

In the Forest of Bowland AONB we want to enable access to the countryside for everyone; access for people with wheelchairs, pushchairs, limited mobility, or simply for those whose legs aren't as young as they used to be. All the family can now experience the unspoiled beauty of the area along trails with fantastic views, wildlife rich hedgerows and through tranquil woodlands and parklands.

What is a Trampler? - the Trampler is a specially designed all-terrain electric buggy, which can be used off road and even on rough ground, mud and grass.

Hiring Trampers

When you use a Trampler for the first time you will be given an induction in how to use the vehicle. **If you've never used a Trampler before we recommend an induction at a public site such as Beacon Fell or Wyre Estuary Country Parks.**

Although there is no set charge for hiring a Trampler a donation is requested for the maintenance and upkeep of the vehicles (suggested donation £10 per day).

Hiring a Trampler at a Country Park

Trampers are available to hire outside the AONB, in wider Lancashire at Wyre Estuary Country Park, Stanah. You will need to book before you visit - please allow 48 hours to book a Trampler. See contact details on the reverse.

Hiring the Wyresdale Wheels Trampler

Wyresdale Wheels are a group of local businesses in the Scorton area of the Forest of Bowland who have been working in partnership with various government funded agencies including the Forest of Bowland AONB to develop Wyresdale Wheels. The Trampler is hosted with Fell View Caravan Park, Scorton and can be booked from the Visit Garstang Centre.

Hiring the Champion Bowland Trampler

The Champion Bowland Trampler is currently being hosted by Gisburn Forest Hub & Café and can be used on specific routes at Gisburn Forest.

Private Hire of Trampers

There are a number of Trampers available to use from private businesses in the Forest of Bowland AONB, see the back for full contact details.

Using your own Trampler on Trails

If you have access to your own Trampler there are a number of trails across the Forest of Bowland that are Trampler friendly - visit <http://forestofbowland.com/tramper-trails>

Or why not join Wyre Countryside Service on a guided Trampler Trek? Events take place at different times throughout the year, have a look at their annual events programme -

<http://www.discoverwyre.co.uk/whats-on> (Trampers are available to hire at these events).



Hiring Trampers - Contact Numbers

Hiring a Trumper at a Country Park

Please phone ahead to book a Trumper:

- Witton County Park, Blackburn, BB2 2TP Tel: 01254 55855
- Wyre Estuary Country Park, Stanah, FY5 5LR Tel: 01253 863100

The Wyresdale Wheels Trumper

The Wyresdale Wheels Trumper can be hired by contacting the Visit Garstang Centre on 01995 602125.

Champion Bowland Trumper at Gisburn Forest Hub & Cafe

Please contact the café on 01200 446387

Private Hire of Trampers

- Bowland Wild Boar Park - Trumper available to access the various trails around the park. Entry fees apply. Telephone 01995 61554.
- Cobble Hey Farm & Gardens - Trumper available on-site and for use on the trail around the farm. Entry fees apply. Telephone 01995 602643.
- Ribble Valley Shopmobility, Clitheroe (hire only) Tel: 01200 425028 www.ribblevalleyshopmobility.co.uk

