



Route A **Community Fairy Trail**

A circular walk that explores community stories past and present represented through storytelling and art murals that connect people and space. Bring your phone to make the most of QR codes along

Suitable for: All fitness levels

Time needed: Approx 25 minutes

Distance: 1.0 mile/1.7km

Start and end point: Old Trafford Creative Spaces, Ayres Road, M16 9WA

Environment: Easy and accessible paths in a well-populated area.

Pause to...

- Rest halfway at Limelight Café.
- Enjoy a brew and chat with passers-by at the bench at Old Trafford Creative Spaces.

Experience how communities have come together through arts and storytelling. Murals inspired by the community and supported by Old Trafford Creative Space offer a feast for the eyes - and each has a spoken word piece to go with it. You can also listen to local people's stories of living and growing up in the area - just look out for the QR codes along the way to access the audio on your phone. Or access the audio for the murals at

otcreativespace.co.uk/otarttrail/mural and the local stories at otcreativespace.co.uk/ot-audio-trail

To help you on your way...

- 1. Start at Old Trafford Creative Spaces on Ayres Rd.
- 2. Walk onto Albion St, left onto Crofton St, left onto Stamford St and then right onto Ayres Rd.
- 3. Left onto Shrewsbury St and along until left turn at Cross St, across Stamford St.
- 4. Right onto Prestage St, left onto Blackburn St, turn left and short walk along Henrietta St and turn left again onto Howarth St.
- 5. Turn right onto Prestage St
- 6. Turn right when you see Prestage St green space, follow to the end, turn left, then left again onto Ayres Rd, ending at Old Trafford

Route B -----

Well On The Way

A circular walk that invites curiosity and explores the community amenities and green spaces that help us stay healthy in mind and body. It's a chance to connect with the area's rich history of art, recreation and sport - and each other!

Suitable for: All fitness levels

Time needed: Approx 55 minutes

Distance: 2.2 miles/3.6km

Start and end point: Limelight, 1 St Brides Way, M16 9NW

Environment: Easy and accessible paths. Well-lit areas, green spaces and community hubs. Good access paths for wheelchairs, prams, and buggies.

Pause to...

- · Visit the community and wellbeing centres.
- · See what's growing at Seymour Park allotments.

Old Trafford has a long history of arts and this route includes streets that housed famous painters, authors, calypso musicians and singers. The area's also renowned for sports and recreation. The Halle Orchestra performed for the first time in 1857 in the botanical gardens. Vimto and Duerr's jam were also born here! Walk in these historical footsteps and reimagine arts, recreation and community life in new ways.

To help you on your way...

- 1. Start at Limelight on Shrewsbury St, left onto Cross St, left onto
- 2. Turn right onto Belmont St, left onto Prestage St, right onto
- 3. Turn left onto Myrtle St and then right on Ayres Rd, turn right into Seymour Park.
- 4. Leave Seymour Pk, turn right onto St Hildas Rd, left onto Northumberland Rd, then right onto Stanley Rd, enter Hullard Park by
- 5. Leave park on Henrietta St, turn right onto Shrewsbury St, left onto Fernleigh Drive, follow path to left and right onto Hamilton St.
- 6. Turn left up Hamilton Grove and right at the end to walk alongside the playing fields on Cornbrook St.
- 7. Turn right onto playing field path to join Cross St, turn left to end at Limelight.



Route C

Walk on the Wild Side

This is a circular walk that will help you to connect with nature in parks, and to appreciate smaller pockets of green that do so much to help wildlife - and us - to flourish.

Suitable for: All fitness levels

Time needed: Approx 1 hour 45 minutes

Distance: 2.75 miles/4.4km

Start and end point: St John's Centre, St John's Road,

Environment: Easy and accessible paths. Well-lit areas and green spaces. Good access paths for wheelchairs, prams, and buggies.

