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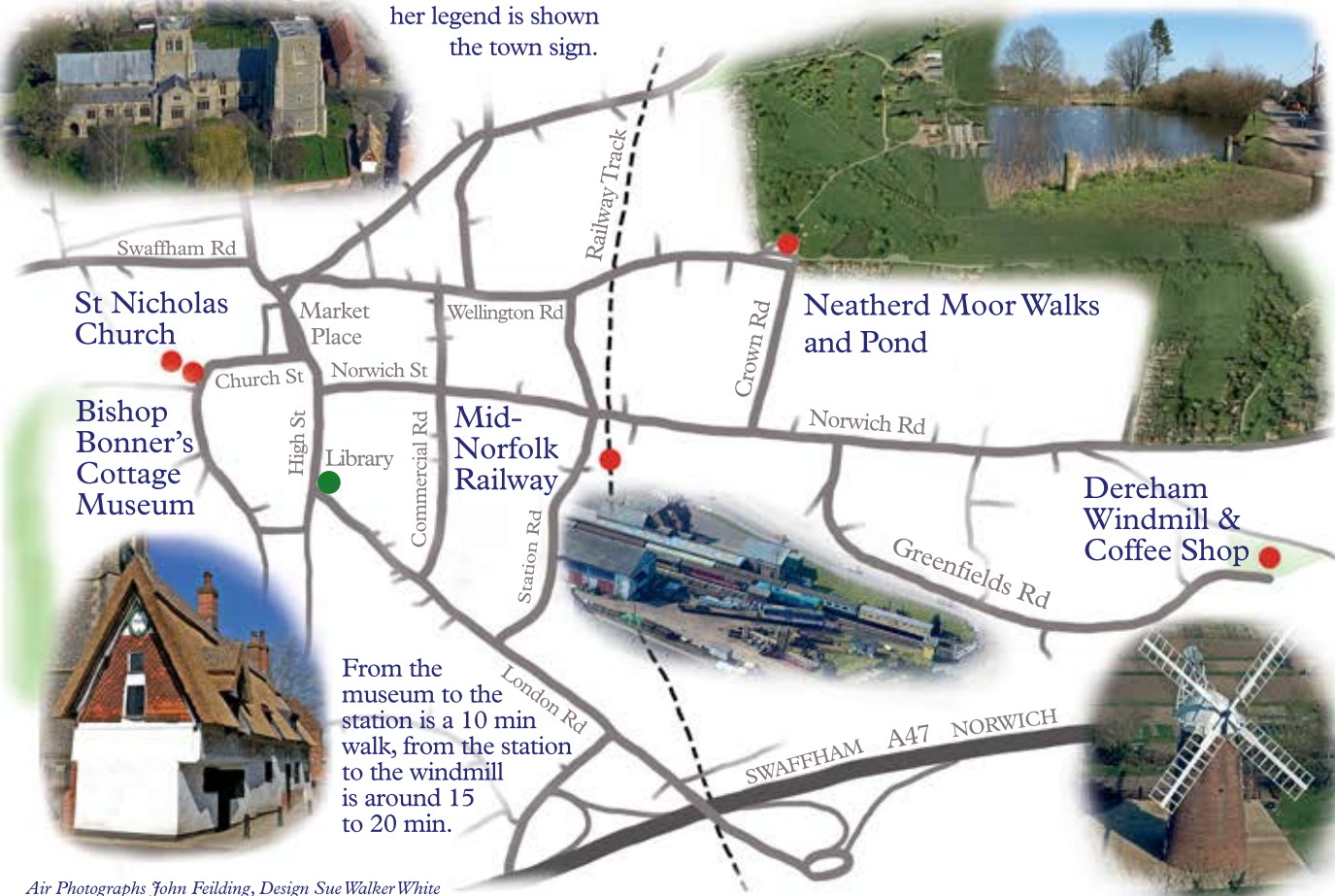
The legend of St Withburga on the town sign.

