

South Cotswold Ramblers

Our Walks Programme 3rd March to 4th April 2018



Sat 3 Mar Inspired by Horsfall House Moderate 11.5m Start 10:00 Est finish 16:00 Minchinhampton, Avening, Cheriton, Box. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix. Bring a picnic.

Leader - Jenny 01453 887419 on day 07749 032596 Meet 09:50 Minchinhampton, edge com. behind Church. (GL6 9JR) L162/E168 S0872009 Maps https://tinyurl.com/y9qxswbt

Mon 5 Mar A common connection Leisurely 4m Start 10:30 Est finish 13:00 Selsley Common, South and North Woodchester. Selsley village. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix. Hills taken at a gentle pace. Leaders - Mike and Heather 01453 873625 on day 07749 282087 Meet 10:20 Selsley Common main car park on B4066. (GL5 5PL) L162/E168 S0828026 Maps https://tinyurl.com/y9gna6fo

Wed 7 Mar Over the Moors Moderate 5m Start 10:00 Est finish 12:45 Bisley, Copsgrove, Toadsmoor Valley, Bismore, Crickety, Bisley. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix. Please pre-book food. Leaders - Brian and Ann 01452 770510 on day 07770 895035 Meet 09:50 Bisley, The Bear CP or on road if not using pub. (GL6 7BD) L163/E179 SO903060 Maps https://tinyurl.com/ycw82pss

Sat 10 Mar Foston's Ash West and East Moderate 9m Start 10:00 Est finish 16:00 morning 4.5 miles Overtown Farm, Sheepscombe Common. 1:30 pm approx. 4.5 miles Climperwell, Starveall. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix. Pre-order meal at Foston's Ash through leader, or bring a picnic. Leaders - Bill and Penny 01452 813094 Meet 09:50 Foston's Ash CP. Park on gravel starting from rear of CP. (GL6 7ES) L163/E179 S0914114 Maps http://tinyurl.com/y7bny9d7

Wed 14 Mar A walk for the Common people Moderate 5.5m Start 10:00 Est finish 13:00 Burleigh, Amberley and Box. A walk around the perimeters of the common. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix. Places nearby for lunch afterwards. Leaders - Steve and Rosemary 01453 860130 Meet 09:50 Minchinhampton, edge of common behind Church. (GL6 9JR) L162/E168 S0872009 Maps https://tinyurl.com/ybvwkrfv

Sat 17 Mar Another day in Paradise Moderate 5.5m Start 10:00 Est finish 12:45 Painswick stream, Olivers, Paradise. Terrain 3 Quite hilly. Leader - Olivia 01453 751716 Meet 09:50 Painswick Walkers CP, off B4073. (GL6 6RR) L162/E179 SO867104 Maps https://tinyurl.com/yaqcxh24

Mon 19 Mar Signs of Spring at Minchinhampton Leisurely 3.5m Start 10:30 Est finish 12:30 From Minchinhampton across the level, then down the hill to visit Hyde. Pleasant walk back along the ridge with lovely views. Terrain 1 Not much climbing. Hill at Hyde will be taken slowly. Leader - Jacqui 01666 826139 Meet 10:20 Minchinhampton, edge of common behind Church. (GL6 9JR) L162/E168 SO872009 Maps https://tinyurl.com/yd7j4fwd

Wed 21 Mar How long does fruit cake last? Moderate 6m Start 10:00 Est finish 13:15 A walk round the woods of Miserden to celebrate National Forest Day and to use up the fruit cake which didn't get eaten following the cancellation of the December walk. Terrain 3 Quite hilly. Pub lunch at end of walk. Order beforehand. Leaders - Richard and Diana 01453 762373 on day 07973 860669 Meet 09:50 Miserden, Carpenters Arms. Pub CP if using otherwise park considerately in road outside. (GL6 7JA) L163/E179 SO937088 Maps https://tinyurl.com/yavaedm3

Sat 24 Mar Pin back your ears Moderate 5.5m
Start 10:00 Est finish 13:00 Sapperton Tunnel Portal, Sapperton village, Dorval Wood, Pinbury Park and follow paths through woods to visit Daneway bands and Siccaridge Wood. Leaders - Tim S and Ann T 01242 530734 on day 07931 683162 Meet 09:50 Daneway Inn Car Park. Park tightly in CP if eating or drinking or in small space over the bridge. (GL7 6LN) L162/E179 SO939034 Maps https://tinyurl.com/ya5eoc6w

Wed 28 Mar Badminton, Bunker and Airfield Moderate 5m Start 10:00 Est finish 13:00 We walk west from Badminton to the escarpment above Horton passing an abandoned nuclear bunker and returning via the Badminton landing strip. Terrain 0 Level. Need to cross A46 twice with care. Some road walking. Leader - Derek T 01454 218691 on day 07711 445395 Meet 09:50 Badminton village, car share if possible and park considerately. Meet outside PO on High Street. (GL9 1DF) L167/E168 ST803826 Maps https://tinyurl.com/y8843ejf

Sat 31 Mar Woods, Valleys and Hills Moderate 8m Start 10:00 Est finish 14:30 Stinchcombe Golf Course, Hermitage Wood, Bowcot Farm, Laycombe Wood, Waterley Bottom and Breakheart Hill. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix. Steep in places. Bring a picnic. Leader - Allen M 01453 545588 on day 07780 356483 Meet 09:50Stinchcombe Hill Public Car Park (not Golf Course CP). (GL11 6AQ) L162/E167 ST743983 Maps https://tinyurl.com/ycamg9jf

Mon 2 Apr Over the fields & not that far away Leisurely 3.8m Start 10:30 Est finish 12:45 From Wotton-under-Edge across fields and past farms to Kingswood, alongside a stream, and over more fields, some woodland and back to Wotton. Terrain 1 Not much climbing. Leader - Colin (Kingswood) 01453 843716 on day 07525 453911 Meet 10:20 Wotton-u-Edge, Royal Oak, Haw St. Park at top end of CP if eating and pre-book snack or meal. If not, nearby Chipping CP or in town (GL12 7AP) L162/E167 ST755933 Maps https://tinyurl.com/ybc5nv8d

Wed 4 Apr Hillfort and Mills Moderate 5m
Start 10:00 Est finish13:00 Steep climb to Uley Bury and down.
Through fields past old mills and Owlpen Manor. Terrain 3
Quite hilly. Lunch at Old Crown Inn. Pre-Book before walk.
Leader - Colin (Amberley) 01453 872349 on day 07717 317510
Meet 09:50 Uley, outside Old Crown. Park on road by Church
or use pub car park at rear if visiting afterwards. (GL11 5SN)
L162/E168 ST791986 Maps https://tinyurl.com/ybsb94w8