

Apps, Maps and Compass Training Course - Sat 11th May

Cheques for this event should be payable to 'Beds Area Ramblers'

Please return this booking slip and cheque to: -

Nick Markham 66, Fallowfield, Ampthill, Beds MK45 2TS

Coach Trip to Virginia Water and Windsor - 19th May

Cheques for this event should be payable to 'RA Ivel Valley Social Account'

Please return this booking slip and cheque to: -

Roy Carter 62, The Silver Birches, Kempston, Bedford, MK42 7TT

3 Day City Explorer Break to Liverpool - 10th to 12th June

Cheques for this event should be payable to 'RA Ivel Valley Social Account'

Please return this booking slip and cheque to: -

Barry Ingram 67, Avon Drive, Bedford, MK41 7UR

'Yomp, Chomp and Roll-Up' - Pork Roast - Wed 19th June

Cheques for this event should be payable to 'RA Ivel Valley Social Account'

Please return this booking slip and cheque to: -

Mary Morse 3, Lakes Close, Langford, Biggleswade SG18 9SJ

Icknield Way Walk - Day 1 - 14th July

Cheques for this event should be payable to 'RA Ivel Valley Social Account'

Please return this booking slip and cheque to: -

Andy Knight 10, Shortcroft Court, Barton-le-Clay, Bedford MK45 4FB

Cruise & Walk the Grand Union Canal - 27th July

Cheques for this event should be payable to 'RA Ivel Valley Social Account'

Please return this booking slip and cheque to: -

Roger McLeod 8, Grange Road, Bedford, MK41 9SG

Coach trip to Aldeburgh - 20th October

Cheques for this event should be payable to 'RA Ivel Valley Social Account'

Please return this booking slip and cheque to: -

Nick Markham 66, Fallowfield, Ampthill, Beds MK45 2TS

Long Weekend in Malvern - 4th to 7th October

Cheques for this event should be payable to 'RA Ivel Valley Social Account'

Please return this booking slip and cheque to: -

Roy Carter 62, The Silver Birches, Kempston, Bedford, MK42 7TT

Please send slips with cheques a.s.a.p. to the organiser

Note: we cannot accept cash



Ivel Valley Walkers



*Footpath work
parties*

*Holidays and
Coach trips*

Summer 2019 Walks Programme

www.ivelvalleywalkers.co.uk

Walks on:-

*Sundays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays,
occasional Saturdays and summer evenings*

New walkers are always made very welcome

Ivel Valley Walkers

This Walks Programme contains full details of IVW walks during the May to August 2019 period; and more general descriptions of the various walk types are on page 12. Due to the high number of walks and events, it is not possible to summarise the events here, please see pages 13 and 14 for details. This year the Greensand Country Festival will cover the full month of May 2019.

Alan Rowland Programme Secretary programmeivw@gmail.com
Andy Knight Print copy layout (for this programme)

RIPPLE: Activities to Restore and Improve Public Paths for Leisure and Enjoyment
As usual, Barry will circulate full details when arrangements for each work party are finalised. Please contact Barry if you would like to join.
barry.ingram74@btinternet.com 01234 353704

Sat 7th to Sun 15th Sept - Bedfordshire Walking Festival 2019

Keep a eye on www.bedswalkfest.co.uk for details.

Organiser: Barry 01234 353704 barry.ingram74@btinternet.com

Please consider helping Ivel Valley Walkers to reduce costs by receiving your programme by e-mail, or getting it from our website.

Go to ivelvalleywalkers.co.uk and click on the Walks Programme page for instructions and downloads

Wed 10:00 am **The Crown, Northill.** (SG18 9AA). TL 148 468

1 May 7 miles. Please park considerately in the village.

Barry 01234 353704 or 07860 348347 on the day

Fri 09:45 am **Bus Walk - Bedford Bus Station.** Bus departs

3 May 10.00 am. X5 to Milton Keynes railway station. Walk starts from Milton Keynes railway station at 10.45 am heading to Wolverton, 7.5 miles. Back on the bus to MK centre or station.

