

Causeland to Duloe and Stone Circle

A walk from Causeland station up to the pretty village of Duloe with its nice pub, little shop & post office and stone circle.

The distance is 1.5 miles but due to the steepness of the hill on the ascent up into the village, this may take an hour.

From Causeland station, turn left and walk down the lane. Walk down this lane for approximately 3 minutes and you will come to Badham Farm holiday cottages on your left.

Opposite there is a quite lane heading uphill, cross over the road from Badham and head up this hill, bearing left. This is a very steep hill so take your time; the upside being some lovely views of the valley below if you look back.

You will know when the climb is nearly over as the lane starts to level off and you see a large field to your left. A minute or so from here the lane meets the main road into the village, where you need to turn left.

Walk down the left hand side of the road here, looking out for traffic, then when you can, cross over to the other side of the road where you will find the pavement.

MODERATE | 1.5 MILES

Line Looe Valley Line

Start/End Crediton station

Walk up through the village, passing the Jubilee Centre and Community Shop, The Plough Inn and towards the church.

Just before you get to the church, you will see a sign pointing to the left for Stone Circle. Cross over the road and walk up the little lane. Walk up this lane just for a few metres and you will see a gate in front of you; walk through the gate and across the field to the stone circle.

The stone circle is the smallest in Cornwall and is unique in that the 8 stones are made of white quartz. The origins of the circle are unknown but in the 1800s restoration of the site uncovered a Bronze Age urn which contained cremated human bones, so many believe the site was a Bronze Age burial monument.

From here you can retrace your steps back to the station or if you prefer, you could catch a 73 bus from the village to Looe or Liskeard.

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