



THE RAMBLERS - EAST BERKS GROUP
WALKS PROGRAMME: September – December 2017.

In this programme: Finish the Stones Way and explore Avebury; 73 walks; including 6 Leisurely, 3 Saturday walks and 4 Strollerthons.

If you opt for a Leisurely walk expect to walk more slowly than on a moderate walk.

Pace: Leisurely: walked at about 2 mph **Pace: Moderate:** walked at 2.5 – 2.9 mph
(not including banana stops etc.)

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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.

Date	Walk description	Time and Details	Grid Ref. Post Code Distance
		Everyone is very welcome in order to get to know East Berks Ramblers.	
Sunday 3 September	Moderate Hilly	10.15 am. Rebecca's Well and Bottom Boles Wood. Park in Victoria Recreation Ground, end of Recreation Road (small sign!) off Victoria Road, Wargrave for a walk through fields passing Rebecca's Well and returning through Crazies Hill. Leader: Viv W. 07762 320260	SU 794 786 RG10 8BH 4.5 miles
	Moderate Some hills	10.00 am. (Note time) West Wycombe & Wheelers End. (bring food & drink for the day). Meet at "Hell Fire Caves" car park (old garden centre). 1,145 ft Leader: Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450 851884	SU 826948 HP 14 3AP 9 miles
Wednesday 6 September	Moderate	10.15 am. Harpsden Wood and Marsh Lock. Park in the free car park in Mill Lane off the A4155 Henley to Reading Road. The walk climbs through Harpsden Wood, through Lower Shiplake and returns along the Thames. Walk 22 in RfP "Along the Thames" (blue book) Leader: Angela M. 01628 784239 / 07787 18100	SU 771 817 RG9 4HB nearest 4 miles
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...continued	Moderate Hilly	<p>8.00am (Note time and coach pick-up) Great Stones Way, Manningford Bruce to Overton Hill</p> <p>The third leg of the Great Stones Walk continues from Manningford Bruce on the White Horse Trail. We head across fields and pass through picturesque villages before walking a stretch of the Kennet and Avon canal. We leave the canal and head to the village of Alton Priors and a short climb to White Horse Hill. This is followed by a gradual descent to the village of East Kennett and Overton Hill. If the weather is good we can expect some fine views.</p> <p>Fare is £14 (cheques payable to E.B.R.) to Chris Roper. Start from Braywick Road, (A308) Maidenhead. Please park in public car park (£5 per day), however (only) if you intend to eat in the Toby Carvery you may leave your car in carvery car park.</p> <p>Leaders: Chris and Nigel Roper 01628 636893 or 07793 739732 (Chris) / 07872 558664 (Nigel) chris.roper79@gmail.com</p>	<p>SU 892 799 SL6 1DX 11 miles</p>
Thursday 7 September	Strollerthon Very Leisurely	<p>10.15 am Burnham Beeches stroll.</p> <p>Meet at café, Lord Mayor's Drive, Burnham Beeches. A gentle stroll around Burnham Beeches and ending with a café stop.</p> <p>Leaders: Mac & June G. 01753 643429</p>	<p>SU 957 850 SL2 3PS nearest 1 – 2 miles</p>
Sunday 10 September	Moderate	<p>10.15 am. Littlewick Green and Prospect Hill.</p> <p>Park in Westacott Way, (the road that leads to the Business Park, off the Woolley Green Roundabout on the A4). We can park where the double lines end and there is a footpath that goes to Littlewick Green. The walk will be similar to No. 4 in RfP "in East Berkshire" but will be 1/2 mile longer.</p> <p>Leader: Dotty L. 01628 622185</p>	<p>SU 846 796 SL6 3QT roundabout 5.5 miles</p>