Barry 01234 353704 or 07860 348347 on the day

Sun 10:00 am **Breachwood Green.** Near Red Lion PH (SG4 8NU),

5 May TL 150 220 12 miles. Assistance dogs only, please contact leader

Pauline 07504 751554

Mon 09:30 am **Ashridge.** Meet at the Bridgewater Monument, Visitors
6 May Centre, Ashridge Estate (HP14 1LX). SP 970 130 16 miles, free parking.

Nick M 07803 125876

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Cost £10.00 pp

No. required _____ Cheque enclosed £ _____ Name: _____

Tel No: _____ E-mail: _____

Please see over for payment details

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Coach Trip to Virginia Water and Windsor - 19th May

Cost £17.00 pp

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Tel No: _____ E-mail: _____

Please see over for payment details

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3 Day City Explorer Break to Liverpool - 10th to 12th June

Admin fee £15.00 pp

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Tel No: _____ E-mail: _____

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'Yomp, Chomp and Roll-Up' - Pork Roast - 19th June

Cost £9.00 pp

No. required _____ Cheque enclosed £ _____ Name: _____

Tel No: _____ E-mail: _____

Please see over for payment details

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Icknield Way Walk - Day 1 - 14th July

Cost £5.00 pp

No. required _____ Cheque enclosed £ _____ Name: _____

Tel No: _____ E-mail: _____

Please see over for payment details

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Cruise & Walk the Grand Union Canal - 27th July

Cost £10.00 pp

No. required _____ Cheque enclosed £ _____ Name: _____

Tel No: _____ E-mail: _____

Please see over for payment details

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Coach trip to Aldeburgh - 20th October

Cost £12.00 pp

No. required _____ Cheque enclosed £ _____ Name: _____

Tel No: _____ E-mail: _____

Pick-up location Bedford ☐ Sandy ☐ Please see over for payment details

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Long Weekend in Malvern - 4th to 7th October

Admin fee £10.00 pp

No. required _____ Cheque enclosed £ _____ Name: _____

Tel No: _____ E-mail: _____

Please see over for payment details

Events in 2019

Sunday 14th July - Icknield Way Walk - Day 1

The first of 4 linear walks on the route during this summer and autumn. On this occasion we will meet in Toddington from where a coach will take us to the start at Ivinghoe Beacon. Walk finishes back in Toddington.

Further details available from organiser Cost £5.00 per person

Please see booking slip on page 15

Organiser: Andy K 01582 614644 andy.knight2@ntlworld.com

Saturday 27th July - Cruise & Walk the Grand Union Canal - 9 am to 4.30 pm

A 12 seater, self-drive canal passenger boat from Cosgrove Marina to the bottom of Stoke Bruerne locks. We will all walk half and cruise for half of the outward and return journeys; i.e. alternating, 12 cruising and 12 walking. Complimentary cream tea at Stoke Bruerne.

Further details available from organiser Cost £10.00 per person

Please see booking slip on page 15

Organiser: Roger 01234 216639 rogermcleod@hotmail.com

Tuesday 13th August - Gliding Experience - Start 6.30 pm

An opportunity to experience a 20-30 minute flight in a winch launched glider.

Further details available from organiser Cost £27.50 per person

Organiser: Roger 01234 216639 rogermcleod@hotmail.com

Sunday 20th October - Coach trip to Aldeburgh

Morning walk across Minsmere Reserve and down the coast to Sizewell.

After lunch, either walk on to Aldeburgh, or take the coach to Aldeburgh.

Departing - Bedford Bus Station at 07.30 am & Sandy Market Square at 07:50

Further details available from organiser Cost £20.00 per person

Please see booking slip on page 15

Organiser: Nick M 07803 125876 ivwramblers.nm@ntlworld.com

Friday 4th to Monday 7th October - Long Weekend in Malvern

Further details available from organiser Admin cost £10.00 per person

Please see booking slip on page 15

Organiser: Roy 01234 301182 roycarter367@hotmail.com

Saturday 30th November - Barn Dance – Advance Notice

Houghton Conquest Village Hall.

