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The Airport Trail offers the perfect opportunity for a gentle stroll or a more serious trek. Six miles long, the trail takes in the whole perimeter of the Airport. As well as creating a wonderful walk through woodlands, open parkland and meadows, the trail has reconnected footpaths, bridleways and lanes that were severed in the Second World War. This offers walkers the opportunity to take in a smaller section of the trail as there are several joining points. The trail has benefitted from an extensive planting programme by the Airport. Native trees and shrubs including oak, ash, hawthorn and dogwood have been incorporated alongside existing planting. Wildlife fans can keep an eye out for bats nesting in the bat boxes and hedgehogs having a stay-over in the hedgehog hotels!

The Airport has made a real commitment to developing the trail and involving the local community in this. Over recent years the Airport has worked with surrounding primary schools on a tree planting programme and a unique sculpture to add an extra dimension to the walk.