Wednesday 13 September	Moderate 2 moderate hills	<p>10.15 am. Burnham Beeches Historic Trail.</p> <p>Meet outside the café end of Burnham Beeches car park. The walk takes in the middle pond, 700 year old druid oak tree, Hartley Court Moat and many other interesting points of interest (the Historic Trail guide can be obtained from the information office).</p> <p>Leaders: Anne & Arthur L. 01628 663377</p>	<p>SU 957 850 SL2 3PS nearest 4 miles</p>
	Moderate	<p>10.15 am. Hailey, Ipsden Heath & Grimms Ditch.</p> <p>Park in the overflow car park at the <i>King William</i> PH, Hurley, for a walk without stiles or steep inclines and some outstanding views of the Oxfordshire countryside towards Didcot.</p> <p>Leader: Nigel F. 07721 426768</p>	<p>SU 642 858 OX10 6AD 6.5 miles</p>
Sunday 17 September	Moderate Slight hill	<p>10.15 am. Harpsden Wood and Marsh Lock.</p> <p>Park in the free car park in Mill Lane, Henley, off the A4155 Henley to Reading Road. The walk climbs through Harpsden Wood, through Lower Shiplake and returns along the Thames. Walk 22 in RfP "Along the Thames" (blue book)</p> <p>Leader: Mary W. 01628 673118 / 07599 295506</p>	<p>SU 771 817 RG9 4HB nearest 4 miles</p>
	Moderate Undulating	<p>10.00 am. (Note time) Caversham Heights, Tinkers Green and Hemdean Bottom.</p> <p>RfP "Around Reading" First Series Yellow Book – Ramble 9. A walk through farmland and woodland with some road walking. Start point: Mapledurham Playing Fields, free CP, Caversham Heights.</p> <p>Leader: Malcolm S. 01628 826210 / 07733 426699 on the day.</p>	<p>SU 698 758 RG4 7LB 6 miles</p>

Wednesday 20 September	Leisurely flat no stiles	10.15 am. Thames Path and Little Marlow. Meet in the car park on the right after the <i>Spade Oak PH</i> Coldmoorholme Lane, Well End, near Bourne End for a leisurely walk covering the Thames Path & Little Marlow. Leaders: Anne & Arthur L. 01628 663377	SU 883 875 SL8 5PT nearest 4 miles
	Moderate slightly hilly	10.00am (note time). Aldworth, a bit of the Ridgeway, Compton and Starveall. Meet in car park, or the field beyond, behind the <i>Bell PH</i> in Aldworth village. Leader: David B. 01628 634561 or 07748 574810	SU 555 795 RG8 9SE 7 miles
Thursday 21 September	Strollerthon Very Leisurely	10.00 am (Note time) Visit to Taplow Court. Park in the car park. Our host and guide will meet us at the front of the house at 10.00 am. We shall be visiting the house, gardens and other sites of interest in the grounds, Bapsey Pond and Tappas Mound. Beautiful floors and carpets- clean footwear please. Refreshments afterwards in the refectory. Leader: John V. 01628 661590 jcvint@aol.com	SU 907 822 SL6 0EP
Sunday 24 September	Moderate	10.15 am. Little Marlow and Riverwoods. Start from Riverside car park in Gossmore Lane, Marlow for a walk through Little Marlow and along the Thames. No. 11 RfP Blue Book, "along the Thames". Leader: Angela M. 01628 784239 / 07787 181005	SU 859 862 SL7 1SZ 4 miles
	Moderate 2 modest hills 1 stile	10.15 am. Chapman's Farm and Chalkhouse Green. RfP "Around Reading" red book ramble 3. Start from the Clayfield Copse & Caversham AFC free car park at top of Caversham Park Road. A walk in this corner of the Chilterns, much of it across farmland, with good views. <i>[This walk last appeared in the programme in November 2015 and on that occasion one section of footpath was almost impassable due to slurry run-off. The problem appears to have been resolved but if the weather has been wet please wear appropriate footwear as it is a sunken lane and may be very muddy.]</i> Leader: John S. 01628 635564 or 07887 678575.	SU 726 768 RG4 6AA 5.8 miles 275 ft ascent
Wednesday 27 September	Moderate Hilly	10.15 am. Coopers Hill and Runnymede. Start Memorial (free) car park Coopers Hill Lane, Englefield Green for a walk passing memorials to Second World War airmen, President Kennedy and the Magna Carta then following the Thames Path along the edge of Runnymede. No.1 RfP Blue Book, "Along the Thames" Leaders: Christine B. 01628 627161 Val S. 01628 639552	SU 996 718 TW20 0LB 4 miles
