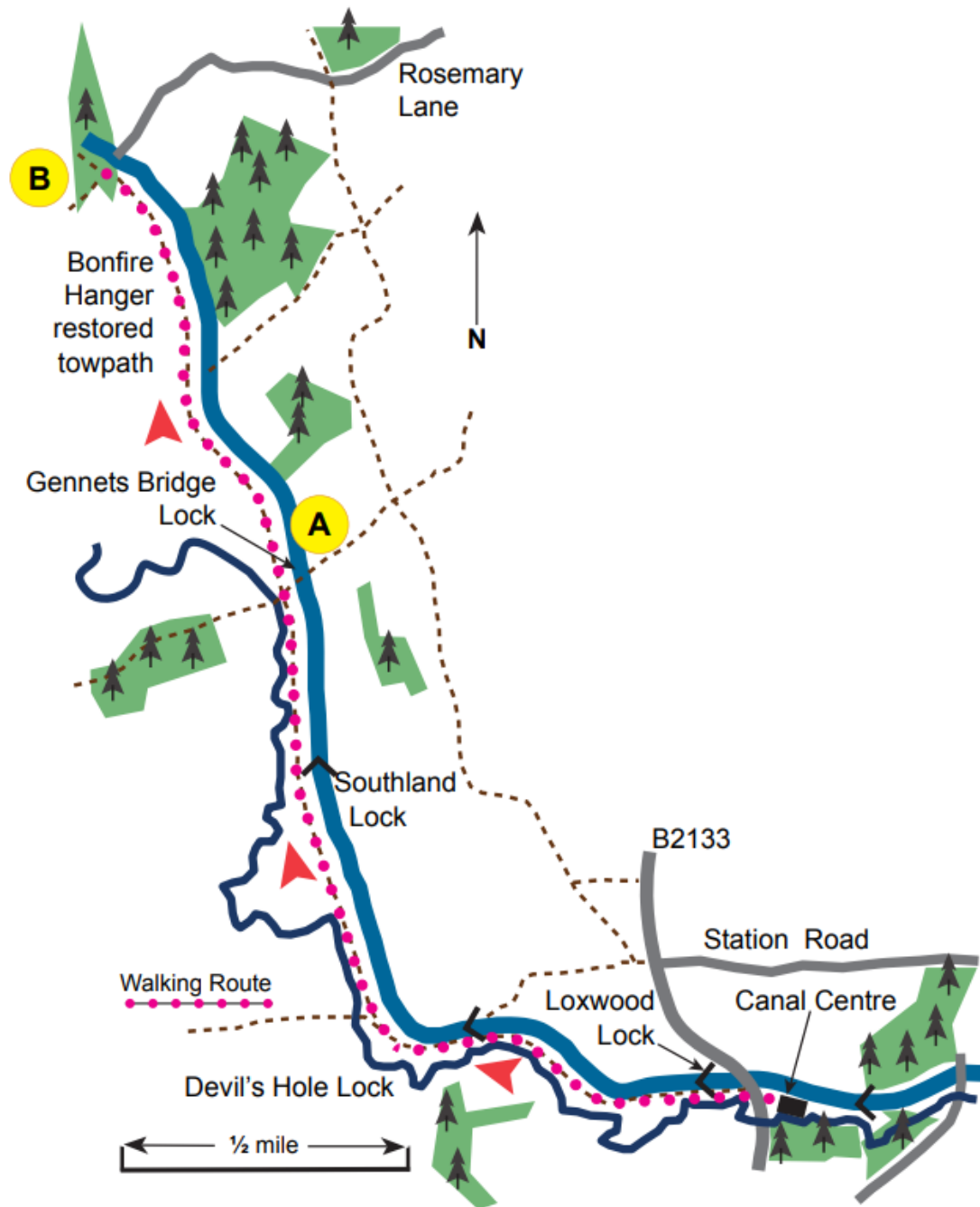


WACT AGM 2024

Bonfire Hanger Project

Background

- 900 metres of canal generously donated to WACT as part of land swap deal 2023
- Previously leased (expired)
- Dams and footbridges constructed in 2002
- CIL grant funding £45,000 awarded by Waverley and Alfold councils to improve footpath/bridleway



The Plan

- 2.5m bridleway in Fittleworth stone over 1km
- Work needed to be completed during financial year 2024/2025
- Plant intensive with access only available from southern end (Gennets Bridge)
- WRG summer week long camps chosen method
- Four weeks estimate to complete the job

Preparation

- Existing path in very poor condition, uneven, obstructed by trees and very muddy except in driest of weather. Canal channel overgrown
- MWWP to the rescue
- Levelling the route
- Setting up base













The Camps

- 2 weeks in July. NWPG and KESCRG
- Additional 7 day camp in August. Multi team!





































Some stats:

- 630 dumper loads of top and base stone
- 1040 tons (52 lorry loads)
- c 750 km distance travelled
- c 1400 ltrs of fuel
- 290 person days or about 2000 hours volunteer time

What next?





The End