

# Shobnall



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## A Brief History of Shobnall

One of the most Known things about Shobnall would be the canal that runs alongside it. The other would be its Beer.

Brewing is a key part of the history of Shobnall, with the water in the river Trent containing a higher amount of Gypsum, which is a mineral useful for brewing Ale.

Because of its canals, burton and, by proxy, Shobnall was used as a trade route due to it being the furthest port from the sea meaning that resources could be taken incredibly far by making use of the canals and then the rest of the journey could be made by cart.

# Important Details

- ♦ **www.staffs.fsd.org.uk** – for information about childcare, nurseries and schools.
- ♦ **www.NHS.uk**– for health advice, hospital information, etc
- ♦ **East Staffordshire Family support service**– offers help with parenting skills and some additional support for families with children under 5 years old.
- ♦ **Harvey Girls Centre, 73 Horninglow Road, Burton on Trent, DE14 2PT**  
  
**Telephone: 01283 533449 support@harveygirls.co.uk Mon-day to Friday 9.30 am to 5.30 pm**
- ♦ **Shobnall Parish Council**— for local issues on planning and much more go to: **www.shobnallparishcouncil.co.uk**
- ♦ **East Staffs Borough Council**– register to vote– information about benefits, support, planning and council tax **www.eaststaffsbc.gov.uk**
- ♦ **Staffordshire County Council: Education & Children, Roads & Transport, Community & Living, Libraries , Social Care and Health go to—www.staffordshire.gov.uk**
- ♦ **Police and fire service—Emergency 999 and none emergency 101**

- ♦ **www.staffscvys.org.uk**– For activities for children, young people, and families. You can also call with the number **01785 240378**
- ♦ **www.sportacrossstaffordshire.co.uk** –For sports activities/ clubs in your area. You can also call at **01785 619349**
- ♦ **www.staffordshire.gov.uk** , call 0300 111 8000 or visit Burton Library Riverside DE14 1AH—to find out what's on at your local library.
- ♦ **www.bsdc.ac.uk or call 01283 494400**– for details on part time and full time courses at Burton and South Derbyshire College.
- ♦ **www.staffordshire.gov.uk/education/–** For community learning for adults including English for non English speakers. You can also call at **01543 510710** or email at **acl.ict@staffordshire.gov.uk**
- ♦ **www.supportstaffordshire.org.uk/your-local-branch/east-staffordshire**– for volunteering opportunities; you could also go to **www.do-it .org**  
  
-Or, for volunteer work for ages 14– 25 go to Vinspired at **www.vinspired.com**
- ♦ **www.eaststaffsbc.gov.uk/housing-and-property/-** to find a house to rent.
- ♦ **Love Inspire Foundation**– call **07838 516607** for support when you are in a crisis or if you need help preventing a crisis.
- ♦ **One recovery**– for help with substance misuse and recovery, call **07838 516607**
- ♦ **SARAC**– Offers confidential support and advice for anyone above the age of 11 years who is at risk of sexual abuse and rape, Call **01283 517185**



