

Logan Beck Boulders

(54.2992288, -3.2464217)

When to go

Despite the rock drying quickly the beck-side aspect of the venue means it is best visited within dry spells as it can be crucial for some landings/boulders. Spring and late summer evenings are ideal, with cooler temperatures providing more friction on the slick water-flown slopers and more importantly, there will be no midges.



The Blue Boy boulder.

Approach

Turn off the A595 onto the Corney Fell road and continue for ~1.3 miles until you cross a cattle grid as the road leads out of the trees and onto the fell. Park here (sensibly) and walk back across the cattle grid and down the road into the trees, you will hear Logan Beck roaring to your left. Soon you will reach a step down in the wall next to a telegraph pole, cross here and carefully walk down the slope towards the beck where you will arrive above the Haste boulder.



Looking up the beck on a spring evening.



Peering over towards the boulders from the road.



Approaching the Haste boulder.

Haste Boulder



Haste * (~6b+) - SDS the central sweeping arete, climbed on its left, omitting the left hand jugs/arete.



Right Arete (~6a) - SDS climb the arete on its right, finishing in a mantle.

Lucid Streams Boulder



Lucid Streams ** (6b+/Slopers Only ~7a) - SDS matched on the lowest part of the sloping shelf, follow the lip rightwards on immaculate rock until you reach the pinnacle of the bloc, mantle the left slab from here - for the full tick do so using only the slopers, avoiding any of the crack holds/'easy' holds.

Alfie's Mantle (6b+) - SDS matched on the lip slightly above the start for Lucid Streams, mantle directly onto and up the slabby face.

Lal Slap (6a+) - SDS with hands on on the vague left arete, from here pull on get yourself in line for a slap into the tubular jug, finish direct.

Blue Boy Boulder



Blue Boy * (7b)** - An excellent font-esque problem providing equal amounts burl and puzzle. SDS matched on the obvious detached footblock boulder (all other blocks are out), grab what you can of the bulbous main boulder and wrestle your way directly into the stand, staying just left of the tree.

Blue Boy Stand * (7a) - grab what you can of this holdless wonder, pull on and make for the top,
again climbed just left of the tree. The footblock boulder is in.



The Landing
Best made from a telescopic ladder and branches, once built by stone and washed away within days. Be sure to take care.



Yam Boulder



Yam * (6c) - SDS on the left of the leftwards leaning arete matched on a low pinchy corner, pull on and lead upwards through slopers and edges before mantling the bloc's pinnacle.

Finding the boulder

Looking down and to the left of the beck from the back of the Blue Boy boulder, you will see the unassuming pointed top of the back of the boulder. Marked with a red line in the below image.



Rock Bottom Boulder



Rock Bottom * (6c) - Located back-side about 30m north of Lucid Streams you'll find Rock Bottom, usually sporting a private beach. SDS matched on the obvious low rail, pull on, slap upwards and mantle directly - wandering into the big holds on the left drops the grade.