

The Ramblers' Association

Working for Walkers

The RA promotes rambling, protects Rights of Way, campaigns for access to open country and defends the beauty of the countryside

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PORTSMOUTH GROUP WALKING PROGRAMME

Correct as at 1st February 2016



The Portsmouth Group offers a variety of walks mainly in Hampshire, West Sussex and the Isle of Wight. On Saturdays these are moderately paced 5 to 9 mile walks whilst, on Sundays, they are faster paced 11 to 15 mile walks. The Group also has short Friday evening walks and some extra Saturday walks in more distant parts in the summer months. Most walks have a pub/cafe stop either at the end or at lunch time.

INFORMATION FOR WALKERS

New walkers always welcome. Just turn up at meeting place for shorter walks. For walks in excess of 10 miles, please contact leader first if you have not previously walked this distance.

Grade A walks – for experienced walkers; brisk pace
Grade B walks – regular pace
Grade C walks – moderate pace
Grade D walks – slow pace

These are only general indications of the pace and will vary with the individual.

All walks are circular unless otherwise stated. Wear stout footwear and carry waterproof clothing for possible wet weather. There will be stops for coffee and lunch, so please bring a flask and food. Walkers should not eat their own food in pubs/pub gardens without permission from the landlord. Walkers are requested not to walk faster than the pace of the leader and where dogs are allowed on walks they must be kept on a lead at all times.

The Ramblers Association is a company limited by guarantee, registered in England and Wales. Company registration number: 4458492. Registered Charity in England and Wales number: 1093577. Registered office: 2nd floor, Camelford House, 87-90 Albert Embankment, London SE1 7TW

CAR SHARING

Our group encourages car sharing and drivers are requested to meet at Cosham Railway Station (CRS) to assist those without transport to get to the walks (**lifts cannot be guaranteed**), and where possible to share cars in order to reduce their numbers and consequently their impact on the environment. **Priority will be given to those without their own transport.** Drivers often appreciate it when a voluntary contribution is made by passengers. As a guide **10p** per mile per passenger is considered an amount which reasonably covers the costs incurred by the driver.

PORTSMOUTH GROUP WEBSITE



Portsmouth Ramblers

website live since 23rd October 2015



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The address is <http://www.portsmouthramblers.org.uk/> This site contains news items, photos and complete and updated information about the Portsmouth Group walks taken directly from the Ramblers Walks Finder website. It is run by Malcolm Hagan who can be contacted at webmaster@portsmouthramblers.org.uk or by phone on 02392 221925.

This screenshot shows a section of the home page. The calendar allows the user to move through forthcoming months by clicking on "next" and then, by placing the cursor over a highlighted date, to show the walk details. If you have an Android or other mobile device with a touch screen, then this link <http://www.portsmouthramblers.org.uk/news-future-events/50-portsmouth-calendar.html> will load the calendar nicely onto your device. Here you can touch a date to display a list of available walks on that date. Then touch one of those walks to display full details.

Calendar

2016 Jan							Next
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	

Our next walks

- Sun, 17th January**, Walk from the Trundle, 13mi/20.9km
- Sat, 23rd January**, Droxford Circular, 7mi/11.3km
- Sun, 24th January**, Waverley Wander (from Witley Railway Station), 12mi/19.3km
- Sat, 30th January**, Up amongst the Romans (Again), 7mi/11.3km
- Sat, 30th January**, David's Doodles - Chichester to West Dean, 6mi/9.7km
- Sun, 31st January**, Walk from Burton Mill, 12mi/19.3km
- Sat, 6th February**, Solent Breezes, 9.5mi/15.3km

Cancelled Walks (if any)

Future Walk Program (March - June 2016)

[Read more: Future Walk Program \(March - June 2016\)](#)

Annual Dinner - 20th March 2016

Menu added on 6th January....

[Read more: Annual Dinner - 20th March 2016](#)

Any cancelled walks will appear under the "Cancelled Walks" section whilst other important notices such as changes to a walk or events such as the annual dinner will also be listed on the home page. As walks appearing in this programme are submitted up to five months before the date of the actual walk there are often changes caused by weather conditions (e.g. floods), closures of car parks, engineering works etc. unknown to the leader at the time of their walk submission. There were 8 changes in the last programme. It is therefore essential that walkers check for any changes before setting out on a walk.

It would be nice to get contributions for the website from as many different members as possible, not just the same 2 or 3 people sending in contributions. For example.... last minute information about walk changes e.g. difficulties due to bad weather (muddy, slippery, deep puddles). A few photos from the walk would be nice. Future event information. The more up to date the information is loaded onto the website, the more likely members are to look at and use the website.

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Discounts are available from many shops on production of your Ramblers membership card. These include:

Rohan, all branches	01243 787214
Cotswold Outdoor, (all branches) 13 Lower Northam Rd, Hedge End or	01489 799555
51 East St, Chichester	01243 788167
Mountain Warehouse (all branches)	023 9281 9558
www.aboveandbeyond.co.uk – discounted maps and rambling accessories	

By creating a login on the Rambler's website <http://www.ramblers.org.uk/> by entering your email address and membership number you will also have access to online Ramblers Routes and a vast map library.

This link is to the Hampshire Rambler Magazine site where you can download the current and past magazines:
<http://www.amphotographica.com/HantsRambler/Hampshire%20Rambler%20Magazine%20Library%20%28web%20ver.%29/>

Thank You to all those who have made this programme possible.

The Committee

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INFORMATION FOR WALK LEADERS

New walk leaders are always welcome. Every assistance will be given to those wishing to lead a walk for the first time. The Portsmouth Group has a Walk Leaders Guidelines document which can be downloaded from the Portsmouth Group Website (<http://www.portsmouthramblers.org.uk/>). This has a great deal of useful information, especially for new leaders, and is recommended reading. Further information is available here <http://www.portsmouthramblers.org.uk/leaders/42-future-walk-program.html>

As walks are submitted for the next walking programme they are uploaded to an **electronic calendar**. This calendar can be viewed on the [calendar website](#) itself. **This allows leaders to see the locations of walks already submitted and the current availability of dates in real time.** In addition the current and future programme of walks can also be added to any electronic calendar programme held on a smartphone or PC. It will then be automatically updated whenever a change is made to a walk or a walk added. Instructions on how to do this are available on the Portsmouth Ramblers Website as shown above.

If a leader is willing to change the date of their walk this is indicated by two stars before the title of the walk on the online calendar but priority will always be given in order of receipt. However the aim is to provide a full & varied programme for the Group and occasionally dates have to be re-arranged or a walk carried forward to the next programme.

