

## Trail Signing

### - waymarking and other trail signs

Introduced in 2011, a new unpainted, square section, treated timber sign system was introduced. This will eventually replace all existing square green waymarking and round wood system waymarkers. It is our new corporate standard system.

Don't mix systems. When a number of elements on your site are needing to be replaced, replace the whole site with the new system. **Do not** mix the new system with any of the previous systems.

#### Trailheads, Waymarkers and Finger Signs

There are three directional or trail marking elements in the new system:

**The Trailhead Post**, as the name suggests, is used in the main to mark the start of a trail. It is often sited on the edge of a car park. Its height helps visibility over parked vehicles.

**Waymarkers** are used along the length of an FCS waymarked trail intended for all users (other than sport mountain biking trails that have a specific tile based system). Waymarkers should be positioned mainly at junctions, (clearly visible, but just passed the junction) and also as reassurance on long stages.

**Finger Signs** are directional markers for junctions. They are generally used for recreation areas off formal waymarked routes, at key junctions. They may also be used for partnership projects as described below. They should not normally be used on waymarked routes; waymarking itself should normally be sufficient.