Further details will be available in the Winter Programme to be published at the end of August

Ivel Valley Walks Programme: Summer 2019

Tue 10:00 am **Amphill - A Greensand Country Festival Walk.** West
7 May car park (MK45 2GU nearest) TL 024 382 12 miles.

Bob and Celia 01234 768011 or 07474 303545 on the day

Wed 10:00 am **Sandon, Roe Green,** Rushden Rd (SG9 0QF).

8 May TL 314 336 6 miles. South east of cricket pavilion.

Ian 01462 812294 or 07866 389443

Thu 10:00 am **Radwell Meadows Country Park.** Car park off

9 May Nortonbury Lane, near Letchworth (SG6 1AN). TL 233 349 5 miles.

Antony 01767 601969 or 07857 890829 on the day only.

Sat **Apps, Maps and Compass Training Course**

11 May Further details are on page 13 and booking slip on page 15.

Nick M 07803 125876

Sun 10:00 am **Winslow.** Greyhound Lane car park (MK18 3EB).

12 May SP 770 278 12 miles. A walk through the Claydons.

Bob & Celia 01234 768011 or 07474 303545

Wed 10:00 am **Rowney Warren, A Greensand Country Festival Walk.**

15 May Sandy Lane car park off A600 (SG17 5QB). TL 123 403 7 miles.

David & Rosemary 07796 178659

Thu 10:00 am **Biggleswade - Informative Walk,** Dan Albone car park,

16 May (SG18 0BQ). TL 187 452 4 miles. Car park charges apply.

Ian 01462 812294 or 07866 389443

Fri 09:45 am **Bus Walk - Bedford Bus Station.** Bus No 41 from

17 May Bay C departs 10.05 am to Cold Brayfield bus stop, signed

Northampton. Walk starts at 10.45 am, walk to Olney. 6.5 miles.

Return bus from The Bull PH, 17mins past the hour.

Brian G 01234 823603

Sun 08:00 am **Coach Trip - Virginia Water and Windsor.** Linear walks.

19 May Departs from Bedford Bus Station. 6 or 12 Miles.

Further details are on page 13 and booking slip on page 15.

Roy 01234 301182 or 07784 208997 on the day

Tue 10:00 am **Lyveden New Build,** Near Oundle NT, (PE8 5AT).

21 May SP 985 852 12 miles. £2 donation for parking if non-member.

Ian 01462 812294 or 07866 389443

Also

Tue 18:15 pm **Ivel Valley is going to the dogs - Henlow Stadium**

21 May Further details are on page 13 and booking slip on page 15.

Roger M 01234 216639 or 07989 307046

Ivel Valley Walks Programme: Summer 2019

- Wed 10:00 am **Milton Ernest Garden Centre** (MK44 1SH). TL 014 561
22 May 7 miles. Please avoid parking in Church Close.
Veronica C 01234 304337 or 07890 830427
- Thu 10:00 am **Maulden Woods, A Greensand Country Festival Walk.**
23 May Lay-by off A6 (MK45 3QT) nearest TL 073 394. 5 miles.
Jan 01234 340429 or 07895 045410
- Sun 10:00 am **Bow Brickhill.** Car park at rear of church (MK17 9LQ)
26 May SP 912 344 13 miles.
Marcus 01462 812005 or 07417 498199
- Mon 10:00 am **Mentmore.** Please park considerately around the green.
27 May (LU7 0QF). SP 906 197. 12 miles.
Mandy 07827 330843
- Also*
- Mon 19:30 pm **Bedford - Evening Walk.** Norse Road, Go Outdoors
27 May parking area (MK41 0QN). TL 089 512. 4 miles.
Roger 01234 216639 or 07989 307046
- Wed 10:00 am **Eversholt.** Parking is next to cricket pitch (south of
29 May MK17 9DU) SP 982 327 6 miles. At Eversholt Village Hall sign, go
through main gate and turn immediately right through metal gate.
Martin W 01234 767876 or 07761 209981 on the day
- Thu 10:00 am **Jordans Mill - Interest walk.** Please use overflow
30 May car park (SG18 8DY) TL 186 429 4.5 miles.
Birds around Broom Lakes, bring binoculars.
John K 01525 861271
- Fri 09:30 am **Bus Walk - Bedford Bus Station. Greensand Country**
31 May **Festival Walk.** Bus No 9B departs at 9.40 am for Hitchin. Linear
walk starts at 10.15 am from Greyhound PH, Haynes.
Walk to Ampthill via Clophill. A one off special. 8 miles.
Roy 01234 301182 or 07784 208997 on the day
- Sun 08:15 am **Bedford Mainline Railway Station.** Linear Walk Down
2 Jun East!!! 10.5 miles, Blackfriars to Greenwich along the Thames.
Catch 08.49 am to Blackfriars, group/senior fare £10.25. In London,
meet at the Blackfriars Station Concourse North at 10.15 am.
Returning by Thames Clipper, £7.30 using Contactless or Oyster.
Roger M 01234 216639 or 07989 307046