WALK SUBMISSIONS Leaders can now add their walks directly onto Walks Finder and the majority of leaders currently use this method to submit their walks. For those leaders without internet access walks can be submitted using the submission form at the end of this programme or you can contact David Nichols for extra paper copies. **NB: Please ensure walk distances are as accurate as possible.**

Leaders should report any incident or accident to the Secretary (secretary@portsmouthramblers.org.uk) and any obstructions or broken stiles etc. to the Footpaths/Walking Environment/Access Secretary - Mark Page, (footpath.secretary@portsmouthramblers.org.uk) 16 Stansted Road, Southsea PO5 1SA, including grid references where possible.

Any walk leader who has led a minimum of 8 walks over the last three programmes may apply to the Treasurer for reimbursement of the cost of a maximum of three new Explorer maps per annum, group funds permitting. The maps must cover the area normally walked by the group and the application must include a receipted bill and dates of walks led. All walks appear on **WALKS FINDER (Ramblers national database of walks on the WEB)**. Would leaders please advise David Nichols or Chris Mac Arthur if walk details change so **WALKS FINDER** can be updated and walkers contacted.

USEFUL WEB LINKS – ALSO AVAILABLE ON THE PORTSMOUTH RAMBLERS WEBSITE

These links are for current footpath closures:

Isle of Wight

<http://www.iwight.com/Residents/Environment-Planning-and-Waste/Rights-of-Way/Public-Rights-of-Way/Current-Closures>

Hampshire

<http://www3.hants.gov.uk/publicnotices.htm>

Sussex

http://www.westsussex.gov.uk/leisure/walking_cycling_horseriding/footpaths_and_bridleways/unavailable_routes/temporary_path_closure_list.aspx

Dorset

<http://www.dorsetforyou.com/rightsofway>

These links are for bus, train and ferry web sites.

First Bus

<http://www.firstgroup.com/ukbus/southwest/hampshire/home/index.php>

Stagecoach buses

<https://www.stagecoachbus.com/>

Bus timetables for the whole of the UK

<http://www.traveline.org.uk/>

South West Trains

<http://www.swtrains.co.uk/>

Southern

<http://www.southernrailway.com/>

National Rail Travel Planner

<http://ojp.nationalrail.co.uk/en/pj/jp>

Wightlink

<http://www.wightlink.co.uk/>

Weather sites

This link is for the UK Met office. A very useful feature on this site is the live rain radar map as it enables you to see exactly where it is raining before setting out.

<http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/>

Given the extreme weather over the past few years I have included this link to the Environment Agency which has details of flood warnings.

<http://www.environment-agency.gov.uk>

Ramblers Worldwide Holidays; The Walking Partnership. Under a new initiative we can obtain a financial contribution for the group every time one of our members books a holiday with Ramblers Worldwide Holidays. This is £10 per person booked on UK holidays, £20 per person on short haul holidays and £30 per person on long haul holidays. To qualify you must nominate the Portsmouth Group to RWH before you travel. This costs members nothing and would obviously be a welcome addition to group funds. If you are able to do this you can obtain more detailed information from our secretary Sue Chilton on 01243 936520 or email her at secretary@portsmouthramblers.org.uk



The Walking Partnership 
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Direct financial support for your local walking group



Travel with Ramblers Worldwide Holidays and support your walking group!
Receive group funding every time you holiday through the Walking Partnership initiative.

Call us or go online for more information
01707 386804 www.thewalkingpartnership.org.uk

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Dates to remember

Sunday 20th March 2016 Group Annual Meal

To be held at the The Half Moon PH, Sheet, north of Petersfield on the old A3, at 12-30 for 1pm, space in a room to ourselves. Choice of main courses and choice of sweets as below.

Menus to be available from Dave Nichols on the Saturday walks. Please book through David Nichols by sending the cost of **£16-50** to include tea/ coffee, and tip by cheque payable to David Nichols to 3 Walton Road, Gosport, PO12 3QG, or give the money to him on any Saturday walk excluding the 6th February (the date of the Area AGM). Payment and choices as early as possible please. Regrettably there can be no refunds for non-attendance. Final booking date is **Saturday 12st March**.

There will be a 4.5 mile walk prior to the meal starting from a layby on the A272 0.6 miles after Rogate towards Midhurst on the left hand side at 9-50am with a pickup at Cosham at 9-15am.

Menu choice of one of the following

Roast Beef	Fish dish of the Day	Vegetarian
Roast Lamb		Alternative
Roast Turkey		

Dessert Choice from Trolley, Homemade Crumble, Sponge pudding

The Portsmouth Group Annual Skittles Evening Friday 20 May at 7.30pm

This will be held at The Crofton, 48 Crofton Lane, Hill Head, Fareham, PO14 3QF. Bookings to Bernie Tulk 117 Serpentine Road Fareham PO16 7EF. Cost is £11 a head and includes a pub meal. Menu selection must be made from Bernie on a walk, or email bernie.tulk@portsmouthramblers.org.uk or 01329 829342. The last date to book is **14 May** as the Crofton needs to know before the night. Do come along, its lots of fun with silly prizes.

Don't forget to check [Portsmouth Ramblers Website](#) near to the date of the walk to confirm walk details, or contact the walk leader if you have no internet access.

Don't be one of the people who missed walks in the last programme because the start time or start location had to be changed due to car park closures, road closures, engineering works, footpath closures and a number of other causes outside the control of the leader.

In the event of extreme weather, or any other doubt, it is the responsibility of the walker to check Walks Finder or to contact the leader to confirm the walk is taking place.

Email If you have an email address, please notify David Nichols david.nichols@portsmouthramblers.org.uk . This will enable you to receive the PDF version of this Programme as well as emailed updates in the event of walk alterations.

In the PDF version of the programme just click on the Walk Title to see the latest information on Walks Finder about that particular walk.

ENGINEERING WORKS LATER THAN 17TH APRIL 2016 ARE NOT KNOWN AT TIME OF THIS PRINTED PUBLICATION SO ALWAYS CHECK THE WEBSITE FOR THE LATEST INFORMATION

MAP NUMBERS AND OTHER CHANGES

Ordnance Survey have recently changed the map numbers and designation for any maps covering the South Downs National Park. The majority of maps in our area are now part of the Outdoor Leisure series (OL) instead of the Explorer series (EX). If anyone buys one of these new maps Ordnance Survey also allows you to download it at no extra cost to a smartphone or ipad using a free phone app and the unique registration code shown on that map. For this programme both map numbers are shown in the walk details.

The table below shows the old and new map numbers.

Old map number	New map number
EX119 Meon Valley	OL3
EX120 Chichester	OL8
EX121 Worthing	OL10
EX122 Brighton and Lewes	OL11
EX123 Eastbourne	OL25
EX132 Winchester	OL32
EX133 Petersfield and Haslemere	OL33
EX134 Crawley	OL34

No muddy boots in cars please

Leaders do their best to ensure safe walks.
However those taking part do so at their own risk.



