



# Glen Mona, Snaefell Mines, Laxey Valley, Agneash, Laxey Village

A steep, but rewarding, walk taking you across remote open moorland before descending to the disused Snaefell Mines. A pleasant track then takes you through Laxey Valley running parallel with the Snaefell Mountain Railway as you descend into Laxey.

## RAILWAY WALKS

**3** STRENUOUS

<b>Distance:</b>	5.8 miles
<b>Start:</b>	Glen Mona Station ( <i>Outdoor Leisure Map Ref: 455 888</i> )
<b>Finish:</b>	Laxey Station ( <i>Outdoor Leisure Map Ref: 431 858</i> )
<b>By Manx Electric Railway:</b>	Take the tram starting from Douglas or Ramsey, alight at Glen Mona Halt
<b>By Bus:</b>	Services 3 and 3A connect Douglas with Laxey and Ramsey

## Facilities (subject to opening hours)

<b>Glen Mona:</b>	Public house
<b>Laxey:</b>	Public toilets, several cafés and public houses, village shops

## Route

1. Leaving Glen Mona station, walk uphill for a few minutes along the quiet lane to the A2.
2. Turn right and take the track immediately on your left, signposted 'Snaefell Mines'.
3. The stony and steep track climbs uphill for just under half-a-mile then emerges onto open moorland.
4. The well-defined and undulating path passes to the right of the hills Slieau Ouyr and Slieau Lhean.
5. After 1.9 miles the footpath turns sharply to the right. Continue along here for 0.5 miles.
6. Take the path on the left which drops down to the disused Snaefell Mines.
7. Turn left and continue along the track for 1.7 miles to the hamlet of Agneash.
8. Turn right, walking down the very steep and quiet lane to Laxey. After 0.6 miles you pass The Laxey Wheel.
9. Continue for another 0.4 miles to the A2. Turn right, and Laxey Station can be found just over the pedestrian crossing.

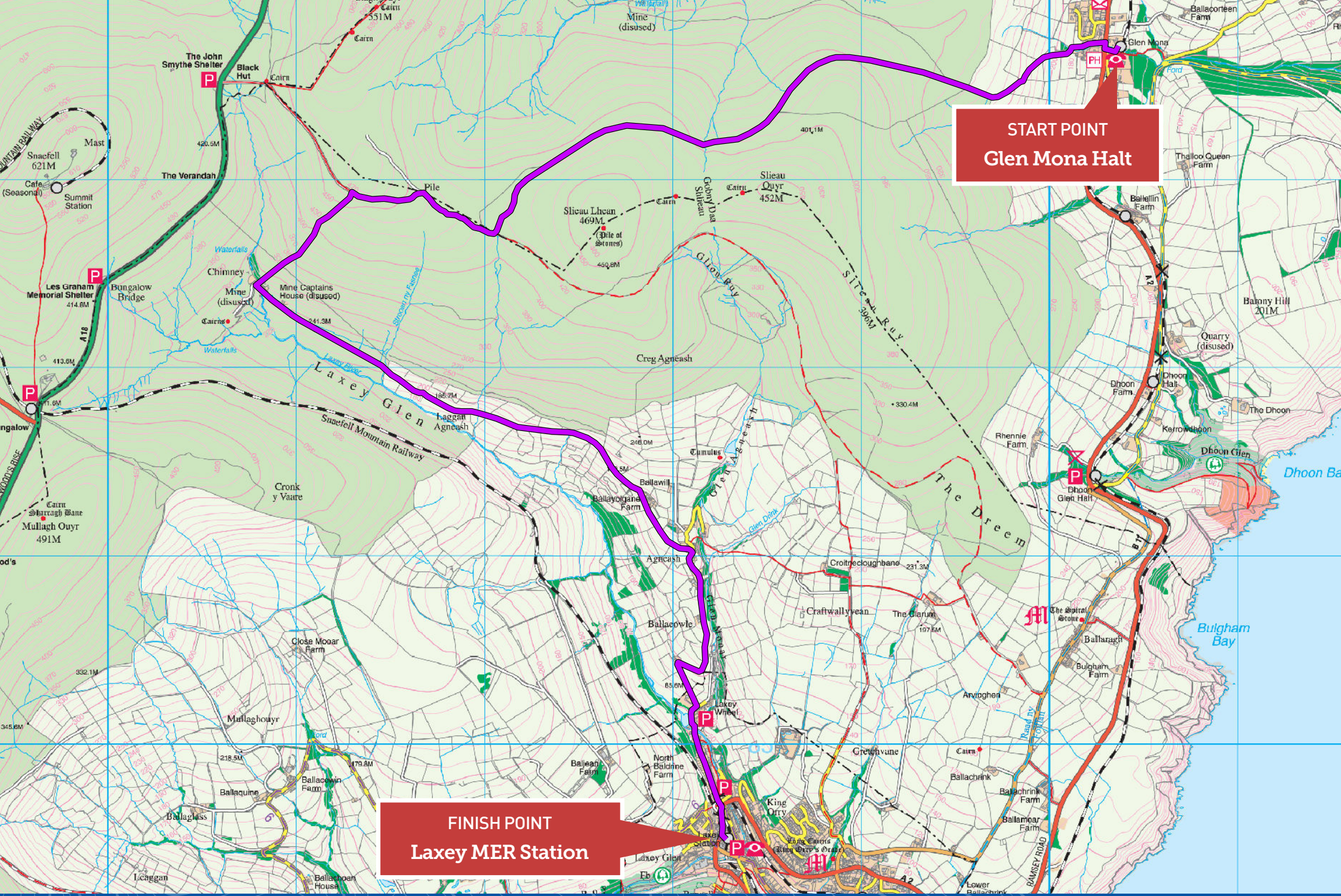


## Points of Interest

**Laxey:** The Great Laxey Wheel, Snaefell Wheel and the Washing Floor, Snaefell Mountain Railway, Great Laxey Mines Railway, Victorian Laxey Glen Gardens, Laxey Woollen Mill, King Orry's Grave

(subject to opening hours and admission costs where applicable)





**START POINT**  
Glen Mona Halt

**FINISH POINT**  
Laxey MER Station