



HIKE & RIDES



START POINT : TRÉHORENTEUC TOURIST OFFICE

(GPS coordinates : 02° 17' 13"O / 48° 00' 28"N)



4h15

N° 66

Gurwant Moors and Valley of No Return Circuit

Destination Brocéliande - Ploërmel Communauté

DISTANCE : 15 km

This route is closed during the hunting season (1/10 to 31/03)



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NOTEWORTHY SITES

- 1 Saint John's Chapel (private) and Anon's Foot:** dedicated to Saint John the Baptist, this chapel used to house statues of Saint Cornely (the patron saint of cattle in Brittany) and Saint Catherine. Further along, a curious boulder: Anon's Foot. In the "Gil Blas" era, the owner of Trécesson, having gambled and lost everything he owned in the salons of Versailles, is said to have bet this rock as a last resort, referring to it as "Anon's Foot Manor House". From then on, he won every game and recovered everything he had lost...
- 2 Trécesson Castle (private):** built at the end of the fifteenth century by Jean de Trécesson, a Breton notable, it is associated with the tragic story of a bride, kidnapped from her carriage by two masked men and buried alive in the castle garden.
- 3 The Giant's Tomb:** this certainly takes its name from its shape and dimensions - 4 metres long and 1 metre wide, according to French CNRS researchers who conducted excavations in 1982.
- 4 Vivien's House or the Druids' Tomb (2,500 BC):** a coffin-like megalithic monument, this tomb contained some interesting tools and objects, confirming the existence of a form of agriculture in the Paimpont region around 1,200 BC.

PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT

- Stay on the trails to avoid trampling plants and to minimise erosion,
- Close all gates behind you
- Take your rubbish with you until you find a bin,
- Respect the fauna and flora; learn about the importance of conservation
- Ask the local authorities about the hunting season. Some routes may be dangerous during this period

FOLLOW THE WAYMARKERS

A - B: start from the first car park in Tréhorenteuc (picnic tables). Take the tarmac road that leaves from this car park, then go through the gate. Follow the path to the right of the lake then along the stream. Walk to a second lake crossing over a wooden bridge, then continue straight on to point B.

B - C: follow the yellow waymarkers (circuit no. 23)

C - A: pass the junction that you crossed on the way out, then take the wooden footbridge on the right. Climb up the steep hill - a stunning view is your reward! Follow the ridge to the end and take a path to the right.

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