

A wooden manor house was constructed at Paull Holme in 1234. The Holme family owned the manor of Paull Holme from 1295-1928, but they gave up residency there c.1700. One of the corner brick towers remains today.

There has been a shipyard at Paull for many years and in 1812 the HMS Anson, a 74-gun warship of 1,741 tons was built here.

Trinity House built a lighthouse at Paull in 1836 as an aid to shipping in the Humber but, whilst the lighthouse remains a focal point in the village, it soon became operationally obsolete due to the constantly shifting sands of the Humber.

Ferries were sailing from Paull by the 12th century, and in the 19th century a regular packet service operated between Paull and Hull.

In 1808, to establish Paull as a resort, the landlord of the Humber Tavern attempted to take advantage of the craze for sea bathing. He advertised his provision of a bathing machine so that guests of a modest or timid nature could combine convenience with perfect safety and comfort.

To find out about these and lots more history of Paull then visit the village and Church soon. From February to May each year the Churchyard has one of the finest displays of spring flowers in Yorkshire. It starts in February with snowdrops and continues with wild primroses and bluebells ending in May with dog daisies.



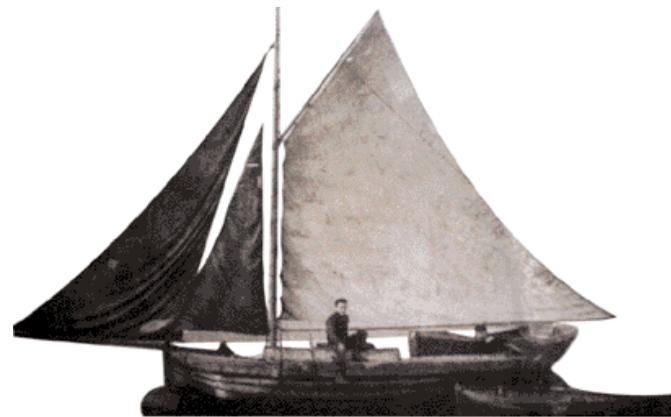
The Paull Heritage Trail is free of charge and open to all. It is peaceful, scenic, and follows the safest possible pedestrian routes with great views of the River Humber. From time to time the pedestrian way may be diverted. Every point is clearly marked with a number plate and rubbing plaque. Audio head sets are available on request.

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Suitable all year round for:
Children • Disabled • Elderly • Families
Dogs allowed on a lead
• Seasonal interests

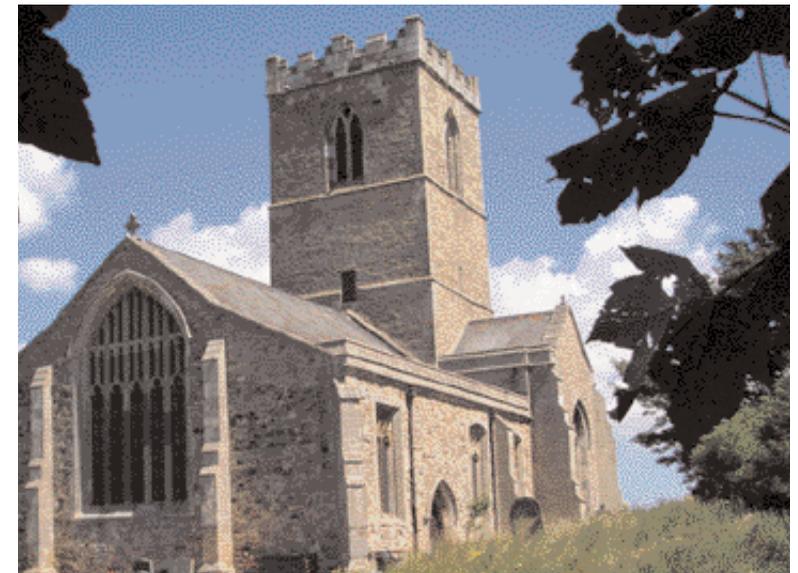
- Near By:**
- Refreshments & toilet at the Church
 - Fort Paull
 - South Pasture Riding Stables
 - Local Pubs
 - Wetlands and nature reserve
 - Views of the Humber Estuary
 - Hedon
 - 10 minutes from Hull
 - The Deep
 - Maritime Museum
 - 5 minutes away from Hull Ferry Terminal

