THE RAMBLERS - EAST BERKS GROUP

WALKS PROGRAMME: November - December 2026

Everyone is very welcome to walk with East Berks Ramblers, including under 18s and vulnerable adults, who must be accompanied by an adult. In this programme: 7 long walks, 11 short walks and 3 Strollathons

Our walks are mainly moderate, but taken at different speeds and with different amounts of ascent and decent. Generally short walks are slower, flatish and under 6 miles; with long walks being slightly faster and hillier. More details on EBR web page.

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Please ensure that you are fit enough and have suitable footwear, clothing, food and drink for the walk you intend to join. Leaders may refuse to accept participants who in their opinion are inadequately equipped or unfit. For your own safety please abide by the advice and guidelines issued by organisers and the instructions of the walk leader. Be aware that you walk at your own risk, and that it is your responsibility to behave sensibly and minimise the potential for accidents to occur. Please carry an emergency phone number. If the weather is / has been bad, please check the website to see if the walk has been cancelled or amended.

Extra walks, led at short notice, and changes to walks, may be found on the EBR website.

For all walks - Assistance dogs only.

Date/Time	Walk Description and Details
Wednesday 04 Nov 10:00 am	**Lane End to Fingest to Lane End** Leader(s): Rikki D. 07575 212444 Class: Moderate; Distance: 6.7 miles; Total Ascent: 581 feet We will meet at the entrance to the HWC car park in Lane End. From there we walk a large loop around the Chiltern countryside passing through 3 separate, mixed deciduous woods and across dairy farms and sheep pastures. At the roughly halfway point we pass through the hamlet of Fingest and the Chequers Inn, used in The Midsommer Murders TV series. We cross 3 stiles and there are 2 very short sections on very small minor roads. There is a total ascent of 177m overall. The steepest ascent coming just after Fingest 80m - 158m over about 0.75 Km. Toilet facilities are available at The Chequers Inn in Fingest. Start: High Wycombe Council car park, with public conveniences. Grid Ref: SU806918; Post Code: HP14 3HB; W3W: geek.surprises.note
Wednesday 04 Nov 10:15 am	**Crowsley Park and the Baskerville Legacy** Leader(s): Barbara S. 07764 602808 Class: Moderate; Distance: 5.5 miles; Total Ascent: 290 feet This is a varied walk through woodlands and open fields. The route passes through Crowsley Park, once owned by the Baskerville family, whose love of large dogs inspired the famous Sherlock Holmes story. There will be a pub lunch after the walk if desired. Assistance dogs only, please Start: Start from the Bottle and Glass pub, Binfield Heath Grid Ref: SU743793; Post Code: RG9 4JX; W3W: generals.remit.intensely

Wednesday 11 Nov 10:00 am	**Mill End-Medmenham: a river, a tunnel and a fort** Leader(s): Sally W. 07721 494496 Class: Moderate; Distance: 8.6 miles; Total Ascent: 600 feet The first half of the walk from Mill End is flat and close to the River Thames where we will see some colourful vessels moored. We head away from the river to skirt the bottom of the chalk escarpment close to Danesfield House Hotel, eventually reaching a steep climb to a brick tunnel which goes under its front lawn. The route then takes us through the picturesque Rassler Wood before descending and climbing again to Daneshill Camp, a prehistoric hillfort. After a short section on pavement alongside the A4155 we climb steeply up through woods and open grassland before descending to our start via water meadows. There are three steep climbs up and down but no stiles. Some people may prefer to have a torch for the short section of tunnel. Guide dogs only please. Start: Park in the public (pay) carpark off Skirmett Road (between Mill End and Hambleden) Grid Ref: SU785854; Post Code: RG9 6TL; W3W: evidently.primed.intention
Wednesday 11 Nov 10:15 am	**Pinkneys Green and RAF memorial** Leader(s): Christine B. 07473 160665 Class: Moderate; Distance: 4.5 miles This is a flat walk through woods, passing by Stubbings Church, to the RAF memorial in Carpenter's Wood. We will return through Burchetts Green and across the fields. Assistance dogs only, please Start: Free NT car park off Pinkneys Drive Grid Ref: SU854815; Post Code: SL6 6QG; W3W: recruited.digested.reporting
Thursday 12 Nov 10:30 am	**Strollathon from Guards Club** Leader(s): Dotty L. 07421 305675 Class: Easy; Distance: 2.2 miles This will be an easy, flat walk along the river from the Guards Club park to Boulters Lock and Ray Mill Island. We will stop for refreshments either on the island or at Jenners, depending on the weather. Accessible on bus routes 15 and 53 from Maidenhead to Maidenhead Bridge. Assistance dogs only, please. Start: Guards Club car park. From Oldfield Road, opposite small off-licence, turn into Oldacres and go to the end for car park. Grid Ref: SU900810; Post Code: SL6 1TU; W3W: than.slam.gears
Wednesday 18 Nov 10:00 am	**Hambleden to Old Luxters** Leader(s): Ian I. 07802 794483 Class: Moderate; Distance: 7.4 miles; Total Ascent: 553 feet A pleasant walk from Hambleden up a pretty valley to The Great Wood. Bananas will be taken at Old Luxters Winery and Brewery where refreshment and toilets are available. There will also be an opportunity to purchase a bottle of wine or beer for Christmas. We will return following the Hambleden Valley. Assistance dogs only, please Start: Park considerately in Hambleden Village or in Car Park by Stag and Huntsman (charge). Meet in car park. Grid Ref: SU785865; Post Code: RG9 6SG; W3W: pelting.events.comedians

