

G1 Walk - Tackets Wood - wet weather

Go along west side of Estuary to the slipway and look across at Tacket Wood

Used to be Ticket wood - non-conformists in 1600s had to worship in secret there and had to show tickets to enter. .

Go up steps by skate park, turn left and go along tarmac to join the path to Rope Walk Rd.

Walk over the bridge and up

Salcombe coach Road, then first left and walk to opposite Tacket Wood Grange. Point out:

- 2 lime Kilns behind Kingfishers suggesting that the estuary used to come up to there.
- The Quarry - the houses we have just past on the left were build on the spoils from the Quarry. The stone from this quarry, along with stone from Coombe and New Bridge was used in the rebuilds in the 18th and 19th Centuries - a warm grey and buff coloured slate giving a homogeneity in Kingsbridge Churches, houses, warehouses and walls.
- Tackets Wood Grange-the original part is pre 1812
- Tackets Wood House was built in 1823 in the same style as Windsor Lodge (Kahala Court), 1818, and Buttville. This was built for the manager of the slate Quarry.

Return the same way but using the steps by the swimming pool.



