

Your Parks Your Bye-Laws





Can I fly a Drone in a Park?

You must have permission to fly a drone in a park or open space and you must follow the requirements of the Irish Aviation Authority. www.iaa.ie.

'No Drone Zone'

Certain parts of Fingal are in a 'No Drone Zone' as drones can be dangerous and an intrusion for other park users.



Can I Barbecue in a Park ?

Yes but only in certain parks and in special areas provided for this purpose. Visit www.fingal.ie to find out which parks provide this amenity.

Do I need permission to organise an activity or an event in a park or open space?

We are proud to support and facilitate many varied activities in our parks. In order to protect the parks and the interests of all users, the following activities require written permission:

- Trading or other commercial activity
- Events (if you would like to organise an event in one of our parks or open spaces you should refer to the Councils Events Guidelines which may be viewed online www.fingal.ie)
- Advertising of goods or services
- Public Meetings
- Foraging e.g. picking fruit, mushrooms, flowers etc.

The following activities are prohibited in our parks and open spaces



Taking drugs



Throwing litter



Graffiti



Drinking alcohol

If you don't follow these bye-laws, you may be fined up to €1,300 and if you continue to break the rules additional penalties may apply. For a complete text of Fingal's Parks & Open Spaces Bye-laws please visit our website www.fingal.ie

Park Users' Guide to Fingal's Regional Parks and Open Spaces Bye-Laws 2018



Welcome to Fingal Parks

We want you to enjoy your visit to our parks and open spaces. Bye-Laws help to ensure that these areas are safe and enjoyable places for everyone. You can help us to ensure every visit is a good experience by following these simple guidelines when using your local parks.

Where and when can I walk my Dog?



Check the sign! Check the Time! Under Your Control!

Large Parks – Check the sign!

In large parks, dogs are only allowed off-leash in specially provided areas which are signposted in the parks.



Local Parks – Check the Time!

In smaller enclosed parks, dogs are only allowed off-leash up until **11am and for the last hour before the park closes.** (Some variation to this may apply to protect wildlife or to facilitate events etc.) Further information on our website.



Local Green Areas – Under Your Control!

In local green spaces (e.g. in housing areas) dogs may be off-leash but must be kept under control at all times



Please keep your dog under control at all times and always clean up after your dog by using the bins provided or taking the waste home with you.



Where Can I Cycle My Bicycle?

Wide paths (2.5 metres and wider) are generally suitable for shared use by pedestrians and cyclists unless otherwise indicated.

Please cycle responsibly, give way to pedestrians and observe local signage.



Our Playgrounds

We provide playgrounds in many of our parks. All our playgrounds are no smoking zones. Please respect this at all times.

To find your local playground or skate park visit: www.fingal.ie/communityand-leisure/parks-and-openspaces

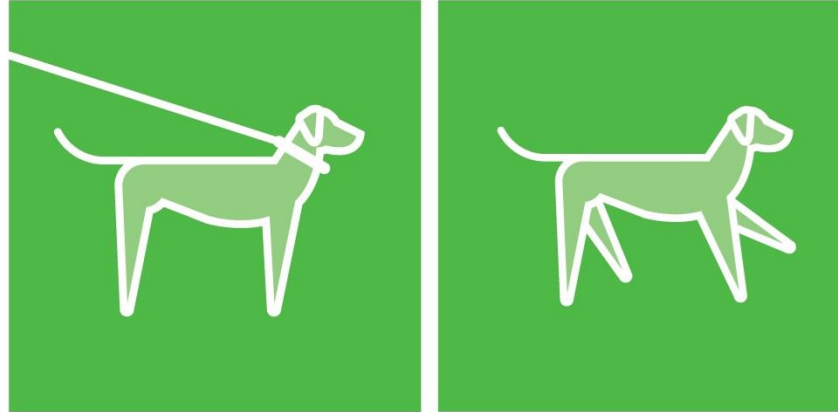


Supporting our Local Sports Clubs

The Council provides a range of sports pitches and other facilities and these can be made available to local clubs through our annual letting system <http://www.fingalcoco.ie/community-and-leisure/sports-and-fitness/pitches/applytouseapitch>.