For the latest updates please see

www.ivelvalleywalkers.co.uk

Events in 2019

Sat 11th May - Apps, Maps and Compass Training Course

Are you baffled by maps, confused by compasses and daunted by digital devices. Help is at hand, this one day course will help you get the most out of planning and navigating your next walk.

Cost £10.00 per person

Please see booking slip on page 15

Organiser: Nick M bedswalkfest@gmail.com

Sun 19th May - Coach Trip to Virginia Water and Windsor

Departure from Bedford Bus Station at 8:00am.

Walk around Virginia Water then on into Windsor Great Park. Coach pick-up at Savil Gardens for those wishing to spend the afternoon in Windsor.

Cost £17.00 per person

Please see booking slip on page 15

Organiser: Roy 01234 301182 roycarter367@hotmail.com

Tue 21st May - Ivel Valley is going to the dogs

Come and join your fellow high rolling gamblers, for an evening at Henlow Dog Racing Track. Start time from 6.15pm onwards.

Cost £2.50 entry, to include race card, payable at gate.

Optional Fish or Pie & Chips £12.00

Not necessary to book in advance, just turn up at
Henlow Stadium, Bedford Rd, Lower Stondon, Henlow, SG16 6EA

Mon 10th to Wed 12th June - 3 Day City Explorer Break in Liverpool

Further details available from organiser

Admin Fee £15.00 which includes a trip

Please see booking slip on page 15

Organiser: Barry 01234 353704 barry.ingram74@btinternet.com

Wed 19th June - 'Yomp, Chomp and Roll-Up' - IVW Summer Pork Roast

This summer 'extravaganza', based at Langford Village Hall, will start in the morning with the choice of a 7 mile walk or 4 mile amble. On return, there will be a pork roast lunch followed by the opportunity to try your hand at lawn bowls.

Cost £9.00 per person

Please see booking slip on page 15

Organisers: Bernard and Mary: 07885 778228 bjmorse1@aol.com

Ivel Valley Walkers

Walks on:-

Sundays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, Summer evenings and some Saturdays

Sunday walks are either two half days usually with a morning walk of 7 miles and an afternoon walk of about 5 miles, or one full day of 12+ miles, ending about 4:00pm.

Tuesday walks are generally 9-12 miles, finishing mid afternoon.

Wednesday morning walks are generally 6-7 miles, finishing by 1:00pm.

Thursday ambles and informative walks are short walks of 5 miles or less conducted at a leisurely pace and may be of particular interest to those new or returning to walking.

Friday bus walks have a bus component, either the chance to reach the start point with the bus or integrated within the walk.

Summer evening walks are of 4 - 4.5 miles, on various weekdays and start at either 7:00pm or 7:30pm.