The Walks

A proverb for walk leaders. May you have the hindsight to know where you've been, the foresight to know where you're going, and the insight to know when you're going too far.

THERE ARE TWO WALKS ON Sat 5th March 2016

Walk 1

Sat 5 March 2016 10:15 - 7 miles/11.3 km - Moderate (Finishes 15:00 approx.)

[Beacon Hill Beckoning - from South Harting](#)

Starts at 10:15: Start outside the Parish Church gates in South Harting village. Parking available in village streets. (GU31 5QB, SU784194)

Meet at 09:30: Meet at Cosham Railway Station for possible lifts by arrangement. (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

A challenging walk with sustained steep climbs and descents of the South Downs. Via Elsted and Treyford. Coffee and lunch stops. Toilets at start and finish. Map LR 197

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Steve & Carol, 023 9278 8664

Suitability: Dog friendly

Walk 2

Sat 5 March 2016 10:30 - 5 miles/8.1 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:00 approx.)

[5 and Under Strolls - West Meon West](#)

Starts at 10:30: West Meon Old Station Car Park

As you enter the village and the Main Road swings left turn right instead into Station Road and follow it to Car Park (GU32 1JQ, SU642237)

Meet at 09:45: Cosham Railway Station North Side Short stay parking area (PO6 3DR, SU657051)

Sloping Farmland and Downland - Map number OL32 (Old EX132)

Via Warnford - Bere Farm - Maridell Farm

Pub available at finish

No Dogs

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Roy O, 02392668002 or 07523562532

Sun 6 March 2016 10:20 - 15 miles/24.1 km - Moderate (Finishes 17:00 approx.)

[Arundel To Chichester Walk](#)

Starts at 10:20: Outside entrance to Arundel Station (BN18 9PH, TQ024064)

Finishing point: Chichester railway station (PO19 8SQ, SU858042).

PLEASE NOTE THAT START TIME AND TRAIN TIMES ARE DIFFERENT FROM THAT SHOWN IN THE NOV-MAR PROGRAMME.

A linear walk from Arundel to Chichester. Catch the following train to get to Arundel station at 10:15: Portsmouth Harbour 09:14, Portsmouth & Southsea 09:17, Fratton 09:22, Chichester 09:53 arrive Barnham at 10:01 and catch the 10:06 to Arundel. Walk via Yapton, Barnham, Woodgate. Map No LR197. Those wanting to drive should park at Chichester and catch the 09:53 train to Barnham..

Linear walk

Local grade: B

Estimated finish time: 17:00

Contact: Adrian P, 07825 984476

Suitability: No car needed

THERE ARE TWO WALKS ON Sat 12th March 2016

Walk 1

Sat 12 March 2016 10:00 - 10 miles/16.1 km - Leisurely (Finishes 16:00 approx.)

[Finchdean Footslog](#)

Starts at 10:00: Finchdean Village opposite The George PH (PO8 0AY, SU738127)

Meet at 09:20: Cosham Railway station

North side short term parking area (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Circular via Horsley Farm, Ladyholt, Ditcham Park. Map no. OL8 old map no. Ex 120

Leaders to meet at start

Circular walk

Local grade: C+

Contact: Liz & John, 07779 121439

Suitability: Dog friendly

Walk 2

Sat 12 March 2016 10:00 - 5.5 miles/8.9 km - Leisurely (Finishes 13:00 approx.)

[Salt Hill Circular from East Meon](#)

Starts at 10:00: East Meon Workhouse Lane Car Park (GU32 1NH, SU680222)

Meet at 09:20: Cosham Railway station

North side short stay car park (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

One hill taken slowly, Map No. OL32 old map no. EX 132.

Leader to meet at start

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Jan and Richard, 02392266619

Sun 13 March 2016 10:00 - 13 miles/20.9 km - Moderate (Finishes 15:30 approx.)

[Shoeless from Stoughton Down](#)

Starts at 10:00: Stoughton Down Car Park (PO18 9JG, SU815126)

Meet at 09:20: Cosham Railway Station (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Walk from Stoughton Down Car Park via Harting Down and Elsted. Map no OL8 old map no. EX120.

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Peter C, 01243936520 or 07999519141

Sat 19 March 2016 10:00 - 8.3 miles/13.4 km - Leisurely (Finishes 15:00 approx.)

[East Tisted Loop](#)

Starts at 10:00: Crossroads on A32 about 2 miles south of East Tisted (GU34 3PP, SU688303)

Meet at 09:10: Cosham Railway Station Short stay North side Parking area (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Loop via Monkwood, Plaindell Farm, Rotherfield Park, East Tisted and Colemore. Map no. OL32 old map no. EX 132

Circular walk

Contact: Malcolm H, 02392221925 or 07747547727

Ascent: 193 meters

Ascent: 633 feet

Sun 20 March 2016 10:00 - 4.5 miles/7.2 km - Leisurely (Finishes 12:30 approx.)

[Annual Meal walk](#)

Starts at 10:00: Layby North side of A272 0.6 miles East of Rogate (GU30 7JL, SU818283)

Meet at 09:15: Cosham Railway station

North side Short stay station car park (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Short annual Meal walk before meal at Half Moon Pub at Sheet, Petersfield

OL33 EX133

Bordon, Terwick Common, Fyning

Meal needs to be booked and paid for in advance. Walkers not having a meal are welcome to join us on the walk.

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: David N, 02392 529490 or 07765 100863

Sun 20 March 2016 12:30

Portsmouth Ramblers Annual Meal

12:30 Half Moon Public House 32 London Road, Sheet, GU29 9LL See Dates to Remember for details.

THERE ARE TWO WALKS ON Sat 26th March 2016

WALK 1

Sat 26 March 2016 10:15 - 9 miles/14.5 km - Leisurely (Finishes 16:00 approx.)

[Hooksway Hook](#)

Starts at 10:15: Cocking Hill free park. On the A286, LH side, about 2 miles north of Singleton. (GU29 0HT, SU874165)

Meet at 09:15: Cosham Railway Station (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Walk via Cocking Down (SDW), Hooksway, Staple Ash Farm. Some gentle slopes. Map no. OL8

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Bob Cs, 02392696251 or 07833772056

Ascent: 236 meters

Ascent: 774 feet

Suitability: Dog friendly

WALK 2

Sat 26 March 2016 10:20 - 6 miles/9.7 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:00 approx.)

[David's Doddles - Pagham Harbour to Chichester](#)

Starts at 10:20: Sea Lane bus stop at Pagham Harbour (PO21 4TX, SZ886975)

Meet: Chichester Bus Station, Stand 4 to catch No. 60 bus departing 09:58. Leader to meet at bus station (PO19 8DN, SU858044)

Finishing point: Chichester Bus Station. Shops, pubs and cafes nearby. (PO19 8DN, SU858044)

Flat walk via South Mundham and Hunston. Map no. OL8 old number EX120.

