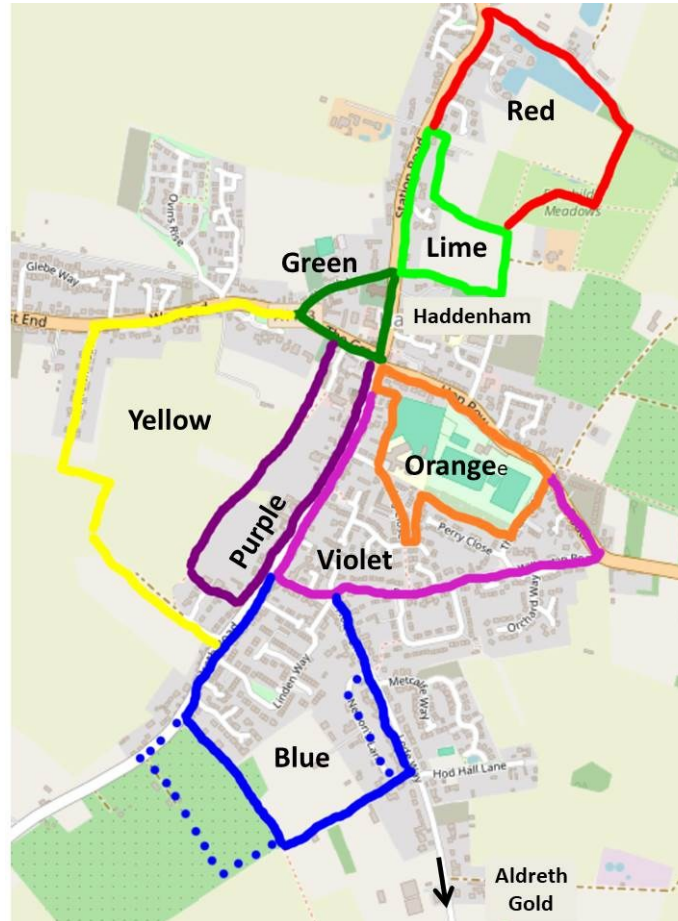


Country views

1. **The Globe** - 4 West End was the pub used by the workers who dug the sand out of the ballast hole behind it.
2. **Stonecroft terrace** - Nos. 48-52 West End were built in the 1860s as eight small dwellings for workers
3. **Qorviguag/Fairview** - 78 West End built in 1903 as a stand-out six-room villa by Walter Ivatt for his family.
4. **Newtown Road** - Built in the early 1920s, this street was built with a government grant in response to the post-WWI housing crisis.
5. **Holly Fairchild Playing Fields** - opened in 2024 on ancient pasture.
6. **Bury Lane** - this ancient green lane used to lead to "Lindone" (*sic*) Manor.
7. **Stink Pipe** - Victorian ventilation pipe, probably 1880s, when public health works provided Haddenham with a sewage system.

Other available routes



Gold Walk in Aldreth

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Victorian Stink pipe Bury Lane

Starting at 4 West End, which used to be the Globe pub, the walk passes many houses that were originally built from the public purse to respond to different housing crises and one that was a show-off house of its day. Along the side of Holly Fairchild's Playing Field, with stunning views to the south, the walk returns along the country path, Bury Lane, to end at one of Haddenham's two Victorian stink pipes.

Haddenham History Walks

At the start of West End is Globe House, No. 4. The Globe (1) was licensed premises between 1861 and 1956. It was also called the “Sand Pit” because the property gave access to the sand quarrying that used to go on behind it. Further down at Nos. 48-52 is Stonecroft Terrace (2). This was built in the 1860s to house eight families of workers. Staying on the right-hand side of the road is 78 West End (3), called “Qorvigiug”, built in 1904 by Walter Ivatt, a carpenter and joiner. Walter worked on the Wesleyan Chapel on the High Street, rebuilt in 1891, and the new Baptist Church on the Green in 1903, where his intricate carving skills were essential. This house was a statement piece when it was finished, which he called “Fairview”. Across the road lies Newtown Road (4), which was the pride of Haddenham with its neat modern houses, built in the 1920s with a government grant. Newtown Road also had a Pocket Park, beyond which on ancient pasture land, is now the Holly Fairchild Playing Fields, opened in 2024, named after a talented local footballer, who died too soon. Around the left of the playing fields, the walk joins Bury Lane (6), a walk in the countryside, back up to Aldreth Road where a wonderful survival of Victorian engineering stands, a full height “stink pipe” (7), or ventilation shaft for the sewage system below.

Haddenham Yellow Walk

