

Bridleway No.508 – Hilland Wood (Junction of Gentles Lane and Pond Road to Hurland Lane)

There is a finger post at the bottom of Gentles Lane leading uphill into woodland. (Pic 1).

At a left-hand bend there is a private gate on the right (finger post in reverse direction only). (Pic 2, reverse direction)

It crosses an (often) muddy patch and bears slightly right while an unmarked Permissive Path goes left. (Pic 3)

It descends with coppice wood on the left (Pic 4) then rises to a sharp left-hand turn marked by a finger post (Pic 5, at the large tree). [Another well-used path carries straight on at this point, but it is not a public right of way.]

The path then follows the boundary of Headley Grange on the right to meet Hurland Lane. (Pic 6, in reverse direction) Here there is a finger post for both this bridleway and Footpath No.509 which begins at the same place.

Pic 1: Entry from bottom of Gentles Lane.



Pic 2: Reverse direction view at turn by private gate.



Pic 3: Muddy junction with Permissive Path to left.



Pic 4: Coppice to left.



Pic 5: Turn sharp left turn at big tree – easy to miss!



Pic 6: Junction with FP509 and exit at Hurland Lane.