Remember to bring bus passes. Chichester can be reached by Stagecoach 700 bus from Portsmouth (every 20 minutes) or by train.

Linear walk

Local grade: C

Contact: David H, 07899459426

Suitability: Dog friendly, No car needed

Sun 27 March 2016 10:20 - 14 miles/22.5 km - Moderate (Finishes 17:30 approx.)

[Across Hindhead Common](#)

Starts at 10:20: Haslemere Railway Station. (GU27 1DB, SU897329)

Circular hilly walk across Hindhead Common and on to Brook (PH). Optional meal after walk. Map no. OL33 old no. EX 133

Train Times: Fratton 9:41; Havant 9:50

Lunch stop is at the Dog and Pheasant at Brook.

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Michael L, 01329 849987

Suitability: No car needed

THERE ARE TWO WALKS ON Sat 2nd April 2016

Walk 1

Sat 2 April 2016 10:00 - 8.5 miles/13.7 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:45 approx.)

[Temple Valley from Cheesefoot Head](#)

Starts at 10:00: Cheesefoot Head Car Park (SO21 1HW, SU529277)

Meet at 09:10: Cosham Railway station North side Short stay Car parking area (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Circular walk via Morestead Down, Longwood Warren, Temple Valley. Map no. OL 32 (old no. EX132)

No Dogs other than registered assistance dogs please

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Nigel T, 01329829342 or 07804092933

Walk 2

Sat 2 April 2016 10:40 - 5 miles/8.1 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:15 approx.)

[5 and Under - Liphook](#)

Starts at 10:40: Station Road Free Car Park off B2070 near Railway Station (GU30 7XX, SU839308)

Meet at 09:45: Cosham Railway Station North side Short Stay Parking area (PO6 3DR, SU657051)

Footpaths and Bridleways - fairly level - no stiles. Map Number OL33 (Old EX133)

Via Foley Manor - Holly Hills - Foley Pond

Pub available at finish

No Dogs

This walk can also be reached by train Fratton 09:28, Hilsea 09:32, Havant 09:39 and Petersfield 09:56

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Roy O, 02392668002 or 07523562532

Suitability: No car needed

Sun 3 April 2016 10:10 - 12.5 miles/20.1 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:15 approx.)

[Around Bembridge Harbour](#)

Starts at 10:10: Entrance to Brading station (PO36 0EB, SZ609868)

Meet at 09:00: Wightlink Ferry Terminal, Portsmouth Harbour Station

to catch 0915 catamaran to Ryde Pier Head (PO1 3TT, SU628000)

Finishing point: Sandown Railway Station (PO36 9FE, SZ593844)

A sinuous walk around Bembridge Harbour via St Helens, Bembridge Point, Bembridge Mill and Bembridge Fort. It is intended to get to Sandown Station for the 16:24 train to Ryde Pier Head.

Map OL29

Linear walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Bob Cy, 07742719811

Suitability: No car needed

THERE ARE TWO WALKS ON Sat 9th April 2016

Walk 1

Sat 9 April 2016 10:00 - 6 miles/9.7 km - Leisurely (Finishes 13:30 approx.)

[Titchfield circular](#)

Starts at 10:00: Titchfield Community Centre Car Park (PO14 4TJ, SU540060)

Meet at 09:30: Cosham Railway station North side short Stay parking Area (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Flat and coastal walk. map no. OL3 old map no. Ex 119. Titchfield can be reached via the half hourly X4 bus from Portsmouth and Fareham

Leader to meet at start

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Jan and Richard, 02392266619

Suitability: No car needed

Walk 2

Sat 9 April 2016 10:15 - 8 miles/12.9 km - Moderate (Finishes 15:00 approx.)

[Marion - It all started here - West Marden](#)

Starts at 10:15: Lay-By at West Marden or nearby roads (PO18 9EW, SU772136)

Meet at 09:30: Cosham Railway Station North side short stay parking area (PO6 3DR, SU657051)

Farmland - Wood Downlands

Some Moderate Hills - Map Number OL8 (Old EX120)

Via Forestside - South Holt Farm - Compton

Pub available at finish

No Dogs

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Roy O, 02392668002 or 07523562532

The walk above and the one below are to celebrate landmark birthdays for Marion and Peter who have both contributed a great deal to the Portsmouth Group.

Sun 10 April 2016 09:40 - 14 miles/22.5 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:45 approx.)

[Three score and four score from Guildford](#)

Starts at 09:40: Guildford Station (SU992495)

Starting place: Guildford station. Train times, Fratton 08:41, Cosham 08:21 (change at Fratton), Havant 08:50,

Petersfield 09:04 For those going by car parking at Guildford Station is £5 off-peak. Via Shere, Albury, Chilworth. Map no. EX145

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Marion, 02392693874 or 07709273769

Suitability: No car needed

Facilities: Toilet

Sat 16 April 2016 10:15 - 7 miles/11.3 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:30 approx.)

[A Kings Ransom from Stoughton Down](#)

Starts at 10:15: Stoughton Down Car Park (PO18 9JG, SU815126)

Meet at 09:30: Cosham Railway station North side Short stay Parking area (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Kingley Vale, Walderton Down, Pitlands Farm

EX120

Some small climbs involved, bring a stick if you have one may be slippery on the chalk in places

Circular walk

Local grade: C+

Contact: David N, 02392 529490 or 07765 100863

Sun 17 April 2016 10:20 - 14 miles/22.5 km - Moderate (Finishes 17:00 approx.)

[Midhurst meander to Chichester](#)

Starts at 10:20: Midhurst Bus Station (GU29 9DS, SU886218)

Finishing point: Chichester Railway Station/Bus Station (PO19 8DJ, SU859043)

Walk via Heyshott, Singleton, The Trundle, Lavant, Summersdale. Map no. LR 197, OL 8 (old map no. EX120). Catch the 09:43 No. 60 bus from Chichester bus station to Midhurst bus station. Please note engineering works are taking place early Sunday morning between Havant and Chichester for those wanting to go to Chichester by train.

Linear walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Adrian P, 07825 984476

Suitability: No car needed

Facilities: Toilet

Sat 23 April 2016 10:15 - 7 miles/11.3 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:30 approx.)

[Ready Stedham Go from Iping Common](#)

Starts at 10:15: Meet leader at Iping Common Car Park. Map LR197 Grid Ref SU852220 (GU29 0PB, SU852220)

Meet at 09:30: Drivers to Cosham Railway Station if possible to offer lifts. Leader to meet at Starting Point. (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

A leisurely walk through varied countryside with some moderate hill climbs. Walk via Stedham, Iping and Chithurst.

Map LR197. Coffee and lunch stops en route.