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The following maps show the **'Dog off leash areas'** in Fingal's Regional Parks. These are currently being developed and will be signposted locally.



Ardgillan Demesne Balbriggan

LEGEND

- Park Boundary
- Parkland Walk 2.5km
- Cycle Route 3.7km
- Paths
- Road
- Grassland
- Woodland
- Entrance
- Parks Work Depot
- Car Park
- Overflow Car Park
- View Point
- Information Point
- Toilets
- Fountain
- Wild Flower Meadow
- Woodland
- Ardgillan Castle
- Rose Garden
- Playground
- Ice House
- The Lady's Stairs
- National Potentilla Collection
- Dog Off-Leash

Dog Off Leash Area

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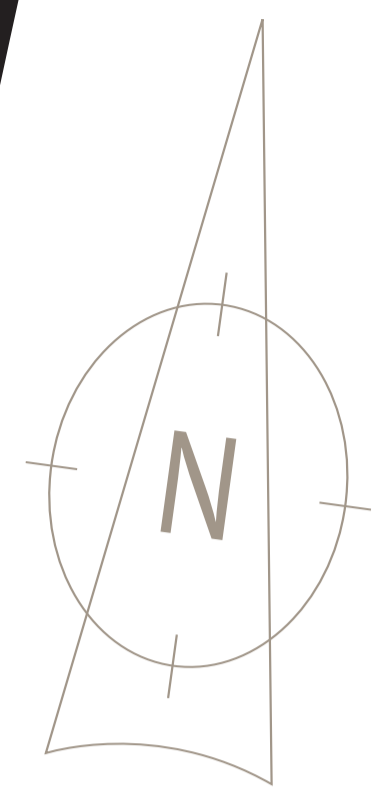
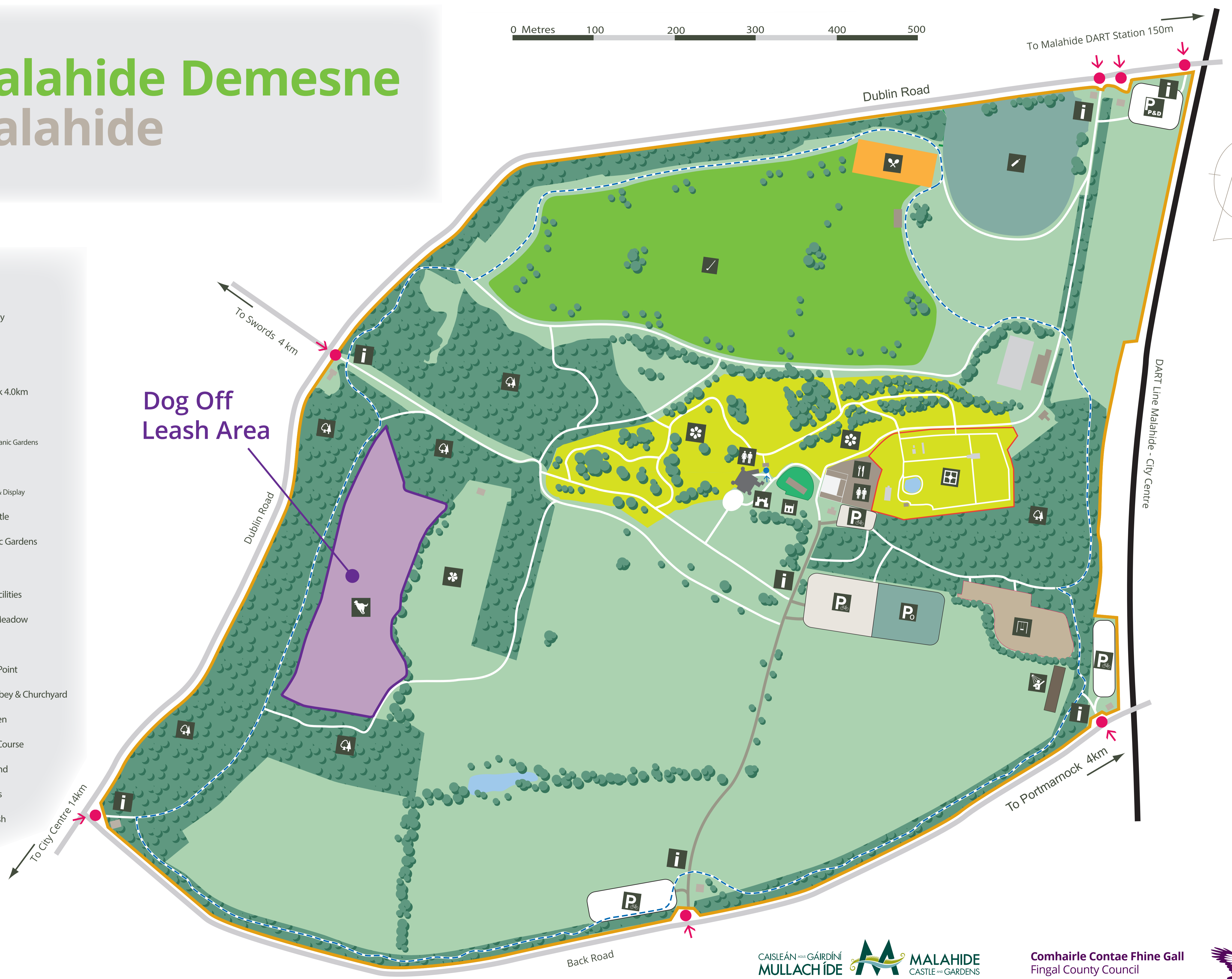




