



# Skenfrith to Box Farm

*The Monnow Valley and Black Brook*

ԴՆԱԼԻ Յ ԱՆՈՒՅՈՒՄ

## References

Grid Reference For Start: 6 miles - 9.5km

Approximate time taken to walk route: 3½ hours

## Facilities Available

Start: Skenfrith Castle (Grid Reference: SO 456 202)

Ordnance Survey maps: OS Explorer 1:25 000 Sheet 189 Hereford & Ross-on-Wye

## Accessibility / Terrain

There is parking in front of Skenfrith Castle.

No public toilets or other facilities available on this walk.

The award winning pub, The Bell at Skenfrith, is just off the route.

## Distance and Timings

No of Stiles: 15

Paths and lanes through undulating farms and woodland.

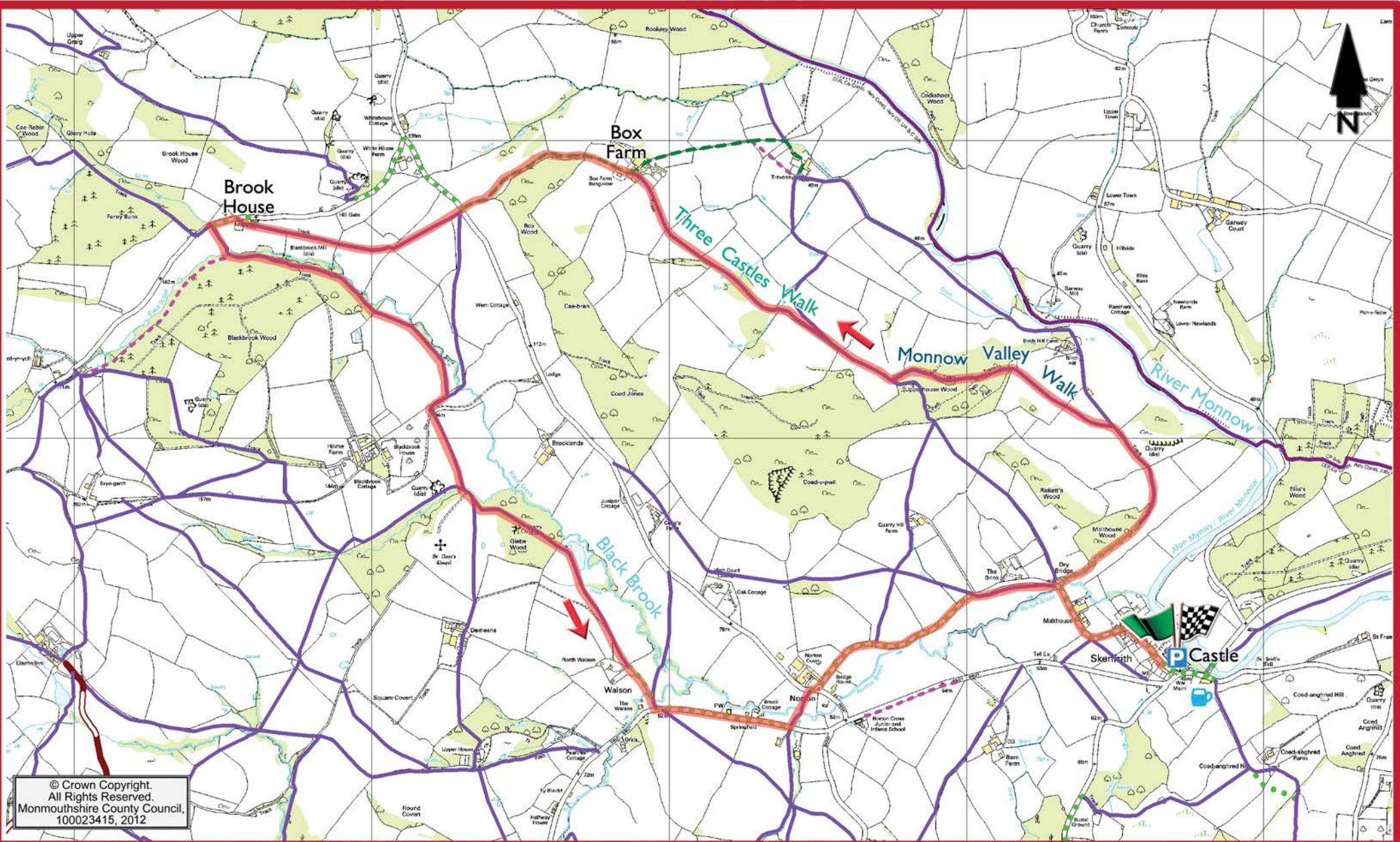


## Brief Route Details / Points of Particular Interest

Starting from the picturesque village of Skenfrith this walk initially follows the Three Castles Walk towards Grosmont. A section of the Monnow Valley Walk through woods and across farmland leads to Box Farm and on to the Grosmont Road. Field paths then rise to Brook House Farm, from where the walk descends the Black Brook Valley back to Skenfrith.

The Monnow Valley Walk uses heron waymarks on its 40 mile route from Monmouth to Hay on Wye. The whole route can be completed as a series of circuits of which this is one.

The Three Castles Walk, with its castle waymark, is a 20 mile circular route between Skenfrith, Grosmont and White Castle. The castles are all under the care of CADW, [www.cadw.wales.gov.uk](http://www.cadw.wales.gov.uk)



© Crown Copyright.  
All Rights Reserved.  
Monmouthshire County Council,  
100023415, 2012



- : Start
- : Finish
- : Route
- : Direction
- : Footpath
- : Bridleway
- : Restricted Byway
- : Permissive Path
- : Promoted Route
- : Unclassified Road
- : Parking
- : Pub

This route is regularly checked by  
Monmouthshire Countryside Service Volunteers  
but if you find any problems please email  
[rightsofway@monmouthshire.gov.uk](mailto:rightsofway@monmouthshire.gov.uk)  
Enjoy your walk.

monmouthshire  
sir fynwy

Cyngor Cefn Gwlad Cymru  
Countryside Council for Wales

Noddir gan  
Llywodraeth Cymru  
Sponsored by  
Welsh Government