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Worried about access to public lands.

The man to ask is Tony Barnett

Common heritage was set up to investigate the status of common lands to the benefit of all that wish to take air, exercise and recreation on horses or as walkers without having to circumvent unlawful impediments such as gates, cattle grids and fencing. Not all common lands are subject to regulation acts under 193,1876 or 1899.

These common lands are rural and section 45 of the 2006 commons act.

Access to such commons are from all points of view, not subject to enclosure and sssi.

Rights to access these commons on horseback is not restricted unless an application to the county courts has been made by the local authority.

Mostly because of complaints by commoners or pedestrian public against horse riders.

However bridle paths can be a way of ensuring that all can enjoy the common lands.

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If you are met with such impacts on your rights to access common lands and ancient pathways contact "common heritage" either through [horseytalk](#) or direct vis commonheritage2001@hotmail.com