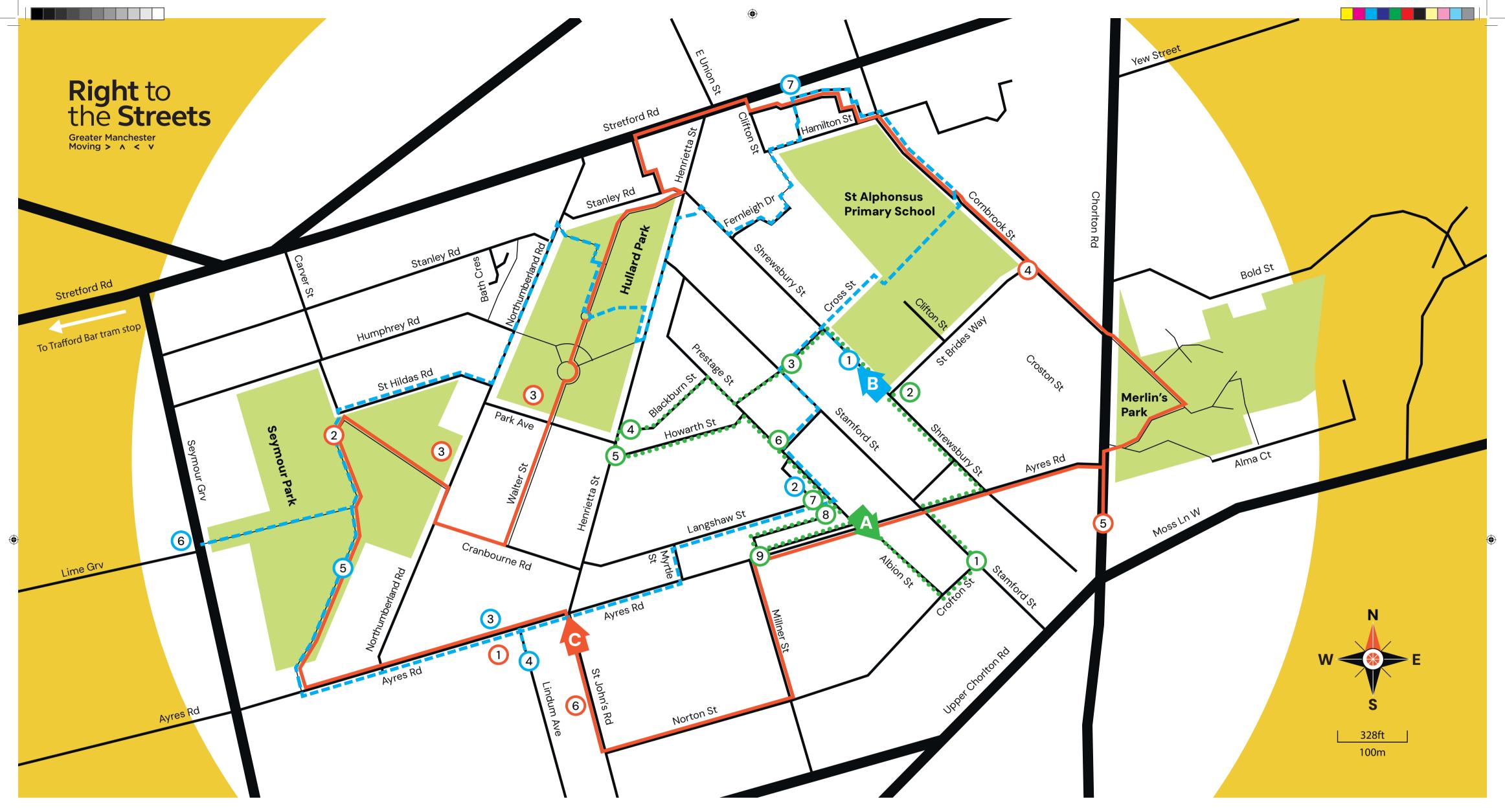
Pause to...

- Notice the different fruit trees at Hullard and Seymour Park orchards.
- Look for the beehives on the Hullard Park bowling green.
- Imagine people flocking to the Imperial cinema in the 1920s.
- · Kick or bat a ball at Cornbrook Street playing fields.

This walk takes you on a tour of three parks. Along the way notice trees and smaller green spaces - including the front gardens of this area. A number of the street green spaces are maintained by local people with Love Old Trafford, St John's Centre and the Hullard Park Gardening Group.

To help you on your way...

- 1. Start at St John's Centre, St John's Rd.
- 2. Cross Ayres Rd, walk to Seymour Park entrance.
- 3. Leave Seymour Park, right onto Northumberland Rd, turn left onto Cranboure Rd, left on Walter St, entering Hullard Park on Park Ave.
- 4. Walk along Clifton Grove traffic free route (which runs parallel to
- 5. Walk along the playing fields on Cornbrook St and cross Chorlton Rd.
- 6. Enter Merlin's Park, explore, and leave on Chorlton Rd. Cross the road, walk on Ayres Rd turning left on St John's Rd. Arrive at St John's Centre to end the walk.



Walking in and Around **Old Trafford**

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See along the way...

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- (1.) Tree of Life mural / Heart of the Community
- 2.) Bee in the City
- (3.) Voices of the World at my Doorstep
- 4.) Old Trafford is Jam Packed with LOVE mural
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- (5.) Botanical Garden mural
- (6.) Can I Kick It? mural
- (7.) More in Common 8.) Prestage Street green
- (9.) Gladys Earth Child mural

Route B Well On The Way

- 1.) Limelight, Health and Wellbeing Centre. Birthplace of painter LS Lowry, 1887.
- (2.) More in Common
- 3.) St John's Church murals
- 4.) Remembering Garden at side of St John's Church

- (5.) Together mural in Seymour
- 6. Blue Sci Support Wellbeing
- 7.) Mural

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- (1.) Remembering Garden at side of St John's Church
- (2.) Seymour Park Allotment
- 3.) Fruit trees
- 4.) The Journey mural
- 5.) Imperial Picture Theatre
- (6.) Bees mural

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