Bridport Town Council, The Arts Development Company and the Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty have been working together to create a sculpture trail for Bridport.

bridport-tc.gov.uk/sculpture-trail

Bridport Sculpture Trail

Bridport Sculpture Trail - a showcase for installations by local artists. They are all positioned along or near the Bridport Green Route; a 3-mile walk around this historic market town.

HOW THE SCULPTURE TRAIL WAS DEVELOPED

Bridport based and Royal College trained artist Isla Chaney helped instigate the idea of a sculpture trail in 2019, by placing some of her work in public spaces. The concept was taken up by the Town Council who agreed three years of support to the Arts Development Company to curate and manage the trail on behalf of Bridport Town Council. The sculpture trail has been very well received by residents and visitors alike, so do take the time to seek out the sculptural works clambering over buildings, nestling amongst plants and perching over rivers or just hanging around! Although Isla's work is now exhibited elsewhere the remaining sculptures enhance the natural beauty of the green spaces and improve the wellbeing of local citizens and visitors.

A 3-mile walk and sculpture trail linking the green open spaces around this eventful market town.

Arts Development Company

Dorset National Landscape

KEY

- Sculptures as listed below, A - F
- Green Route
- Alternative section avoiding steep hill
- Roads
- Green spaces
- Rivers
- Junction points listed on last page, with access to further routes, 1 - 6
- Toilets
- Bus Station
- Steep incline

SCULPTURES

Descriptions and photos overleaf

- A Fish Eagle | GRETA BERLIN
- B Crow | GRETA BERLIN
- C Stalking Dog | GRETA BERLIN
- D Two Metal Birds | GRETA BERLIN
- E Mother & Child | GRETA BERLIN
- F The Air We Breathe | BRENDON MURLESS

NB: This map is almost to scale but artistic licence has been used and not all roads are included

Design & illustrations: DelphineJones.com

SCULPTURES

Look out for these sculptures,
marked on the map A - E













ALSO:
Discover Greta Berlin's gift
of sculptures



All by GRETA BERLIN:

- A Fish Eagle
- B Crow
- C Stalking Dog
- D Two Metal Birds
- E Mother & Child

Figurative works inspired by human condition and nature, Greta's work reflects her take on the world. Birds and dogs being great inspiration encompassing so many characters, elegant to clumsy, funny to menacing. Two birds placed around Plottingham Field are made from metal materials recovered from beaches in West Dorset.

gretaberlinsculpture.com

Link 2 | ISLA CHANEY

This sculpture has now been removed,
You can find out more about Isla Chaney's work by visiting the website below, or scanning the QR code.

islachaney.com





F The Air We Breathe | BRENDON MURLESS

I wanted to highlight the importance of trees, for air and life, by showing the clear structural similarities in our lungs and the branches of a tree.

brendonmurless.com

Part of the Whole | ISLA CHANEY

This sculpture has been moved to Sherborne House.
You can find out more about Isla Chaney's work by visiting the website below, or scanning the QR code.

islachaney.com







Extend your route to see two sculptural Parish Boundary Markers at West Bay

More information visit: https://tinyurl.com/3sda834x

L: Alice Blogg's *Wildcats of Bridport*
R: Brendon Murless' *Mackerel Straying*

BRIDPORT GREEN ROUTE

A walking route around the heart of Bridport to promote health and encourage connection with nature and heritage for wellbeing. The walk is approximately 3 miles in length and will take around 1-2 hours to complete.

Bridport has an important relationship with the surrounding landscape. The distinctive skyline of the sandstone capped hills and the river corridors of the Brit and Asker are part of the town's identity. The Bridport Green Route builds on a previous round Bridport heritage trail developed in the late 1990s.

With input from local health and access groups the route has been revised, improving accessibility and green space connections to encourage walking for health and wellbeing. The Bridport Green Route connects residential areas to local green spaces using the network of Public Rights of Way and along the river corridors.

Along the Green Route you will find six junctions with Public Rights of Way that offer additional or extended walking to other green spaces in the Bridport Area:

Junction 1 West to Skilling and onto Eype or East into the heart of the Saxon Town via the Community Orchard

Junction 2 West to Vearse Farm and onto Allington Hill

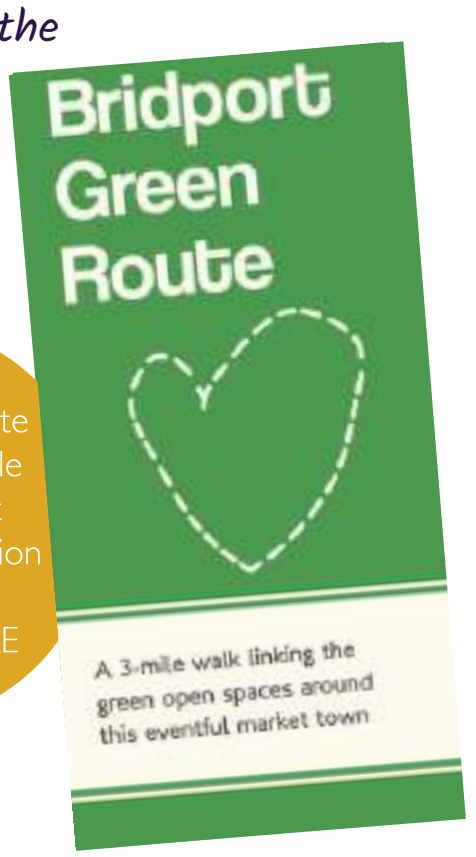
Junction 3 North toward Watton Hill

Junction 4 North to Happy Island & Bradpole

Junction 5 East to Bothenhampton Hill

Junction 6 South to West Bay and the Jurassic Coast

The Green Route leaflet is available from Bridport Tourist Information Centre or a a download HERE



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