


DISTANCE
3.5 miles/ 5.5 km


Lanes & River Walk

DURATION
1.5 hours

Leaving the Bottle House Car Park, **01** turn right along Coldharbour Lane. Follow the lane for about 1km to the first junction **02** and turn left just passed the letterbox, passing White Post Cottage on the left.

Go up the lane, passing the first footpath sign on the left. Take the second footpath sign on the left, **03** going through the gate and bearing right down the field.  Keep the copse on right. The hill is steep, but offers good views towards Fordcombe on the facing hill. **04**

Go through the gap in the hedge, bearing right downhill and join the lane, continuing ahead where a second lane joins from the right. This is a narrow lane so care should be taken.

At Chafford Bridge, **05** pass through the footpath gate on the left and follow the riverbank **06** alongside the River Medway,  passing through two meadows. **07**

In the third field, pass the footbridge on the right and keep to the field boundary with the river on the right. Go through a metal footpath gate **08** and cross the field diagonally.

Cross a footbridge over a small stream and follow the path straight uphill through the field. **09**

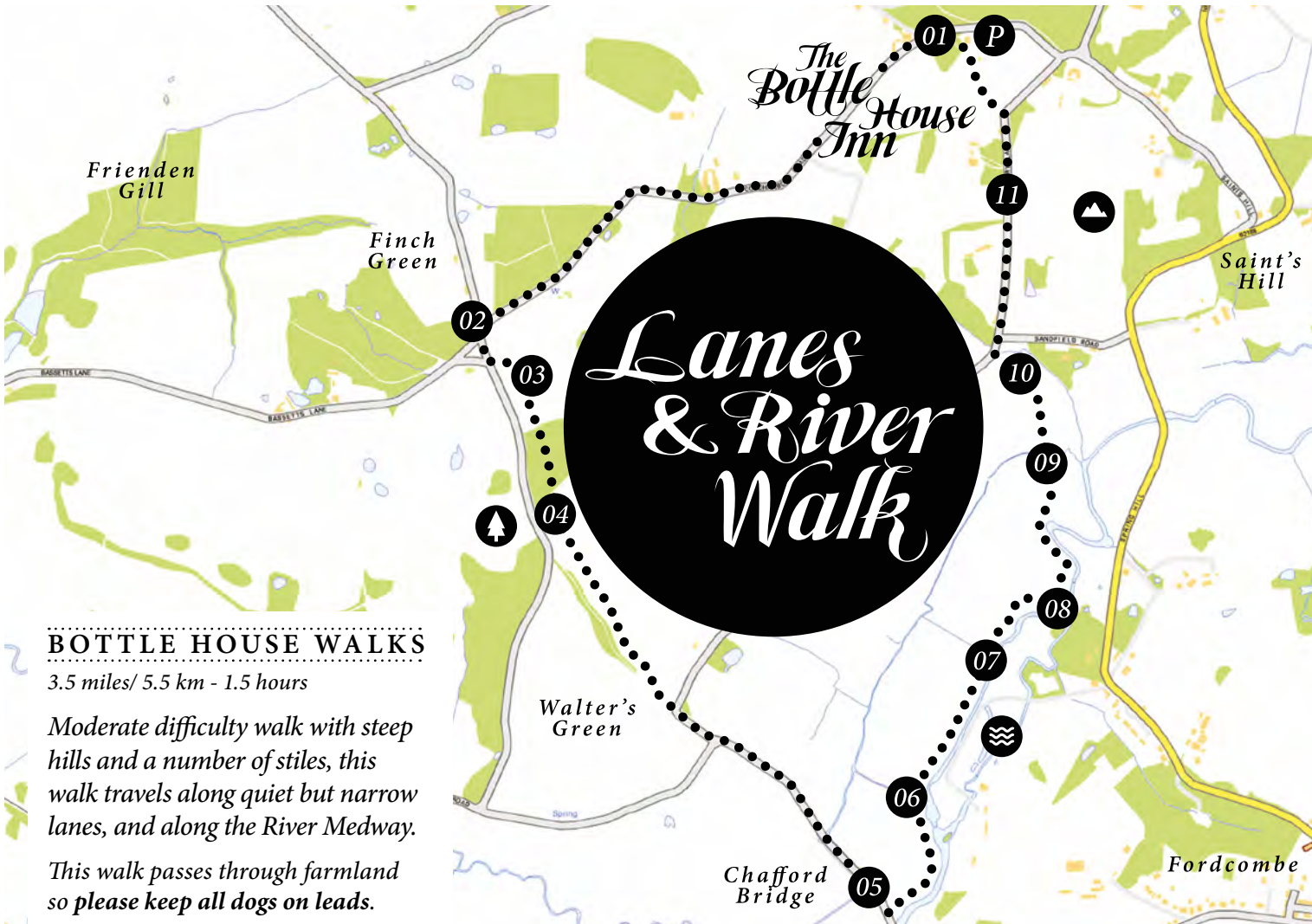
Climb the stile and turn right onto the lane. **10** Follow this lane which rises very steeply for about 600 metres, passing a number of dwelling. **11** As the lane levels out, follow it round the corner and take the footpath, signposted on the left hand side. This narrow track between two fences leads back to the Bottle House Car Park. **P**

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BOTTLE HOUSE WALKS

3.5 miles/ 5.5 km - 1.5 hours

Moderate difficulty walk with steep hills and a number of stiles, this walk travels along quiet but narrow lanes, and along the River Medway.

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