DRONFIELD FOOTPATHS AND BRIDLEWAYS SOCIETY

Summer Walks Programme for 2023

A Warm Welcome is extended to all those who wish to join us. Evening walks are usually around 4 miles, Daytime walks range from 4 to 7 miles. Suitable clothing and footwear will be needed

Day, Date and Time	Walk Leader	Meeting Point	Area and Remarks
Saturday 29 th April 10:17 am	Alan Hawley (from Penistone Line Partnership walking group)	Dronfield Rail Station	Station to Station Linear Walk Dronfield - Coal Aston - Norton - Ladies' Spring Wood, finishing at Dore and Totley rail station. (This is not an official DFBS walk but our members are welcome)
Sunday 7th May 04:30 am	Graham Gill	Blackamoor Nature Reserve car park. near Fox House. Junction Stony Ridge Rd / Hathersage Rd. Small car park. SK 277 807	Dawn Chorus Joint Walk with Dronfield Natural History Society. Approx 3 hours easy pace. Optional breakfast at The Bowshaw at 8am NO DOGS PLEASE
Tuesday 9th May 10:00 am	David Blackburn	Next to Co-op, GorseyBrigg off Pentland Rd S18 8ZQ (avoid car park unless paying)	Bradway, Woodthorpe Hall and Cartledge 6 miles 1 steepish climb; hopefully either the wood anemones or the bluebells will be out in Gillfield Wood
Thursday 11th May 7:00 pm	David Scrivener	Staveley Church, Church Street S43 3TL (There is free parking on Church Street.)	Staveley Puddlebank 3.5 miles

Chesterfield Area Walking Festival 13-21 May 2023

(Features 4 walks by our group)

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Thursday	Paula Merryman	Junction of Melbourne	Holmesfield Circular
18th May		Avenue and Leabrook	Over to Holmesfield, though the
7:00 pm		Road, Dronfield	woods and return to meet up point
		Woodhouse	4 miles
Thursday	Joe Kelsall	Long Lay-By between	Peak Resort Circular
25th May		Unstone and Dronfield.	Walk through back of Unstone
7:00 pm		(Meet at the Half Acre	Green up easy side of Peak Resort
		Lane end)	and back by Unstone Hall
			4.5 miles
Tuesday	Karen & Philip	Outside Family Shopper,	Tidy up of our section of the
30th May	Brightmore	3-5 Barnes Ln Dronfield	Dronfield Barn Rotary Walk.
10:00 am		Woodhouse Dronfield	Please bring, strimmers, clippers,
		S18 8YE	secateurs and gloves.
Thursday	Steve & Ros	Bottom of Millthorpe Lane,	Unthank, Moorhall & Rumbling
1st June	Sadler	Millthorpe SK317 764	Street
7:00 pm			4.5 miles
			LIMITED PARKING PLEASE CAR
			SHARE.
Tuesday	Paula Merryman	Derwent overlook free	Derwent Circular
6th June		carpark (before you reach	Takes us along the side of the
10:00 am		Fairholmes Car Park)	reservoir then climbs up onto the
		SK 1735 8900	moors where we get fab views of
		What3Words: ///tearfully.s	Derwent Valley. This walk involves
		tream.ridge	one significant steep uphill section.
			5.5 miles

