

WOKING AND DISTRICT GROUP OF THE RAMBLERS ASSOCIATION

Programme Number 69

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November 2008 to February 2009

Notes:

GR – Grid references on Ordnance Survey 1:25,000 Explorer series.

Car Share – Meeting place is at the discretion of the leader, but for Sunday walks will generally be Heathside Crescent CP, Woking (free on Sundays). As car share is entirely voluntary, pick-up cannot be guaranteed. Please check with the leader if in doubt

PH – Public House close to lunch stop, but note there is no certainty that food will always be available.

Coffee/tea stops – Unless stated otherwise, you should bring your own refreshments.

Grading – Unless stated otherwise, there will be some ascents/descents on walks, but nothing too strenuous

Please contact the leader nearer the date if you need further details, especially if severe weather is expected.

Date	Time	Meeting Place	Dist (m/s)	Walk Area & General Comments	Car share	Leader/ phone number
Sunday 2/11/08	10.00	Burdenshot Rd CP, Worplesdon (adjacent Jolly Farmer PH) Exp 145 SU987543	8	Leisurely walk around Whitmoor Common & Sutton Green. Picnic lunch near PH	9.35	Robin 01276 485866
Sunday 9/11/08	10.00	Headley Heath NT CP (fee payable) Exp 146 TQ205540	10	An undulating walk around Buckland to Reigate Heath. Several steep hills. Picnic lunch near PH. No dogs please.	9.15 (Pyrford Common)	Erica 01483 770484
Tuesday 11/11/08	10.00	Gracious Pond CP, Chobham Exp 160 SU994635	5.5	Leisurely morning walk around Longcross, Langshott, Larkenshaw and Stanners Hill.		Brian 01483 480651
Saturday 15/11/08	10.00	Barley Mow Woods, Knaphill Exp 145 SU966590	-	Footpath clearance work. Please ring Brian for further details before leaving home in case it is cancelled.		Brian 01483 480651
Sunday 16/11/08	10.00	Top end of College Ride, Bagshot Exp 160 SU901629	8	A moderate walk around Swinley Forest, over open land except for 2 road crossings. Good walk for dogs. Lunch stop near café.		Duncan 01276 22767
Tuesday 18/11/08	10.00	Chinthurst Hill CP, Shalford Exp 145 TQ014462	5.5	Leisurely morning walk below Chinthurst Hill to Peasmarsh, Wey Navigation and Shalford. Stop for coffee - bring your own.		Jane B 01932 343849
Saturday 22/11/08	9.30	Blackheath CP, near The Villagers PH. Exp 145 TQ036462	11	Moderate walk over Blackheath and Farley Heath to Shamley Green. Picnic lunch close to PH. Joint walk with Mole Valley Group.		Anne 01483 234757
Sunday 23/11/08	9.45	Abinger Roughts CP Exp 146 TQ110480	11	Moderate walk along NDW to Westcott and Abinger Common. One steep hill near start. Picnic lunch near PH	9.00	Mike 01483 760655
Sunday 30/11/08	10.00 13.45	Chobham Village CP Exp 160 SU975619 Chobham Parish Pavilion, Station Road Exp 160 SU974616	5	Leisurely morning walk around the Chobham area, to be followed by Woking Group AGM at the Parish Pavilion. There will be a light complimentary lunch for Group members at 12.30, before the start of the AGM. Please ring Anne if you plan to attend for lunch. The AGM will be followed by a short presentation on recent Ramblers' Holidays taken in Croatia and France by Douglas (a member of the South East Berks Group) entitled 'Rooftops and Hilltops'.		Robin 01276 485866 (walk) Anne 01483 234757 (lunch)