	Moderate Hilly	10.15am Circular walk from Woodcote, Oxfordshire Meet in the car park at Woodcote Recreation Ground. A varied walk which passes Elvendon Priory and has some good views across the Thames and Chiltern Valleys. There are two short steep climbs. Leaders: Caroline & Graham S. 01189 320060 or 07985 139524 (on the day)	SU 646 820 RG8 0QY 6 miles
Sunday 1 October	Moderate Hilly	10.15 am. Happy Valley and Low Grounds Farm. RfP 14 from "Along the Thames". The walk climbs out of the built up area of Marlow, descending into Happy Valley, returning along the Thames. Park in Court Garden (pay) car park in Pound Lane, Marlow Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 or 07817 607261	SU 848 862 SL7 2AE 5 miles
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Wednesday 4 October	Moderate 1 steep hill	<p>10.15 am. Rose Lane and Culham Farms. Start at north side of Cockpole Green. Parking is easier on lanes to south of green. A walk crossing undulating farmland between Henley and Hurley. No 18 RfP Blue Book "Along the Thames". Leaders: Roger and Judith E. 01628 672223</p>	<p>SU 800 812 RG10 8NT 5 miles</p>
	Moderate Easy hills	<p>8.00am (Note time and coach pick-up) Around Avebury. We completed our Great Stones Way adventure in three parts. Leaving the coach in Avebury, we take a 4-mile circular walk through the village to Windmill Hill. Returning to the village we will have lunch followed by an arranged guided tour of Avebury Henge. In the afternoon, we walk to Overton Hill via Stone Avenue, Waden Hill, Silbury Hill, West Kennet Barrow and The Sanctuary. As we board the coach at Overton Hill we can glance northwards to the Ridgeway disappearing into the distance – a walk we plan to start in the Spring of 2018. Fare is £14 (cheques payable to E.B.R.) to Chris Roper. Start from Braywick Road, (A308) Maidenhead. Please park in public car park (£5 per day), however (only) if you intend to eat in the Toby Carvery you may leave your car in carvery car park. Leaders: Chris and Nigel Roper 01628 636893 or 07793 739732 (Chris) / 07872 558664 (Nigel) chris.roper79@gmail.com</p>	<p>SU 892 799 SL6 1DX</p> <p>8 miles (approx.)</p>
Sunday 8 October	Moderate Hilly	<p>10.15 am. Mill End, Hambleden, Pheasants Hill & Hutton's Farm. Meet at the car park on left at Mill End, Hambleden (off A4155). Leader: David B. 01628 634561 or 07748 574810</p>	<p>SU 785 854 RG9 6TL 4.5 miles</p>
	Moderate Hilly	<p>10:00 am (Note time) Chalfont St. Giles. Starting at Car park in Chalfont St Giles near <i>Crown PH.</i> This walk goes via river Misbourne and little Chalfont. Leader: Dave M.01628 673471 / 07484 105250</p>	<p>SU 990 935 HP8 4QY 7.5 miles</p>
Wednesday 11 October	Moderate	<p>10.15 am. Hodgedale Lane and Prospect Hill. Start at Hurley village car park, opposite Church. Walk follows a stretch of the Thames Path and climbs the hills overlooking the river valley. RfP 17 Blue Book "Along the Thames". Leaders: Jacqui J. 07939 871143. Viv W. 07762 320260</p>	<p>SU 825 840 SL6 5NB 5 miles</p>
	Moderate Very hilly	<p>10.00am (note time). Southend, Turville, Fingest and Hanger Wood. A hilly walk with a number of very steep ascents and descents. Start at Southend parking considerably on the north side of the green. Leader: David B. 01628 634561 or 07748 57481</p>	<p>SU 753 898 RG9 6JN 6.5 miles</p>