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Steve & Carol, 023 9278 8664

Suitability: Dog friendly, Child friendly

Sun 24 April 2016 10:00 - 16 miles/25.7 km - Moderate (Finishes 17:00 approx.)

[Tumuli Trail through Amberley](#)

Starts at 10:00: Houghton Hill view car park (SU009112)

Starting place: Houghton Hill View car park (free) Cosham Railway Station 09:10 Via The Burgh Tumuli, Cootham (lunch), South Downs Way. Map no. OL10

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Terry & Rita, 02392666439

THERE ARE TWO WALKS ON Sat 30th April 2016

Walk 1

Sat 30 April 2016 10:10 - 8.5 miles/13.7 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:30 approx.)

[West Sussex Church walks with Bluebells from Stoughton Down](#)

Starts at 10:10: Stoughton Down Forestry Car Park

From B2146 Take Right turn towards Walderton, passing through Stoughton Village and then c/p is on right at a left hand bend, towards East Marden (PO18 9JG, SU815125)

Meet at 09:30: Cosham Railway station North side Short Stay parking area (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Some hills involved. Via Chilgrove, North Marden Church, and Up Marden Church (lunch) Map no. OL08 old map no. EX120

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: David N, 02392 529490 or 07765 100863

Walk 2

Sat 30 April 2016 10:10 - 6.5 miles/10.5 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:00 approx.)

[David's Doddles -Wickham to Fareham](#)

Starts at 10:10: Wickham Square bus stop. (PO17 5ES, SU571114)

Meet at 09:40: Fareham Bus Station. Catch Stagecoach Bus 69 to Wickham Square departing 09:45 at Bay C. Leader to meet at bus station. (PO16 0BX, SU578061)

Finishing point: Fareham Bus Station. Shops, pubs and cafes nearby. (PO16 0BX, SU578061)

Walk via Bere Farm and Spurlings Farm. The walk has a few inclines but not steep and 2 stiles. Map No. OL3 old no. EX119

Fareham Bus Station can be reached from Portsmouth by First bus no. 3 (every 10 minutes) or X4 (every 30 minutes). Remember to bring bus passes.

Linear walk

Local grade: C

Contact: David H, 07899459426

Suitability: Dog friendly, No car needed

Sun 1 May 2016 10:00 - 12 miles/19.3 km - Moderate (Finishes 15:45 approx.)

[Around The Hartings](#)

Starts at 10:00: Harting Down NT Car Park off B2141 (charge for non-NT members)

LEADERS TO MEET AT START (GU31 5PN, SU790181)

Includes a steep hill but also lovely views. Map No OL8 (old number EX120)

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Euan and Suzanne, 01730263306 or 07801714841

Sat 7 May 2016 10:00 - 6 miles/9.7 km - Leisurely (Finishes 13:30 approx.)

[Bluebells from Droxford](#)

Starts at 10:00: Droxford Church car park, If full other Car Parking nearby (SO32 3RB, SU606182)

Meet at 09:20: Cosham Railway station Short Stay Car parking on North Side (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Bluebell walk with lunch at Soberton by the river. Map no. OL3 Old map no. EX119

Leader to meet at start

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Jan and Richard, 02392266619

Sun 8 May 2016 10:00 - 13 miles/20.9 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:00 approx.)

[Around Amberley from The Dover Car Park](#)

Starts at 10:00: The Dover Car Park, off the A27 east of Arundel (BN18 9PX, TQ061063)

Meet at 09:00: Cosham Railway Station (PO6 3DR, SU657051)

Map OL10 (was Exp 121). Walk via SDW, Houghton Bridge, and Michelgrove.

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Linda P, 02392291324 or 07443528575

Fri 13 May 2016 18:30 - 4.5 miles/7.2 km - Leisurely (Finishes 20:30 approx.)

[Valderi Valdera from Walderton](#)

Starts at 18:30: Meet in car park area at junction of B2146 and road to Stoughton (PO18 9EA, SU787104)

Moderately hilly evening walk with good views. Optional pub stop at Barley Mow at end of walk. Map number LR 197

Walk via Surrounding hills

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Steve & Carol, 023 9278 8664

Suitability: Dog friendly, Child friendly

THERE ARE TWO WALKS ON Sat 14th May 2016

Walk 1

Sat 14 May 2016 10:15 - 7.5 miles/12.1 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:45 approx.)

[West Marden Circular](#)

Starts at 10:15: West Marden Crossroads (PO18 9EW, SU773136)

Meet at 09:30: Cosham Railway station north side parking area (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Robins Wood, Eckensfield, Idsworth Church. Map no. OL8 old map no. EX120

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: David N, 02392 529490 or 07765 100863

Walk 2

Sat 14 May 2016 10:30 - 5 miles/8.1 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:15 approx.)

[5 and Under - Longmoor \(Liphook\)](#)

Starts at 10:30: Forest Road Car Park. Take B3006 off A3 roundabout towards Selborne but then turn right to Greatham. In 300 yards turn right on Forest Road and continue for approx 1 mile to car park on left (GU33 7BX, SU782293)

Meet at 09:45: Cosham Railway Station (PO6 3DR, SU657051)

Longmoor - Heathland - Moderate Ascent taken slowly. Map Number OL33 (Old EX133)

Via Foley Pond - Weavers Down

Pub available after finish

No Dogs

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Roy O, 02392668002 or 07523562532

Sun 15 May 2016 10:35 - 14 miles/22.5 km - Moderate (Finishes 17:00 approx.)

[West Sussex Literary Trail - Billingshurst to Amberley](#)

Starts at 10:35: Billingshurst Railway Station, West Sussex (RH14 9SH, TQ088251)

Finishing point: Amberley Railway Station, West Sussex (BN18 9LP, TQ026118)

The West Sussex Literary Trail is a 55 mile long-distance path opened in 2007 linking Horsham and Chichester. This walk starts in Billingshurst and joins the trail as it heads south near Coneyhurst. Lunch stop is at the Rising Sun, Nutbourne before continuing to Cootham and onto Amberley via Parham House. Option of meal at the Bridge Inn after walk. Map no. OL34 and OL10. Train times Cosham 09:11 (change Barnham), Fratton 09:22 Havant 09:32 (change at Barnham) leave Barnham 10:06 arrive Billingshurst 10:32 The aim is to get the 17:25 train from Amberley for those returning immediately. Those wanting to drive should park at Amberley and get the 10:20 train to Billingshurst.

Linear walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Chris and Angela, 02392641737 or 07889130187

Suitability: No car needed

Fri 20 May 2016 19:30

Skittles Night

19:30 The Crofton 48 Crofton Lane, Hill Head, Fareham, Hampshire, PO14 3LW

The Portsmouth Group Annual Skittles Evening

Contact: Bernie Tulk, 01329 829342 See Dates to Remember for details.

