

6 Great Wold Valley

21.1 miles (34km)
from Hunmanby

The
Yorkshire
Wolds

Just inland from Filey Bay, Hunmanby was once one of the 12 market towns in the East Riding and still retains its own station on the Yorkshire Coast Railway line. From here you visit small villages and hamlets as you ride around the broad swathe of the Great Wold Valley and either side of the Gypsy Race – the only, albeit intermittent, surface stream on the Wolds. Thwing takes its name from the Scandinavian language, meaning 'strip of high land', there's an art gallery at Willerby Wold Farm (Wed-Sun), while Fordon has what must be one of the tiniest churches. A shortcut via Wold Newton (with a pub) is shown on the map.



Big Skies Ride info

Grade: Moderate · All on road

Start/finish: Village centre off-street parking area just behind main street and Market Cross near pubs. From railway station turn **R** into village centre

Refreshments: Choice in Hunmanby; pub and shops in Burton Fleming; pub in Thwing; coffee shop in art gallery at Willerby Wold Farm. Opening times vary

Public loos: None