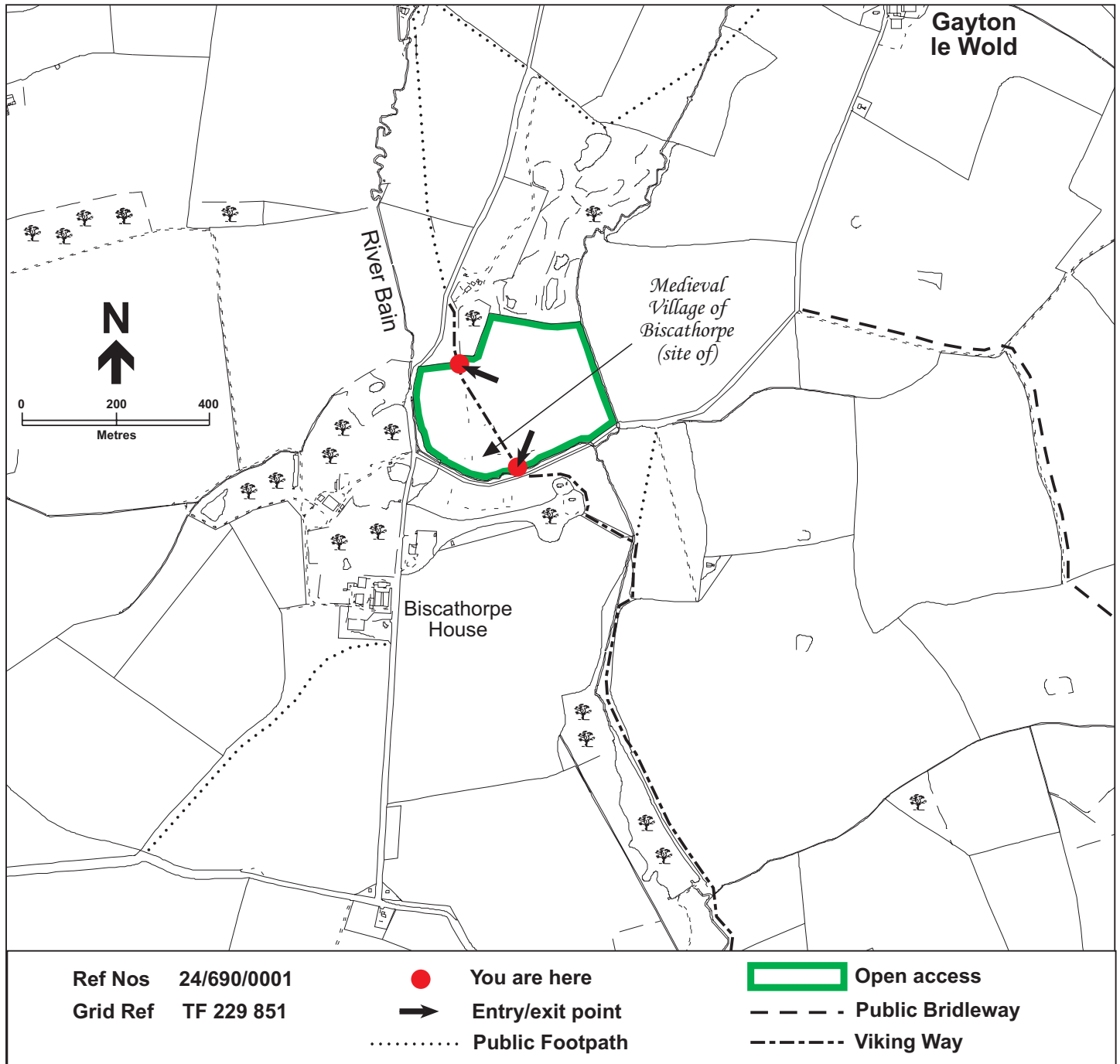


CONSERVATION WALKS

The Viking Way traverses this pasture field alongside the River Bain. The earthworks of the deserted medieval village of Biscathorpe lie at the South end. The village was recorded in the Domesday Book as land belonging to the Bishop of Durham with three manors and two mills worth 60 shillings. It was occupied as late as 1593. Please avoid disturbing the livestock which maintain this grassland, and the wildlife, by keeping dogs under close control.



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