THERE ARE TWO WALKS ON Sat 21st May 2016

Walk 1

Sat 21 May 2016 10:00 - 6.5 miles/10.5 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:00 approx.)

[David's Doddles - Nutbourne to Fishbourne](#)

Starts at 10:00: Cot Lane, Nutbourne. Limited car parking. Please do not park in Barleycorn car park. (PO18 8SW, SU787054)

Finishing point: Fishbourne Road bus stop. Pub nearby. (PO19 3RD, SU842046)

This is a flat coastal walk. Map No. OL8 old map no. EX120.

Remember to bring bus passes. Start point can be reached using Stagecoach bus No. 700 (every 20 minutes) or Southern trains

Linear walk

Local grade: C

Contact: David H, 07899459426

Suitability: Dog friendly, No car needed

Walk 2

Sat 21 May 2016 10:30 - 10 miles/16.1 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:00 approx.)

[New Forest Northern Borders Early Summer](#)

Starts at 10:30: Turf Hill Car Park - M27 Junction 1 take B3079 to Brook where angle left on B3078 for 3.5 miles then angle right on B3080 for 2 miles to car park on left (SP5 2PU, SU212177)

Meet at 09:30: Cosham Railway Station North side short stay car park (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Woodland and Moorland - 1 steep climb - Map number OL22

Via Pittswood Inclosure - Godshill Ridge - Castle Hill - Millersford Plantation

Pub available after walk

No Dogs

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Roy O, 02392668002 or 07523562532

Sun 22 May 2016 10:35 - 14 miles/22.5 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:30 approx.)

[Itchen Navigation](#)

Starts at 10:35: Bitterne Railway Station (SO18 1BG, SU439133)

Finishing point: Winchester railway station. (SO23 8TJ, SU477299)

A linear walk from Southampton to Winchester. I recommend people catch the following train to the start of the walk:

09:42 Portsmouth & Southsea, 09:46 Fratton, 09:50 Hilsea, 09:55 Cosham, 10:00 Portchester, & 10:06 Fareham which should arrive at Bitterne at 1031. We will catch a train back to Portsmouth from Winchester at the end of the day. Walk via Eastleigh, Shawford, Winchester. Map no. LR196 & LR185 or OL32 and OL 22

Linear walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Adrian P, 07825 984476

Suitability: No car needed

Fri 27 May 2016 18:30 - 6 miles/9.7 km - Leisurely (Finishes 21:15 approx.)

[Rowlands Castle Evening Walk](#)

Starts at 18:30: Rowlands Castle Railway Station, Hampshire (PO9 6BP, SU734108)

Walk via West Marden. Map no. OL8 old map no. EX120

Circular walk

Local grade: C+

Contact: Mark, 023292 830803

Suitability: No car needed

Sat 28 May 2016 10:00 - 6 miles/9.7 km - Leisurely (Finishes 13:30 approx.)

Winchester St Cross Circular

Starts at 10:00: Tunbridge Car Park near St Catherine's Hill just under old Railway Bridge travelling East to West on minor road towards Winchester. (SO23 9PA, SU483280)

Meet at 09:10: Cosham Railway station Short Stay Car parking area on North side (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Some Hill walking to start with then Riverside. Walk via St Catherine's Hill, St Cross. Map no. OL32 old map no. EX132
Leader to meet at start

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Jan and Richard, 02392266619

Sun 29 May 2016 10:00 - 12 miles/19.3 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:00 approx.)

The Forest In Late Spring

Starts at 10:00: Fritham car park (SO43 7HJ, SU238141)

Meet at 09:00: Cosham Railway Station (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Undulating in woods and across heath land. Via Frogham and Coopers Hill. Map no. OL 22

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Mark, 023292 830803

Fri 3 June 2016 18:30 - 4.5 miles/7.2 km - Leisurely (Finishes 20:45 approx.)

Have Faith from Havant

Starts at 18:30: Meet outside St. Faith's Church, West St. Havant. Bus and rail stations within 5 mins walk. Free parking in council car park off Prince George St nearby. (PO9 1PF, SU717062)

Meet at 18:25: Meet at starting point. Meet leader at start. (PO9 1PF, SU717062)

Fairly flat evening walk via Langstone and Warblington taking in coastal areas. Optional pub visit at end of walk. Map LR197

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Steve & Carol, 023 9278 8664

Suitability: Dog friendly, Child friendly, No car needed

THERE ARE TWO WALKS ON Sat 4th June 2016

Walk 1

Sat 4 June 2016 10:00 - 9 miles/14.5 km - Leisurely (Finishes 15:00 approx.)

Ditcham Park circular

Starts at 10:00: Halls Hill free FC car park at the top of Kiln Lane, Buriton (GU31 5SJ, SU732198)

Meet at 09:15: Cosham Railway Station (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Walk via QE Park, Chalton, Ditcham Park School, SDW. Some gentle slopes. Map no. OL8

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Bob Cs, 02392696251 or 07833772056

Suitability: Dog friendly

Walk 2

Sat 4 June 2016 10:30 - 5 miles/8.1 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:00 approx.)

5 and Under - Midhurst

Starts at 10:30: Easebourne Free Car Park. Go through Midhurst on A272. When it bends right, pass the church and immediately turn right into car park on left opposite tea rooms (GU29 0AJ, SU895224)

Meet at 09:35: Cosham Railway Station North side Short stay parking area

Note meeting point time (PO6 3DR, SU657051)

Flattish Parkland including permissive paths. Map Number OL33 (Old EX133)

Via North Bridge Weirs - Woolbeding House - Woolbeding Bridge

Pubs and Tea rooms in Midhurst

No Dogs

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Roy O, 02392668002 or 07523562532

Sun 5 June 2016 10:00 - 12 miles/19.3 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:00 approx.)

West End Outing from Old Winchester Hill

Starts at 10:00: Old Winchester Hill Car Park (GU32 1HW, SU646213)

Meet at 09:15: Cosham Railway Station (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Walk via Hambledon. Hilly. Map no. OL3 old map no. EX119

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Peter C, 01243936520 or 07999519141

Fri 10 June 2016 18:30 - 5.5 miles/8.8 km - Moderate (Finishes 21:00 approx.)

D Day Walk

Starts at 18:30: Car park West of Churchillian pub, Portsdown Hill. (SU663064)

Hooksheath Farm, Wayfarers Walk, Purbrook Heath. Map no. OL3 old map no. EX119

Circular walk

Contact: Mark, 023292 830803

Suitability: No car needed

Sat 11 June 2016 10:00 - 7.5 miles/12.1 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:15 approx.)

Summer London Walk London Loop

Starts at 10:00: Waterloo Station Platform 18 adj to Underground entrance (SE1 7LY, TQ310798)

Finishing point: Turkey Street Network rail station (EN3 5RL, TQ350987)

Cockfosters to Turkey Street via Trent Valley

Trent Valley via Trent Park, Forty Hall.

