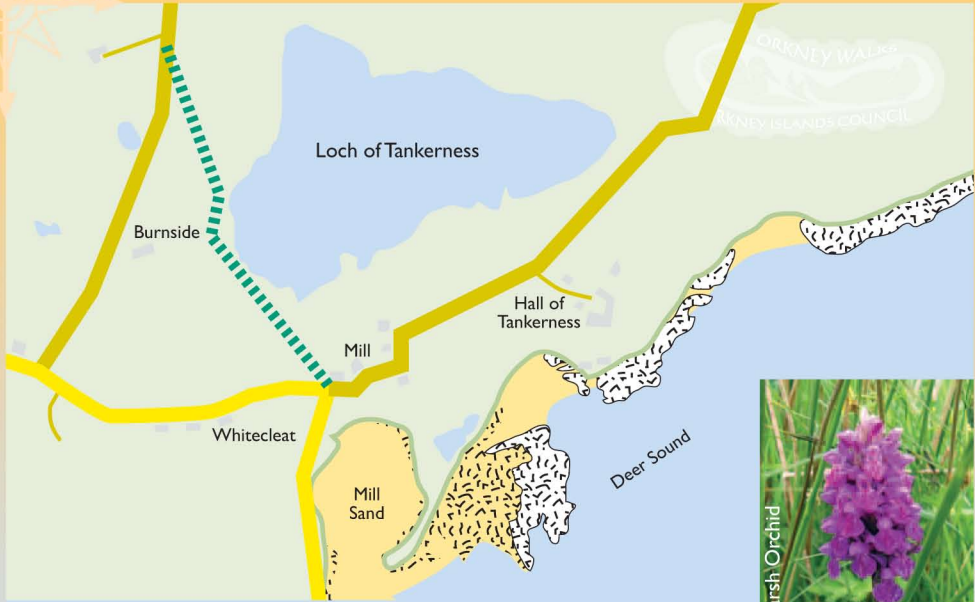
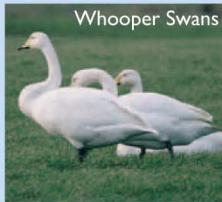


Tankerness Walkway

2.7km (1.68m) return walk between the Hall of Tankerness road end & Millhouse



This route was developed through a community led project to open up a closed public right of way. The public right of way was once used by the local farmers to get to the Tankerness mill. Locals also used the route as a short cut to Toab. It was known locally as the 'mill road'. Along the walk you get excellent views of the Loch of Tankerness. It's a good site for bird enthusiasts, with many birds over-wintering on the loch. You can see a wide selection of ducks such as mallard, wigeon, teal and tufted duck. The loch attracts large numbers of geese including greylag, white-fronted and barnacle

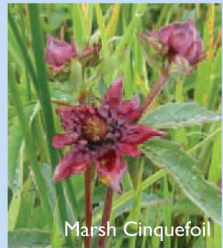


Whooper Swans

There is a surprising variety of plants to be found on the walk. Look out for yellow flag, marsh cinquefoil, northern marsh orchid, meadowsweet and the pleasantly aromatic water mint. If you are very lucky you even may see the elusive otter on this walk. Otters are solitary and normally active at dusk and during the night, but can occasionally be seen during the day. You are never far away from farmland on this walk. Beef cattle graze the fields surrounding the walk during the summer



Northern Marsh Orchid



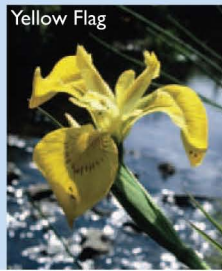
Marsh Cinquefoil



Wigeon

geese. It also supports birds such as grey heron, mute swan and whooper swan.

Yellow Flag



months, sharing the fields with birds such as lapwing, curlew, oystercatcher and snipe.