



# RAMBLERS' ASSOCIATION - EAST BERKS GROUP

WALKS PROGRAMME: January- April 2016.

**In this programme:** New Year's Lunch and walk; Monthly long distance trail will be the Cotswold Way; 70 walks, with 4 Saturday walks, 2 Strollathons.

**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 web site 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.**

| Date                                                                     | Walk description               | Time and Detail                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Grid Ref.<br>Post Code<br>Distance  |
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| Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup><br>January<br><b>Festival of<br/>Winter Walks</b> | Leisurely<br>flat<br>no stiles | <b>10 15 am. Windsor Great Park.</b><br>Meet at Bishopsgate (beside the <i>Fox and Hounds</i> ) for a walk in the Park. No mud as I will keep to the paths! The walk will take in Savill Gardens (toilets), Obelisk Pond, Heather Gardens and Smiths Lawn.<br><b>Leader: Pauline T 07904 057850</b>                                   | SU 978722<br>TW20 0XY<br>4 miles    |
| Wednesday<br>6 <sup>th</sup> January                                     | Leisurely<br>flat<br>no stiles | <b>10.15 am. Eton Wick, Thames Path, Eton College, Jubilee River.</b><br>Park at Eton Wick Recreation Ground or across the road by the shops. A pleasant flat walk, no stiles.<br><b>Leaders: Anne &amp; Arthur L. 01628 663377</b>                                                                                                   | SU 948784<br>SL4 6LT<br>4 miles     |
|                                                                          | Moderate<br>hilly<br>10 stiles | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Hambleden and Marlow Common.</b><br>A hilly walk starting in the car park behind the <i>Stag &amp; Huntsman PH</i> . The route heads east through Rotten Row to Marlow Common before swinging north-west and back towards Hambleden.<br><b>Leaders: Caroline &amp; Graham S. 01189 320060 / 07985 139524</b> | SU 785865<br>RG9 6RP<br>6.5 miles   |
| Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup><br>January<br><br>Continued....                  | Moderate<br>flat<br>stiles     | <b>10.15 am. Warfield</b><br>Start at Frost Folly car park in Wellers Lane, Warfield (turn left just before Moss End Garden Centre into Bowyers Lane). The northern lanes around Warfield - flat walking through pretty countryside.<br><b>Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 or 07817 607261</b>                                           | SU 873726<br>RG42 6EN<br>4.75 miles |

