

North Hertfordshire Ramblers Group

Notes for Walkers.



Walks Leaders need to belong to Ramblers for insurance reasons.

Unaccompanied children. Everyone under 18 must be accompanied by a responsible adult, such as a parent, guardian, teacher or youth worker.

Dogs. No dogs, please, other than registered assistance dogs, or on DOG FRIENDLY walks.

Car parking. When parking please consider the needs of residents and the local community. Where appropriate, seek permission, and consider making a financial contribution.

Car sharing. On Sundays we encourage members to share lifts to and from the walk, from the meeting place in either Stevenage or Hitchin. If you wish to make a voluntary contribution towards the driver's expenses we suggest £2 per passenger as reasonable for return journeys of up to half an hour each way, increased pro rata for longer journeys.

Call the Leader in advance if you wish to go straight to the start of the walk.

All Day Walks. Please bring a packed lunch and drink for all-day walks. When we are able to eat in a pub garden, please ensure you buy a drink at the bar to maintain goodwill.

Ramblers. After two or three "taster" walks we invite you to join Ramblers. As a member you are welcome to join the walks of any Group throughout the country. Please ask the leader for an Application Form, or join on-line at: www.ramblers.org.uk, or call 020 3961 3232.

Walks Programme April to July 2020

Check the Group website at www.nhrg.org.uk for updates and last minute changes.

Date		Start	Walk	Length	Contact
Saturday 4 April		10:00 The Horns, Bull's Green, (SG3 6RZ, TL271174)	<u>Dog Friendly walk</u> Bull's Green	5m 8km	Leon Fotiadis, 07525 796814
Saturday 4 April		10:00 Park in Lower Green Rd, Tewin, beside the Green (AL6 0LA, TL272147)	<u>Morning walk</u> Tewin	6.3m 10.1km	Gabriela Lovelace, 01462 432071 or 07788 505045
Sunday 5 April		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	<u>All day</u> Sandy Green Wheel	9m 14.5km	Gabriela Lovelace, 01462 432071 or 07788 505045
Saturday 11 April		10:00 Waggoners, Ayot Green (AL6 9AA, TL222138)	<u>Dog Friendly walk</u> Ayot Green	5m 8km	Mark Brumwell, 01438 715799 or 07887 562917
Saturday 11 April		10:00 Benington recreation ground, Oaktree Close (SG2 7QZ, TL305235)	<u>Morning walk</u> Walk 7 from "Ten Walks in North Herts"	5.6m 9km	Naomi Davies, 01438 869620
Sunday 12 April		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	<u>All day</u> E-walk 75, Codicote, Kimpton, Ayot St Lawrence	10m 16.1km	Peter Hill, 07941 889066
Saturday 18 April		10:00 The Hermit of Redcoats, Titmore Green, (SG4 7JR, TL212265)	<u>Dog Friendly walk</u> Titmore Green	5m 8km	Jenny Mason, 01438 871580 or 07827 908778
Saturday 18 April		10:00 Limited parking on the green by The Bright Star, Peters Green, car share where possible (LU2 9QP, TL141189)	<u>Morning walk</u> Upper Lea Valley and Somerles Castle.	6.5m 10.5km	Gill Waldock, 01438 315848