Thursday 12 October	Strollerthon Very Leisurely	<p>10.15 am Around Braywick Meet at Stafferton Lodge, Braywick Road, Maidenhead. Another very slow paced walk aimed at those who have dropped from walking with the usual Group walks. A two mile walk in the area with shorter options for those who only want a short stroll and get-together. Perhaps just meet old friends and no walk if you wish. Stafferton Lodge serves Breakfast 7 – 10.30 -11.00;</p>	<p>SU 892 799 SL6 1DX 2 miles or shorter if wished</p>
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Sunday 15 October	Moderate One hill 2 stiles	10.15 am. Aston and Remenham. Start from small car park on left at Mill End, Hambleden (off A4155) for a walk crossing the weir at Hambleden Lock, passing Aston and Remenham and returning along the river. Walk 19 RfP "Along the Thames" blue book. Leader: John S. 01628 635564 / 07887 678575	SU 785 854 RG9 6TL 4.25 miles
	Moderate Hilly	10.00 am (Note time) (Another) Mystery walk from Pangbourne. Park in car park in Pangbourne near Rec. ground (signposted), off Whitchurch road turn right into Thames Avenue, then turn left at end of road, to reach park. Bring food and drink for the day. Leader: Gail C. 07733 087217	SU 637 766 RG8 7BY 9 – 10 miles
Wednesday 18 October	Moderate	10.15 am Bishop's Gate Start at Bishop's Gate, Bishopsgate Road, parking on the left approaching the gate. Follow A308 Straight Road through Old Windsor, pass The Bells of Ouzeley P.H., to the mini-roundabout and turn right into A328 Priest Hill. At the top of the hill, turn right into Castle Hill Road and right into Bishopsgate Road. Parking is half a mile on left. The walk in Windsor Great Park will take in Valley Gardens and hopefully the hydrangeas will be in full bloom. Leader: Phil S. 07818 443390	SU 978 722 TW20 0XU 5 miles
	Moderate Undulating	10.15 am. Wooburn Green and Dipple Wood. Meet at Wooburn Park free car park. The walk passes through undulating farmland and woods to the heath of Littleworth Common. Leader: Juliet 01628 473195 / 07583 694911	SU 910 877 HP10 0PN 6.5 miles
Sunday 22 October	Moderate Stiles, one steady hill	10.15 am. Hedsor Wharf and Woolmans Wood. Meet in car park beyond the church at Wooburn Green. Some stiles and one steady hill. Passing St Nicholas Church at Hedsor. Leaders Sue S. 07748 350283 and Eileen S. 07719 141516	SU 910 878 HP10 0PN 3.5 miles
	Moderate Hilly	10.15am. Wargrave, Crazies and Bowsey Hills. Featuring: Scenic views, Hilly bits and rather muddy bits. Park : School Lane Car park in Wargrave (£1) Leaders: Simon & Yvonne C-J. 07930 378837	SU 786 785 RG10 8AA 6 miles
Wednesday 25 October	Moderate	10.15 am Great Common and Conker Alley Park in Service Road opposite <i>Shepherds Hut PH</i> Eton Wick for walk crossing Eton Great Common, following the Thames path for about a mile, returning along the edge of Dorney Common. Leaders: Viv W. 07762 320260 Doreen W. 07973 273149	SU 947 785 SL4 6LT 4 miles
	Moderate Mainly flat 2 stiles	10.15 am. Exploring woodlands north of Beaconsfield. Starting at <i>Harte & Magpies PH</i> , (permission given to park in the pub CP), this mainly flat walk (couple of modest inclines) is a Chiltern Society walk (adapted), which takes us through the fields & woodlands around Beaconsfield. Woodland paths and field tracks so could be muddy in October. Leader: Liz R. 01628 625171/07785 953751	SU 955 940 HP7 0LU 6 miles
Saturday 28 October	Moderate Undulating	10.00 am. (Note time) Nettlebed, Park Corner and Nuffield Chiltern Society Map 2 Walk 2. A walk through woodland, fields and across a golf course. Part Chiltern Way and the Ridgeway. Start Point: Nettlebed Green area. Park considerably along Chapel Lane, by edge of Green and on Old Kiln Road as necessary. Leader: Malcolm S 01628 826210 or 07733 426699 on the day	SU 702 868 RG9 5AX nearest 6 miles

