

# St Hilary – Points of Interest

0.5 miles to 1.6 miles – 15 minutes to 35 minutes – Easy – 1 pub stop

**Overview** 3 points of interest in and around St Hilary  
 1 **The Clump, St Hilary Down** Vantage point and former gallows  
 2 **Coed Hills Rural Arts Space** Woodland art, walks, yurts & activities  
 3 **Beaupre Castle** 14<sup>th</sup> century fortified manor house

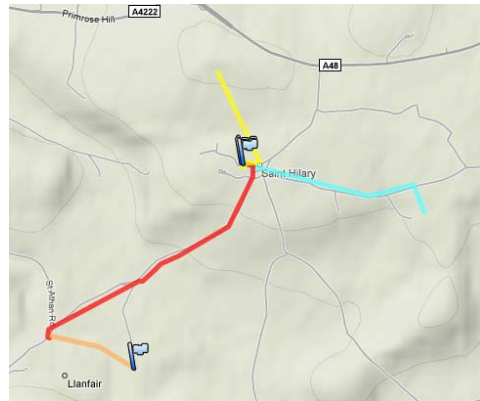
**Routes, distances and times**

1	The Clump, St Hilary Down	0.5 miles	15 minutes
2	Coed Hills Rural Arts Space	0.9 miles	20 minutes
3	Beaupre Castle	1.6 miles	35 minutes

**Pub stops** Start: Bush Inn

**Terrain** Country lanes and well marked paths and tracks  
 1 The Clump: 100 yards of village road, then track  
 2 Coed Hills: Narrow country lane to entrance, then across a field  
 3 Beaupre Castle: 1 mile by car, then 0.5 miles through fields

**Map**  
 Explorer 151  
 1: 25,000



Start grid reference  
 ST 016733

Finish grid reference  
 1 The Clump: **ST014738**  
 2 Coed Hills: **ST027729**  
 3 Beaupre Castle: **ST009720**

**Height Gain and Altitude** Start: The Bush, St Hilary 480 feet

1 The Clump:	Finish: 605 feet
2 Coed Hills:	Finish: 405 feet
3 Beaupre Castle:	Finish: 240 feet

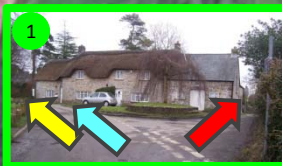


## The Clump



### The Clump – Vantage Point and Former Gallows

Turn left out of the Bush, past the church on the right and Church Crescent (1). After 100 yards turn left (2) and follow the track up to the Clump



### Coed Hills Rural Art Space

Take care – most of this route is on a narrow country lane. Turn left out of the Bush, passing the church on the right (1). After 100 yards, turn right after Little Hall Cottage (2), then left and immediately right down the lane with the post box and phone box on the left and Village Farm on the right (3). Follow the lane for about 3/4 mile. Past Coed Hills Farm entrance, then after a further 100 yards turn right into the Arts Space.



### Beaupre Castle – A partly fortified 14th century manor house – Part 1: by car

We cannot recommend walking the first part of the route as it is down a busy narrow country lane. From the Bush take the road out of the village, turn right immediately after the church (1) (very narrow). At the junction in about 75 yards, go straight down the hill towards St Mary Church (4). After about a mile, turn left onto the St Athan Road and park in the lay-by which is immediately on the left

### Beaupre Castle – Part 2: by foot

From the lay-by, go over the stile and follow the clear path through the fields – a great spot for a picnic



## Beaupre Castle

## Coed Hills Rural Art Space



# Circular and Other Walks in and around St Hilary

This is one in a series of current and planned walking guides based on and around St Hilary

## The Walks

### Circular Walks

West – 6 miles  
Aberthin / Cowbridge / Llanblethian

South East  
Treguff / Llantrithyd

North West  
Llansannor / Penllyn / Cowbridge

South West  
Llanblethian / Siginstone / Llandough

North East  
Llantrithyd / Hensol / Stalling Down

The Downs

### Routes between St Hilary and Cowbridge

via New Beaupre

via Roman Road

via The Downs

via Llanblethian

### Points of Interest

Old Beaupre Castle

Coed Hills Rural Art Space

The Clump

Disclaimer: you undertake these walks at your own risk

Web site: All these walks will be available, as they are prepared, as a download from the St Hilary website: [www.sthilary.org.uk](http://www.sthilary.org.uk) ⇒ local walks and maps

The best map for all the walks is the Ordnance Survey's Explorer 151

Boots are advisable. Most walks involve stiles. The ground can be soft / muddy when wet.

Take great care when crossing roads and on the lanes

