

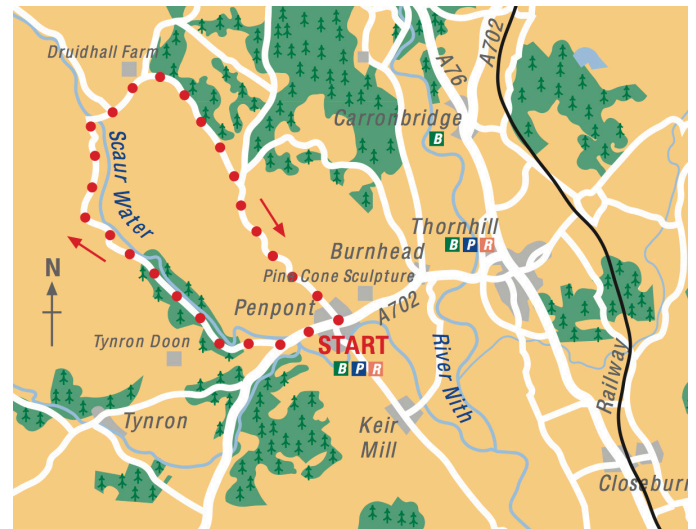
PENPONT AND SCAUR GLEN

- START** at the car park in Penpont (turn right at crossroads if coming from Thornhill)
- 14.5km/9 miles**
- Allow 1 1/2 hours**
- Steady climb up Scaur Glen with descent back to Penpont**

Penpont stands at the side of the attractive Scaur Water and housed workers for the local limestone quarries. Kirkpatrick McMillan, the inventor of the rear wheel driven bicycle was born nearby in 1813.

Tynron Doon The summit area of this prominent hill was worked to form a fort in the Dark Ages, and has seen various developments, including a 16th century tower-house and a shepherds bothy dating from between the 18th and 19th centuries.

Pine Cone Sculpture By Andy Goldsworthy, a local sculptor renowned worldwide for landscape inspired works.



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Miles	Route
0.0	From the car park return to the crossroads and turn right, enjoying the views to Tynron Doon.
0.6	Turn right on to the Byway signposted to Scaur Water.
	Continue to follow Byway signs and cross the Scaur Water.
4.7	Bear right at the next junction.
5.3	At Druidhall Farm turn right over the bridge.
7.0	Turn right at the T-junction (signposted to Penpont) to return to the village.
8.9	Penpont

ON SHARED USE PATHS • Please be courteous and be prepared to slow down or stop if necessary • Give way to pedestrians, horse-riders and wheelchair users, leaving them plenty of room • Carry a bell and use it - not all pedestrians can see you • Always follow the Highway Code • Be seen - most accidents to cyclists happen at junctions • Fit lights, wear a helmet and light and reflective clothing • Respect land management activities such as farming and forestry and take litter home • Be self-sufficient - in remote areas carry food, repair kit, map and waterproofs.

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