# Transport Links

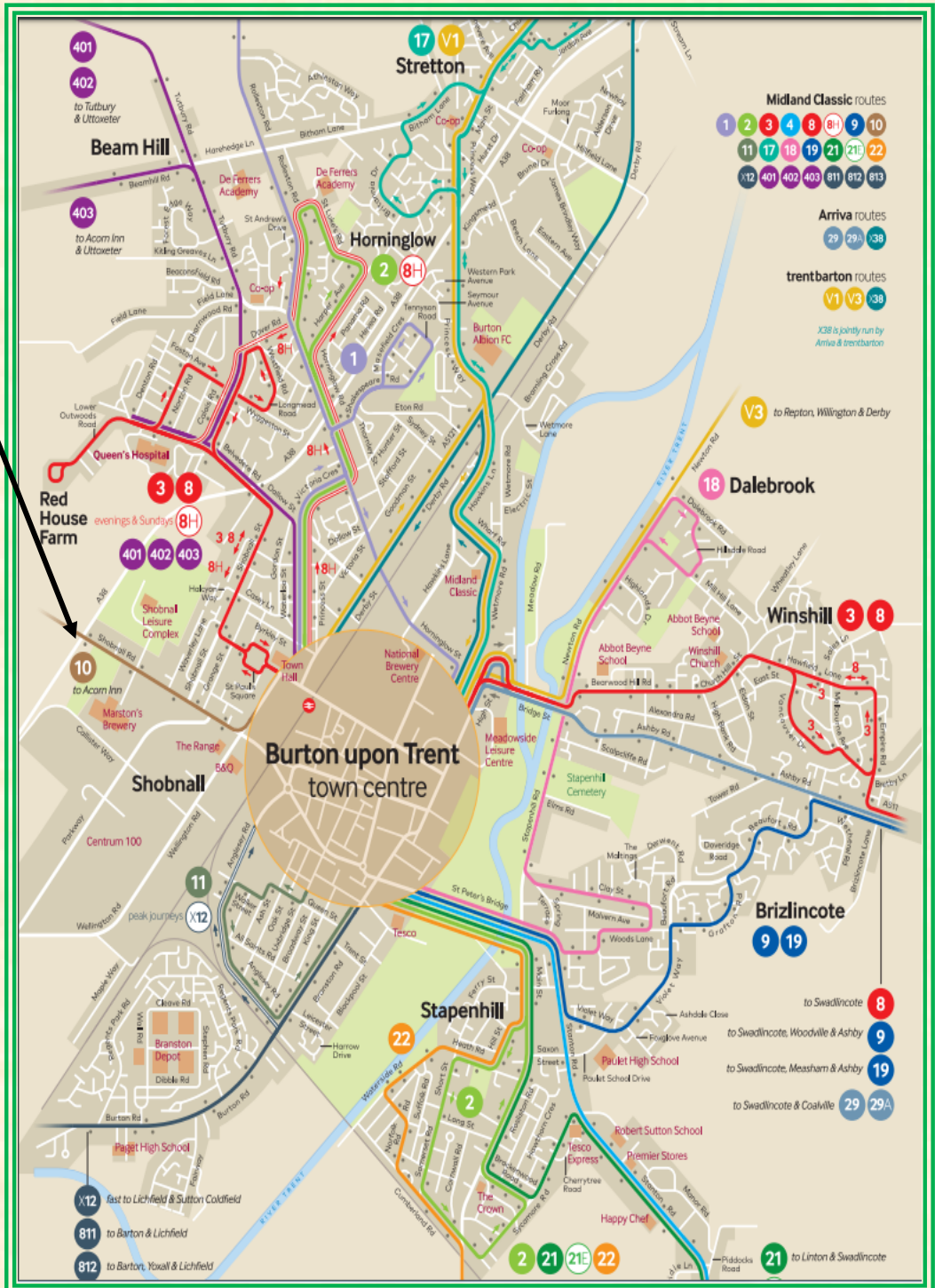
The most important bus for people living in Shobnall should use would be the Midlands Classic **Number 10** which has a stop along Shobnall Road, next to the Acorn Inn. And is also right next to the **Shobnall Leisure Complex**.

The other main buses would be **Midlands Classic number 3 and 8** which go through Shobnall on the way to the **Hospital**. You could also take the **401**, after getting into town, if you wanted to get in to **Tutbury** or **Uttoxeter**. This also applies to the **402**. To look more into these routes, visit the **Midlands Classic** website.

In terms of Train services, there is only really one option to take, which is the **Burton Railway Station**. Which can take you to **Willington**, **Tamworth**, and **Long Eaton**, to name a few smaller areas. You can also get to the Cities: **Derby**, **Nottingham** and **Birmingham**, **Leeds**, **York**, and **Newcastle**.

Find out more about these bus routes at:

<http://www.midlandclassic.com/routes-and-services/>



# Cycle Paths

In the case of cycle paths, your most local area to do a bike ride would be the Kingfisher Trail which is located near the Shobnal Leisure complex, and ends up next to Eton Park School.

The Trail is 2 KM long and was made due to a community project, when members of the community saw that the area was being used for Fly tipping (dumping rubbish) and was covered in graffiti, and decided to Make it into something positive that the whole community could use.

