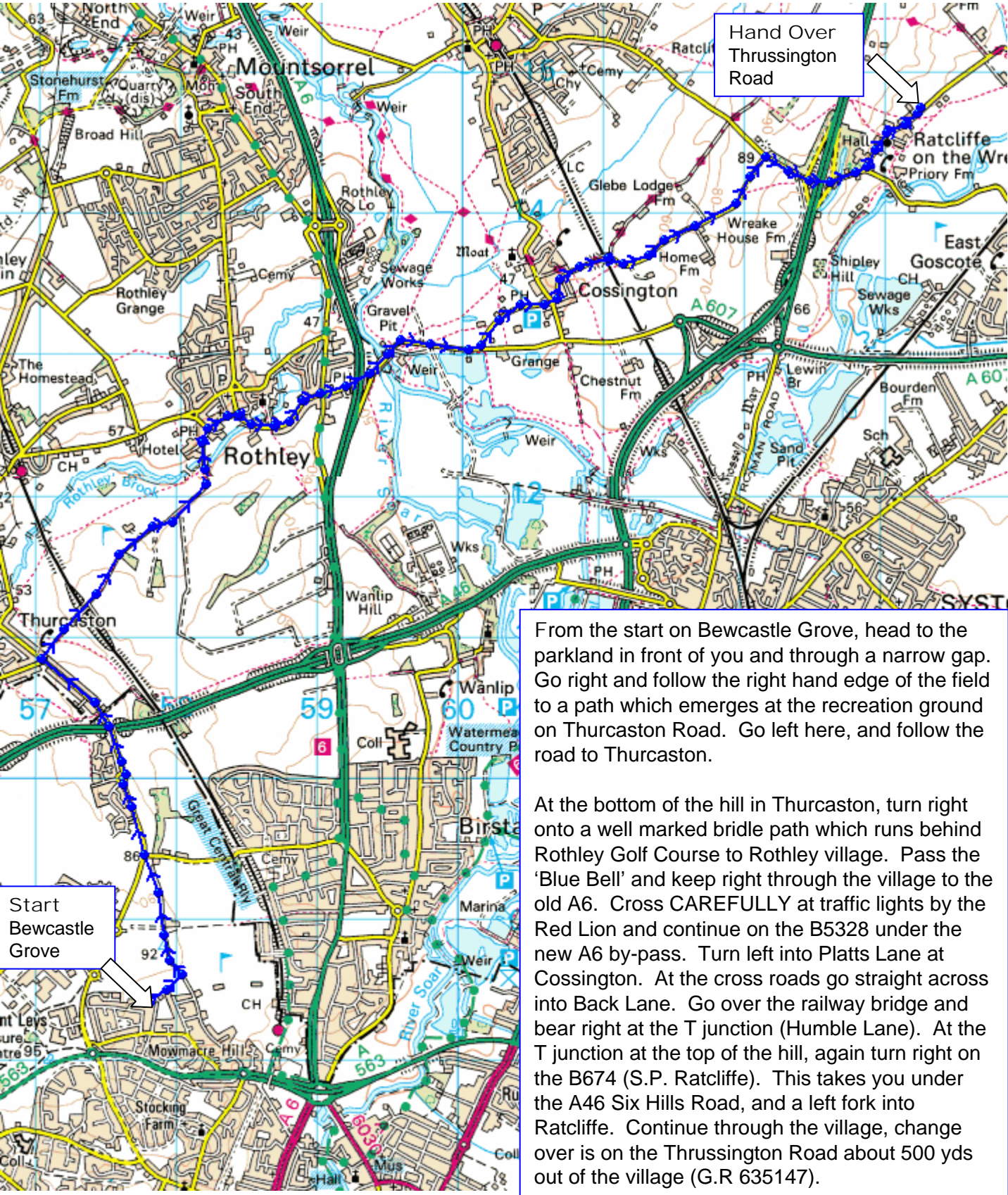


LEG A – START TO RATCLIFFE ON THE WREAKE

A **FIXED ROUTE** of approx 11.2km (7 miles), mostly on road.



Hand Over
Thrusington
Road

Start
Bewcastle
Grove

From the start on Bewcastle Grove, head to the parkland in front of you and through a narrow gap. Go right and follow the right hand edge of the field to a path which emerges at the recreation ground on Thurcaston Road. Go left here, and follow the road to Thurcaston.

At the bottom of the hill in Thurcaston, turn right onto a well marked bride path which runs behind Rothley Golf Course to Rothley village. Pass the 'Blue Bell' and keep right through the village to the old A6. Cross **CAREFULLY** at traffic lights by the Red Lion and continue on the B5328 under the new A6 by-pass. Turn left into Platts Lane at Cossington. At the cross roads go straight across into Back Lane. Go over the railway bridge and bear right at the T junction (Humble Lane). At the T junction at the top of the hill, again turn right on the B674 (S.P. Ratcliffe). This takes you under the A46 Six Hills Road, and a left fork into Ratcliffe. Continue through the village, change over is on the Thrusington Road about 500 yds out of the village (G.R 635147).