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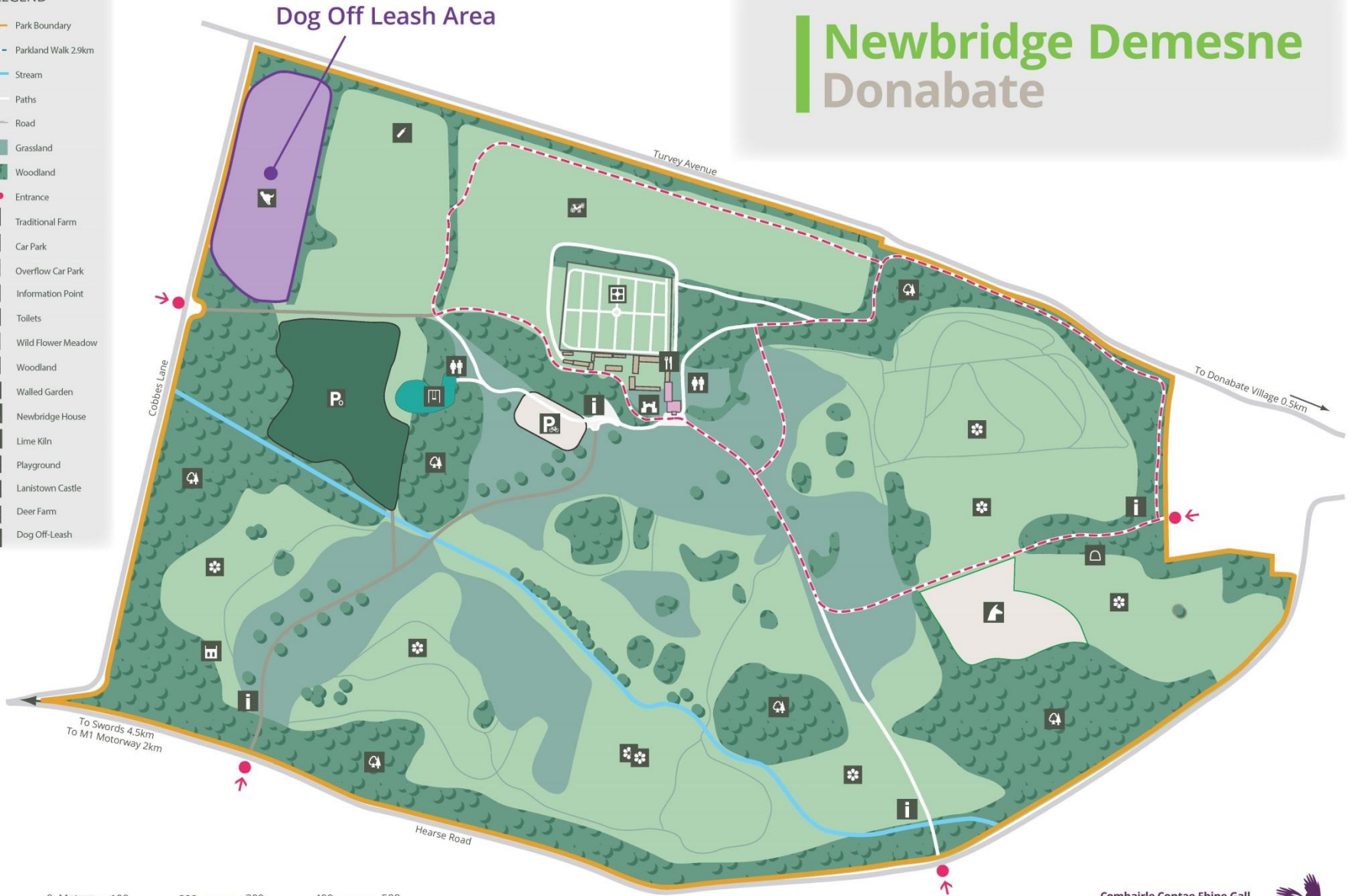
LEGEND

