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THE FARLETON FELL LOOP

This route is initially flat long the Towpath Trail before taking you over steep fell paths over Farleton Fell for stunning views of the area.

TRAVEL INFORMATION

Arriving by Bus: The 567 Kendal - Kirkby Lonsdale service runs passed the route and you can stop at the Crooklands Hotel. Visit [Stagecoach](#) for times and fares.

Arriving by Car: There are several parking options available in the area:

- Layby opposite Crooklands Hotel
- C&RT car park at Millness
- A65 layby near Millness car park
- Crooklands Hotel (customer parking only)

Arriving by Bike: This route is not suitable for cycling and there are no storage facilities at present.

WALK IT! AT A GLANCE



TIME
3 hours



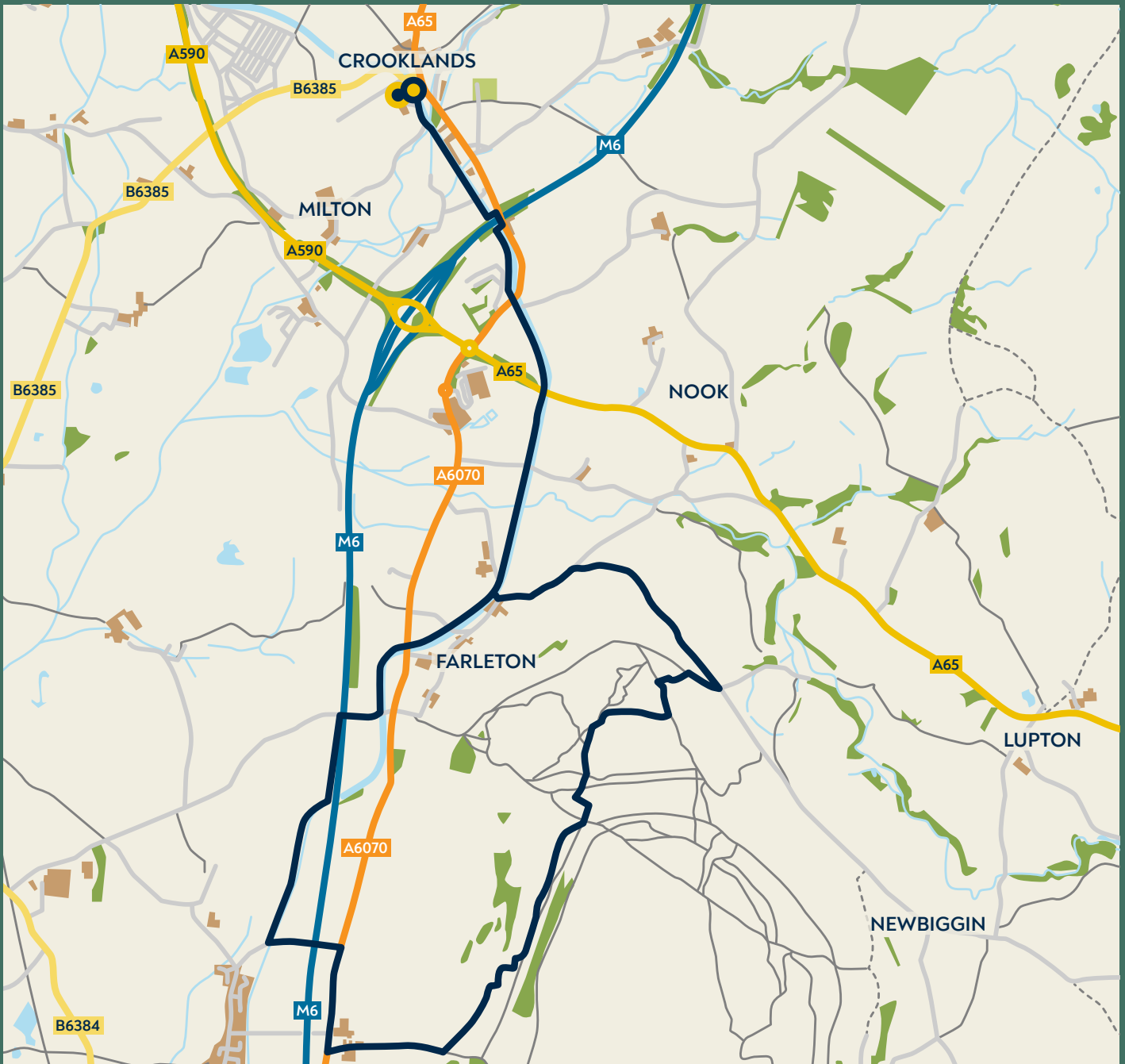
DIFFICULTY
Hard



DISTANCE
6.65 miles



TERRAIN
Mixed



Please note the map shown is for illustrating the route - for a more accurate map we would recommend using [AllTrails.co.uk](https://www.alltrails.co.uk)

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Follow the points below and tick them off as you go!

1. Leave the Towpath temporarily via the Millness car park by walking under the M6 bridge and following the sign on your right-hand side to rejoin the canal before the Texaco garage.

2. Continue on the Towpath Trail for approx. 2.5km.

3. At Bridge 155 exit the Towpath Trail onto the road. Take care crossing the road and head right to walk over the M6 bridge.

4. Turn left at the public footpath sign into a farmer's field, the M6 will be on your left.

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5. Exit the field and rejoin the train by walking up the steps ahead and turning right on to the Towpath Trail.

6. Continue until the towpath meets North Road where you exit the Towpath Trail.

7. Turn left onto North Road and continue for approx. 200m passing under the M6 underpass.

8. At the T Junction, take care to cross and walk on the left hand side of the road for approx. 400m.

9. Turn left at the signs for Threlkeld Holme Park Farm.

10. Walk up the farm lane until you reach the National Trust entrance to Holme Park Fell.

11. At the Holme Park Farm sign take the left-hand path winding upwards with rocks on your right hand side.

12. Continue to follow the path up and over Holme Park Fell.

13. Cross over the dry stone wall via the steps and take the path in front of you to continue upwards.

14. At the next set of path crossroads, go left towards the Farleton Knott Cairn.

15. At the cairn, take the path on your right heading down through the gorse bushes.

16. Continue weaving downwards and heading to the right until you reach a wider defined path at the bottom of the fell.

17. Turn right onto the path and exit through the gates onto Puddlemire Lane.

18. Turn left on to Puddlemire Lane and continue for approx. 870m.

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19. Turn left at the junction onto Nook Lane.

20. At the farm houses cross the lane and walk to the right (between the national speed limit signs) over the canal bridge.

21. Walk over the bridge and turn right to join the Towpath Trail via the small and hidden entrance.

22. Once you're back on the towpath turn left to return along the Towpath Trail to enjoy a well deserved drink at the Crooklands Hotel!



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