ST NICHOLAS CHURCH

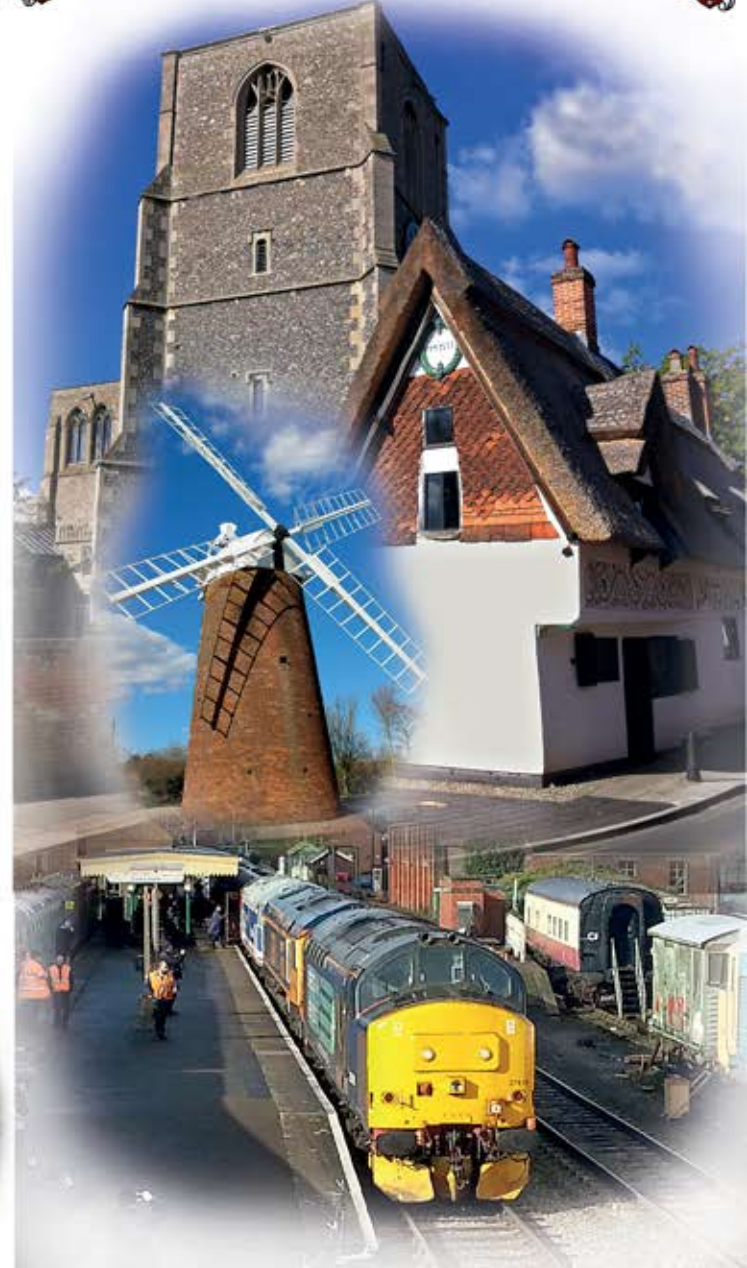
St Nicholas has been a place of worship in the centre of the town for over 850 years. The church is normally open on Tuesdays and Fridays from 0900 -1300 and Wednesdays 0900 -1400. The detached bell tower has a ring of eight bells. In the churchyard, to the rear of the church, is the holy well of St Withburga who founded a nunnery on the site in 654, her legend is shown the town sign.