- Park Boundary
- Paths
- Park Roads
- Parkland Walk 4.0km
- Entrance
- Entrance - Botanic Gardens
- Carpark
- Carpark - Pay & Display
- Malahide Castle
- Talbot Botanic Gardens
- Toilets
- Changing Facilities
- Wildflower Meadow
- Woodland
- Information Point
- Malahide Abbey & Churchyard
- Walled Garden
- Pitch & Putt Course
- Cricket Ground
- Tennis Courts
- Dog Off-Leash



LEGEND

-  Park Boundary
-  Parkland Walk 2.9km
-  Stream
-  Paths
-  Road
-  Grassland
-  Woodland
-  Entrance
-  Traditional Farm
-  Car Park
-  Overflow Car Park
-  Information Point
-  Toilets
-  Wild Flower Meadow
-  Woodland
-  Walled Garden
-  Newbridge House
-  Lime Kiln
-  Playground
-  Lanistown Castle
-  Deer Farm
-  Dog Off-Leash











Newbridge Demesne Donabate





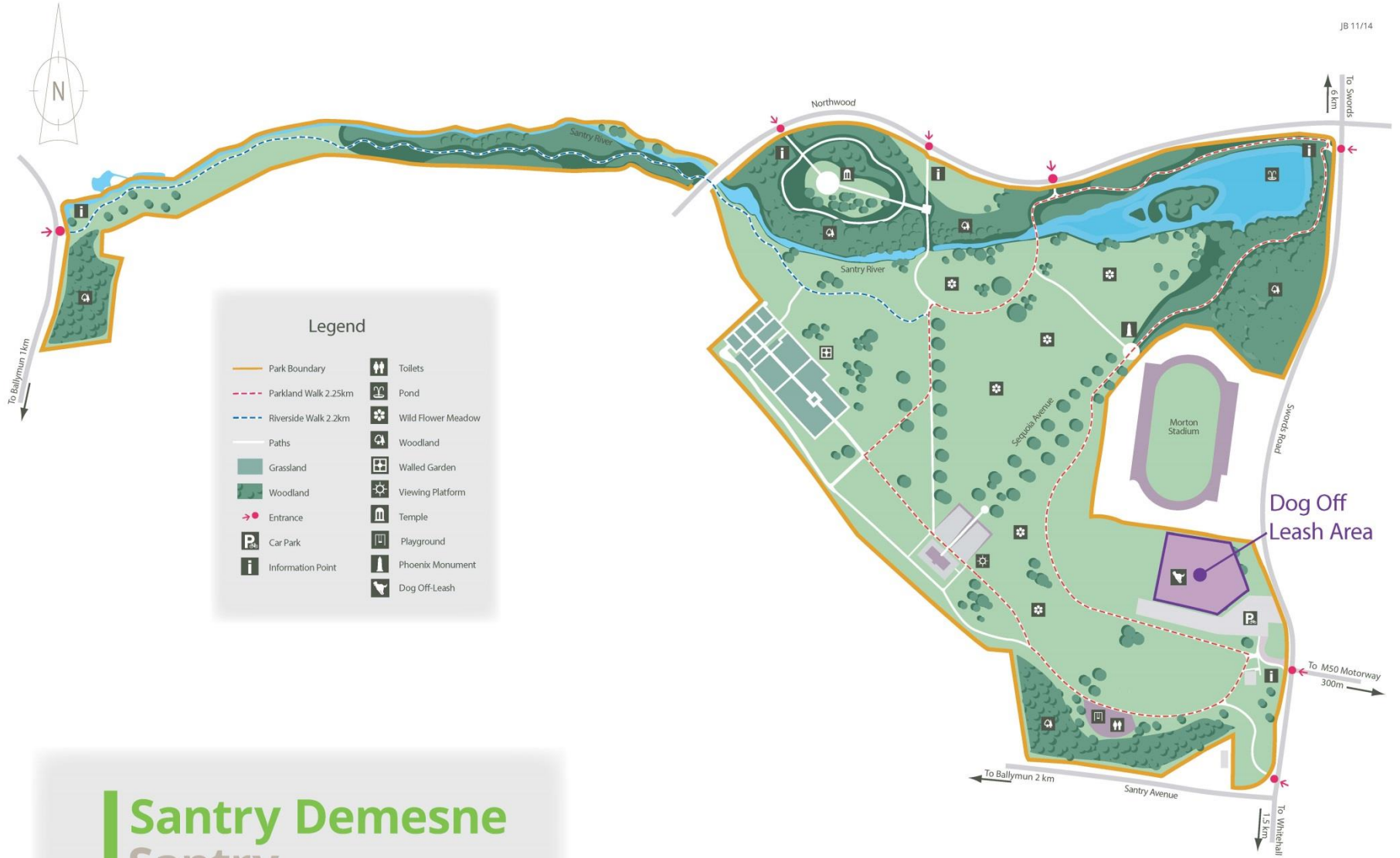
Porterstown Dublin

Legend

-  Park Boundary
-  Paths
-  Grassland
-  Entrance
-  Car Park
-  Woodland
-  Pitches
-  Dog Off-Leash

Dog Off Leash Area





Legend

- Park Boundary
- Parkland Walk 2.25km
- Riverside Walk 2.2km
- Paths
- Grassland
- Woodland
- Entrance
- P Car Park
- i Information Point
- ♿ Toilets
- 🌊 Pond
- 🌸 Wild Flower Meadow
- 🌳 Woodland
- 🏠 Walled Garden
- 🔭 Viewing Platform
- 🏛️ Temple
- 🎡 Playground
- 🏹 Phoenix Monument
- 🐕 Dog Off-Leash




