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Paull Heritage Trail

Paull is a small rural village, on the north bank of the River Humber, approximately 6 miles to the east of Hull, near to the market town of Hedon. It is an ideal location for a stroll through the past and present, with fantastic views of the Humber Estuary and wetlands. Today Paull is a thriving community. It was once a vibrant and busy port.



The Church of St Andrew, Paull, Hull HU12 8AX

'Riverside Pop in Cafe'
Refreshments and toilet available

Here is your chance to find out about the history of Paull and its people

The trail takes you on a journey through the past to learn of the village history from pre-Domesday times until the present day. It also identifies local nature sites, which provide the habitat for several rare species of wildlife, throughout the different seasons.



The Paull Heritage Trail is free and suitable for all ages. You might like to bring a pencil and paper to take rubbings from the marker posts. The trail is clearly marked. A guide leaflet which can be purchased from the Church, or one of the pubs in the village, contains much more information.



You can walk at your own pace. The Paull Heritage Trail is fun, educational, and easy to follow.

The route is followed using the guide leaflet that will direct you to marker posts around the village. At each marker the historic significance of that point will be explained. There is a shorter trail that takes you around the village along public footpaths. This is suitable for all (about 1 hour). The longer route takes you out along the river side and a walk through the wetlands (about 2 hours).

The Church is open Saturday and Sunday afternoons for refreshments. Bookings can be made for **weekdays by contacting:**

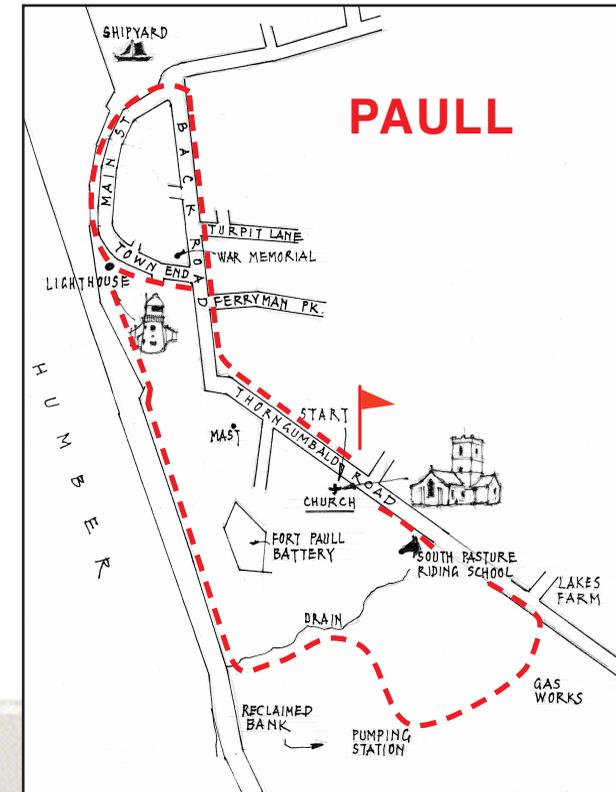
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Guided tours can be organised by prior arrangement.



Please follow the map route
Additional historical information can be obtained by purchasing a trail guide leaflet, from the Church or local pubs.

The history of the village dates back over 1,000 years. The original village church was washed away by the Humber prior to the 14th century although its exact location is unknown. The present Church was begun in 1355. Paull has always been regarded as a key strategic defence point for the town of Hull. Henry VIII built a fort here, which still exists today as a museum. King Charles I visited the site in 1643 when it was used to store arms. Parliamentary ships shelled the site and also hit the Church, causing a fire.