

South Cotswold Ramblers

Our Walks Programme

late July to late August 2019



Mon 29 Jul Kingswood to Charfield Leisurely 3.8m
Start 10:30 Est finish 12:45 Through fields and alongside a railway track to Charfield. Terrain 1 Not much climbing. Some stiles and could be cows. Pubs and cafes in Wotton-under-Edge afterwards. **Leader - Colin B K** 01453 843716 on day 07525 453911. Meet 10:30 Kingswood, park considerably in village, meet on the Chipping outside Dinnewicks. (GL12 8RT) L162/E167 ST746917 <http://tinyurl.com/mapKingswood>

Wed 31 Jul Scout's honour Moderate 8.5m
Start 10:00 Est finish 14:45 Buckholt Wood, Witcombe Wood, Birdlip, Hazel Hangar Wood, Fostons Ash, Ebworth, Overtown. Terrain 3 Hilly. Bring a picnic. **Leaders - Jill and Sue** 01242 255994 on day 07815 786467. Meet 09:50 Cranham Scout Centre, Cranham (GL4 8HP) by kind permission of the Scout Centre (donation per car welcome). L162/E179 SO895130 <https://tinyurl.com/mapCranhamScoutCentre>

Thu 1 Aug Lamb not Bear Moderate 4m
Start 18:30 Est finish 20:30 Lamb Inn Eastcombe, Fidges Lane, Cricketty, Nash End, Eastcombe. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix with a steep descent down steps. No arrangements for food but option for a drink in The Lamb after walk. **Leaders - Brian and Ann** 01452 770510 on day 07770 895035. Meet 18:20 Eastcombe village green, park tidily. (GL6 7DP) L162/E168 SO890043 <https://tinyurl.com/mapEastcombeVillageGreen>

Sat 3 Aug Painswick Circular Moderate 9m
Start 10:00 Est finish 15:30 Wragg Castle, Skinners Mill and Damsells Farm. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix. Picnic. **Leaders - Penny and Bill B** 01452 813094 on day 07928 676713. Meet 09:50 Painswick Walkers CP, off B4073. (GL6 6RR) L162/E179 SO867104 <http://tinyurl.com/mapPainswickWCP>

Mon 5 Aug Bisley Again!! Leisurely 3.8m
Start 10:30 Est finish 12:45 The Readings, Battlescombe, Water Point, Nashend, Bisley. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix, small section of mud. Lunch at Bear Inn. Pre-book. **Leaders - Brian and Ann** 01452 770510 on day 07770 895035. Meet 10:20 Bisley, The Bear CP or street parking if not using pub. (GL6 7BD) L163/E179 SO903060 <http://tinyurl.com/mapBisleyBearCP>

Wed 7 Aug From Fort to Court Moderate 5.5m
Start 10:00 Est finish 13:00 Old Sodbury, Horton Court, Horton, Little Sodbury, route includes Cotswold Way. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix. **Leader - Derek T** 01454 218691 on day 07711 445395. Meet 09:50 Old Sodbury Church. Travel down A46. Turn R at traffic lights (Cross Hands Hotel). In Old Sodbury turn R at crossroads by Dog Inn. Go up to Church/Primary School and park considerably (BS37 6NB) L172/E155 ST756817 <http://tinyurl.com/mapOldSodburyChurch>

Thank you to Ron B for all his help in compiling this large programme and thanks in advance to Ann A for her help in the next one! Mike G

Thu 8 Aug In search of Abbey Road Moderate 3.5m
Start 18:30 Est finish 20:30 Down into Toadsmoor. Terrain 2 Fairly hilly but some level stretches. No arrangements for food but option for a drink in The Lamb after walk. **Leaders - Richard and Diana** 01453 762373 on day 07579 219065. Meet 18:20 Eastcombe, on or around village green, park considerably. (GL6 7DP) L162/E168 SO890043 <https://tinyurl.com/mapEastcombeVillageGreen>

Sat 10 Aug Chavenage in Reverse Moderate 5.5m
Start 10:00 Est finish 13:00 Macmillan Way, Avening Church, Avening Park, Lodgemore Bottom and Pond. Terrain 1 Not much climbing. **Leader - John G** 01452 728760. Meet 09:50 Chavenage Green. (GL8 8XS) L162/E168 ST865957 <http://tinyurl.com/mapChavenageGreen>

Wed 14 Aug Planes, trains, and automobiles (but no boats) Moderate 6.5m
Start 10:00 Est finish 13:30 Down to the river then Siccridge Wood, Dorvel Wood, Sapperton, return through woods and farmland. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix. **Leaders - Malcolm & Helena** 07817 395486. Meet at 09:50 Cowcombe Hill, lay by at top. (GL6 8HR) L162/E168 SO909019 <http://tinyurl.com/mapCowcombeHillLayby>

Thu 15 Aug Purton in Summer Moderate 4m
Start 18:30 Est finish 20:30 Severn Way to Sharpness, returning via Hinton over fields and along a short stretch of minor road. Terrain 2 Hilly and level mix. **Leader - Karen** 01453 545824. Meet 18:20 Purton CP, alongside canal, opposite church (GL13 9HS) OL14/L162 SO692041 <http://tinyurl.com/mapPurtonCP>

Sat 17 Aug Success at last Moderate 7.6m
Start 10:00 Est finish 14.30 Over to Lower Wick, Damery, Woodford and back through Berkeley. Terrain 1 Almost completely flat walk but some challenging stiles. Coffee and lunch stop. **Leader - Ann A** 01453 839089 day 07931 114439. Meet 09:50 Chapel Hill, Newport, lay by off the A38 opposite the old Newport Towers, down in the dip (GL13 9PZ) L162/E167 ST698974 <http://tinyurl.com/mapNewportLayby>

Mon 19 Aug Top of Stinchcombe Hill Leisurely 3.5m
Start 10:30 Est finish 12:30 Drakestone Point, Cotswold Way, Sheep Path Wood, Golf Course. Terrain 1 Not much climbing. **Leader - Jacqui P** 01666 826139. Meet 10:20 Stinchcombe Hill Public Car Park (not Golf Course CP). (GL11 6AQ) L162/E167 ST743983 <http://tinyurl.com/mapStinchcombeHillCP>

Wed 21 Aug Acknowledging Ivor and Enid Moderate 5m
Start 10:00 Est finish 13:00 The banks of the Severn, a medieval tithe barn, Ashleworth Quay. Pre-order food. Terrain 1 Not much climbing. **Leader - Graham B** 01452 725405. Meet 09:50 Ashleworth Quay, Boat Inn CP (turn R off A417 at Hartbury then R in Ashleworth to Boat Inn. Small CP, but space in nearby lane. Car share if possible. (GL19 4HZ) L162/E179 SO818251 <https://tinyurl.com/mapAshleworthQuayBoatInn>