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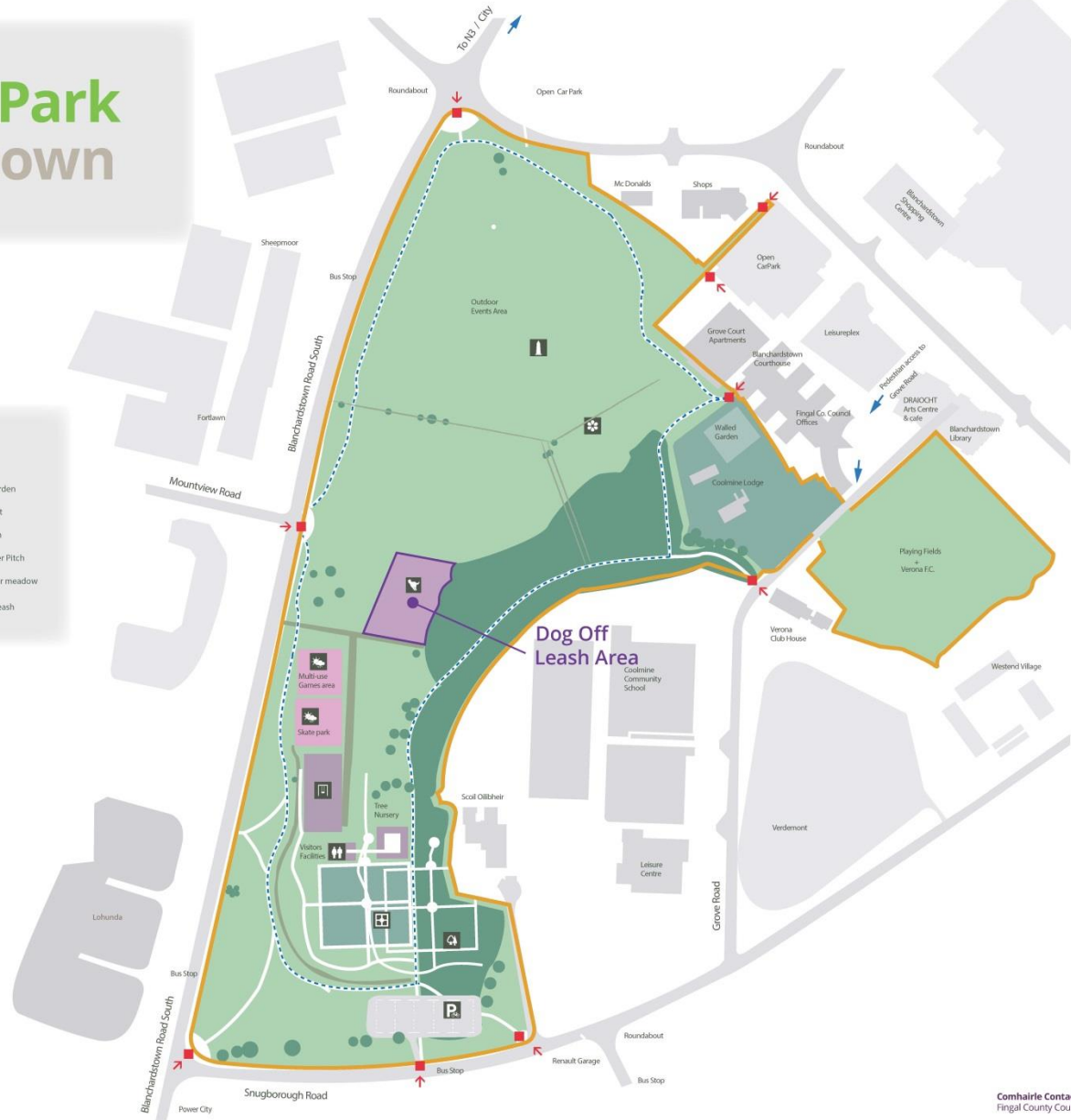
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Millennium Park Blanchardstown
















