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# QUARRY TRAILS

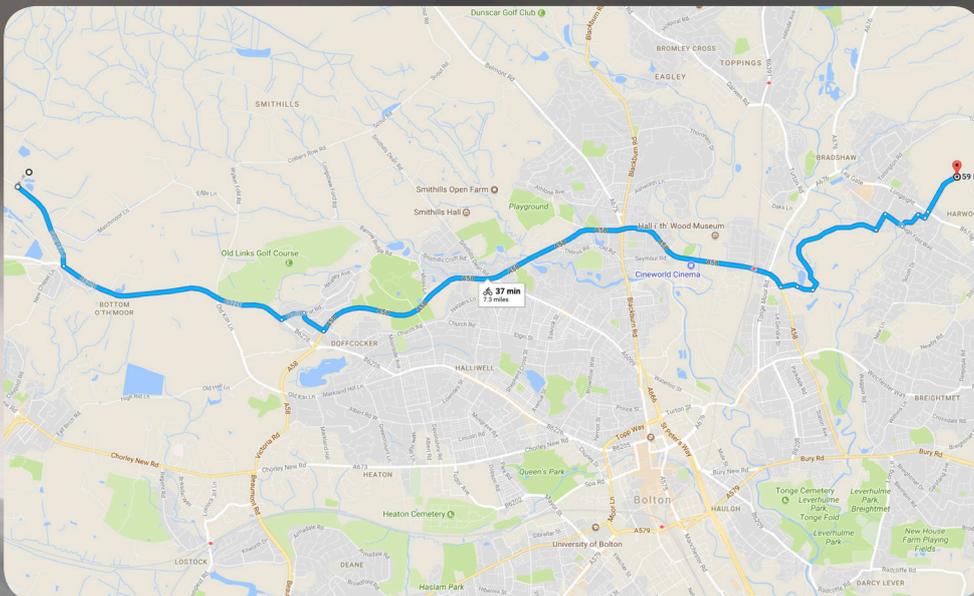
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## FROM MONTCLIFFE QUARRY TO HARWOOD QUARRY

APPROXIMATE JOURNEY TIME: 0 HOURS 37 MINUTES

DISTANCE: 7.3 MILES



### QUARRIES FACT FILE:

**ADDRESS:**

Georges Lane, Horwich, Bolton, Lancashire,  
BL6 6RS (53.606121° -2.5213586°)

**OPERATOR NAME:**

Armstrongs Aggregates Ltd

**PLANNING REGION:**

North West

**COMMODITY PRODUCE:**

Sandstone

**LITHOSTRATIGRAPHY:**

Ousel Nest Grit

**AGE:**

Carboniferous

**ADDRESS:**

Brookfold Lane, Harwood, Bolton, Lancashire  
(53.607221° -2.3853514°)

**OPERATOR NAME:**

James Booth (Bolton) Ltd

**PLANNING REGION:**

North West

**COMMODITY PRODUCE:**

Sandstone

**LITHOSTRATIGRAPHY:**

Old Lawrence Rock

**AGE:**

Carboniferous

## ROUTE PLANNER

### DISTANCE TO TRAVEL

### DIRECTIONS

0.0 mi	Start at Montcliffe Quarry Georges Lane, Horwich, Bolton, Lancashire, BL6 6RS (53.606121° -2.5213586°)
0.6 mi	Head south-east on George's Ln towards Makinson Ln
1.4 mi	Turn left onto Chorley Old Rd/B6226
0.1 mi	Turn left onto Montserrat Rd
0.2 mi	Turn right onto Tattersall Ave
3.1 mi	Turn left onto Moss Bank Way/A58
0.1 mi	Turn left onto Firwood Ln
0.1 mi	Continue onto Firwood Fold
0.8 mi	Turn left
0.1 mi	Turn left onto Longsight Ln
0.1 mi	Turn right onto Hough Fold Way
0.1 mi	Turn left onto Rose Lea
236 ft	Turn right onto Brook Gardens
230 ft	Turn left onto Ruins Ln
0.3 mi	Continue onto Brookfold Ln
0.0 mi	Arrive at Harwood Quarry Brookfold Lane, Harwood, Bolton, Lancashire (53.607221° -2.3853514°)



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## SAFETY ADVICE

**Please ensure you do not enter onto any quarry site.**

Ensure follow all road markings and are aware of your surroundings.

Wear appropriate clothing and be prepared for changing weather conditions.

Only undertake the route if it is within your cycling and fitness capability and ensure you schedule in refreshment breaks in along the way.

Check all of your equipment is in good condition.

Environmental conditions can change the nature of the trails within a short space of time, you should only continue if safe to do so.

It's also a good idea to ensure you have a basic first aid kit with you.

## ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD PRACTICE

We all have a responsibility to protect the countryside now and for future generations, so make sure you don't harm animals, birds, plants or trees and try to leave no trace of your visit.

Do not disturb wildlife, leave the environment as you find it and follow a path or track if there is one.

Leave gates and property as you find them.

Look after the places you visit and ensure all litter is taken home with you.

## DISCLAIMER

**We have taken great care to ensure the currency, accuracy and reliability of the information contained within the 'Quarry Trails'. We cannot accept responsibility for errors or omissions but where such are brought to our attention the information will be amended accordingly. Where possible we recommend the GPS co-ordinates be used for the trails as these will provide more accurate start and end locations.**