

Getting to Sheldon while the bridge is being repaired.

**XX** shows the bridge that is currently impassable.

This makes it impossible to access Sheldon from the Teign House Inn direction, whether you come over the hill from Exeter via Longdown, or up the valley road from Chudleigh. Google maps/SatNat may not indicate the closure as these are emergency repairs.

Until approx. 10<sup>th</sup> November you need to come via Haldon Hill.

These are steep narrow lanes with few passing places. Take it steady, know where your reverse gear is and allow extra journey time.

- Come off the A38 Devon Expressway at Haldon Racecourse
- Turn right at the mini roundabout then pass the entrance to the racecourse on your left
- Continue **straight** on this road past the Haldon Forest Activity area for about 1 ½ miles
- After steep bend, ignore the first left turn (signed Ashton), pass entrance to Belvedere Castle on your right and take the **second left turn (signed Doddiscombsleigh)**
- Take the **first right turn** (signed Doddiscombsleigh)
- Follow this road for about 3 miles (down a steep hill, up a steep hill, through the village of Doddiscombsleigh)
- Soon after you pass the school (single **X** on the map) there is a sign saying Road Closed – you can ignore this as the Sheldon turnoff is before the closure.
- Keep on this road and after another couple of miles the road is fenced off. Turning right up the Sheldon Lane is your only option so you can't miss it!
- Continue to the end of the lane





