

# Ormsgill Woodland

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## About the wood...

Ormsgill Wood is a short distance from the village of Airton in a peaceful area of open countryside with views across Malhamdale.

Streams run throughout the Ormsgill woodland site (headwaters of the river Aire) so species planted are appropriate for wetland areas. These native trees now form a series of new gill woodlands which will grow to provide habitat suitable for black grouse.

30,000 trees are planted in total including: Downy Birch, Silver Birch, Rowan, Hazel, Bird Cherry, Sessile Oak, Goat Willow and Hawthorn.



All the saplings have been planted with individual tree guards to protect them from harsh weather and rabbit damage, and the site has been fenced to prevent damage from livestock.

## How to get there...

Ormsgill wood is only a few miles from the village of Airton in Malhamdale.

Travelling to Airton from Settle along Scosthrop Lane take a right turn onto Orms Gill Green Lane (see OS map overleaf) - a rough single track lane leading to Craikemoor Farm. The lane is not signposted from the main road but is marked with a public footpath sign reading '3.5 miles to Long Preston'.

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**PLEASE NOTE:** The woodland is situated on private land which is not open to the public and there is no parking (except on official YDMT woodland open days). There are footpaths which cross the area offering good views of the young woodland.

**Yorkshire Dales Millennium Trust** is a small charity doing big things to support every aspect of life in the Yorkshire Dales. By supporting our work you have helped to restore part of the wonderful jigsaw of features that makes the Yorkshire Dales landscape so special.

**Thank you.**

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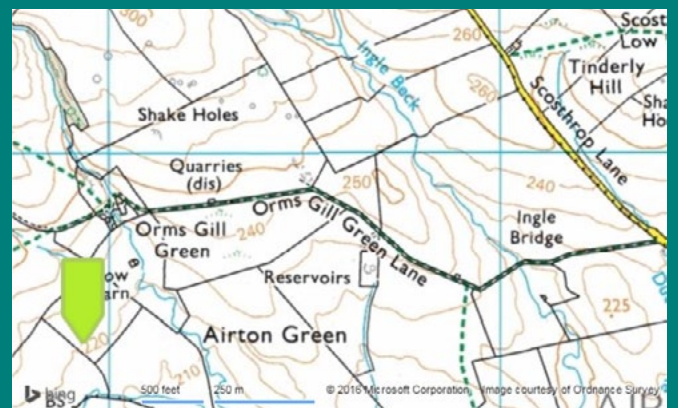


## Map



We're passionate about restoring woodlands in the Yorkshire Dales. With your help we've planted over 1.5 million new native broadleaf trees so far, creating hundreds of natural woodlands which will absorb carbon dioxide, create vibrant wildlife habitats and enrich the landscape for people to enjoy.

Thank you for your vital support.



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