Sunday 29 October	Leisurely No stiles	10.15 am. Gentle down and up to Rotherfield Greys. Start 200 yards beyond <i>Red Lion PH</i> just off B481 at Peppard Common (Rotherfield Peppard) for a gentle stroll. Leaders: Barbara and Derek J. 01189 694579	SU 706 818 RG9 5LB nearest 4 miles
Wednesday 1 November	Moderate	10.15 am. The Cut through Winkfield. Start at playing field car park, junction of Forest Road/Chavey Down Road at Winkfield Row for walk through surrounding meadows. Ramble 16 in Dark Green book "in East Berks". Leaders: Roger and Judith E. 01628 672223	SU 897 711 RG42 6LY 3.5 miles
	Moderate One very steep hill	10.15 am. Wendover Woods and Cobblers' Pits. Park considerately in The Orchard, Halton Village, off Chestnut Avenue, off B4009, Tring Road, NE of Wendover. The walk is based on a Chiltern Society walk, and follows the disused Wendover Arm of the Grand Union Canal to Wendover then climbs steeply through woodland to the highest point in the Chilterns. The Cafe in the Woods nearby should be open. After descending round a golf course, we return to Halton along another part of the canal. Leader: Peter G. 01628 638847 or 07765 232178	SP 872098 HP22 5NT 6.8 miles
Sunday 5 November	Moderate	10.15 am. Thames Path and Temple footbridge. Start from free car park, Hurley, opposite the church for a circular walk to Marlow and back. RfP 15 "Along the Thames" with different start point. Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 or 07817 607261	SU 825 840 SL6 5NB 5 miles
	Moderate Hilly	10.00 am. (Note time) Henley & Binfield Heath. Meet at Greys Rd CP in Henley (bring food & drink for the day) Leader: Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450 851884	SU 760 825 RG9 2AA 10 miles 730 ft
Wednesday 8 November	Leisurely	10.15 am. Pitlands Farm and Weycock High-road. Start from lay-by on A4, Knowl Hill. A pleasant walk through fields to Waltham St Lawrence and back, passing Castle Royale Golf course. No 10 dark green book RFP "in East Berkshire." Leader: Brenda C-S. 01753 868669	SU 822 794 RG10 9UR 4.5 miles
	Moderate	10.00 am. (Note time) Taplow and Dorney. Meet at Taplow village hall car park. The walk goes from Taplow and then along the Jubilee River to Dorney, and then goes along the Thames back to Taplow. Leader: Juliet W. 01628 473195 / 07583 694911	SU 911 822 SL6 0ET 7 miles
Friday 10 November	AGM &Social evening	7.30 p.m. East Berkshire Group AGM. Please try to come and support your Committee. A short formal meeting, including question and answer session, followed by Cheese and Wine and time for a social chat. Venue: Claires Court School, Ray Mill Road East, Maidenhead (details in Newsletter)	SU 898 822 SL6 8TD
Sunday 12 November	Moderate	10.15 am Ronald Wood and Fern. Start at the free car park just past the <i>Spade Oak PH</i> in Coldmoorholme Lane, Bourne End for a circular walk along the Thames then up to Flackwell Heath and back through the village of Fern. One busy road to cross – take care. RfP No. 10 "Along the Thames" with a different start point. Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 / 07817 607261	SU 883 875 SL8 5PT 4.5 miles
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Wednesday 15 November	Moderate	<p>10.15 am. Pinkneys Green and Burchetts Green. Park in Pinkneys Drive car park for a walk across fields to Burchetts Green village and along to Coopers Wood to view memorial to WW2 crash site. Return via Lee Lane and Darlings Lane. Leaders: Christine B. 01628 627161 Val S. 01628 639552</p>	<p>SU 855 815 SL6 6QE nearest 4 miles</p>