Cafe Forty Hall, Toilets at Trent Park and Forty Hall

PURCHASE SUPER OFF PEAK TRAVELCARDS TO LONDON GROUPS OF 3 TO 9 TRAVEL FOR 1/3 off.

Cost P Harb Full £41.20. Reductions £27.20

Times P Harb 08.15am, P and S/Sea 08.20 Fratton 08.24, Havant 08.34, P/field 08.48am

Leader will attempt to match walkers to stations to get reductions

Linear walk

Local grade: C

Contact: David N, 02392 529490 or 07765 100863

Suitability: No car needed

Sun 12 June 2016 11:10 - 12.5 miles/20.1 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:45 approx.)

Swallowcliffe Down and Ebbesbourne Wake

Starts at 11:10: Meet outside Tisbury station (SP3 6JT, ST945290)

A circular walk from Tisbury via Chicksgrove and Swallowcliffe Down to Ebbesbourne Wake and back via Ansty Down (and possibly old Wardour Castle). Coffee stop on Swallowcliffe Down where hopefully there will be some orchids. Pub stop Horseshoe, Ebbesbourne Wake.

Train 0915 Fratton, 0923 Cosham, 0932 Fareham change at Salisbury arrive Tisbury 1110. probable return time 1705 from Tisbury.

Train times may change, check Walks Finder

Tisbury is 56 miles by road from Portsmouth.

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Bob Cy, 07742719811

Suitability: No car needed

Sat 18 June 2016 10:00 - 8.5 miles/13.7 km - Leisurely (Finishes 15:00 approx.)

In amongst it again, that is the woods from Rowlands Castle

Starts at 10:00: Rowlands Castle Railway Station Car Park (PO9 6DA, SU734108)

Meet at 09:30: Cosham Railway station North Side parking area (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Stansted Forest, Forestside, West Marden. Map no. OL8 old map no. EX120 Trains from Fratton 09:29, Hilsea 09:32 arrives Rowlands Castle 09:46

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: David N, 02392 529490 or 07765 100863

Suitability: No car needed

PLEASE NOTE THIS IS A SUNDAY GROUP WALK

Sat 18 June 2016 10:15 - 12 miles/19.3 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:45 approx.)

[Bishopstone to Lewes](#)

Starts at 10:15: Bishopstone Railway Station, East Sussex (BN25 2QP, TV469998)

Finishing point: Lewes Railway Station, East Sussex (BN7 2UP, TQ416098)

Walk via Firle Beacon, Firle, Glynde, Lewes Downs. Option of meal at end of walk in Lewes. Map no. OL11 and OL25. Train times Cosham 08:04, Fratton 07:54 (change at Havant), Havant 08:10 arrive Brighton 09:18 to connect with 09:40 train arriving Bishopstone at 10:11. This should allow time at Brighton for use of toilet facilities.

Linear walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Clive & Chris, 02392 641737 or 07889 130187

Suitability: No car needed

Sun 19 June 2016 10:00 - 12 miles/19.3 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:30 approx.)

[Steam Trains On Fathers Day from Ropley](#)

Starts at 10:00: Park near shops off A31 Ropley Dean. (SO24 0DP, SU647319)

Meet at 09:00: Cosham Railway Station (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

On paths and tracks through fields. To Bramdean and Bishops Sutton. Map No. OL 32 old map no. EX 132

Gypsy church on Bramdean common. Pub stop Bramdean. Walk across watercress line in afternoon

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Mark, 023292 830803

Fri 24 June 2016 18:30 - 5 miles/8 km - Moderate (Finishes 20:45 approx.)

[Evening Walk from the Hampshire Bowman Pub](#)

Starts at 18:30: Park in car park of Hampshire Bowman Pub (SU578184)

Shepherds Down, Wayfarers Walk, Mayhill Lane. Map no. OL3 old map no. EX119

Circular walk

Local grade: C+

Contact: Mark, 023292 830803

Sat 25 June 2016 10:00 - 6.5 miles/10.5 km - Leisurely (Finishes 14:00 approx.)

[David's Doodles - Gosport Ferry to Lee on the Solent](#)

Starts at 10:00: Gosport Falkands Gardens near the ferry. (PO12 1EP, SZ623998)

Finishing point: Lee on the Solent, West Point bus stop. Shops, pubs and cafes nearby. (PO13 9LE, SU562005)

Walk via Haslar, Gilkicker Point, Stokes Bay. Map No. OL3 old map no. EX119

Start point can be reached from Fareham on X5, Eclipse E1 and E2 (every few minutes) or from Portsmouth via Gosport Ferry. remember to bring bus passes.

Linear walk

Local grade: C

Contact: David H, 07899459426

Suitability: Dog friendly, No car needed

Sun 26 June 2016 09:45 - 13 miles/20.9 km - Moderate (Finishes 15:45 approx.)

[Shortheath Common](#)

Starts at 09:45: Shortheath Common C/P (GU35 9JP, SU774367)

Meet at 09:00: Cosham Railway Station (PO6 3DR, SU657051)

Walk via The Worldhams, Upper Faringdon, Selborne. Map OL33 (was Ex 133)

Circular walk

Local grade: B

Contact: Linda P, 02392291324 or 07443528575

Sat 2 July 2016 10:00 - 9 miles/14.5 km - Leisurely (Finishes 15:00 approx.)

[Botley Cruise](#)

Starts at 10:00: Botley, Mortimer Road Car Park (SO30 2ES, SU509131)

Meet at 09:15: Cosham Railway Station North side short stay parking area (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Durley Mill, Upper Hamble country park,
EX119, OL 03

Leader to meet at start

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Sheila D, 01329 285553

Sun 3 July 2016 10:00 - 12 miles/19.3 km - Moderate (Finishes 16:30 approx.)

[Hinton Admiral to Lymington via Hurst Castle](#)

Starts at 10:00: BH23 7DW, SZ202948

Finishing point: SO41 5ZE, SZ333954

Details to be confirmed later. Probably linear from Hinton Admiral along coast to Milford-on-Sea, lunch at Hurst Castle, pub stop in Lymington at end

Relatively flat mostly round the coast

Linear walk

Contact: Malcolm H, 02392221925 or 07747547727

THERE ARE TWO WALKS ON Sat 9th July 2016

Walk 1

Sat 9 July 2016 10:00 - 5.5 miles/8.9 km - Leisurely (Finishes 13:00 approx.)