Notes for walkers:

- Please make sure that you are fit enough to undertake the walk; if you are unsure of your fitness level, try a short and easy walk first.
- Most Ramblers' walks are off-road in rural areas. Please have suitable footwear and clothing; leaders may not accept participants who in their opinion are inadequately equipped or unfit.
- For your own and others' safety please read and abide by any advice and guidelines issued by the organiser, and the instructions of the walk leader. Though walking is inherently one of the safest outdoor activities, no activity is completely without risk and it is your responsibility to behave sensibly and to minimise the potential for accidents to occur.
- If you wish to bring a dog on any walk, please contact the leader before to check suitability.
- Most walks have a refreshment break; please bring packed lunch if out all day.
- Please be aware that our walks always depart at the time stated.
- The walks are free, but if you walk regularly with us we would like you to join the Ramblers.

Ivel Valley Walks Programme: Summer 2019

Tue 4 Jun	10:00 am Buckingham. Cornwalls Meadow car park (MK18 1 RP). SP 698 341 13 miles. Car park charges apply. <i>Marcus 01462 812294 or 07417 498199</i>
Wed 5 Jun	10:00 am Wimpole Hall car park, (SG8 0BW). TL338509 Pay & Display, free to NT members. 6.5 miles. <i>Colin and Jackie 07787 413957 on the day</i>
Thu 6 Jun	10:00 am The Chequers, Wootton. Hall End Road (MK43 9HP). TL001457 Please park considerately nearby or use the car park if using pub after the walk. 5 miles. <i>Martin W 01234 767876 or 07761 209981 on the day</i>
Sun 9 Jun	10:00 am & 13:30 pm Breachwood Green. Near Red Lion PH (SG4 8NU). TL150 220 7 & 5 miles. Please park considerately. <i>Mike C 01462 491032 or 07815 939549</i>
Mon 10 Jun	3 Day Break in Liverpool starts. Further details are on page 13 and booking slip on page 15. <i>Barry 01234 353704 or 07860 348347 on the trip</i>
Tue 11 Jun	19:30 pm Maulden Woods - Evening Walk. Lay-by car park off A6 north of Clophill (MK45 3UZ). TL 073 394 4 miles. <i>Nick M 07803 125876</i>
Wed 12 Jun	10:00 am Dunsbridge Turnpike, Cambs (SG8 6RB) TL 397 467. 7 miles. Green Man PH, off A10, sign for Melbourne Science Park. <i>Derek T 01462 712462 or 07410 973338</i>
Thu 13 Jun	10:00 am Pegsdon - Informative Walk. Near Live & Let Live PH, (SG5 3JX). TL 121 303 3 miles. Wildflowers on Pegsdon Hills. <i>Derek T 01462 712462 or 07410 973338</i>
Fri 14 Jun	09:15 am Bus Walk - Bedford Bus Station. Bus No 50 departs 9.32 am to Sharnbrook. Linear walk starts at 10.10 am. River villages with undulating countryside finishing in Pavenham. 7 miles. <i>Veronica C 01234 304337 or 07890 830427</i>
Sun 16 Jun	10:00 am Houghton Regis. Houghton Hall Park Visitor Centre (LU5 5FU). TL 027 236 12 miles. <i>Tony D 01582 604906 or 07786 676565</i>
Tue 18 Jun	10:00 am Thurlow (Suffolk). Village hall car park (CB9 7LA) off B1061. TL 678 505 12.5 miles. Stour Valley path to Sturmer. <i>Antony 01767 601969 or 07857 890829 on the day only</i>