The Trail is also a nature reserve and is very well kept to make sure that the place isn't an eyesore again and also to ensure that nothing messes with animals habitats.

There is also the **Millennium cycle route** which branches off of the kingfisher trail in several places, as shown on the image to the right.

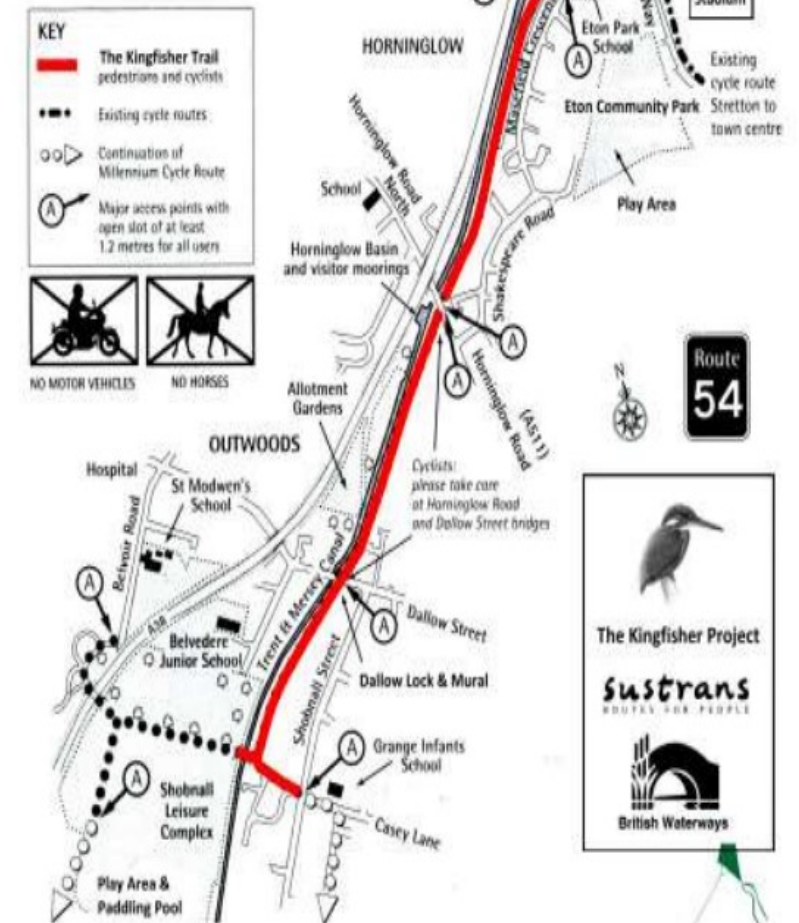
## The Kingfisher Trail



Local Nature Reserve, a 2 km traffic free path for walkers and cyclists between Eton and Shobnall Leisure Complex.

