



# The Wyre Coastline

Cleveleys  
to  
Fleetwood



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**THE ROUTE FROM CLEVELEYS TO FLEETWOOD** along the seafront is flat, pedestrianised and ideal for a stroll or a cycle and pushchair or wheelchair users. It is also great to capture that perfect picture, selfie or beautiful sunset! You can walk or cycle the 11 mile length of Wyre's coast along the promenade from Fleetwood to Cleveleys and to Blackpool. There are stunning views across Morecambe Bay and the Irish Sea throughout.

### THE MYTHIC COAST ARTWORKS IN CLEVELEYS

All the artworks featured are representations of items in the Sea Swallow children's book by Gareth Thompson. The Sea Swallow is a magical tale, based on Singleton Thorpe, a village drowned off the coast of Cleveleys in the 16th century. Walk the Mythic Coastline and see the sculptures that depict the story along the way!



### DID YOU KNOW?

You can purchase a copy of the Sea Swallow book by calling 01253 887445.

### SHIPWRECKS –

A memorial to vessels wrecked off the Fylde Coast between 1643 and 2008. The names of all the shipwrecks are etched into the steel.



**SEA SWALLOWS** – A ten metre beacon featuring the Sea Swallows. Made from coated aluminium, it creates a lovely landmark at the top of Victoria Road in Cleveleys on the promenade.



**THE PADDLE** – Nine metres long and at one point seven metres wide. Carved from purpleheart timber by John Merrill, it weighs 1.5 tonnes. The Paddle bears the inscription 'the Sea Ogre's paddle drifted up, to lie on the muddy sand like some strange offering...' taken from the Sea Swallow book.



**THE SEA OGRE** – A four metre stone Sea Ogre is hidden somewhere along the beach at Cleveleys. The Sea Ogre was carved from limestone by Adrian Wright and weighs 12 tonnes.



**MARY'S SHELL** – Go down to the beach and stand inside the shell when the tide is out. It is four metres high, made from stainless steel and weighs 16.5 tonnes. Mary's Shell was fabricated by Chris Brammall Limited of Cumbria.



### DID YOU KNOW?

The Sea Swallow Sculpture to Jubilee Gardens takes around 20 minutes to walk and approximately 10 minutes to cycle.

**JUBILEE GARDENS** – Across the road from the beach there is a small leisure park which includes a range of eateries, a cinema and a skate park.

### DID YOU KNOW?

Jubilee Gardens to Rossall Point takes around 45 minutes to walk or 25 minutes to cycle passing by Larkholme Grasslands, with amazing views along the way across eastern Wyre. There is a network of surfaced paths to explore providing a sheltered alternative to the promenade.



**ROSSALL POINT** – An iconic observation tower on the seafront, Rossall Point is open to the public to learn about the coastal environment, bird and plant life. There is an observation deck for birdwatching and superb views across the Irish Sea and Morecambe Bay. It is also home to NCI Coastwatch. Family focussed events take place throughout the summer season.

### DID YOU KNOW?

Rossall Point to the North Euston Hotel and Gardens takes around 30 minutes to walk or 20 minutes to cycle passing the natural play area and picturesque Marine Lakes.

### THE MARINE HALL AND GARDENS -

An Art Deco architectural gem which opened as a beautiful theatre and gardens in 1935.

The theatre has an all year-round programme of shows and events and is a premier wedding venue. There is also a skate bowl set in the gardens.



### THE MOUNT PAVILION -

A stunning Edwardian building and recently restored gardens with beautiful views across the coastline. Host to a range of family events year round. Often used as a photographic backdrop as part of the wedding package at Marine Hall.



