

MONSAL TRAIL

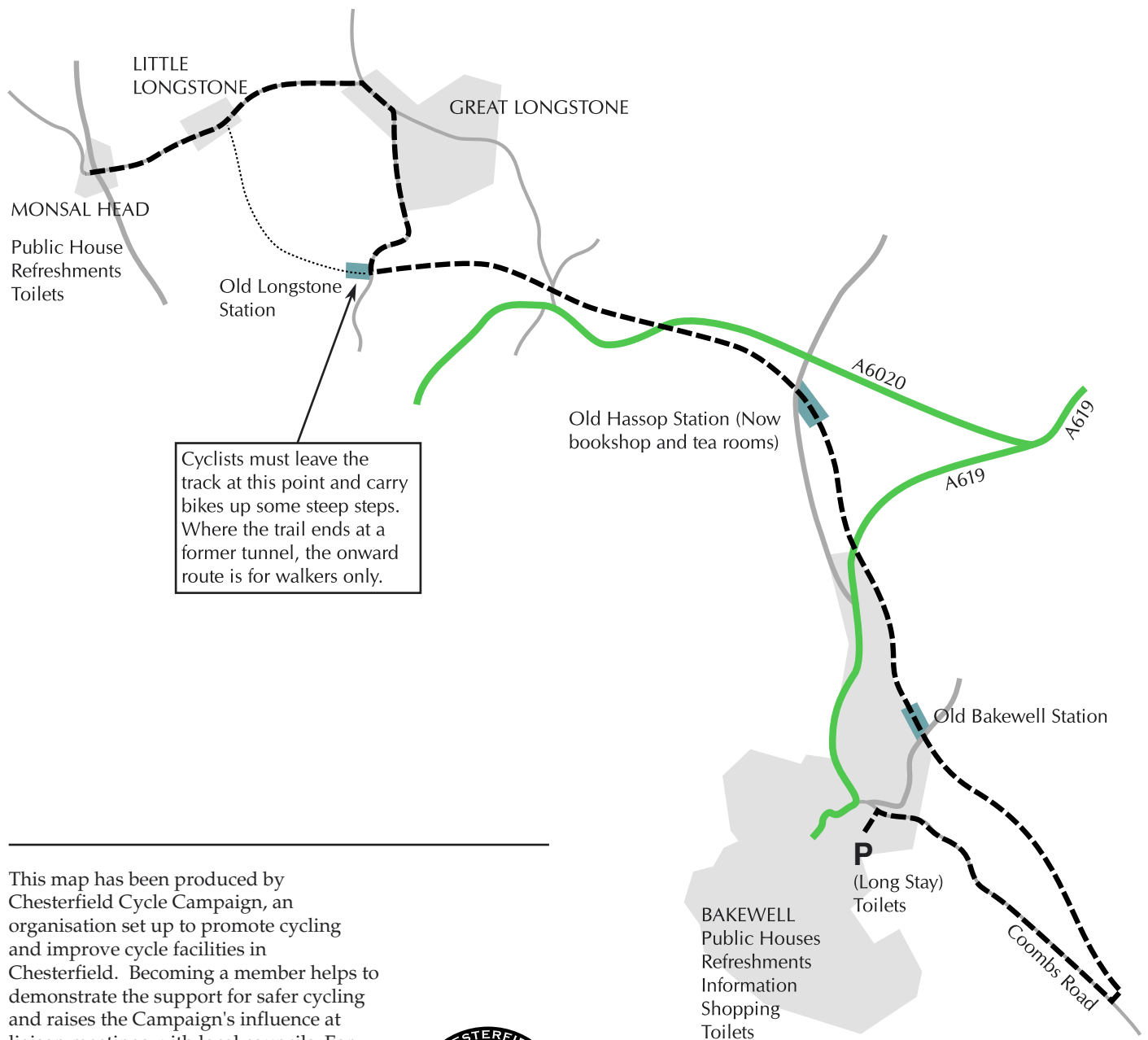
Bakewell to Monsal Head

Distance: 5.5 miles

The Monsal Trail follows the route of the former Midland Railway from Coombs Viaduct, east of Bakewell, to Wye Dale. Only the section shown is accessible to cyclists.

From Bakewell to the Old Longstone Station, the off-road route is level and easy. Although the trail appears to continue further, cyclists must leave at this point because it eventually reaches a blocked tunnel and the detour is for walkers only.

On leaving the trail, the roads through Great Longstone and Little Longstone are fairly quiet but be prepared for some hills on the final ascent to Monsal Head. The effort is rewarded with fine views across the valley from Monsal Head.



This map has been produced by Chesterfield Cycle Campaign, an organisation set up to promote cycling and improve cycle facilities in Chesterfield. Becoming a member helps to demonstrate the support for safer cycling and raises the Campaign's influence at liaison meetings with local councils. For more information telephone the Secretary, Alastair Meikle, on 01246 520820 or visit our website at

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