Excursion: Hadrians Wall or Housteads Fort?



Note: unfortunately there is not time to explore both the fort and also walk Hadrians Wall

Hadrians Wall walk to Twice-Brewed Inn:

- A great ~3.5 mile walk but it is quite craggy in places and will easily take ~1.5 hrs. There is an easier path that is ~15 mins quicker but the wall is not always visible. You can swap between these options in several places.
- Walking boots are not essential but wear good shoes/trainers.
- You must arrive at Twice Brewed Inn before 4:30pm, when the bus departs for Durham.



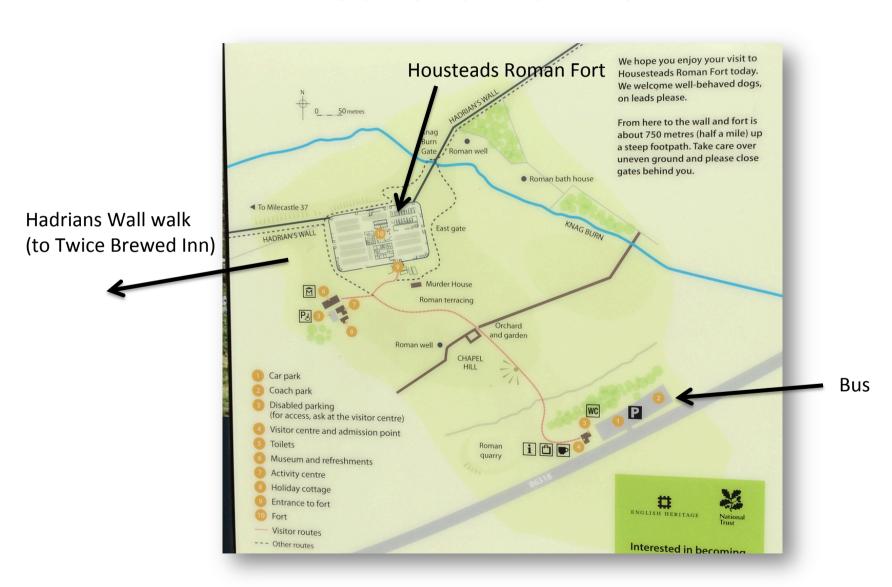


Housteads Roman Fort:

- The best-preserved Roman Fort in Britain, it is ~0.5 mile from the car park and will take ~10 mins to reach. Admission costs £7.80, which provides entrance to the fort and also a small exhibition.
- The bus will leave the car park for Twice Brewed Inn at 3:45pm. You must be on the bus as it will not return to Housteads!

Note there are refreshments (hot/cold drinks and snacks) at the entrance, by the fort, and at the Twice-Brewed Inn, which has brewed it's own beer since 1464.

Basic layout of Housteads Fort and start of the Hadrians Wall walk



On Hadrians Wall walk: don't miss this turn off for the Twice Brewed Inn

Aim for here: Twice Brewed Inn (visible for about a mile) Easy path Use small road (to Twice Brewed Inn) Craggy path