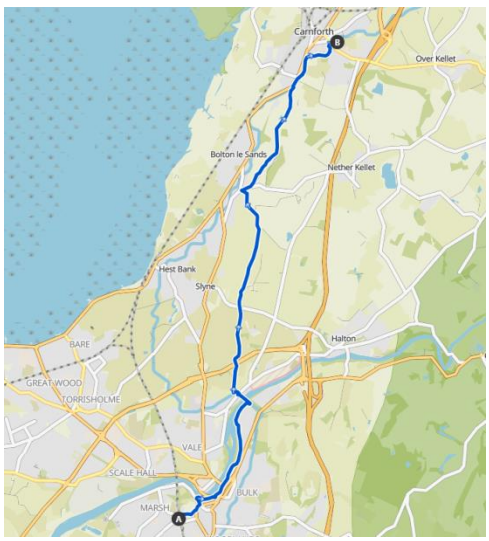


A relatively easy hike of just over **7 miles** from the end of the **Stone Jetty** in Morecambe, along the **seafront** before joining the **Lancaster Canal** and following the towpath to **BaseCamp**.

Following the canal from Lancaster instead of the country roads adds 1.75 miles.

Scan the QR code to see the route map.

Hike Option: 7 miles from Lancaster



A relatively easy hike of just over **7 miles** from **Lancaster Train Station**, along the **Lune river**, over the **Aqueduct** before following quiet country roads, finally joining the **Lancaster Canal** towpath to **BaseCamp**.

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For longer walks, please refer to the Duke of Edinburgh information pack.

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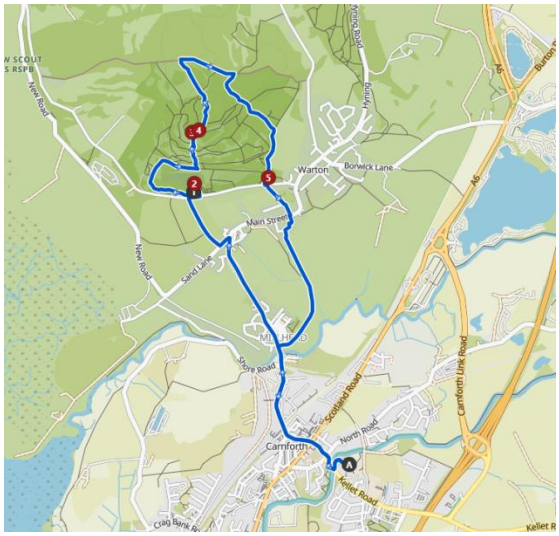
You could also meet at **BaseCamp** and then follow one of many walks from the site. Below are two suggested hikes you might want to challenge your group to try.

Hike Option: 5.5 miles around Warton Crag



An interesting **5.5 mile** circular walk from **BaseCamp** through **Carnforth** up to **Warton Crag**. Passing the quarry before climbing up to the Crag itself.

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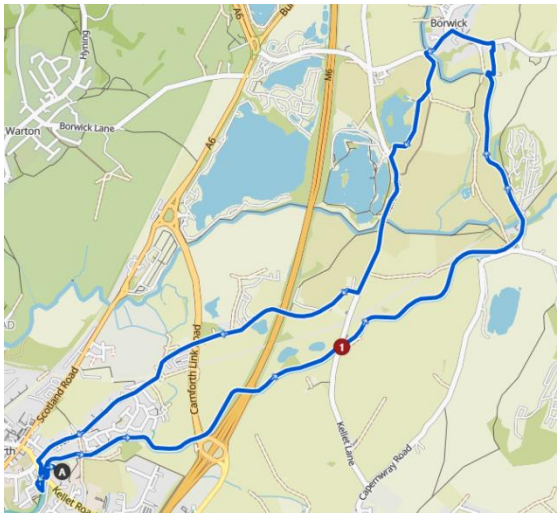
Hike Option: 6 miles loop to Borwick



A relatively easy hike of just over **6 miles** from **BaseCamp** to **Borwick** village, along the **Lancaster Canal**, and then back through the countryside and **Carnforth** to **BaseCamp**.

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BaseCamp has outdoor camping options for up to 40 people on the main field.

The main limitation relates to having 2 toilets, plus 1 adapted toilet , and a single shower .

BaseCamp also has n option for an indoor "*sleep over*" type camp using the large hall.

This provides a excellent option to for groups wanting to become comfortable with "camping" without going all out under canvas.

The main hall has underfloor heating so perfect for a winter camp too.

Please refer to the Camping Activity pack for more information, including ideas for on-site evening activities.

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BaseCamp has the equipment you need for a successful rafting activity. There is enough equipment to build two rafts.

Rafts can be built on the field and launched from the hard standing area close to **BaseCamp**.

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Please ensure you have considered risks & have adequate controls in place for your visit.

Click to download our draft Risk Assessments.