Wednesday 18 Nov 10:15 am	**Pleasant walk from Knowl Hill** Leader(s): Jacqui J.; Viv W. 07939 871143 Class: Moderate; Distance: 3.7 miles This will be a pleasant country walk with slight hills and valleys around Knowl Hill. Assistance dogs only, please. Start: Park in the layby off the A4 near the Square Deal Cafe. Grid Ref: SU822794; Post Code: RG10 9UR; W3W: proofread.gloves.rural
Sunday 22 Nov 10:00 am	**Maidenhead Thicket and Pinkneys Green** Leader(s): Malcolm S. 07733 426699 Class: Moderate; Distance: 5.9 miles Starting from the Little Thicket Car Park, this is a mainly flat walk through woodland, across fields and along some country lanes. Finally, crossing the main Maidenhead Thicket Common and the A4 Bath Road, to return to our Start Point If anyone can give me a lift to the Start, it would be appreciated. I live in Cox Green, Maidenhead. Give me a call on 07733 426699 to agree details of pick-up. Start: National Trust Little Thicket Car Park. Off Cannon Lane, Maidenhead next to A404(M) flyover. Nearest Post Code SL6 4QQ. Small Car Park, car share where possible. Additional Parking on other side of Cannon Lane, on roadside below Tittle Row Stores, 129-131 Altwood Road, Maidenhead SL6 4QF Grid Ref: SU859803; Post Code: SL6 4QQ; W3W: envoy.pizzeria.alarming
Wednesday 25 Nov 10:00 am	**Circular walk from Witheridge Hill via Grey's Court** Leader(s): Margaret C. 07740 283623 Class: Moderate; Distance: 6.7 miles; Total Ascent: 471 feet Leaving The Rising Sun we walk through several fields, the last of which has several inquisitive Alpacas. We then walk on a track through woods and bridleways taking in the estate owned by the Fleming family and a statue of a knight believed to be a prop in one of the James Bond movies. The walk continues through woods to reach Grey's Court where there is a possible loo break. Please bring your NT card if you are a member. We continue through Greys's green and Shepherd's Green through woods and footpaths to the pub. There are undulations and one significant hill. Assistance dogs only, please Start: Park tidily in the Rising Sun car park. As you turn in, park to the far left of the carpark. Grid Ref: SU696840; Post Code: RG9 5PF; W3W: mega.grand.vitamins
Wednesday 25 Nov 10:15 am	**The Frieth Round - Ni Esrever** Leader(s): Simon C. 07930 378837 Class: Moderate; Distance: 4.5 miles Starring: Sea NickViews, Woody Land, Veg Etation, Muddi Bits-Likely, Nostyles Atall, Ani Mals, Footfall results- Descent Rovers 8- Ascent United 8 Hilly Assistance dogs only, please Start: B482 from Marlow. Right just after lights in Lane End into free car park with toilets. Grid Ref: SU807918; Post Code: HP14 3HB; W3W: nearly.inflates.oval

Thursday 26 Nov 10:30 am	**Strollathon around Ockwells Park** Leader(s): Dotty L. 07421 305675 Class: Easy; Distance: 2 miles This will be a level short walk with plenty of wildlife and vegetation to explore. We will have coffee at Juniors cafe afterwards. Assistance dogs only, please Start: Car park at Ockwells Park Grid Ref: SU878789; Post Code: SL6 3YU; W3W: chip.inches.foam
Saturday 28 Nov 10:00 am	**Area AGM Longer Walk: Bowsey and Ashley Hills** Leader(s): Graham S. 07539 569472 Class: Moderate; Distance: 5.3 miles; Total Ascent: 550 feet A circuit around the two low hills located on the north side of A4, sometimes known as "The Camel's Humps". This is the longer walk for those attending the Area AGM at Knowl Hill Village Hall. You are also welcome to just come on the walk. Start: Please use the Knowl Hill Village Hall car park. Grid Ref: SU822794; Post Code: RG10 9UR; W3W: alcove.acquaint.windpipe
Saturday 28 Nov 10:30 am	**Area AGM Shorter Walk: Ashley Hill and Sand Pit** Leader(s): Linda F. 07547 727042 Class: Leisurely; Distance: 3.7 miles; Total Ascent: 373 feet This will be a varied walk, across fields and through woodlands. There is a nice view from Ashley Hill, which we will take at a leisurely pace. This is the shorter walk for those attending the Area AGM. You are welcome to just come on the walk. Assistance dogs only, please Start: Please park in the Knowl Hill Village Hall car park. Grid Ref: SU823795; Post Code: RG10 9XB; W3W: transcribes.flashback.jams
Sunday 29 Nov 10:15 am	**Hurley, Frogmill and Temple Park** Leader(s): Eleanor G. 07554 913570 Class: Moderate; Distance: 4 miles Quiet lanes, fields and about two miles of Thames Path. Potential to shorten the walk if needed, back to car park from Hurley Lock. Assistance dogs only, please Start: Hurley village car park, opposite church. No charge. Grid Ref: SU825840; Post Code: SL6 5NB; W3W: heaven.uses.tank
Wednesday 02 Dec 10:00 am	**Maidensgrove -South West** Leader(s): Richard W. 07980 147412 Class: Moderate; Distance: 7.2 miles; Total Ascent: 800 feet A circular walk starting from Maidensgrove, heading towards Russells Water, then onto Park Corner, next skirting north of Nettlebed, to Crocker End, before joining the Oxfordshire Way northward back to the start. Assistant dogs only please Start: Park on the side of Park Lane Grid Ref: SU720887; Post Code: RG9 6EX; W3W: curable.amuse.recording