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Wednesday 3/12/08	10.00	Newlands Corner CP Exp 145 TQ044492	7	Moderate morning walk along Tillingbourne Valley and up Martha's Hill.		Anne 01483 234757
Sunday 7/12/08	10.00	Shalford Rail Station Exp 145 TQ003471	5	Leisurely morning walk along Wey Navigation to Sandy Lane.		Sheila 01483 422361
Thursday 11/12/08	10.00	New Haw Lock CP, off A318 to Byfleet Exp 160 TQ055630	6	Leisurely morning walk along River Wey to Weybridge and Thames Lock. Stop for (your own) coffee, with optional café on return.		Jane B 01932 343849
Sunday 14/12/08	10.00	Stoney Rock CP, Ranmore Common Exp 146 TQ124506	8	Moderate walk around Ranmore Common and along the NDW. Picnic lunch only.		Erica 01483 770484
Wednesday 17/12/08	10.00	Wood Street Village Green Exp 145 SU954510	6	Leisurely morning walk around Wood Street Village		Anne 01483 234757
Tuesday 23/12/08	10.00	Park close to road junction by Longdown Hill, Pirbright Exp 145 SU918556	5.5	Leisurely morning walk along Old Guildford Road to Frimley canal centre, Ash Vale & Tunnel Hill.		Brian 01483 480651
Saturday 27/12/08	10.00	Sheepleas CP, Horsley Exp 145 TQ085514	6	Festival of Winter Walks. Moderate morning walk through the Effingham Forest to see the Lovelace bridges. Could be muddy.		Charles 0208 9796273
Sunday 28/12/08	10.30	Sunningdale Rail Station Exp 160 SU952668	8	Festival of Winter Walks Leisurely walk over Chobham Common to Brick Hill, and back through Sunningdale Golf Club. Picnic lunch near PH.		Robin 01276 485866
Friday 2/01/09	10.00	Christ Church Foyer, Woking	-	Walks Leaders' Meeting. Those who would like to lead a walk in the next programme but are unable to attend should phone Erica before this date.		Erica 01483 770484
Sunday 4/01/09	9.45	Woking Rail Station - free parking in Heathside Crescent CP Exp 145 TQ007587	12	Moderate <u>linear</u> walk from Virginia Water Rail station to Woking, via Chertsey Common, Chobham Common and Horsell Common. Picnic lunch only. Catch 9.52 train from Woking to Virginia Water, arriving @ 10.12. Buy single ticket.		Brian 01483 480651
Tuesday 6/01/09	10.00	Blackheath CP, near The Villagers PH Exp 145 TQ036462	5.5	Leisurely morning walk over Blackheath to Chilworth Manor and along the Downs Link. One short climb. Stop for (your own) coffee, with optional pub lunch at end of walk.		Jane B 01932 343849
Sunday 11/01/09	10.00	Puttenham Common upper CP Exp 145 SU920462	8.5	Moderate walk along NDW to Crooksbury Hill. Picnic lunch.		Jane W 01483 763606
Thursday 15/01/09	10.00	Withies Lane, Compton Exp145 SU964467	4	Leisurely morning walk around Compton.		Sheila 01483 422361
Sunday 18/01/09	10.00	Echo Pit CP (ample parking spaces in surrounding streets if full) Exp 145 TQ004484	10	A pleasantly mixed moderate walk, taking in Merrow Downs, Newlands Corner, Albury and the Chantries. Picnic lunch near PH.	9.20	Mike 01483 760655

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Wednesday 21/01/09	10.00	Chobham Village CP Exp 160 SU975619	5	Leisurely morning walk around the outskirts of Chobham.		Robin 01276 485866
Saturday 24/01/09	10.00	Westhanger CP, Shere Exp 145 TQ070493	10.5	Moderate walk over Netley Heath and Mountain Wood to Blake's Lane and East Clandon. Picnic lunch near PH. Joint walk with Mole Valley Group. No dogs please.	9.30 (Pyrford Common)	Erica 01483 770484
Sunday 25/01/09	10.00 12.45	Shere Heath CP Exp 145 TQ071470 The Manor Hotel, Newlands Corner Exp 145 TQ045498	5	Leisurely morning walk around Shere, to see the snowdrops. Woking Group Annual Lunch. Please contact Anne after 10/01/09 for further details including menu options and prices.		Anne 01483 234757
Tuesday 27/01/09	10.00	Normandy Village CP Exp 145 SU926515	6	Leisurely morning walk to Strawberry Farm, Catherine Firth, Gravelpit hill and Dolleyshill.		Brian 01483 480651
Sunday 1/02/09	9.30	Bramley old rail station Exp 145 TQ010451	14	Moderate walk along the Wey South path and over the Surrey hills. Picnic lunch near PH.		Nigel 01276 473702
Wednesday 4/02/09	10.00	Pirbright Green CP Exp 145 SU946561	5	Leisurely morning walk to Fox Corner and Pirbright Manor		Robin 01276 485866
Saturday 7/02/09	10.30	Chicester Hall, Witley Exp 133 SU948395	5 or 3	Choice of leisurely morning walks prior to the Surrey Area AGM. There will be a complimentary light lunch for those attending the AGM, which is due to start at 14.00. Guest speaker will be Kate Ashbrook.		
Sunday 8/02/09	10.00	Farncombe Rail Station Exp 145 SU976452	10.5	Moderate walk to Thorncombe Street, Shamley Green and Bramley. Picnic lunch near PH.	9.30	Sue 01483 760023
Thursday 12/02/09	10.00	Burnt Common lay-by, Send Exp 145 TQ036545	5.5	Leisurely morning walk to Papercourt, River Wey and Send Marsh. Stop for coffee - bring your own.		Jane B 01932 343849
Sunday 15/02/09	10.00	Shapley Heath, Phoenix Green, Hants. Exp 144 SU756546	12.5	Three Castles Path - Stage 8. Moderate walk along the Basingstoke canal and through West Green, Hazeley Heath and Hartley Wintney. Picnic lunch near PH.	9.00	Erica 01483 770484
Sunday 22/02/09	10.00	Horsley Rail Station Exp 145 TQ092545	11	Moderate walk through West Horsley, Sheepleas, Pump Pond Wood, Effingham and Greatlee Wood. Picnic lunch near PH.		Charles 0208 9796273
Wednesday 25/02/09	10.00	Chobham Village CP Exp 160 SU975619	6	Leisurely morning walk around the southern outskirts of Chobham.		Robin 01276 485866