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- Wed 10:00 am **PORK ROAST & ROLL UP**, Langford Village Hall.
19 Jun (SG18 9QY) TL184 412 6.5 miles. £9.00 as per last year.
Further details are on page 13 and booking slip on page 15.
Walk Leader ... Marcus 01462 812005 or 07417 498199 on the day
- Also*
- Wed 10:30 am **Amble - Langford Village Hall**. (SG18 9QY). 4 miles.
19 Jun Alternative walk, bring binoculars. Followed by above Pork Roast.
Walk Leader ... Mary M 01462 700387 or 07305 223747 on the day
- Thu 10:00 am **Mowsbury Park**, Kimbolton Road car park (MK41 8AH)
20 Jun TL 060 528 5 miles.
Veronica C 01234 304337 or 07890 830427
- Fri 20:00 pm **Bedford**. The Pheasant PH, Kimbolton Rd (MK41 8YR)
21 Jun TL 059 526. Enjoy a drink and a chat before heading off to the ridge
at 20.30 pm to watch the sunset on the longest day of the year.
Barry 01234 353704 or 07860 348347 on the day
- Sun 10:00 am & 13:30 pm **Westoning**. Meet at The Chequers PH
23 Jun (MK45 5LA). TL 032 323 . 7 & 5 miles.
Eric C 01234 315181 or 07761 589281
- Tue 19:30 pm **Old Warden - Evening Walk**. Church car park
25 Jun (SG18 9HD). TL 137 443 3.5 miles.
Derek T 01462 712462 or 07410 973338
- Wed 10:00 am **Barton le Clay**. Old Road nr Recreation Ground
26 Jun (MK45 4LD). TL 083 304 7 miles .
Dave P 07941 972887
- Thu 10:00 am **Deepdale - Informative Walk**. Sandy Mast car park
27 Jun (SG19 2NH - nearest). TL 207 495 off B1042, Sandy to Potton
Road. 5.5 miles.
History of the RSPB Lodge and surrounding gravel works.
Marcus 01462 812005 or 07417 498199 on the day
- Fri 09:45 am **Bus Walk - Bedford Bus Station**. Grant Palmer bus
28 Jun No 28 departs at 09.55 am. Linear walk starts at 10.15 am.
8 miles. Colmworth to Kimbolton, historic walk.
Roy 01234 301182 or 07784 208997 on the day
- Sun 10:00 am **Buntingford**. Bowling Green Lane car park,
30 Jun (SG9 9DF). TL 360 295 12 miles.
Mike T 01462 850415 or 07504 706906 on the day

Ivel Valley Walkers

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- Thu 10:00 am **Northill**. Near church, (SG18 9AA). TL 149 465
15 Aug Please park considerately. 4.5 miles. "Fields and fishponds".
Jan 01234 340429 or 07895 045410
- Sun 10:00 am & 13:30 pm. **Kimbolton**. High Street, near church,
18 Aug (PE28 0HN). TL 099 678 8 & 5 miles.
Roy 01234 301182 or 07784 208997
- Wed 10:00 am **Everton**. Nr Thornton Arms PH (SG19 2LD)
21 Aug TL 201 511 7 miles. Junction of Potton Rd & Church Rd.
Derek T 01462 712462 or 07410 973338
- Thu 19:00 pm **Bedford - Evening Walk**. Mowsbury Park car park,
22 Aug Kimbolton Road, (MK41 8YR). TL 060 528
Colin and Jackie 07787 413957
- Fri 09:25 am **Bus Walk - Bedford Bus Station**. Bus No. 50 to
23 Aug Felmersham Church, departs at 09.32 am. Linear Walk to
Lavendon. 8 miles. Return to Bedford on Bus No. 41.
Jan 01234 340429 or 07895 045410
- Sun 10:00 am **Pirton**. Great Green near Motte Bailey PH,
25 Aug (SG5 3QD). TL 146 316 12 miles. Please park considerately.
Andy K 01582 614644 or 07879 691893
- Mon 10:00 am **Dunton**. Near the church or Boot Lane, (SG18 8RN).
26 Aug TL 237 442 10 miles. Please park considerately in the village.
Derek 01462 712462 or 07410 973338
- Tue 10:00 am **Old Warden** Village Hall car park, (SG18 9EB).
27 Aug TL 138 440 13 miles.
Andy K 01582 614644 or 07879 691893
- Wed 10:00 am **Anstey, Herts**, (SG9 0BY). TL404328 7.5 miles.
28 Aug Please use public car park, near the church.
Antony 01767 601969 or 07857 890829 on the day only
- Thu 10:00 am **Keysoe Row**. Village Hall car park, (MK44 2JE).
29 Aug TL 083 612 5 miles.
Derek T 01462 712462 or 07410 973338
- Sun 10:00 am & 13:30 pm **Wilstead**. Public car park, Whitworth
1 Sep Way, (MK45 3DX). TL 066 436 7 & 5 miles.
Graham B 01234 741494 or 07399 881460