Wednesday 09 Dec 10:00 am	**Marlow Common to Hambleden and back** Leader(s): Graham S. 07539 569472 Class: Moderate; Distance: 7 miles; Total Ascent: 800 feet A moderately hilly walk starting from Marlow Common and walking towards Hambleden village, where we will have a banana break, and then returning by a different route. Start: Please use one of the parking places along the unfenced road between Pullingshill Wood and Davenport Wood (beware ditches!) and then meet where the Chiltern Way crosses this road. Do not rely solely on the postcode which is for houses off Marlow Common road. Grid Ref: SU822865; Post Code: SL7 2QR; W3W: command.stooping.snores
Wednesday 09 Dec 10:15 am	**Three Greens** Leader(s): Christine B. 07473 160665 Class: Moderate; Distance: 4 miles This will be a pleasant, flat walk through woods and open countryside. We will walk through the woods to Burchetts Green, and then across fields to Littlewick Green, returning via Cherry Garden Lane. Assistance dogs only, please Start: Meet at the free National Trust car park off Henley Road, Maidenhead Grid Ref: SU857809; Post Code: SL6 4LU; W3W: instilled.sends.lordship
Thursday 10 Dec 10:30 am	**Strollathon along the river from Eton Wick** Leader(s): Kaye C. 07833 241407 Class: Easy; Distance: 2 miles Taking it at an easy pace, we will be walking over the fields and alongside the river. There will be lovely views of the river. After the walk we will retire to the local cafe for refreshments. Assistance dogs only, please. Toilets are available in the cafe, at the end of the walk. Start: The walk starts from the free car park on the south side of the B3026. Near the shopping parade and in front of the Football and Social Club. If coming by public transport, bus 15 runs from Slough station and from Maidenhead , Market Street. Get off at Haywards Mead. Grid Ref: SU948784; Post Code: SL4 6LT; W3W: news.record.cape
Wednesday 16 Dec 10:00 am	**Piddington, West Wycombe, Wheeler End** Leader(s): Keith D. 07900 354315 Class: Moderate; Distance: 6.2 miles; Total Ascent: 900 feet Panoramic views. Approx. 900ft. of ascent including steep hills and stiles. Assistance dogs only. Start: Park in Piddington, (A40) in the layby near Dashwood Arms. Grid Ref: SU807942; Post Code: HP14 3BH; W3W: chatted.carriage.audit

Wednesday 16 Dec 10:15 am	**Traditional pre Christmas walk (shorter)** Leader(s): Barbara S.; Linda F. 07764 602808 Class: Leisurely; Distance: 4.2 miles; Total Ascent: 400 feet This is a lovely walk through woods and fields to build up an appetite for lunch. There are some hills and a couple of steepish descents. Christmas lunch must be pre-ordered, contact Barbara Skaife on lunch@eastberksramblers.org to book a place. You are welcome to just come on the walk. Assistance dogs only, please Start: Park in the Dashwood Roadhouse, or on the Old Oxford road outside. Grid Ref: SU807942; Post Code: HP14 3BH; W3W: tucked.squeaking.slips
Wednesday 23 Dec 10:00 am	**Maidenhead Thicket and Pinkneys Green** Leader(s): Malcolm S. 07733 426699 Class: Moderate; Distance: 5.9 miles Starting from the Little Thicket Car Park, this is a mainly flat walk through woodland, across fields and along some country lanes. Finally, crossing the main Maidenhead Thicket Common and the A4 Bath Road, to return to our Start Point If anyone can give me a lift to the Start, it would be appreciated. I live in Cox Green, Maidenhead. Give me a call on 07733 426699 to agree details of pick-up. Start: National Trust Little Thicket Car Park. Off Cannon Lane, Maidenhead next to A404(M) flyover. Nearest Post Code SL6 4QQ. Small Car Park, car share where possible. Additional Parking on other side of Cannon Lane, on roadside below Tittle Row Stores, 129-131 Altwood Road, Maidenhead SL6 4QF Grid Ref: SU859803; Post Code: SL6 4QQ; W3W: envoy.pizzeria.alarming