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|  Park Boundary |  Woodland |  Toilets |
|  Walkways |  Entrance |  Walled Garden |
|  Long Walk (2km) |  Public Areas |  Monument |
|  Boulevard |  Garden Areas |  Arboretum |
|  Sports Grounds |  Parking |  All Weather Pitch |
|  Facilities |  Playground |  Wild flower meadow |
| | |  Dog Off-Leash |



St. Catherines Park Liffey Valley

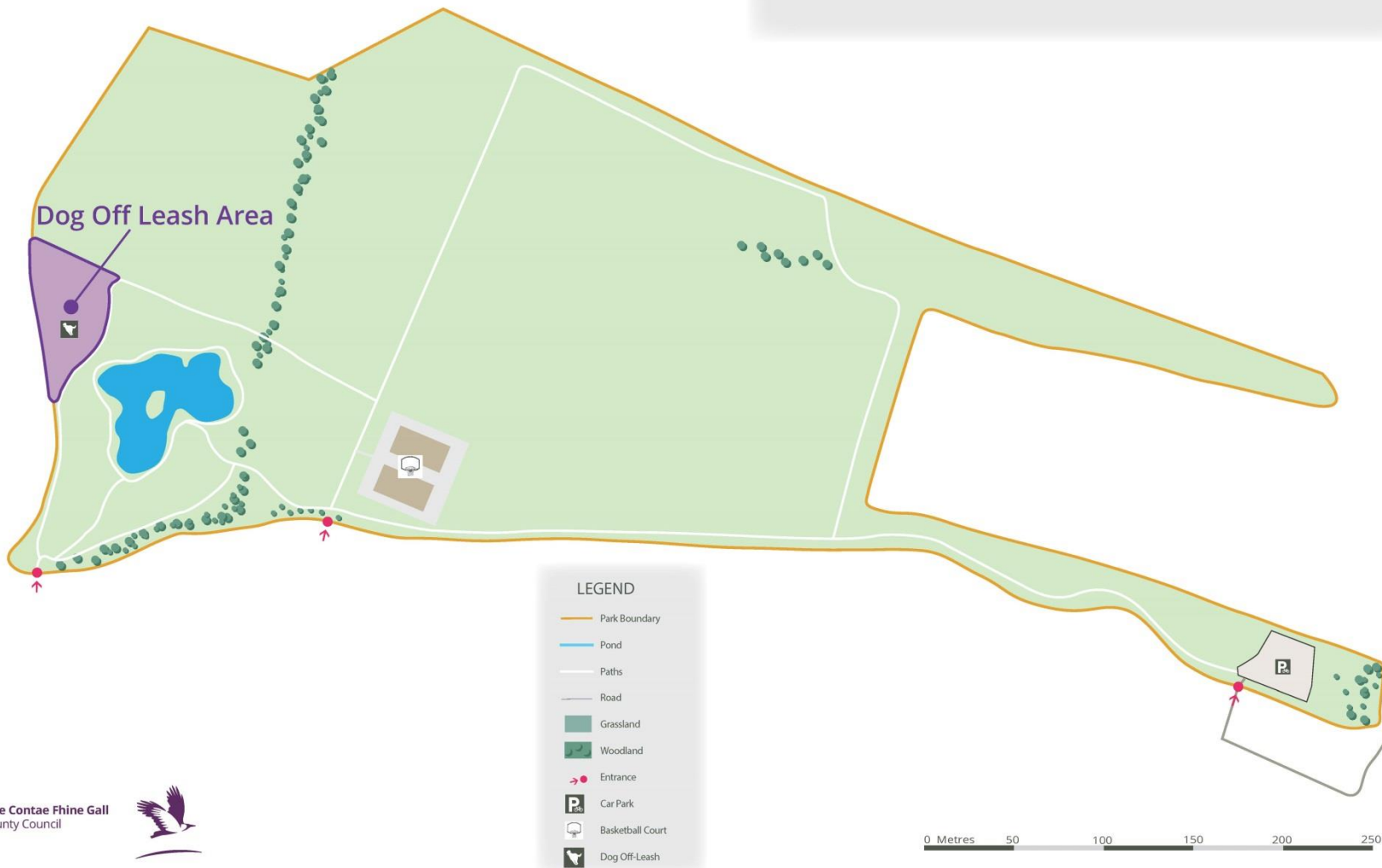
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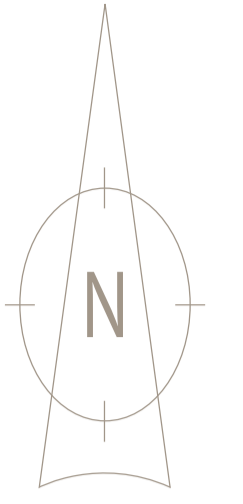
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|  Park Boundary |  Toilets |
|  Paths |  Changing Facilities |
|  Park Roads |  Wild Flower Meadow |
|  Woodland Walk 2.3 km |  Woodland |
|  Woodland |  Information Point |
|  Entrance |  St. Catherines Church |
|  Carpark |  St. Catherines Well |
|  Overflow Carpark |  Cattle |
|  Playground |  Pond |
|  Dog Off-Leash |  BMX Track |



