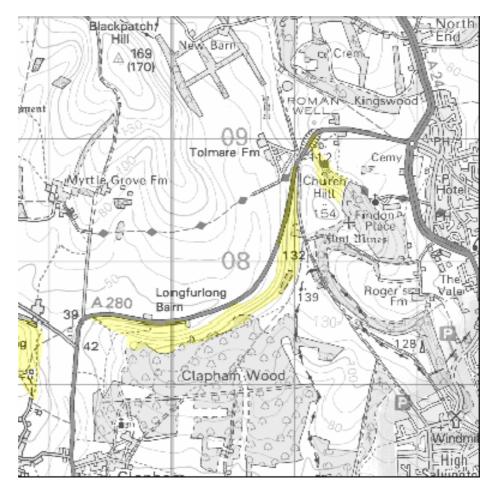
Clapham Parish Open Access Land



Grid Reference at Centre of Map: Easting: 510625 Northing: 108125

Open Access land (shown in yellow) between Clapham Wood and the A280, reachable from footway 2306 (SW of Longfurlong Barn) and footway 2167 (SE of the Old Tollgate).

Part I of the Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000 (CRoW) introduced new public access rights over 'access land' – chiefly registered common land and open country - in England and Wales. The map above shows access land in/near Clapham Parish.

When in force, the access rights entitle the public to enter and remain on CRoW access land for the purposes of "open-air recreation". This term is not defined, but includes most common forms of recreation on foot, including walking, running and climbing.

<u>Dog-walkers</u> please note:- From 1st March to 31st July dogs <u>must</u> be kept on a short lead (no more than two metres) to protect ground nesting birds. At all times of the year dogs must be kept on a short lead (no more than two metres) in the vicinity of livestock.

Note also that the CRoW Act allows a landowner or farm tenant to exclude or restrict access at their discretion in certain circumstances.

For more information on 'Open Access' – and maps - see the Natural England website: http://www.naturalengland.org.uk/ourwork/enjoying/places/openaccess/default.aspx.