

## Directions:

1. Start in the car park (charges apply) Shudrick Lane South, St365147. This is opposite Tesco.
2. Leave the car park and turn right. Continue to the end of the lane and go through a rambler gate into the field, Signposted 'Permissive Path Kingstone Hill 3/4 miles'. Turn immediately right through a gap in the hedge.
3. Keep the hedge on your left and follow the stream along through four fields.
4. Go over a footbridge into the fifth field. Keep to the hedge on the left and head uphill to a rambler gate.
5. Go through the gate and go left through a large gap in the hedge into the next field. Bear slightly right uphill to the corner of the hedge opposite.
6. Keep the hedge on your left and go through a rambler gate in the corner of the field. Go through the gate and head diagonally left to the hedge corner jutting out of the field. Beyond this is a further rambler gate that leads out on to a fairly busy road. TAKE CARE!
7. Turn right up the road and go through the first gate, set back a little way from the road, on the right. As an alternative route you are able to stay in the field and follow the hedge up until you reach the gate.
8. Keep straight ahead along the top of the hill with the hedge on your left. Cross the second, a double stile in this hedge into the next field. There are great views of Windwhistle Hill from here.

9. Turn right and follow the hedge line around to a gap in the hedge and go into the next field. Keep the hedge on your right and follow the edge of this large field to a stile.
10. Cross the stile and go diagonally across to the right where there is a gate behind the houses. Take the narrow path, fenced on either side, down onto a residential street (Long Close).
11. Turn left and go to the end of the street.
12. Turn right and go down the hill towards Ilminster Town Centre. Pass the petrol station on the left and take the next turning right which is Shudrick Lane, where you started.

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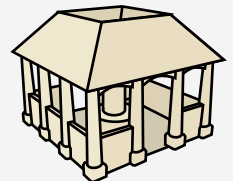


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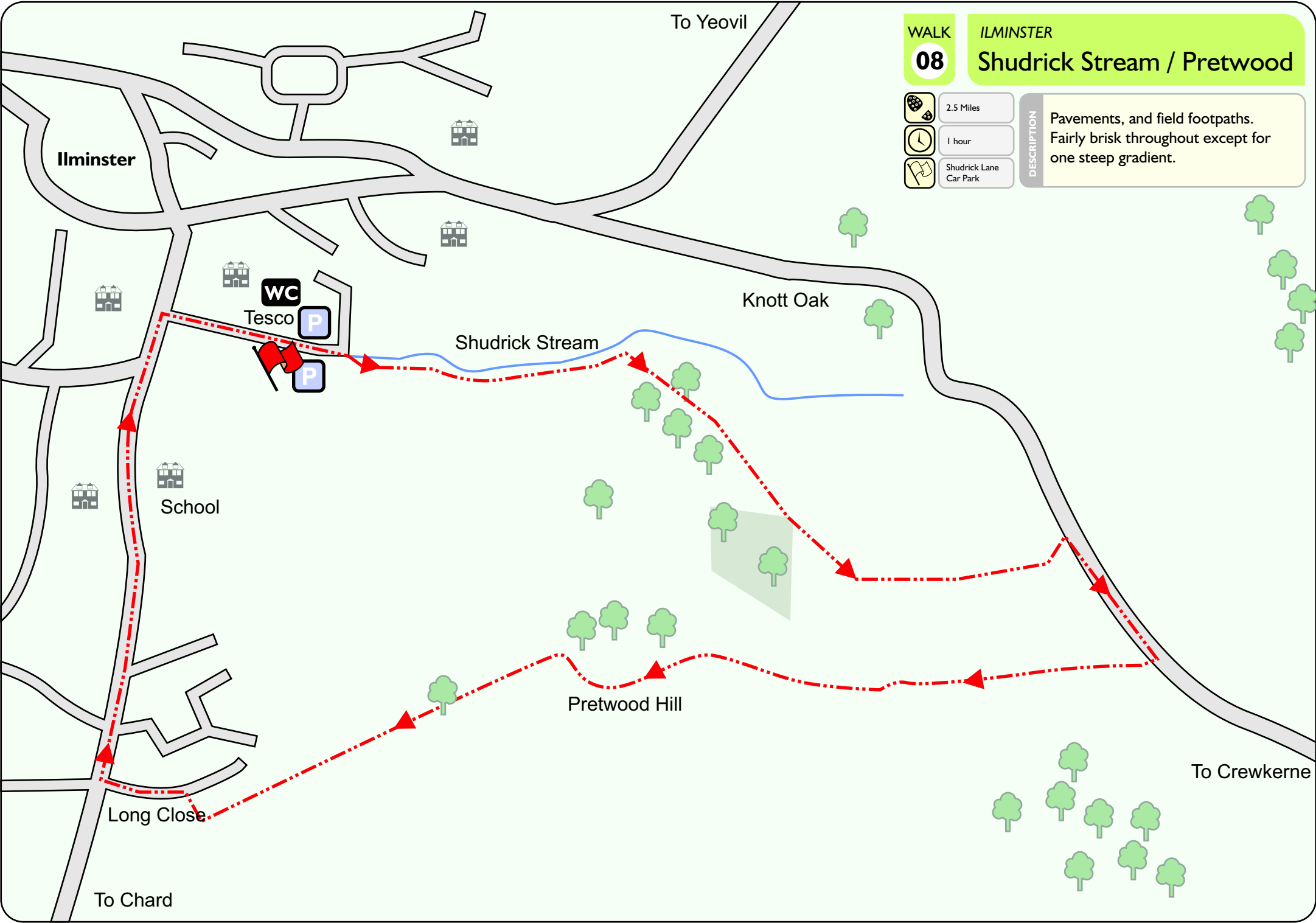
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# Walks

No. 8: SHUDRICK STREAM & PRETWOOD



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WALK  
**08**

ILMINSTER  
**Shudrick Stream / Pretwood**



2.5 Miles



1 hour



Shudrick Lane  
Car Park

DESCRIPTION

Pavements, and field footpaths.  
Fairly brisk throughout except for  
one steep gradient.