WALKS AROUND DEREHAM

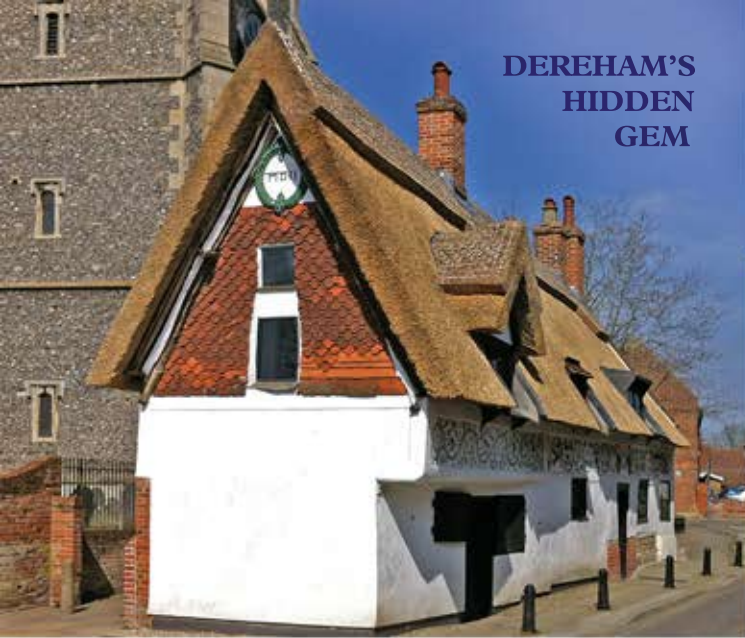
There are 35 varied public footpaths in Dereham, closely monitored by the town's Footpath Warden to help keep them in good condition. Several routes will take you from the town centre into the nearby countryside in just a few minutes. Pick up a free Dereham Walks guide from the Mid Norfolk Railway or the Library. For more information, contact the Footpath Warden on 07505 426750.



From the museum to the station is a 10 min walk, from the station to the windmill is around 15 to 20 min.



**DEREHAM'S
HIDDEN
GEM**



BISHOP BONNER'S COTTAGE MUSEUM of LOCAL HISTORY

Virtually untouched by the 21st century this unique timber-framed building, dating from 1502, is noted for its decorative plaster work. Originally three cottages, it is the oldest surviving domestic building in Dereham. With its sloping ceilings, tiny rooms, twisting staircases and wooden beams, it is easy to imagine how the many previous inhabitants lived here in the past. It is run by volunteers from the Dereham Antiquarian Society.

Open from early May to early October, Tuesday - Thursday and Saturday from 1.30pm - 4.00pm. Admission £2 adults, children under 16 free with an adult. For news on events and new exhibitions please visit our website www.derehamhistory.com



MID - NORFOLK RAILWAY

The Mid-Norfolk Railway, based in Dereham, is one of the most exciting new generation Heritage Railways to establish itself in England in recent years. Travelling on a steam or diesel train through the eleven miles of delightful mid-Norfolk countryside between Dereham and Wymondham Abbey is sure to be an enjoyable experience.

Dereham Station has a large free car park for visitors, a shop, a tearoom and a small museum. In summer steam trains run on a regular basis and many special events are held from steam and diesel galas and our Weekend at War to a Beer Festival and Fish and Chips trains.

Please visit our website at www.mnr.org.uk or telephone 01362 851723 for details of opening times, fares and train timetables.



**DEREHAM'S
BEST KEPT SECRET -
As seen on TV**



DEREHAM WINDMILL COMMUNITY EXHIBITION CENTRE AND COFFEE SHOP

Enjoy a visit to a Grade 2 Listed Windmill built in 1835. No longer used as a working mill, it has been restored by the Dereham Windmill Charity Trustees, Volunteers and Friends and reopened as a popular Exhibition Centre. There are five floors and although the steps are steep and not suitable for all, a video presentation on the ground floor tells the story of the windmill and includes footage of the upper floors and exhibitions. The windmill is set in extensive grounds with a detached Coffee Shop serving coffee/tea and delicious home made cakes.

Full disabled facilities are available within the coffee shop and grounds, including a specially adapted picnic bench. Admission Prices are £2.50 Adults, £2.00 Concessions and £1.00 for children from 3 to 15. Children under 3 free. The windmill is located in Greenfields Road, Dereham NR20 3TE and full car/bike parking facilities are available. Opening hours are Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays from 10am to 4pm.

www.derehamwindmill.co.uk or 01362 854135