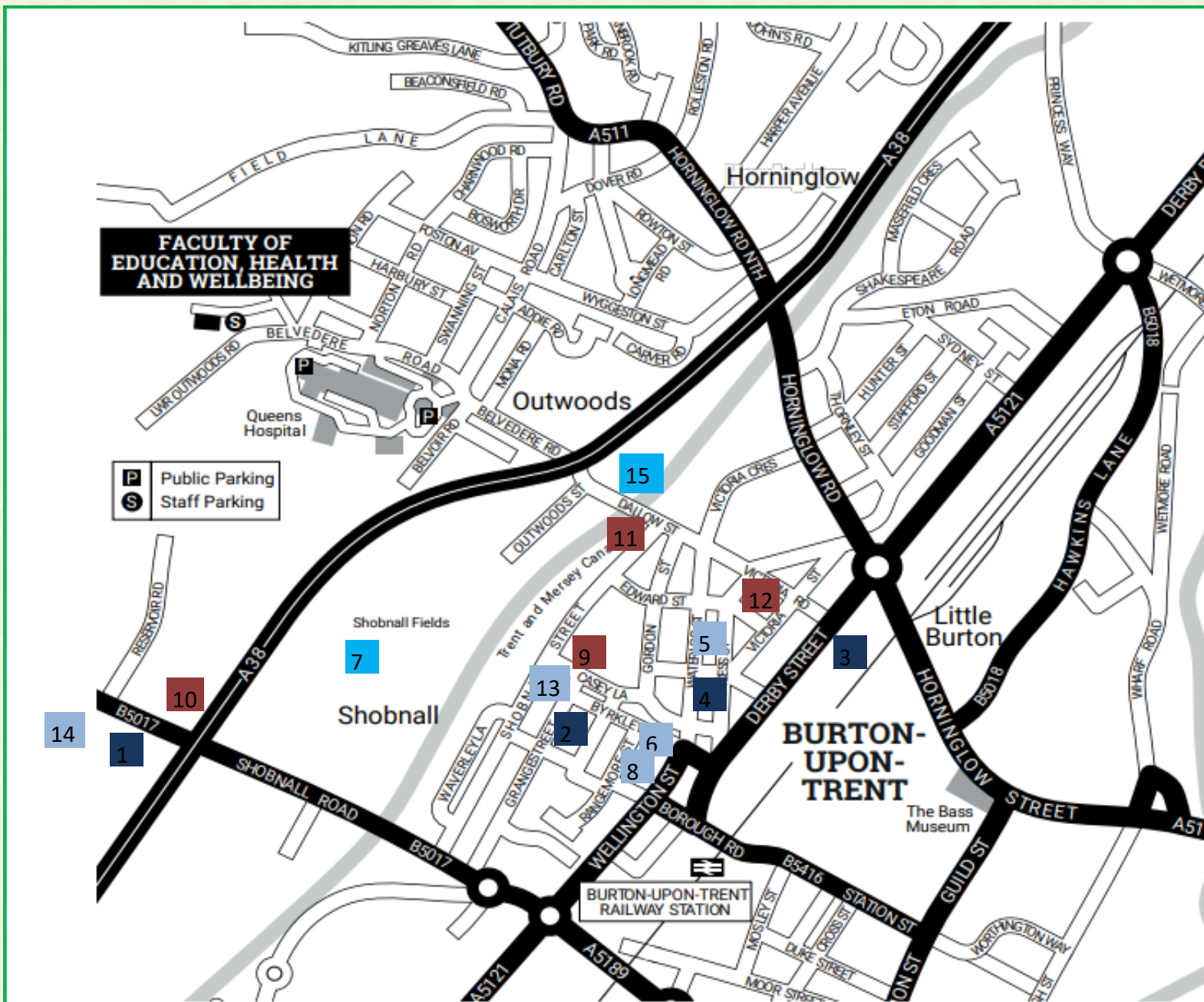
The Kingfisher Trail is a Green Flag Award winning route that follows an old railway line which ran alongside the Trent and Mersey Canal. Features reflecting the trails local industrial heritage can be seen along the route.

This attractive nature trail owes much to the endeavours of The Kingfisher Project, a community group which formed to improve their environment and develop the trail as an asset for the whole community.





= Church  
 = Schools  
 = Parks/ open spaces  
 = no category



- 1) St Aidans church: *Shobnall Road DE14 2BB 01283 565570*
- 2) St Pauls Church: *St Pauls Square DE14 2EQ*
- 3) Baptist Church: *Derby Road DE14 2LE 01283 546736*
- 4) Jamia Mosque
- 5) Princess Street Training Education & enterprise Centre: *Princess Street DE14 2NW 01283 511111*  
[www.princesstrainingcentre.org.uk](http://www.princesstrainingcentre.org.uk)
- 6) East Staffs Children's Centre: *Waterloo Street DE14 2NJ 01283 233400*  
[www.staffordshire.gov.uk](http://www.staffordshire.gov.uk)
- 7) Shobnall Leisure Complex
- 8) Town Hall
- 9) Grange Street School
- 10) Shobnall Primary School
- 11) Kingfisher Academy
- 12) Victoria Community School
- 13) BACT The Hub
- 14) Shobnall Community Centre
- 15) Skate park– Shobnall leisure complex