	Moderate Hilly	<p>10:00 am. Hughenden Manor. Starting at upper car park at Hughenden Manor. This walk is via Hunts and Cryers hill. Parking £4 if not NT member. Or alternatively park in Church car park at bottom of hill and meet group at NT car park at top for 10:00 start. Optional pub lunch at <i>The Gate</i> Bryant's Bottom. Do not forget NT cards Leader: Dave M. 01628673471 / 07484105250. This could be Dave's last walk before he moves away!</p>	<p>SU 861 955 HP14 4LA 7 miles</p>
Sunday 19 November	Moderate Flat	<p>10.15 am. Hurley, Shepherds Lane, Frogmill, and Temple Lock. Start at the free car-park in Hurley village, opposite the church for a walk through fields and along the river Thames. Walk No.16 RfP Blue Book, "along the Thames". Leader: David B. 01628 634561 or 07748 574810</p>	<p>SU 824 840 SL6 5NB 4 miles</p>
	Moderate	<p>10.00 am (Note time) West Wycombe, Bradenham, Saunderton Chilterns Society Map 7 Walk 2. Walk through woodland, and across fields, with a high vantage point giving a good view. Start Point (not as in Map booklet) Chorley Road Free Car Park with Hell Fire Caves Sign Leader: Malcolm S 01628 826210 / 07733 426699 on the day</p>	<p>SU 826 947 HP14 3AP c 7.5 miles</p>
Wednesday 22 November	Moderate	<p>10.15 am. Skirmett, Fingest and Turville. Park in Skirmett village and meet by <i>The Frog (PH)</i>. Take A4155 from Marlow towards Henley, through Medmenham. Right into Mill Lane. Follow signs to Skirmett. Starring; Lovely Views, Windy Miller, Triple Hills, No stiles at all but Muddy Bits-Likely. Leaders: Simon & Yvonne C-J. 07930 378837</p>	<p>SU 774 902 RG9 6TG 4 miles approx</p>
	Moderate Hilly	<p>10.00 am. (Note time) Cadmore End and Chiltern Hills. Park on the verge near the church or on the approach road. A hilly walk with a few stiles. Leader: Meg K. 01494 881825 / 07811 149789</p>	<p>SU 783 925 HP14 3PJ 7 miles</p>
Saturday 25 November		<p>Area AGM at Holyport War Memorial Hall, Moneyrow Green. Parking will be available all day; specific times may vary on the day, but the walks will aim to leave on time. A choice of at least two walks from Holyport War Memorial Hall. 10.30 am. Fifield and Gays Lane, Based on RfP walk 13, across local fields, polo grounds and lanes. The longer walk will not be back until about 13.15 pm. 12:30 - 14:00 Lunch at Holyport War Memorial Hall. 12:30 - 14:00 An opportunity to find out about the groups in Berkshire; their events, walks and work. 14:00 - 15:00 Area AGM - agenda to follow closer to the time. 15:00 - 16:00 a talk by Robin Harford, a self-taught ethnobotanist, entitled "Walking with plants: a wild edible journey through the landscape". More details in the Newsletter and on line.</p>	<p>SU 891 774 SL6 2NA 6 miles or 4 miles</p>

Sunday 26 November	Moderate	10.15 am. Great Common and Conker Alley Park in Service Road opposite <i>Shepherds Hut PH</i> Eton Wick for walk crossing Eton Great Common, following the Thames path for about a mile, returning along the edge of Dorney Common. Leaders Eileen S. 07719 141516 and Sue S. 07748 350283	SU 947 785 SL4 6LT 4 miles
	Moderate	10.15 am. Moss End, Warfield, Maiden's Green and Hawthorn Hill. Features: Great views, Shetland ponies, level walking, several stiles and muddy bits. Parking – Frost Folly car park. From Holyport M4/A308 roundabout take A330/ A3095 towards Bracknell. Straight across Bird Hills roundabout. Next right onto A3095 towards Bracknell. Turn left just by Shepherd's House pub into Bowyers Lane. Right into Weller's Lane where the car park is. Leaders: Simon & Yvonne C-J. 07930 378837	SU 869 726 RG42 6EN 6.8 miles
