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| Meeting      | Recreation & Leisure                 |
| Date         | Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> September |
| Report Title | Rackleaze Report                     |
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**A) To RECEIVE report on a brown sign to Rackleaze and AGREE actions**

Suggestion has been received to erect a brown and white highways tourism sign to Rackleaze.

The sign will cost £260 upon application (nonrefundable), however the eligibility criteria is very restrictive and Rackleaze doesn't fall into any of the eligible categories, and even if it came close to qualifying, due to type of attraction, we cannot provide the additional supporting evidence.

Deputy will investigate alternative options and discuss the possibility of putting up a sign on the side of the Memorial Hall.

Deputy has been in contact with Sarah Macaulay-Lowe at GCC and she has emailed saying *'I have no objection to you erecting an additional sign on our footpath signs'* and has recommended the company 'Brisco' which they use. Committee to make decisions for deputy to take to company for quotes.

Clerk and Deputy have taken a look at the current pole in situ (See picture attached) and will research a similar sign to go underneath...or instead of?

**Committee to decide:**

What material will the sign be; Aluminium or ABS Plastic?

What thickness will the sign be; 3mm, 4.5mm, 6mm?

What wording will be on the sign?

Is there a delegated budget?



## Pointers

These can be manufactured to your exact requirements to the size of your choice and in a variety of substrates to suit all environments.

### Variable Information

Variable information is a choice being used more and more. Brisco produce variable information for the following pointer types

- Screen Printed on Plastic or Aluminium
- Routed into Wood - left natural or infilled with colour

### Quality Oak

for country and urban parks or for sympathetic signing in the countryside. These are routed (engraved) and either infilled with a colour(s) of your choice or left uncoloured before a weatherproof seal is applied.

### ABS plastic

signs in a choice of thicknesses bracketed for fixing to metal posts or unbracketed for fixing in, or to, timber or recycled plastic posts, for every location. ABS Plastic signs can also be supplied bent for those especially awkward corners!

- 3mm
- 4.5mm
- 6mm

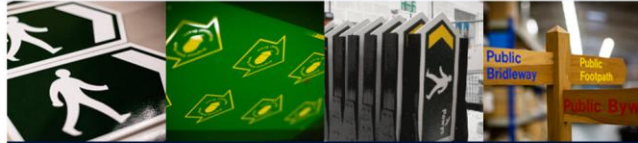
### Powder Coated Aluminium

For extra durability, or that traditional look, we can produce signs on powder coated aluminium. Unlike some manufacturers, we also print directly onto the substrate and don't apply self-adhesive emblems.

### UV Resistant

All our printed signs are coated with a UV resistant varnish to prolong life and to aid durability. We can manufacture in the standard path designations or can add variable information pertaining to routes or distances.

Below are samples of footpath, bridleways, prohibition and bespoke routes.



## Materials

- ABS 3mm white or yellow
- ABS 4mm white
- ABS 6mm white
- Polycarbonate 3mm transparent
- Aluminium 3mm
- Wood

### Oak Posts

Are available in green oak supplied either with a pyramid top or a weather capping, acorn finials of different sizes can also be supplied.

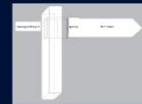


### Metal Posts

For the mounting of bracketed signs available coated with a plastisol coating and caps.

### Fixing Brackets

Brisco offer a number of fixing options.



**Retro Fitted Post** the retro fitting of ABS, PVC or polycarbonate to wooden post's, previously slotted for wooden pointers, is enabled by supplying the new pointers with thickening spacers, pre-fixed in place to fill the existing slots.

**End bracket** - a vertical end bracket for the shorter sign ( up to 250mm longer and 3 or 4mm thick). Fixed to the sign post using metal strapping.



**Top and Bottom brackets** - for the longer sign (upto 3mm thick). These are fixed to the sign post by either metal strapping or uni-clamps.

**Colour** Both bracket types are manufactured in aluminium and can be left natural or powder coated black or green. Other colours can be supplied on request.



**Uni-clamp** For fixing the above brackets to columns.

For further thought- further down into Rackleaze, just before the bend, there is potential for one of these signs-