Sunday 19 April		09:30 Deamers, 67 High Street, Old Town, Stevenage, (SG1 3AG, TL233251)	All day E-walk 191, Much Hadham, Perry Green, Wilford	8m 12.9km	Leon Fotiadis, 07525 796814
Saturday 25 April		10:00 The Five Bells, Henlow, (SG16 6AE, TL176389)	Dog Friendly walk Henlow	6m 9.7km	Candace Harding, 07791 470834
Saturday 25 April		Train 08:29 Letchworth, 08:41 Hitchin, 08:47 Stevenage, to East Croydon. Buy Travel Card. Check times on website.	All Day London Loop leg 5 Hamsey Green to Banstead Downs	10m 16.1km	Dave Weston 01438 722301
Sunday 26 April		09:30 Deamers, 67 High Street, Old Town, Stevenage, (SG1 3AG, TL233251)	All day E-walk 140, Whitwell, Codicote, Knebworth	10.6m 17.1km	Leon Fotiadis, 07525 796814
Saturday 2 May to Sunday 10 May		Stevenage Walking Festival. All our regular walks, including Saturday, Sunday, Midweek and Dog Friendly are included in the Festival brochure, distributed with this Newsletter. Copies of the brochure are also available at several local outlets, or on the festival website: https://swf.nhr.org.uk			
Saturday 16 May		10:00 The Bull, Much Hadham, (SG10 6BU, TL427194)	Dog Friendly walk Much Hadham	5m 8km	Mark Brumwell, 01438 715799 or 07887 562917
Saturday 16 May		Outing to Brighton Train trip to Brighton with the option of a 10 mile walk across the South Downs, or spend time sightseeing in Brighton. Deadline for booking Saturday 9 May. See page 6 of the Newsletter.			
Sunday 17 May		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	Morning walk Preston, Poynders End, St Paul's Walden	5.8m 9.3km	Chris Young, 01462 454952 or 07508 471928
Sunday 17 May		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	All day Preston, St Paul's Walden, Austage End	9.9m 15.9km	Chris Young, 01462 454952 or 07508 471928
Saturday 23 May		10:00 The Old George, Ickleford, (SG5 3UX, TL182315)	Dog Friendly walk Ickleford	5m 8km	Sue Allenby, 07879 692092
Saturday 23 May		10:00 Park in Common Road, Kensworth (near no.268), (LU6 2PL, TL025183)	Morning walk Kensworth, Whipsnade, Hollywell	7.7m 12.4km	Gabriela Lovelace, 01462 432071 or 07788 505045
Sunday 24 May		09:30 Deamers, 67 High Street, Old Town, Stevenage, (SG1 3AG, TL233251)	Morning walk Ware, Hertford	6m 9.7km	Rosemary Purcell, 01438 243453 or 07958 503044
Sunday 24 May		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	All day Ivinghoe Beacon, Ridgeway	10.5m 16.9km	Gabriela Lovelace, 01462 432071 or 07788 505045
Saturday 30 May		10:00 The Royal Oak, Barton, (MK45 4JX, TL081308)	Dog Friendly walk Barton	5m 8km	Tony Dolphin, 07788 678565
Saturday 30 May		10:00 Benington Village Hall, 3 Walkern Rd, Benington, (SG2 7LN, TL297239)	Morning walk Walkern, Aston End, your chance to see our new bench...	5.8m 9.4km	Leon Fotiadis, 07525 796814
Sunday 31 May		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	All day E-walk 33, Old Warden	10.9m 17.5km	Liz Salmon, 07979 731239
Wednesday 3 June		18:30 The Fox, Willian, (SG6 2AE, TL224306)	Evening Dog Friendly Willian	5m 8km	Alison Gillan, 07487 270648 or 01462 683911

Saturday 6 June		10:00 The Red Lion, Preston, (SG4 7UD, TL180246)	<u>Dog Friendly walk</u> Colin Gatehouse Memorial Walk - Preston	5m 8km	Jenny Mason, 01438 871580 or 07827 908778
Saturday 6 June		10:00 John Rand Recreation Ground, Holwell (SG5 3SG, TL167332)	<u>Morning walk</u> Holwell, Ickleford, Ramerick	7m 11.3km	Helen Pardoe 07910 751883
Sunday 7 June		09:30 Deamers, 67 High Street, Old Town, Stevenage, (SG1 3AG, TL233251)	<u>Morning walk</u> Lemsford, Coleman Green, Walk 8 from "Ten More Walks in North Herts"	6.3m 10.1km	Pat Rumpus, 01438 557529 or 07864 085193
Wednesday 10 June		18:30 Red Lion, Great Offley (SG5 3DZ, TL145266)	<u>Evening Dog Friendly</u> Great Offley	5m 8km	Candace Harding, 07791 470834
Saturday 13 June		10:00 The Bull, Watton at Stone, (SG14 3SB, TL302192)	<u>Dog Friendly walk</u> Watton at Stone	6m 9.7km	Viv Peters, 01438 813210 or 07585 917839
Sunday 14 June		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	<u>Morning walk</u> Ickleford, Oughtonhead Common	6.4m 10.3km	Richard Huxtable, 01462 629006
Wednesday 17 June		18:30 The Cricketers, Weston, (SG4 7DA, TL258298)	<u>Evening Dog Friendly</u> Weston	5m 8km	Alison Gillan, 07487 270648 or 01462 683911
Saturday 20 June		10:00 The Woodman, 21 Warrengate Rd, North Mymms, (AL9 7TT, TL229041)	<u>Dog Friendly walk</u> North Mymms	5m 8km	Cathy Webber and Wendy Graham, 07801 835524
Saturday 20 June		10:00 Park along green in White Horse Lane, Burnham Green, (AL6 0HA, TL262166)	<u>Morning walk</u> Burnham Green, Welwyn	7m 11.3km	Gabriela Lovelace, 01462 432071 or 07788 505045
Sunday 21 June		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	<u>All day</u> Flamstead, Water End, Briden's Camp	10.8m 17.4km	Chris Young, 01462 454952 or 07508 471928
Wednesday 24 June		18:30 The Goat Inn, Codicote, (SG4 8XE, TL216182)	<u>Evening Dog Friendly</u> Codicote	5m 8km	Jenny Mason, 01438 871580 or 07827 908778
Saturday 27 June		10:00 The Cross Keys, Gustard Wood, (AL4 8LA, TL175164)	<u>Dog Friendly walk</u> Gustard Wood	6m 9.7km	Viv Peters, 01438 813210 or 07585 917839
Saturday 27 June		Summer Walk and Garden Party Lunch Meet at 9 New Close, Knebworth, SG3 6NU at 10:15 for a 10:30 departure for a 4-5 mile walk Please book by Saturday 20 June. Details in Newsletter page 6.			
Sunday 28 June		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	<u>All day</u> Therfield, Buckland, Reed	9m 14.5km	Tony Read, 01462 450494
Wednesday 1 July		18:30 The Rising Sun, Hall's Green, (SG4 7DW, TL271289)	<u>Evening Dog Friendly</u> Hall's Green	5m 8km	Alison Gillan, 07487 270648 or 01462 683911
Saturday 4 July		10:00 Emily's Teashop, Whitwell, (SG4 8BN, TL184212)	<u>Dog Friendly walk</u> Whitwell	5m 8km	Jenny Mason, 01438 871580 or 07827 908778
Saturday 4 July		10:00 Park near St Peter's Church, West St, Lilley (LU2 8LH, TL120261)	<u>Morning walk</u> Lilley	7m 11.3km	Maggie Killingbeck, 07759 128914