Wednesday 29 November	Moderate	10.15 am. Coopers Hill and Runnymede Start Memorial (free) car park Coopers Hill Lane, Englefield Green for a walk passing memorials to Second World War airmen, President Kennedy and the Magna Carta then following the Thames Path along the edge of Runnymede. No.1 RfP Blue Book Leader: Jacqui J. 07939 871143	SU 996 718 TW20 0LB 4 miles
	Moderate	10 15 am. Bucklebury Common, the Slade, and Jennettshill Wood. A flattish walk in the woods and farms of the Pang Valley, West Berkshire. Bucklebury Common is famous for medieval fishponds and splendid oak trees and ghostly sightings of monks! Park in Chapel Row near the <i>Blade Bone Inn</i> . Turn off the M4 at Junction 12 Theale and take A4 towards Thatcham. After 3rd round about, turn off right towards Upper Woolhampton and Chapel Row. Leader: Eve N. 0168 622279 / 07708 049589	SU 571 697 RG7 6PD 7 miles
Sunday 3 December	Leisurely	10.15 am Bishops Gate, Windsor Great Park Start from Bishops Gate, near <i>Fox & Hounds P.H.</i> , for a walk in Windsor Great Park. Leaders: Don & Jean T. 01753 860708	SU 978 722 TW20 0XU 4 miles
	Moderate. Mainly flat with one ascent	10.00 am. (Note time) Circular walk from Cookham via Marlow. Meet in Cookham Moor CP. (bring food & drink for the day) 500 ft. Leader: Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450 851884	SU 892 853 SL6 9SB nearest 9 miles
Wednesday 6 December	Moderate	10.15 am. Burnham Beeches. Park in Lord Mayor's Drive car park, Burnham Beeches for a walk through the woods. Leader: Margaret W. 01753 648907	SU 957 850 SL2 3PS nearest 4 – 4.5 miles
	Moderate Hilly	10.15 am. Turville and around. A moderately hilly walk around Turville. Park in the car park adjacent to <i>The Bull and Butcher PH</i> . Leader: Margaret C. 01628 783300/ 07740 283623	SU 768 911 RG9 6QU 6 miles
Sunday 10 December	Moderate	10.15 am Aston and Remenham Starting at the Mill End car park, Hambleden we go over Hambleden Lock and up through Aston and along to Remenham where we join the Thames Path to return to start. Leader: Alma 01628 781827 or 07817 607261	SU 785 854 RG9 6TL 4.5 miles
	Leisurely	10.15 am. Ockwells, Stud Green and Paley Street. Walk 38 from the (non - EBR) book "The walks near Maidenhead" Start from Cox Green at Ockwells Park car park. Leaders: Mike & Cilla T. 01628 662808 / 07718762469	SU 878 790 SL6 3AA 6 miles

Wednesday 13 December	Moderate	10.15 am. Ockwells Park. Start from car park in Ockwells Park, Cox Green for a fairly flat walk, some walking on minor roads. There may be some mud. Leader: Phil S. 07818 443390	SU 878 790 SL6 3AA 4.5 miles
	Moderate Hilly	10.15 am. Lions of Bledlow. Parking at rear of <i>Lions PH</i> , Bledlow, for a walk up onto the Ridgeway, returning through Saunderton and Horsenden. Leaders: Pera & Gordon M. 01628 629155 / 07769 952884	SP 778 020 HP27 9PE 6.24 miles
Thursday 14 December	Strollerthon Very Leisurely	10.30 am. Savill Garden, Windsor Great Park. Park at Savill Garden car park, Windsor Great Park – fee payable. The park is very interesting in its winter garb. Excellent café for gossiping! Distance as little or as much as you like - you can't get lost. Leader: John V. 01628 661590 jcvint@aol.com	SU 977 706 TW20 0UU 0 – 2 miles
Saturday 16 December	Moderate Hilly	10.00 am. Bowsey Hill meander. Start at the lay-by off the A4 at Knowl Hill for a walk up through the woods. Leader: Phil S. 07818 443390	SU 822 794 RG10 9UR 7 miles
Sunday 17 December	Moderate	10.15 am. Harpsden Wood and Marsh Lock. Start at the free car park in Mill Lane, Henley-on-Thames. From Henley we go up into the beech woodland and then descend across fields to Lower Shiplake, returning along the Thames Path (can be muddy) to the start. No. 22 RfP Blue Book "along the Thames". Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 or 07817 607261	SU 771 817 RG9 4HB nearest 4 miles