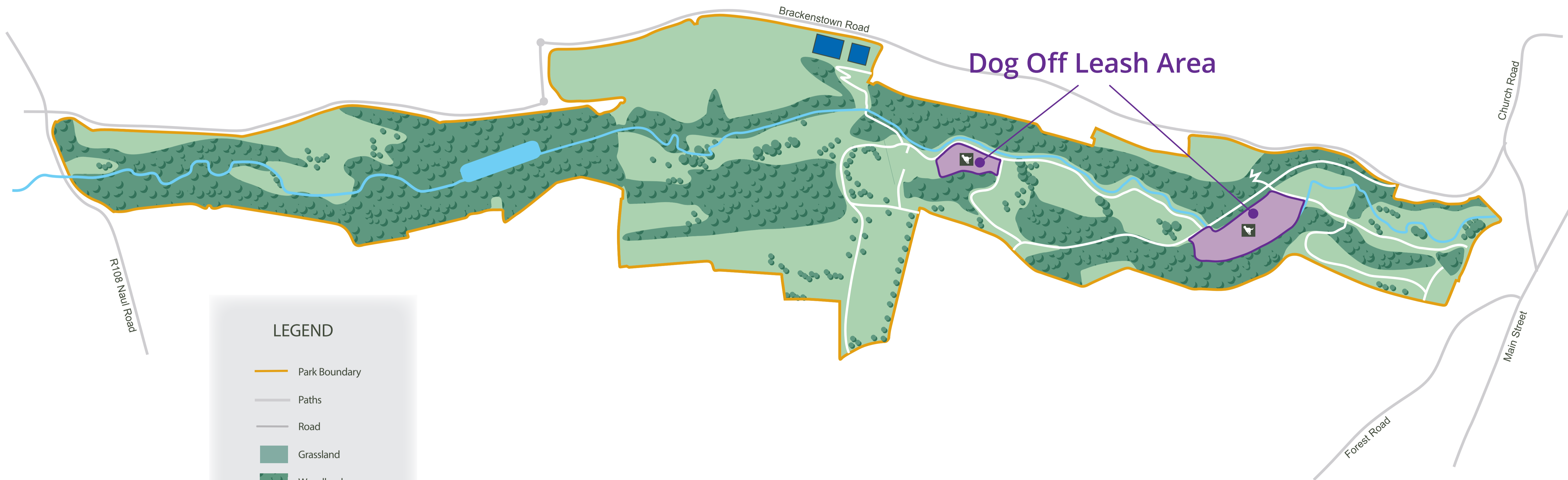
Tyrrelstown Park

Dublin 15





Ward River Valley Swords



LEGEND

- Park Boundary
- Paths
- Road
- Grassland
- Woodland
- Entrance
- Playground / MUGA
- Dog Off-Leash

