

Colchester Ramblers' Association Group. Rambles available for leading as culled from Jessie's Escort Series by Mapjog. Contact Ramble Sec. for date and do one in 2009

Layer de la Haye, Abberton Reservoir Visitor Centre carpark B1026. This site will flood when reservoir expansion takes place. The Centre will be replaced nearby.

Through the tree-belt lining Wigborough Road, is the drive to The Rows. Follow it as it sweeps up right through the steading and look for a path junction off left by a field boundary close by the cables' overhead track. Take it, hedge on right, chicane right, left to have hedge on left through a couple of fields and cross paddocks to converge with Whitehouse Farm drive en route to the base of Layer Breton Hill.

Cross to enter Lower Road, going left at the base of Shatters Road hill to curve right up Winters Hill (footwayless) to the first path off right. It proceeds eastwards beyond the arable to pass Stamps and Crows and passes The Hare & Hounds. East of Craxe Lane's bend, a gravel track extends towards Layer de la Haye's Church. Follow it until it bends right to The Rows, from whence the path is midfield to a hedge corner, then hedge on left to the B1026 road with the Reservoir Visitor Centre's environs in view. Twist right and face oncoming traffic to complete the circuit. TL 962 184



8 kms
 ≈ 5 miles
 Not to scale

	reservoir/pond.		Winstree Marathon
	road		rights of way
	track		
	fence/stile		

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