Wednesday 20 December	Moderate	10.15 am. Dorney Reach and Dorney. Start from car park in Dorney Reach recreation ground, accessed by lane beside A4 motorway at the end of Meadow Way or Oak Stubbs Lane. A pleasant walk through fields and along the river Thames. Leaders: Viv W. 07762 320260 Doreen W. 07973 273149	SU 916 795 SL6 0DW nearest 4 miles
	Moderate Hilly Stiles	10.00 am. (Note time). EBR Traditional pre-Christmas Walk; Piddington, Bottom Wood, Bledlow Ridge, Hearnton Wood, Park in Piddington, (A40) in the layby near <i>Dashwood Arms</i> , or in the pub c/p. Panoramic views. Approx. 1,100ft. of ascent including steep hills and stiles.. If you wish to join us at the pub, please let Pera know beforehand (preferably by e-mail). Food will be pre – ordered. Menu published nearer time. Price £18 for 2 courses. Leader: Keith D. 01628 782959 / 07900 354315 Pera M. 01628 629155 / pera.marrs@btinternet.com	SU 807 942 HP14 3BH 1,100 ft. 6.6 miles
Sunday 24 December	Moderate	10.15 am. High Knowl Wood and Penny's Lane. Start at Holly Cross (Hatchgate Lane), parking along the roadside verge. RfP 7 "in East Berkshire" but slightly different start point. Through woods and fields around Crazies Hill - one slight hill. Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 / 07817 607261.	SU 802 808 RG10 8QD 4 miles
Tuesday 26 December BOXING DAY	Leisurely	10.15 am Belvedere Arms Park in car park of <i>Belvedere Arms</i> , Ascot, A329 (permission given by the Manager) for a gentle stroll Leaders: Don & Jean T. 01753 860708	SU 959 686 SL5 7SB 4 miles

Wednesday 27 December	Moderate 1 hill	10.15 am. Pinkneys Green, Bisham, Hurley, and Burchetts Green. Start from the car park on Pinkneys Drive just before the junction with the Henley Road. A wooded walk on local footpaths with 1 hill. Could be muddy in the woods Leader: Eve N. 0168 622279 / 07708 049589.	SU 854 815 SL6 6QE nearest 6 miles
Sunday 31 December	Moderate hilly	10.15 am. Ashley Hill and Dewdrop Inn. A walk through Lot Wood, passing <i>Dewdrop Inn</i> and returning through Ashley Hill Wood. No. 5 RfP "in East Berks" Green Book. Start from the lay-by on A4 at Knowl Hill. Leader: Viv W. 01189 342834 07762 320260	SU 822 794 RG10 9UR 3.5 miles
	Leisurely Flat No stiles	10.15 am. Jubilee River and Thames Path. Park in the ASDA car park at Cippenham, for an easy walk along the Jubilee River, via a café stop at Windsor Bridge. (Sadly "best chocolate in Windsor" no longer available) Leaders: Mike + Cilla T. 01628 662808 / 07718 762469	SU 952 795 SL1 9LA 6 miles

- Note 1:** Dogs are not permitted on walks unless "Registered Assistance Dogs".
- Note 2:** Walk leaders, please send reports to Alma Richardson alma.richardson@btinternet.com or phone 01628 781827.
- Note 3:** Where a post code is given it will be as near as the nearest house. Where this is not in sight of the start point, it is marked as "nearest".
- Note 4:** Map grid references: When using the web page, click on the grid reference given and a map of the area will be obtained via Streetmap.co.uk.
- Note 5:** If fewer than 3 members, plus the leader, turn up for a walk, then the official EBR walk is cancelled. The people present may decide to do the walk as a group of friends.

Walk description: **Leisurely:** walked at about 2 mph. **Moderate:** walked at about 2.5 – 2.9 mph.
flat: no hills: **Hilly:** at least one steep hill. **If** no designation; the walk will be undulating. **Stiles** means at least 5 stiles, other walks may contain a few stiles