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Thursday 8th June 7:00 pm	Phil Shaddock	Cliffe Park, Callywhite Lane, Dronfield, S18 2XP	Apperknowle Circular Cliffe Park, Callywhite Lane via Firth Wood, Apperknowle, The Boardwalk and Callywhite Lane 4 miles
Thursday 15th June 7:00 pm	David Scrivener	De Rodes Arms, Church Street, Barlborough, S43 4ER (There is parking off Worksop Road or in the village)	Barlborough Circular 4 miles
Saturday 17th June 10:00 am	Joe Kelsall	Shillito Woods car park Fox Lane, Unthank SK 2952 7496	Big Moor Circular Shillito Woods walk, will be reverse route no steep uphill's 5.5 miles
Tuesday 20 th June 7:00 pm	John Ellis	Public Car Park adjacent to Sainsburys Wreaks Lane, Dronfield S18 1NW	History of old Dronfield buildings and public houses 2 miles Please note that this is an evening walk.
Thursday 22nd June 7:00 pm	Adrian Slome	Coal Aston Village Hall (bottom car park) Eckington Rd, Coal Aston, Dronfield S18 3AX	Local Walk around 4 miles
Thursday 29th June 07:00 pm	Richard & Phoebe	Shillito Woods car park Fox Lane, Unthank SK 2952 7496	Barbrook Reservoir Circular 5 miles
Tuesday 4th July 10:00 am	Ted Bennett	Gather safely in the car park for the Hardwick Inn. Park there or on the approach road to the Inn S44 5QJ	Silverhill and Hardwick Hall country parks. 6 miles
Thursday 6th July 7:00 pm	Adrian Slome	Long Lay-by between Dronfield and Unstone (Meet at Half Acre Lane end)	Local Walk around 4 miles
Saturday 8th July 10:00 am	Nicola and Julie	Outside Family Shopper, 3-5 Barnes Ln Dronfield Woodhouse Dronfield S18 8YE	Dore Coffin Routes Two routes (which form a circular walk) between Dore and Dronfield, were probably used to take the dead for burial before Dore had its own churchyard. 6.5 miles
Thursday 13th July 7:00 pm	Joe Kelsall	DWSSC 114 Carr Ln, Dronfield Woodhouse, Dronfield S18 8XB (top car park up ramp)	Barnes Lane to Tinkers Corner, Totley Woods back via Holmesfield 4 miles
Saturday 15th July 10:00 am	Richard Smith	Car park at Broombank Park, Sheepbridge Industrial Estate, What Three Words ref eaten.movies.dust	Five Ponds walk Coffee stop at Barlow Fishing Ponds 6 miles
Thursday 20th July 7:00 pm	Vanessa and David	DWSSC 114 Carr Ln, Dronfield Woodhouse, Dronfield S18 8XB (top car park up ramp)	Carr Lane Loop, Holmesfield Park Wood, Cartledge, Kitchen Wood 4 miles Club open afterwards for anyone that would like a drink.
Tuesday 25th July 10:00 am	Paula Merryman	Bakewell Showground free parking, Agricultural Way (field is on the bend before the area where we parked last year) SK 2246 6792	Bakewell Circular walk which includes part of the Monsal Trail to Hassop Station (stop off point for coffee) returning to Bakewell over the fields/paths 5.5 miles

Thursday 27th July 7:00 pm	Peter Carr	Coal Aston Village Hall, Bottom car park Eckington Rd, Coal Aston, Dronfield S18 3AX	Moss Valley Circular Dowey Lumb, Bridle Stile Wood – Povey Farm – Owler Car Wood 4.5 miles
Tuesday 1st August 10:00 am	Hilary and Ann	Park and meet Far Lane Barlow lay by on right 100 yards after Rumbling Farm.S18 7SE Grid ref SK320 750	Rumbling Street, Rose wood , Barlow Grange circular 6 miles
Thursday 3rd August 7:00 pm	Phill Haywood	Public car park next to Bridge Inn at Ford S12 3YD	Circular to include High Bramley Wood And Birley Hay 4 miles
Saturday 5th August 10:00	Peter Carr	Chesterfield Town Hall, Rose Hill, Chesterfield S40 1LP	North Chesterfield Way Holmebrook – Cutthorpe – Barlow – Cowley – finish about 3.30pm. 9 miles This is a linear walk with toilets enroute. Bring packed lunch.
Tuesday 8th August 10:00	Paula Merryman	opposite the Norfolk Arms, 2 Ringinglow Rd, Sheffield S11 7TS (limited parking, but more available locally)	Ringinglow Circular Finishing at the Norfolk Arms for refreshments 4 miles
Thursday 10 th August 7:00 pm	Richard Smith	Long Lay-by between Dronfield and Unstone (Meet at Half Acre Lane end	Easy short walk. No stiles, no steep climbs. 3 miles
Thursday 17th August 7:00 pm	Graham Gill	Troway Hall Farm, Troway S21 5RU	Moss Valley Circular 3 miles Pea and Pie supper at Troway Hall Farm to follow. NUMBERS ARE LIMITED TO 35 Please see Graham Gill for details
Saturday 19th August 10:00 pm	Richard & Phoebe	Pleasley Pit country park car park (opposite side from the Pleasley Pit musuem), Pit Lane, Pleasley NG19 7EA.	Pleasley circular walk via Hardwick Hall which has an opportunity for coffee stop(s) 6 miles.
Tuesday 29 th August 10:00 am	Angela Land	Coal Aston Village Hall (bottom car park) Eckington Rd, Coal Aston, Dronfield S18 3AX	Moss Valley Circular Hazelhurst Lane - Povey Farm - Owler Car Lane 5 miles
Saturday 2nd September 10:00 am	David Blackburn In conjunction with Chesterfield Ramblers	Large lay-by on the west side of A621 (Baslow Rd) below Owler Bar, Holmesfield Grid Ref: 429,378 W3W: tame.loft.quick	Around The Eastern Moors Wimble Holme Hill, Longshaw, Burbage Brook, White Edge Moor 9 miles Mainly good tracks with a short rough section
Tuesday 12th September 10:00 am	Paula Merryman	Bakewell Showground Free Parking in the dog agility competition field, off Agricultural Way SK 2246 6810	Bakewell Circular walk incorporating Manners Wood 5 to 6 miles

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