

## Town & Country Ramble

A 9.6km ramble taking in leafy limestone terrain

**Distance:** 9.6km | **Difficulty:** Moderate  
**Time:** 2hr walking | 30min cycling

- 1 The red trail starts at Treacy's Hotel. Turn right onto the R179 and take next right onto L8820.
- 2 Continue for 2.2km, passing Lough Fea & Lough Fea Castle on the left.
- 3 Turn left onto Magheraboy Rd and continue for 1.2km towards Carrickmacross Town.
- 4 Turn left off Main St onto the R178 signposted for "Shercock" and continue for 200mtrs, keeping left onto Mullinary St and continuing straight up the hill for 2km.
- 5 Continue straight downhill across a staggered crossroads. After 200mtrs continue straight at the crossroads, seeing Old Carrick Mill Distillery on the left. Continue straight for 1.7km to the crossroads.
- 6 Turn left and continue for 1.3km to Treacy's Hotel.

### Points of Interest:

- Lough Fea
- Lough Fea Castle
- Site of Ancient Monastery
- Essex Castle Site
- Lough Balte
- Corrybracken Fort



A LOUGH FEA GATEHOUSE



B MAGHERABOY ROAD