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- Tue 10:00 am **Great Barford**. All Saints Church / The Anchor PH,
2 Jul (MK44 3LF). TL 134 517. Additional parking alongside church,
12 miles - figure of eight walk.
Gillian 07890 232685
- Wed 10:00 am **Wimpole Hall** car park, (SG8 0BW). TL 338 509
3 Jul 7 miles. Pay & Display, free to NT Members.
Chris T 07710 284115
- Thu 10:00 am **Weston, Nr Baldock**. Holy Trinity Church car park
4 Jul (SG4 7DJ). TL 266 299 5 miles.
Sheila 01480 392223 or 07885 615595
- Sun 10:00 am & 13:30 pm **Cranfield**. Near the church (MK43 0DR).
7 Jul SP 955 420 7 & 5 miles.
Nick M 07803 125876
- Tue 19:30 pm **Bedford - Evening Walk**. Priory Park Visitor Centre,
9 Jul off Barkers Lane, (MK41 9DJ). TL 072 494 4 miles.
Linda T 01480 350345
- Wed 10:00 am **Bromham Mill** car park, Bridge End, (MK43 8LP).
10 Jul TL 010 507 7 miles.
Brian G 01234 823603
- Thu 10:00 am **Bedford Oasis Pool - Informative Walk**. Car park,
11 Jul (MK42 0BQ). TL 062 491 Free car parking. Please park over
towards the old railway and the river. Do you know your Limes from
your Pines or your Birch from your Beech? This illuminating 2hour
walk will help stop you barking up the wrong tree.
Barry 01234 353704 or 07860 348347 on the day
- Fri 10:15 am **Bus Walk - Bedford Bus Station**. Bus No 50 departs
12 Jul at 10.32 am to Sharnbrook. Meet at Junction of High St and
Church St, walk starts at 11.05 am. 6 miles. Circular walk through
Colworth Estate and Souldrop.
Sue T 01234 823974 or 07849 827049
- Sun 09:30 am **Toddington - Icknield Way - Day 1**. Linear walk. Meet at
14 Jul corner of Market Square near the Bell PH (LU5 6BP). TL 009 289
15 miles. Coach transfer to start at 10:00 am from Ivinghoe Beacon.
Further details are on page 14 and booking slip on page 15.
Andy K 01582 614644 or 07879 691893
- Tue 10:00 am **Harrold**. Harrold Odell Country Park, (MK43 7DS).
16 Jul SP 956 566 12 miles. Northamptonshire border route.
Sue T 01234 823974 or 07849 827049

