**Start from:** The car park at Ambury Park farm.

- 1. Cross the entrance track opposite the car park to the small information shed.
- 2. Walk past the shed, then turn left < through the farm gate and follow the **blue post markers** through the fields along the **Lost Gardens** track to the very end.
- 3. At the last gate (before a field with a large shed in the distance) do not take the track straight ahead, but turn right > along the fence line, and take the wooden steps that go over the wire fence.
- Turn left < after the steps, onto the gravel road track (WaterCare Coastal Walkway) and continue straight ahead to the harbour edge.</li>
- 5. Turn right > along the harbour edge track.
- 6. At the end, follow the loop around to the right >, then take the next main track to the left <.
- 7. Turn left < at the t-junction and continue straight.
- At the main junction which can return you to the farm, go through the gate, then immediately turn left < to follow the yellow post makers along the Foreshore Walk.





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## **Ambury Park Farm Loop**

Description: Mostly level paths across farmland and along gravel tracks. Suitable for users of average fitness and mobility. Suitable for mountain bikes. Sturdy shoes recommended.

To see: Manukau Harbour, Mangere Mountain, farm land and animals, shore birds, Ambury Park Farm

**Time**: approx. 60 minutes. (about 5.25 kms)

**Parking:** Ambury Park Farm car park

Buses: Ambury Park Farm

Journey Planner: www.maxx.co.nz





Cafés: Selection in Mangere Bridge Village

Public toilets: beside the farm education building



Children's playgrounds: None



Dogs: No dogs



Beside carpark area

## **Nearby Walks:**

Mangere Mountain, Onehunga to Mangere Bridge Loop, Mangere Esplanade.





Ambury Farm Park lies among the southern suburbs fronting the Manukau Harbour. Take in the various farm animals as you wander around the open pasture. Ambury is a significant habitat for shorebirds and the coast has excellent examples of basalt lava flows.

Ambury Park Farm is named after Stephen Ambury, an English Immigrant who farmed in this area. Mr Ambury produced the first shipment of butter to leave New Zealand for the United Kingdom.

More information: <a href="https://www.regionalparks.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/ambury">www.regionalparks.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/ambury</a>