Manoa Island map mystery.

On a flight across the Pacific Ocean, one of the passengers jotted down this description in their diary while the aeroplane passed over a small inhabited island:

'We are flying slowly over a small island called Manoa, which is shaped roughly like a triangle. The longest point of the triangle faces northeast, and there is a lighthouse on a rocky outcrop a short distance offshore. There are steep cliffs here and a public footpath leads to a lake in the centre of the island. The south side of the lake appears to be wet and marshy. Most of the western side of the island is covered with dense woodland.

A main road runs along the south coast, joining the two small villages together. The man sitting next to me tells me that the village in the west corner of the island is called Foxton and has an excellent public house. There is also a very pretty church there, with a fine tower. He used to own the post office in the village and was a member of the Foxton golf club nearby.

There looks to be car travelling along the road towards the other village, which is called Benfield. I can see that on the journey, the car will pass a camp site and caravan site on his left and just before the village, a lane leading to a farm on his left.

A railway line connects the two villages, running between the main road and the coastline. There is a railway station in each village.

Benfield is larger than Foxton and has around fifteen houses. I can also see a church with a spire and a public house in the village.

As we fly on past the island, my last view is of a sandy beach running all the way down the east coast. The ruins of an old castle look over the sea. Looks like a great place for a holiday!'

Your challenge: as an introduction to Geography at Prestatyn High School I would like you to carefully read the description above then use the information to draw (on A4 plain paper) a map of Manoa Island. If you know them, use the correct OS symbols (Ordnance Survey has symbols available for download at http://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/oswebsite/docs/legends/50k-raster-legend.pdf) or design your own symbols, remember you must include a key (to show what the symbols represent). Finally remember to give your map a title.

I look forward to seeing your island designs.