Sunday 5 July		09:30 Deamers, 67 High Street, Old Town, Stevenage, (SG1 3AG, TL233251)	All day Buntingford	10m 16.1km	Graham Voyce, 07979 961858
Wednesday 8 July		18:30 The Motte and Bailey, Pirton, (SG5 3QD, TL145315)	Evening Dog Friendly Pirton	5m 8km	Jenny Mason, 01438 871580 or 07827 908778
Saturday 11 July		10:00 The Chequers, Streatley, (LU3 3PS, TL072283)	Dog Friendly walk Streatley	5m 8km	Tony Dolphin, 07788 678565
Saturday 11 July		Thames Barrier Visit A 5 mile walk from Greenwich to the Thames Barrier, followed by a tour and talk. For details, see Newsletter pages 6 - 7.			
Sunday 12 July		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	Morning walk Ickleford, Oughtonhead	5.5m 8.9km	Carol Stokes, 01438 353666
Sunday 12 July		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	All day Harpenden circular	13.5m 21.7km	Gabriela Lovelace, 01462 432071 or 07788 505045
Wednesday 15 July		18:30 Thorn's Garden Nursery, Stotfold Road, Letchworth, (SG6 4JR, TL206346)	Evening Dog Friendly Letchworth	5m 8km	Alison Gillan, 07487 270648 or 01462 683911
Saturday 18 July		10:00 The Feathers, Wadesmill, (SG12 0TN, TL359175)	Dog Friendly walk Wadesmill	5m 8km	Viv Peters, 01438 813210 or 07585 917839
Saturday 18 July		10:00 Car park, Vicarage Lane, Waterford Heath, (SG14 3LU, TL316150)	Morning walk Chapmore End, Stapleford, River Beane	5.4m 8.7km	Carol Stokes, 01438 353666
Sunday 19 July		09:30 Woodside car park, Hitchin, (SG4 9SG, TL188293)	All day Radwell Meadows, Arlesey	10.6m 17.1km	Dave Weston, 01438 722301
Wednesday 22 July		18:30 The Bird in Hand, Gosmore, (SG4 7QG, TL187270)	Evening Dog Friendly Gosmore	5m 8km	Sue Allenby, 07879 692092
Saturday 25 July		Train: Hitchin 09:04 or 09:11, Stevenage 09:10 or 09:17 but please check times and website nearer the date. Buy Travelcard. (SG4 9UL, TL194297)	London walk Wimbledon to Richmond via Common and Park Meet end of Platform 8, Kings Cross at 10:00	8m 12.9km	Peter Briercliffe, 01462 637349 or 07760 474926
Saturday 25 July		10:00 The Musgrave Arms, Shillington, (SG5 3LX, TL121326)	Dog Friendly walk Shillington	5m 8km	Jenny Mason, 01438 871580 or 07827 908778
Sunday 26 July		09:30 Deamers, 67 High Street, Old Town, Stevenage, (SG1 3AG, TL233251)	All day E-walk 28 (extended), Digswell, Tewin, Bramfield, Woolmer Green	10.5m 16.9km	Peter Hill, 07941 889066
Wednesday 29 July		18:30 The Grandison, Bramfield, (SG14 2QL, TL290156)	Evening Dog Friendly Bramfield	5m 8km	Candace Harding, 07791 470834

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