

Alwalton

Wansford Station to Alwalton, 2.75 miles 1 lock

A delightfully quiet mooring here on the bywater right beside the lock itself. Only enough room for a couple of boats, but if you want to visit Peterborough from afar then this is the place to moor. It is also very near the [Peterborough East of England Showground](#), so if there is an event on that you want to visit it is walkable from the boat.

No facilities, but there is a quaint shop which sells good bakery products and a few groceries and also doubles up as a Post Office (2009) and tea room. It is very popular. Also a large family pub, The Cuckoo in the village.

From the mooring take the path away from the boat and follow that through the thicket and up the hill with the church on your right, the road leading to the shop and pub. Further along at the road past the shop and pub, turning right on the main road for the bus stop, there is a bus service to Peterborough at 11.27am returning at 1.40pm or 4pm taking 20 minutes.

Good walking here with riverside walks as well as across the countryside by crossing the lock and walking along the river away from the boat on a permissive path to a copse and footbridge, turning left across the meadows to another bridge bringing you back to the moorings.



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