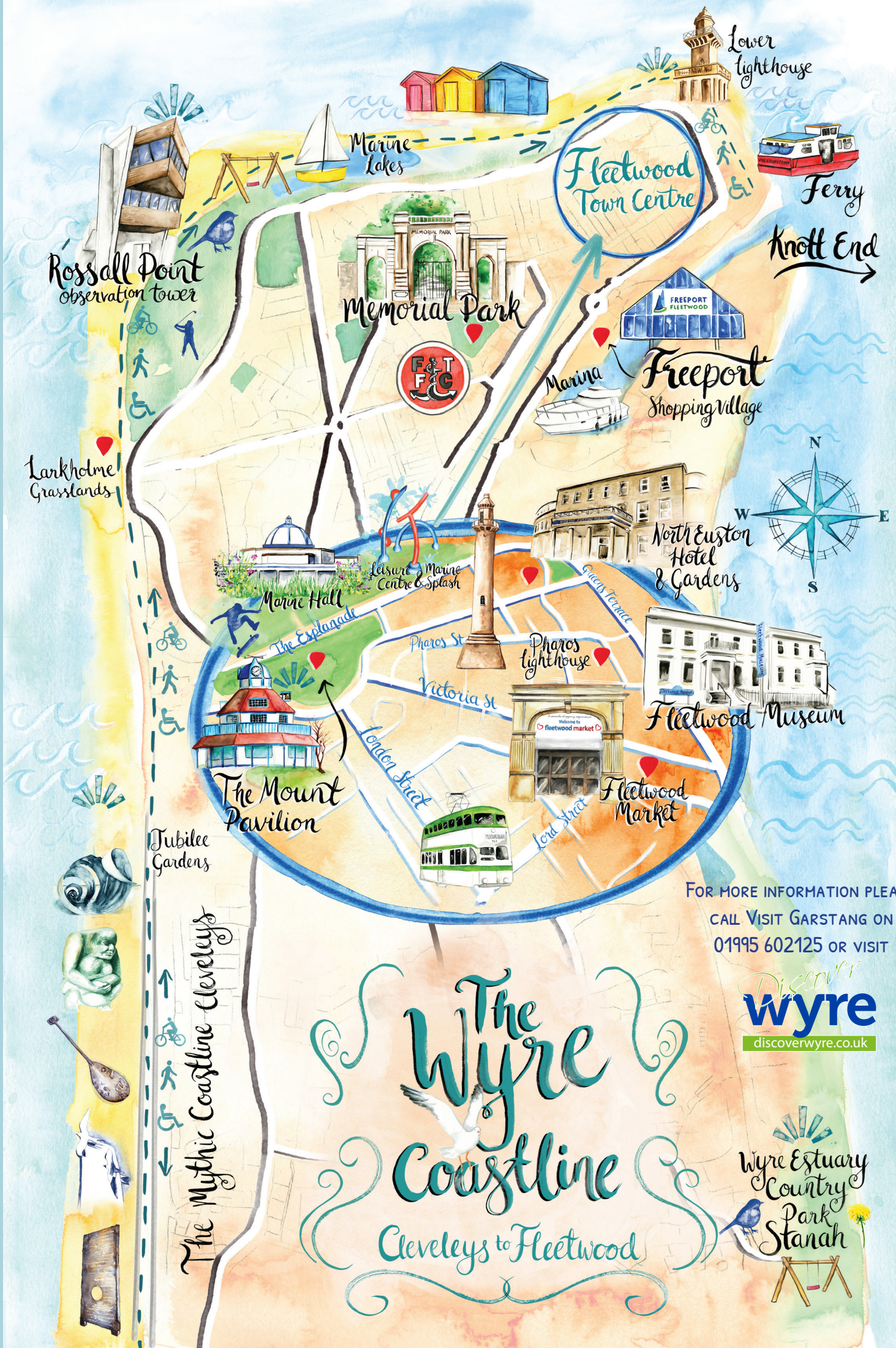
### YMCA FLEETWOOD LEISURE CENTRE –

Enjoy two swimming pools and a gym with an extensive range of cardio and resistance equipment and a varied programme of classes for all fitness levels.

### MARINE SPLASH –

An exciting water play area and café. Open throughout the summer, times vary and are weather dependent. Contact Fleetwood YMCA for details before you visit. Youngsters can splash through fountains, water jets and water tunnels. There's a paddling area too. There is also a multi-sensory play area with great equipment nearby.