[Walderton Circular](#)

Starts at 10:00: Walderton Triangle car Parking area, off B2146 and minor Road to Stoughton village (PO18 9EA, SU787104)

Meet at 09:20: Cosham Railway station North side short Stay parking area (PO6 3BD, SU657051)

Some Small Hills, Around Stoughton Village. Map no. OL8 old map no. EX120

Circular walk

Local grade: C

Contact: Jan and Richard, 02392266619

Walk 2

Sat 9 July 2016 10:00 - 9 miles/14.5 km - Leisurely (Finishes 15:30 approx.)

[Buriton Ponder](#)

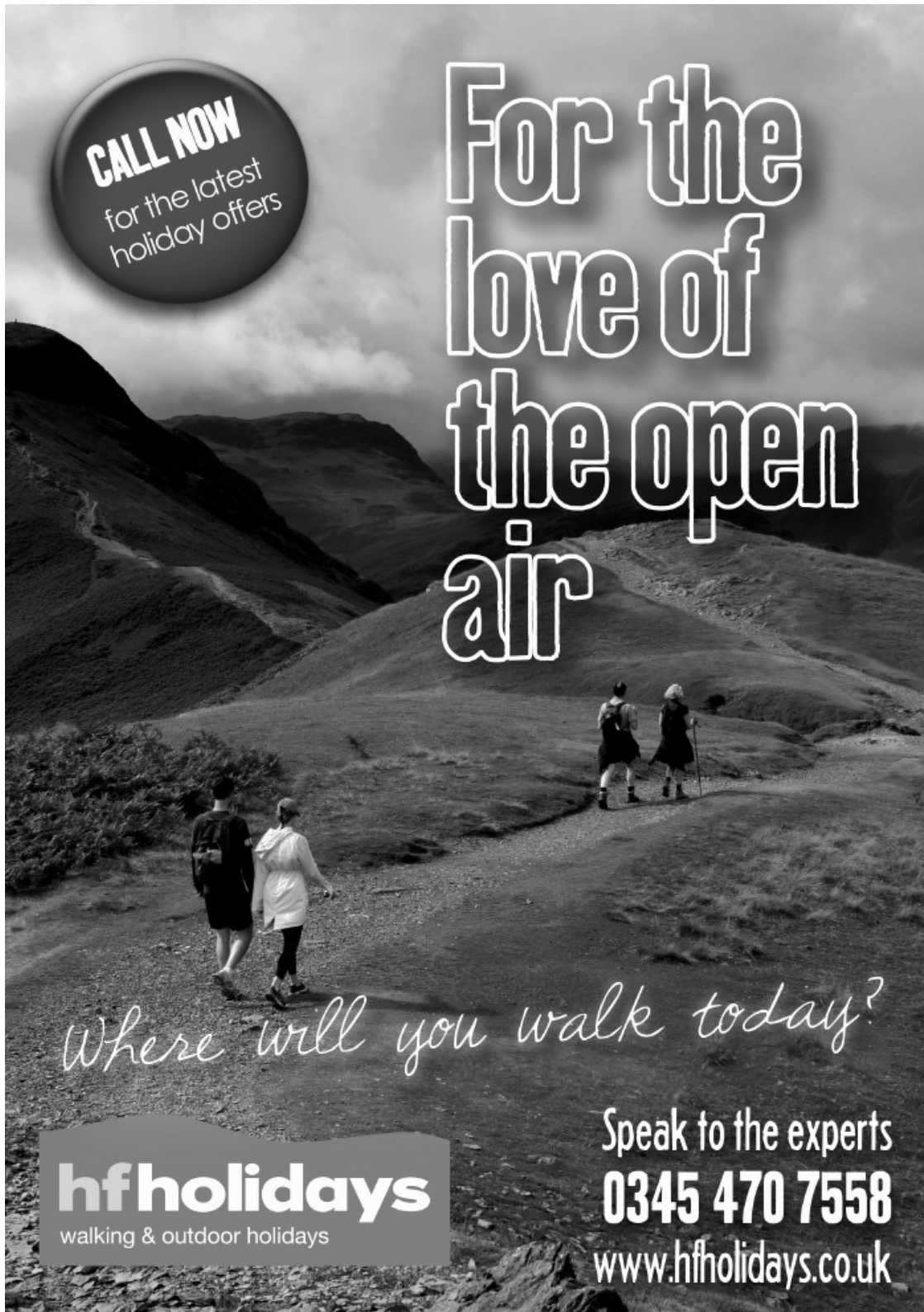
Starts at 10:00: Car park at Buriton Pond (GU31 5RT, SU740200)

Moderate pace with some steep climbs. Walk via Sunwood Farm, Ladyholt and Chalton. Map no OL8 old map no. EX120. Only one dog per owner please.

Circular walk

Local grade: C+

Contact: John & Liz, 07779 121439



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Walk Proposal Form



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R1,R2 and **O1,O2** only one has to be filled in, although both can be entered.

R Proposed date in format dd/mm/yy	
O Are there any other possible dates for this walk e.g. any time in August?	
R Title of walk including a location	
R Walk description. Add useful details about walk, e.g. steep hills, train times. Map number e.g. EX 144 List of places the walk goes through	
R Starting point grid reference including the two letter code e.g. SU538208	
R Starting location details e.g park on street in front of church in Hambledon	
R Start time of walk (24 hour clock) in format HH:MM (the colon is required)	
(R if there is a separate meeting point) Meeting location grid ref (if CRS is SU657051) Delete/alter accordingly	SU657051
O Meeting location details. Delete/alter accordingly e.g. meet near IOW ferry ticket office in Portsmouth Harbour Station. If leader is not going to the meeting point add “Leader to meet at start”	Cosham Railway Station
(R if field above is entered) Time at meeting place HH:MM	
R Linear/Circular (delete accordingly)	Linear Circular
(R if linear) add finish location gridref	
(R if linear) add finish location details e.g. Berwick Station with meal options available at nearby pub.	
R Grade (A or B or B+ or C or C+)	
R Distance in miles	
O Estimated finish time HH:MM (alter if significantly different from 16:00 otherwise the default 16:00 will be uploaded to Walks Finder)	16:00
R Leader first name	

R Leader surname	
R Leader display name (as shown on web)	
R1 Leader home phone number	'
R2 Leader mobile number	'
O Leader email address	
R Can the start of the walk be reached by public transport? (y or n)	
R Dogs welcome (y or n)	
O1 If total ascent known this can be added in feet	
O2 or metres	

Please forward the completed form to Chris Mac Arthur 35 Torrington Road, Portsmouth PO2 0TP as early as possible for each programme. "Late" walks may also be telephoned through – 023 9264 1737 or e-mail programme.co-ordinator@portsmouthramblers.org.uk but please try to ensure forms are used and submitted on time.

You can also download the form from the Portsmouth Ramblers website:

<http://www.portsmouthramblers.org.uk/leaders.html>

New walk leaders are always welcome for long or short walks. Don't be afraid to try. Committee members/walk leaders will be happy to help you with any problems.