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- Wed 10:00 am **Eynesbury** Car Park at Coneygear Ct, (PE19 2UL).
17 Jul TL 180 596 7.5 miles. Approach off the B1043 into St Neots.
Roy 01234 301182 or 07784 208997 on the day
- Thu 10:00 **Bromham Mill** car park, (MK43 8LR). TL 010 507
18 Jul 4.5 miles.
Mary C 01234 781220 or 07963 971710 on the day only
- Sun 10:00 am & 13:30 pm **Great Staughton**. The Sundial in The
21 Jul Highway B645, (PE19 5DA) TL 130 646 7 & 5 miles.
Derek T 01462 712462 or 07410 973338
- Wed 10:00 am **Boxworth, Cambs.** Golden Ball PH, (CB23 4LY)
24 Jul TL 344 640 7 miles. Please use overflow car park.
Antony 01767 601969 or 07857 890829 on the day only
- Thu 10:00 am **Bedford Aspects Leisure Centre - Informative**
25 Jul **Walk**. (MK41 9SB) TL 066 494 Car park off Newnham Avenue.
Free parking. Pathways through time, a two hour informative walk
taking you on a journey through centuries to the present day.
Barry 01234 353704 or 07860 348347 on the day
- Thu 19:30 pm **Riseley, Evening Walk**. Fox & Hounds PH (MK44 1DT).
25 Jul TL 040 627 4 Miles.
Fran S 07811 007326
- Fri 09:45 am **Bus Walk - Bedford Bus Station**. Bus No 81 departs
26 Jul at 10.00 am for Luton. Walk starts at 10.40 am from the Flying
Horse PH, Clophill. 7 miles. Some of Central Bedfordshire's best
with Derek's special insight.
Derek T 01462 712462 or 07410 973338
- Sat 09:00 am **Cruise and Walk the Grand Union Canal**
27 Jul Further details are on page 14 and booking slip on page 15.
Roger M 01234 216639 or 07989 307046
- Sun 10:00 am **Shillington**. Musgrave Arms PH car park, (SG5 3LX)
28 Jul TL 122 327 12 miles. Please park on grass overflow area.
Graham M 01462 711751 or 07776 430750
- Tue 10:00 am **Standon, Herts.** St Marys Church, (SG11 1LB).
30 Jul TL 396 223 12 miles.
Eric 01234 315181 or 07761 735318
- Wed 10:00 am **Weston, Nr Baldock**. Holy Trinity Church car park,
31 Jul (SG4 7DJ.) TL 266 299 6.5 miles.
Sheila & Clive 01480 392223 or 07885 615595

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- Thu 10:00 am **Barton-Le-Clay**. Old Road, near Recreation Ground,
1 Aug (MK45 4LD). TL 083 304 Please park considerately. 4.5 miles.
Dave B 01767 691750 or 07482 890346
- Sun 10:00 am & 13:30 pm **Codicote**. John Clements Sport &
4 Aug Community Centre, Bury Lane, (SG4 8UA). TL 217 181
6.5 & 5.5 miles.
Mandy 07827 330843
- Tue 19:00 am **Biggleswade - Evening Walk**. Park at end of Dunton
6 Aug Lane, no through road off A6001, London Rd next to BP garage,
(SG18 8EJ). TL204435 4 Miles.
Antony 01767 601969 or 07857 890829 on the day only
- Wed 10:00 am **Cople**. Park near church, (MK44 3TH). TL 103 484
7 Aug 6.5 mile, Please park considerately.
Philip C 01525 404799 or 07747 655557
- Thu 10:00 am **Bedford Bus Station - Informative Walk**. (MK40 1LX)
8 Aug TL 046 499 Meet near pedestrian entrance to multi-storey car park.
4 miles. Two people from Bedford's history, a pioneering Politician
and 'Churchill's backroom boy'.
Jan 01234 340429 or 07895 045410
- Fri 09.25 am **Bus Walk - Bedford Bus Station**. Bus No 8 departs
9 Aug at 09.35 am to Great Denham park and ride. Walk starts at
10.00 am. 9 miles. Countryside with river and pine wood views.
Garry W 01234 219096 or 07896 041164
- Sun 10:00 am **St Pauls Walden**. Car park behind Strathmore Arms
11 Aug PH, off B651 near church, (SG4 8DN). TL 193 222 12 miles.
Eric C 01234 315181 or 07761 589281
- Tue 10:00 am **Ashridge Estate**. Visitor Centre, meet at the Bridgewater
13 Aug Monument (HP4 1LT) SP 970 130 12 miles. NT free parking.
Sara 01525 872266 or 07850 665454
- Also*
- Tue 18:30 pm **Gliding Experience - Dunstable**.
13 Aug Further details are on page 14 and booking slip on page 15.
Roger M 01234 216639 or 07989 307046
- Wed 10:00 am **Husbourne Crawley**. (MK43 0XE) SP 960 357
14 Aug 7 miles. The White Horse PH, (field at rear).
Jon L 07854 240366

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