

Deep Mid-Wicket, Buxworth, High Peak



DIRECTIONS

Travelling by Road

Although the cottage is only a mile off the main A6 between Buxton & Manchester, there is no direct junction from the A6 into Buxworth. You will therefore need to turn onto the B6062 'New Road' to access the village.

Using Sat Nav

If you are going to use sat nav to find the cottage, the post code is SK23 7NS. Please be warned though that the cottage is on a narrow lane which, further down, gets even narrower and is very steep in places. We have had problems in the past with some sat navs directing people into the village this way. It is best to use your sat nav to either get you to **Furness Vale**, the A6 just outside **Whaley Bridge** or into **Chinley** and then use these directions.

From the North West via M60 Manchester Ring Road

- Exit the M60 at junction 1 following the signs for the A6 Buxton and Lyme Park.
- Follow the A6 through Hazel Grove, High Lane, Disley and **Furness Vale** towards Whaley Bridge. Leaving Furness Vale (with the railway line on the left) the road bears left (slow down & indicate left) prior to passing under a railway bridge. Immediately after the bridge take the **very sharp** left hand turning (signposted Bugsworth Basin).
- If you miss the turning or want an easier option continue to the next roundabout (only 100 metres), turn around and try again!
- After the turning, follow the road into Buxworth where you will pass over speed bumps by the church (on the left). After a further 200 metres take the right hand turn just before the school, onto Brookside (signposted Bugsworth Basin) – **please note: This is a sharp turn onto a narrow road.**
- Follow the road down past the pub, over the canal and up the hill over the A6.
- Follow the lane round to the left - again this gets quite narrow and oncoming cars may be in the middle of the road so please take it slowly.
- As the lane straightens you will see the cricket club on the left, the cottage is opposite the pavilion.

From the North East via the M1

- Exit the M1 at junction 37 Barnsley and take the A628 towards Manchester.
- Follow the A628 through Penistone and up over the famous Woodhead Pass.
- Once down the other side and close to the reservoir, you will pass a right turning (A6024 Huddersfield), shortly after this you need to take the left turn across the reservoir on the B6105 Glossop. This is a very small narrow turning and is easily missed especially at night.
- Follow the B6105 (quite narrow with tight turns) into Glossop.
- In Glossop go straight across the traffic lights onto the A624 towards Chinley, Chapel-en-le-Frith and Buxton.
- Follow A624 through Little Hayfield and Hayfield (speed cameras) and onward to a T junction under a railway bridge (next to the Crown & Mitre pub).
- Turn right at the T-junction onto the B6062 **Chinley** (signposted for Buxworth).
- Follow the road for 1.5 miles through Chinley and into Buxworth.
- Once in Buxworth you will pass under two railway bridges. After the second bridge drop down the hill and just after the school take the left hand turn onto Brookside (signposted Bugsworth Basin).

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From the South East via the M1

- Exit the M1 at junction 29 Chesterfield
- Take the A617 into Chesterfield. The easiest way to navigate through Chesterfield is to follow the brown tourist signs for Chatsworth.
- As you approach the large roundabout at the end of the dual carriageway get into the middle lane ((A619) A61 (N)) and take the left hand lane at the third exit.
- Stay in the left hand lane up the hill and round to the left signposted Bakewell A619 Buxton (A6) and Chatsworth house.
- Stay on the A617 following the brown Chatsworth signs. After aprox 9 miles you enter Baslow village. A little way into the village there is a roundabout. Take the second exit towards Stockport & Manchester on the A623.
- At the mini roundabout turn left staying on the A623 and follow this road for approximately 15 miles through Peak Forrest (speed cameras) and Sparrowpit.
- In Sparrowpit the road takes a 90 degree left turn and shortly after this you will come to a roundabout with the A6.
- Turn right towards Chapel-en-le-Frith and Whaley Bridge.
- Continue on the A6 past both exits for Chapel-en-le-Frith (slip road and roundabout).
- At next roundabout (signposted left to **Whaley Bridge**) go straight across.
- After 200 metres take the right hand turning immediately before a railway bridge by Coach House Garage (brown tourist sign for Bugsworth Basin).
- Follow the road into Buxworth where you will pass over speeds bumps by the church. After a further 100 metres take the right hand turning just before the school onto Brookside (signposted Bugsworth Basin) – **please note: This is a sharp turn onto a narrow road.**
- Follow the road down past the pub, over the canal and up the hill over the A6 bridge.
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From the South West via M6

- Exit the M6 at junction 17 Sandbach
- Take the A534 towards Congleton
- Just after entering the outskirts of Congleton there is a large roundabout. Take the 2nd exit onto the A34 signposted town centre & Manchester.
- Go straight across the next two roundabouts
- Not long after the second round about there is a oneway system. You are forced to bear left but then take the next right and immediate left onto the A536 to Macclesfield.
- Stay on the A536 (speed cameras) through Gawsorth and into Macclesfield.
- As you enter Macclesfield there are traffic lights and the A536 takes a sharp right turn onto Park Lane.
- Take the 2nd exit at the next round about onto Park Street (still the A536).
- Just after the roundabout at the next set of lights the A536 takes a sharp right onto Park Green.
- At the next lights turn left onto the A523 signposted Stockport Manchester.

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- Go straight along the A523 until you come to a large roundabout (Tesco over to the right) and turn right onto the B5470 signposted Whaley Bridge, staying in the right hand lane.
- At the lights at the bottom of the hill go straight across.
- Stay on the B5470 through Rainow and Kettleshulme and into Whaley Bridge.
- At the traffic lights turn left and follow the A5004 straight through **Whaley Bridge**.
- You will pass Tesco on your right just before you come to the A6. At the A6 roundabout turn left towards Manchester.
- After 300 metres take the right hand turning immediately before a railway bridge overhead by Coah House Garage (brown tourist sign for Bugsworth Basin).
- After the turning, follow the road into the village where you will pass over speed bumps by the church. After a further 100 metres take the right hand turning just before the school on to Brookside (signposted Bugsworth Basin) – **please note: This is a sharp turn onto a narrow road.**
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Parking

- There is generally a parking space opposite the cottage in front of the cricket club gates (please park in front of the larger gate and leave access to the small gate).
- There is only one parking space per house so please try not to park in front of other houses.
- If you need more space, or someone is parked outside the cottage, continue along the lane to the point where the road turns right and uphill. At this turning there is a dead-end lane to the left which can be used for parking.

Travelling by Rail

The cottage is easily reached by train with the nearest stations being:

- Whaley Bridge station (1.2 miles) - Buxton to Manchester line.
- Chinley station (1.4 miles) - Sheffield to Manchester line.

In either case the cottage is a short taxi ride from the station.

A local taxi company is 38 Links Ltd on 01663 733838.

Travelling by Air

The cottage is only a 35 minute, and very scenic, drive from Manchester International Airport so is fairly straightforward in a hire car or taxi. The best and quickest route is not via main roads so please ask for further directions.

Alternatively there are frequent train services from the airport into Manchester and then onwards to either Chinley or Whaley Bridge (see above).

