

Cogenhoe

Billing to Cogenhoe, 1.75 miles 0 locks

Best moorings are on the meadow before a backwater that goes off to the right and before the caravan park. Wherever you moor at Cogenhoe (pronounced Cook-no) the meadow nearly always has cows, but they are used to boats and tend not to bother people.

There are no official services here, but if you are stuck for water then see the caravan park manager and he will direct you to a tap. Or go across the bridge, through the caravans and turn to the right just after the mill stream and speak to one of the permanent boaters about getting water from there. This is also the place to dump rubbish, there is a skip behind the trees just as you enter the backwater moorings. Post Office and shop in the village, quite a long walk by taking the path up the hill through a field just up from the backwater moorings.

You can see the path on the map. For the PO turn right at the Royal Oak pub. This is also a Spa shop. The office in the caravan park sells essentials when it is open, during the winter at weekends, and most days during the summer. The caravan club house bar is open to boaters at the weekends, it's good in there! Plenty of good walking by taking the path from the lock to the left over a little stone bridge.

There are two huge lakes to walk around when the path reaches a track, one lake to the left one to the right. There is also another 4.5 mile walk visiting the village of Whiston, see the map. [A bus service](#) to Northampton leaves the Royal Oak pub taking about 28 minutes.



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