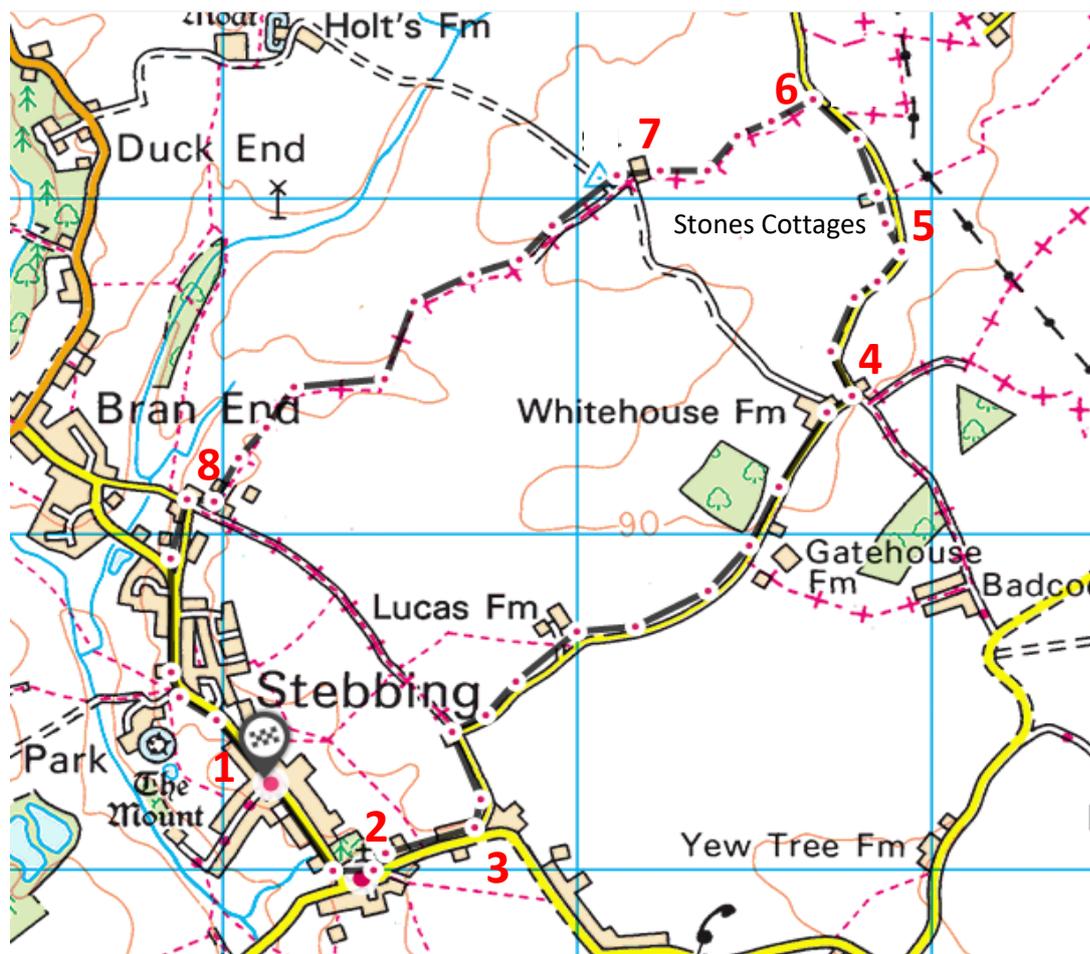


[Stebbing East via Lubberhedges](#)

This is a straight forward route suitable for walkers and runners in wet weather i.e. no mud and mostly on quiet roads and byways.

4.3 miles / 6.9 km, 1h 30min (approx. walking time)



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Starting from outside the [White Hart](#) (1) proceed down the High Street past the Bowling Club and across the new culvert bridge towards the War Memorial passing some of the oldest cottages in the village on the way. Just before the [War Memorial](#) (2) take the steps on the left to pass the 14th Century St Mary's Church (worth a visit) and continue to the road. Proceed with care along the road until you reach the junction at the Village Sign (3) where you take Whitehouse Road on your left, passing the Tennis Club. Whitehouse Road will take you past Lucas Farm, Gatehouse Farm and to the corner at Whitehouse Farm (4) where the road becomes the wonderfully named Lubberhedges Lane. At this corner you will pass the start of the Rogues Green byway, an interesting extension to Bardfield Saling but maybe best left for better weather.

Proceed along Lubberhedges Lane past [Stones Cottages](#) (5) on your left and the entrance to a byway to Bardfield Saling on your right (definitely better left until better weather due to extensive damage caused by off-road vehicles) a few more yards will bring you to a byway on your left (6).

Take this byway until you reach the new barns **(7)** where you have fine views over the fields South West towards the village, you should be able to see the Church spire, and West towards Lindsell. From the new barns ignore the crossing farm tracks and proceed straight ahead and downhill. Shortly before you reach the end of the byway you will, unfortunately, pass further evidence of destruction of the countryside caused by off-road vehicles.

At [Blueitts Farm](#) the byway joins the surfaced road at Brick Kiln Lane **(8)**, the Clay Lane byway on your left is worth a visit in decent weather, but take the next turning on your left which will bring you back to the road at The Downs. Bear left and simply follow the road back into the High Street and the village centre.