

What to look out for:

Medieval Ridge and furrow pattern

Traditional ploughs turn the soil in one direction. The plough cannot return along the same furrow. Instead, ploughing is done in a clockwise direction around a long rectangular strip. The process has the effect of moving the soil in each half of the strip towards the centre line and the effect is clearly visible in the fields.

Diversity flora.

The site contains a great diversity of grassland flora, with a wide variety of species characteristic of unimproved, neutral grassland. There are many wild flowers, herbs and grasses.

Rare orchids

In May, common and heath spotted-orchids and the rare frog orchid may be seen.

Village scenes



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Explore Greetham

Merry Meadows



Distance ~3mile Time: 1 ½ hours
Type ~ Easy—One stile to cross
A Site of Special Scientific Interest, just
1.5 km north of Greetham.
The meadows have been grazed by sheep
and cattle for several decades and have re-
ceived no artificial fertilisers or herbicides.

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