Rossall Point observation tower

Larkholme Grasslands

Tubilee Gardens

The Mythic Coastline Clevellys

Marine Lakes

Memorial Park

Marine Hall

The Mount Pavilion

Leisure Marine Centre & Splash

The Esplanade

Pharos St

Victoria St

London Street

Pharos lighthouse

Fleetwood Market

Fleetwood Museum

North Euston Hotel & Gardens

Freeport Shopping Village

Marina

Fleetwood Town Centre

Lower lighthouse

Ferry

Knott End

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**LOWER LIGHTHOUSE AND PHAROS LIGHTHOUSE** – Fleetwood has two lighthouses in close proximity to one another. Pharos Lighthouse is most unusual as it sits within Fleetwood’s streets, set back from the coast.



**NORTH EUSTON HOTEL AND GARDENS** –

An iconic Victorian hotel and recently restored heritage gardens situated close to the seafront and Lower Lighthouse. This is a busy hotel, open to non-residents for bar snacks, meals and refreshments.



**Did You Know?**

North Euston Hotel and Gardens to Fleetwood Freeport takes around 20 minutes to walk or 10 minutes to cycle. The route is mainly on wide pavement and roadside along the coastal road.

**FLEETWOOD TO KNOTT END FERRY** –

A foot passenger ferry which began operating in 1894 and is still used today as a vital link for visitors and locals between Fleetwood and Knott End. The journey takes less than 10 minutes. Dogs and bicycles are welcome too.



**FLEETWOOD MUSEUM** – A Grade II listed building designed by Decimus Burton and completed in 1836. The museum tells the story of Fleetwood, its industries and people. A must see is the fishing smack, The Harriet, listed in the Historic Ships Register. There is a range of events and tours throughout the year.



**FLEETWOOD MARKET** –

A traditional Victorian market offering a great shopping experience with over 200 stalls selling a range of goods for the whole family. There is also a programme of events throughout the year.



**FREEPORT FLEETWOOD AND MARINA** –

Set on a tranquil marina, Freeport Fleetwood is a shopping outlet village with famous name stores plus free parking. Stores offer up to 60% discount. There is also a programme of events and activities throughout the year.



**MEMORIAL PARK** – A seven hectare, award winning Grade II listed park. Created in commemoration of the First World War and one of only a handful of listed war memorial parks in the UK. There are regular family events held throughout the year. This beautiful restored park features a woodland area, a stream and pond area, rose garden, children’s play area and pavilion.



**FLEETWOOD TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB** – Highbury is home to Fleetwood Town FC and was established in 1939. It has a capacity of more than 5,000 and is also a great venue for events throughout the year.



**Did You Know?**

You can walk from Freeport Fleetwood to Wyre Estuary Country Park, Stanah. The route takes you past Farmer Parrs Animal World and takes approximately 1 hour and 45 minutes to walk or 45 minutes to cycle on a mixture of road and pathway.

**WYRE ESTUARY COUNTRY PARK, STANAH** –

An award winning park offering year-round activities and ranger-led events. There is an innovative children’s play area, tables for a picnic and a network of paths for all terrain (Tramper) use, and wheelchair users, as well as cyclists, horse riders and walkers. There is a public slipway for water based recreation and Trampers can be hired from the park.



**USEFUL INFORMATION**

**DOGS** must be kept on a lead on the promenade. No dogs are allowed on the bathing beaches from 1 May to 30 September. Please pick up after your dog and deposit in any bin.



**BEACHES** are patrolled when flags are flying. A red and yellow flag means that a lifeguard is on duty. Please have fun on the sea shore, but stay safe.

**PARKING**

The council operates nine pay and display car parks and 18 free car parks in Wyre. The operational time of all pay and display car parks is 8am to 6pm every day. If you would like to park your vehicles overnight on any of these, you can pay after 6pm. The time on the ticket will then start at 8am the following morning for however long you have paid to stay. For more information on parking visit [wyre.gov.uk/parking](http://wyre.gov.uk/parking)