

GETTING TO THE START AND FINISH

50 MILE RACE:

This starts and finishes at The Pavilion, Nicholas Everitt Park, this is adjacent to the museum in the centre of the park.. We will signpost the start and have Boghopper Flags to guide you.

By Car:

There is parking at **Nicholas Everitt Park, Bridge Rd, Oulton Broad, NR33 9JT**. There are 266 spaces here so you should be able to find a space. Please remember to pay.

There are various on road parking options in the surrounding streets, but please remember cars are left at owner's risk. Boghopper Races cannot be held responsible for any parking tickets or damage to vehicles etc.

By Train:

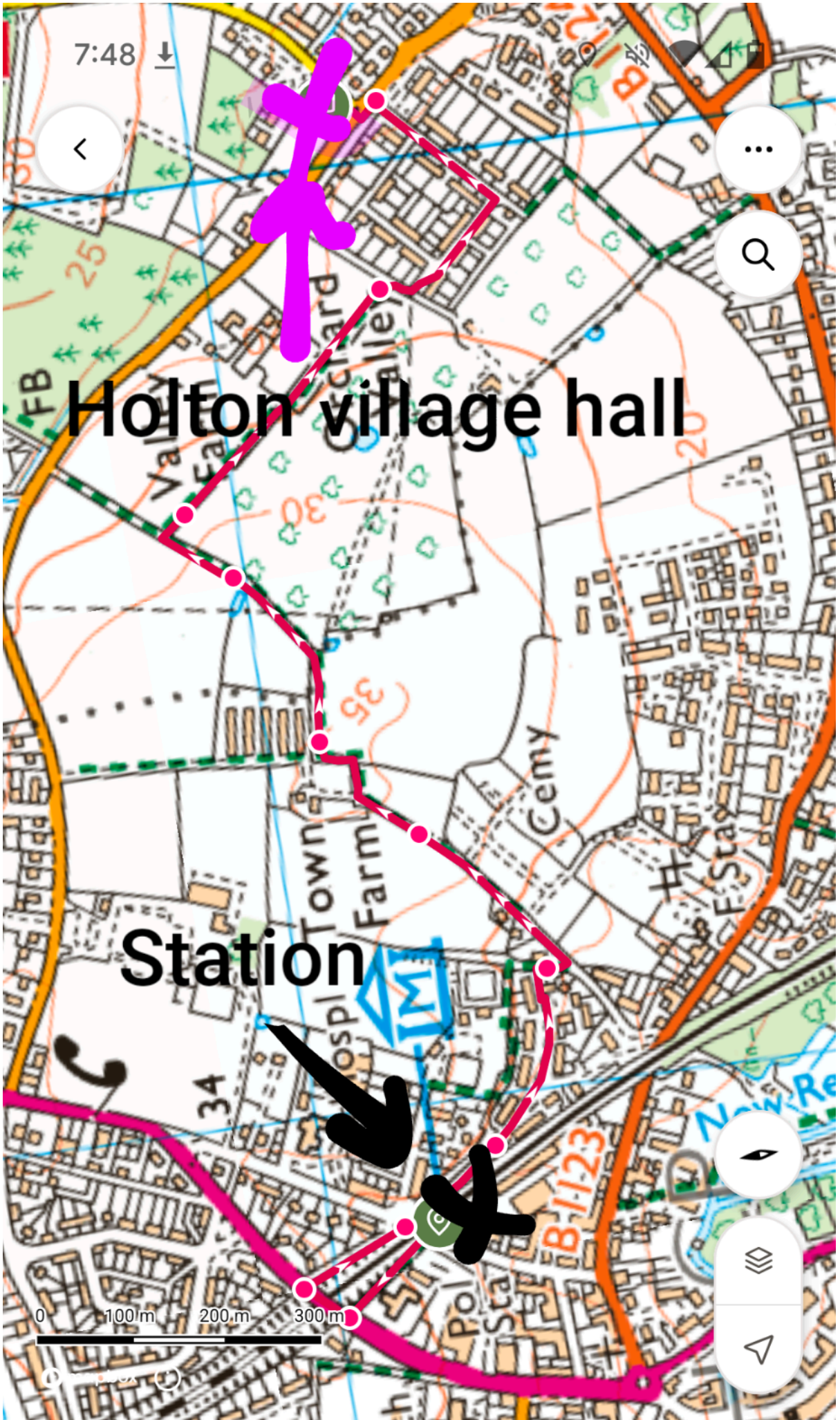
Nicholas Everitt Park is served by 2 train stations, Oulton Broad North (1km walk to the start) and Oulton Broad South (700 m to the start). Both stations are on the main Lowestoft to Ipswich line. From Lowestoft this is a 4 min and a 6 min journey respectively. ***The Ipswich train unfortunately does not leave early enough to reach the start on time, so we would recommend travelling the night before.*** There are several accommodation options as Lowestoft and Oulton Broad have numerous B and Bs and hotels and the Wherry Hotel, Oulton Broad (<https://www.wherryhotel.com>) is a stone's throw from the start.

50 KM RACE:

The race starts at **Holton Village Hall, Lodge Road, Holton, IP19 8RZ**. There is parking for 20 or so cars here but we strongly recommend using the train to get to the start unless you are being dropped off. The other option is to drive and park at **Halesworth station car park, IP19 8BZ**, then walk to the start which is a 2km walk so please allow time for this. **Or Park at Oulton Broad and get the train to the start.**

Both the trains from Lowestoft and Ipswich will get you to the start in plenty of time.

See attached route to get from the station to the start:



7:48



Holton village hall

Station

0 100m 200m 300m



In detail:

After leaving the train cross to the north side of the track, depending on which direction you have come from, then walk down a path alongside the northern platform, it will enter a housing estate, keep going through the houses and follow through the houses on the main path (Bramblewood Way), at the end of Bramblewood you pop out onto a footpath, turn sharp right and walk a few metres to Loam Pit lane where you turn left and slightly uphill. The path branches right, then left then right again near Town Farm. Follow the main path, this is quite a distinct tree lined path, before this path hits the road turn right and walk alongside a fence and eventually into some houses. ***(don't worry if you miss this path you will end up on the road, just turn right and you will end up at the Village Hall a few hundred metres away)***. Head to the North East corner of this housing estate and you will pop out on the road with the Village Hall opposite (next to a playing field)

If you leave your car at Halesworth you can get the train back from Oulton Broad South after the race to your car. This is a 27 minute journey, trains leave at about 12 mins past the hour, every hour until just after 9 o'clock. There are no trains after 21.12 hrs. Please check trainline and other apps for details nearer the time.

The other option is to leave your car at Oulton Broad, Nicholas Everitt Park and get the train to Halesworth for the start. This way you arrive back at your car at the end. This would be my preferred option if I were entering this race.

MARATHON

This starts from Walberswick village Hall, The St, Walberswick IP18 6TZ

There is a lot of parking here in various car parks

There will also be the option to get transport from the finish either via mini bus or coach depending on demand. This option will be available on Sientries.