

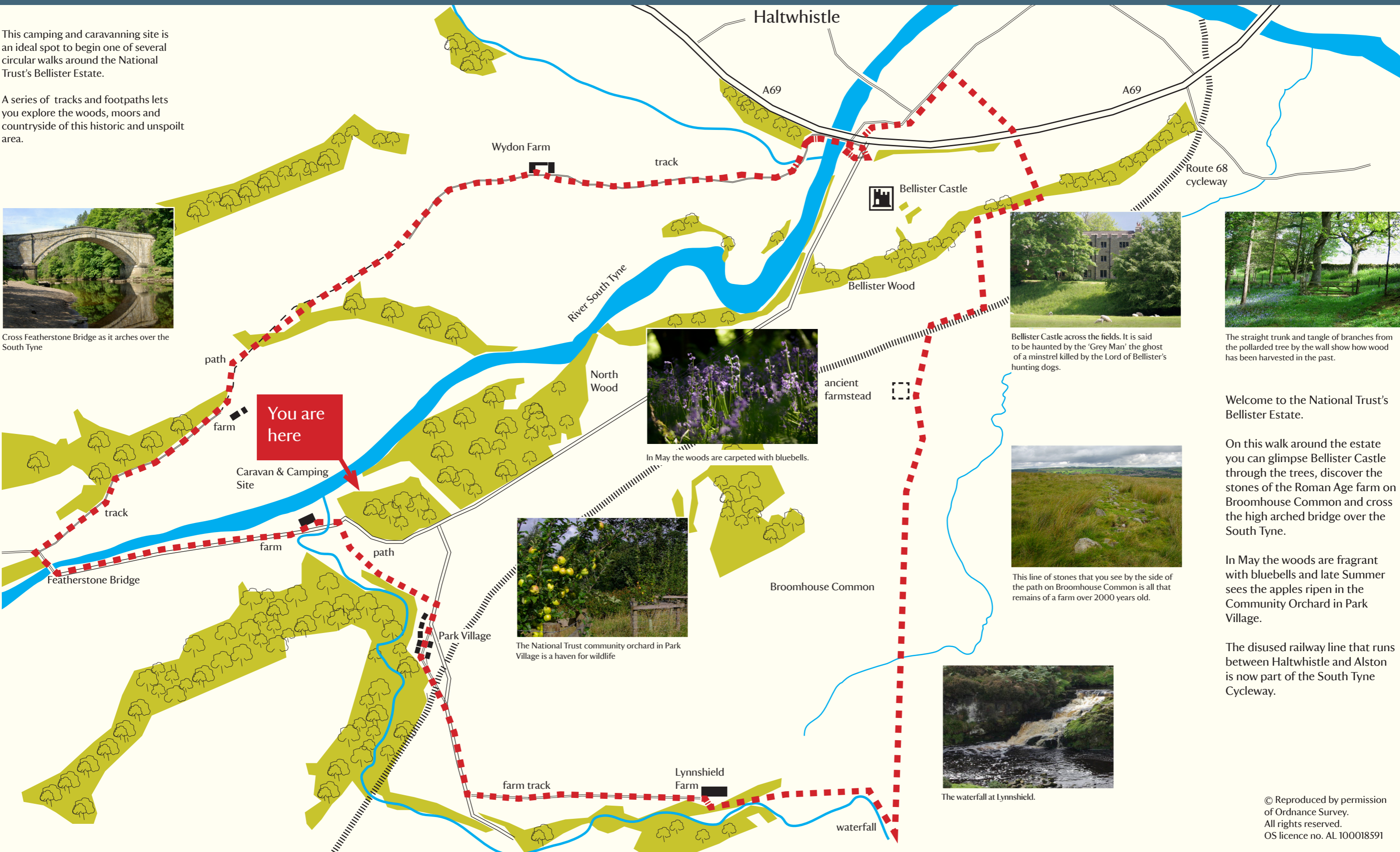
Bellister Estate circular walk 10 miles

This camping and caravanning site is an ideal spot to begin one of several circular walks around the National Trust's Bellister Estate.

A series of tracks and footpaths lets you explore the woods, moors and countryside of this historic and unspoilt area.



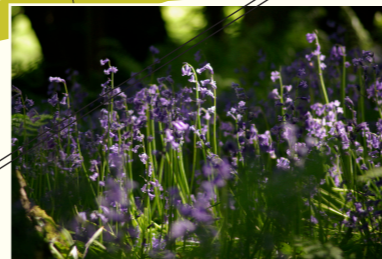
Cross Featherstone Bridge as it arches over the South Tyne



Bellister Castle across the fields. It is said to be haunted by the 'Grey Man' the ghost of a minstrel killed by the Lord of Bellister's hunting dogs.



The straight trunk and tangle of branches from the pollarded tree by the wall show how wood has been harvested in the past.



In May the woods are carpeted with bluebells.



This line of stones that you see by the side of the path on Broomhouse Common is all that remains of a farm over 2000 years old.



The National Trust community orchard in Park Village is a haven for wildlife



The waterfall at Lynnshield.

Welcome to the National Trust's Bellister Estate.

On this walk around the estate you can glimpse Bellister Castle through the trees, discover the stones of the Roman Age farm on Broomhouse Common and cross the high arched bridge over the South Tyne.

In May the woods are fragrant with bluebells and late Summer sees the apples ripen in the Community Orchard in Park Village.

The disused railway line that runs between Haltwhistle and Alston is now part of the South Tyne Cycleway.

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