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| ....continued                         | Moderate                      | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Cookham circular via Marlow.</b><br>Start from Cookham Moor CP for a walk along the Thames Valley. Bring food & drink for the day. 500 ft ascent.<br><b>Leader; Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450 851884</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | SU 894854<br>SL6 9SB<br>(nearest)<br>9 miles   |
| Wednesday<br>13 <sup>th</sup> January | Moderate                      | <b>10.15 am. Windsor Great Park</b><br>Start from Rangers Gate (the gate with the lights) for a walk around Windsor Great Park.<br><b>Leader: Jacqui J. 01753 852567</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | SU 953734<br>SL4 2JA<br>4.5 miles              |
|                                       | Moderate<br>hilly<br>2 stiles | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Bowsey Hill, Crazies Hill &amp; Cockpole Green.</b> Park in the <i>Dewdrop Inn</i> car park (lunch venue) for a walk through the woods and open countryside passing Bowsey Hill, Crazies Hill and Cockpole Green.<br><b>Leader: Nigel F. 07721 426768.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                            | SU 823 814<br>SL6 6RB<br>7 miles               |
| Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup><br>January    | Moderate<br>hilly             | <b>10.15 am. Cookham Dean and Cockmarsh &amp; New Year's Lunch.</b> Park at the far end of the Winter Hill Golf Club car-park. (This is with the kind permission of John Lewis, and courtesy must be given to golfers.) The walk will take in an area of Cookham Dean and also part of the Thames Path. It will be followed by the Group's New Year Lunch in the Club House, <b>only for those who have pre-booked.</b><br><b>Leader: David B. 01628 634561 / 07748 574810</b> | SU 885859<br>SL6 9RP<br>5 miles                |
| Wednesday<br>20 <sup>th</sup> January | Leisurely<br>hilly            | <b>10.15 am. Winter Hill, Quarry Woods and Cookham Dean.</b><br>Meet at the car park at the top of Winter Hill. The walk will go through Quarry Woods, Gibraltar Lane, Alleyns Lane, Dean Lane and Winter Hill Road. There are quite a few wooden steps (downhill) and a couple of steepish inclines.<br><b>Leaders: Anne &amp; Arthur L. 01628 663377</b>                                                                                                                     | SU 870860<br>SL6 9TS<br>(nearest)<br>3.3 miles |
|                                       | Moderate                      | <b>10.15 am. The hills round Frieth.</b><br>Start from near the <i>Prince Albert PH</i> Frieth, for a walk, to Mousells Wood, Skirmett, Hatchett Wood, Moor Common and back to Frieth.<br><b>Leader: Belinda T. 07810 030586 &amp; Chris R. 07793 739732</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | SU 798907<br>RG9 6PY<br>6 miles                |
| Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup><br>January  | Moderate<br>undulating        | <b>10.15 am. Tinkers Green and Hemdean Bottom.</b><br>Ramble 9 RfP 'Around Reading First Series' (Yellow Book). A walk through farmland and woodland with some road walking.<br>Start Point: Mapledurham Playing Fields Car Park – Free<br><b>Leader: Malcolm S 01628 826210 or 07733 426699 on the day</b>                                                                                                                                                                    | SU 698758<br>RG4 7LB<br>6 miles                |
| Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup><br>January    | Moderate                      | <b>10.15 am. Part of the Green Way, Maidenhead to Cookham.</b><br>Start from Stafferton Lodge car park, Braywick Road, Maidenhead, for a walk over fields towards Cookham.<br><b>Leader: Mary W. 01628 673118 / 07599 295506</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | SU 892799<br>SL6 1DX<br>5 miles                |
| Wednesday<br>27 <sup>th</sup> January | Leisurely<br>flat             | <b>10.15 am. Eton Wick and Jubilee River</b><br>Start from Eton Wick Recreation Park car park for a flat walk in Eton Wick and part of the Jubilee River.<br><b>Leader: Jenny C. 01628 623579 / 07887 934274</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | SU 949784<br>SL4 6LT<br>4 miles                |
|                                       | Moderate                      | <b>10.15 am. Stokenchurch, Radnage, and "the City".</b><br>Park in the public car park at Stokenchurch near the <i>King's Hotel</i> . An undulating walk, following the Chiltern Way to Radnage Church before returning mainly on bridleways.<br><b>Leader : Eve N. 01628 622279 / 07708 049589</b>                                                                                                                                                                            | SU 760963<br>HP14 3TA<br>6 miles               |
| Sunday 31 <sup>st</sup><br>January    | Leisurely<br>flat             | <b>10.15 am. Hurley Lock and Temple Park</b><br>Start from Hurley car park, opposite the Church, for walk along the Thames Path between Frogmill Farm and Temple and adjacent riverside meadows.<br><b>Leaders: Jean &amp; Don T. 01753 860708</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | SU 825840<br>SL6 5NB<br>4 miles                |
|                                       | Moderate                      | <b>10.15 am. Winter Hill, Cookham Dean Common and Bisham Woods.</b><br>Park at Winter Hill car-park, overlooking Marlow and the Thames.<br><b>Leader: David B. 01628 634561 or 07748 574810</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | SU 870860<br>SL6 9TS<br>(nearest)<br>6.5 miles |

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| <b>Wednesday<br/>3<sup>rd</sup> February</b>  | <b>Moderate<br/>gentle hills</b> | <b>10.15 am. Rebecca's Well and Bottom Boles Wood.</b><br>Start from the Recreation Ground, off Victoria Road, Wargrave.<br>An easy climb through fields and tracks to Crazies Hill, passing Rebecca's Well and through Bottom Boles Wood. No.8 RfP in "East Berkshire".<br><b>Leaders: Roger &amp; Judith E. 01628 672223</b>                                                                                                          | <b>SU 794786<br/>RG10 8BH<br/>4.5 miles</b> |
|                                               | <b>Moderate<br/>hilly</b>        | <b>10.15 am. Hambleden Valley, Pheasants and Pheasants Hill.</b><br>Meet in the C/P behind the <i>Stag and Huntsman</i> , Hambleden, for a walk up the west side of the valley and back on the east, hopefully without too much mud.<br><b>Leaders; Pera and Gordon M. 01628 629155 / 07769 952884</b>                                                                                                                                  | <b>SU 785865<br/>RG9 6RP<br/>6 miles</b>    |
| <b>Saturday 6<sup>th</sup><br/>February</b>   | <b>Moderate<br/>hilly</b>        | <b>10.15 am. Hughenden Manor, Downley Common and Cryers Hill.</b><br>Park in Upper car park, uphill, then right before the Manor. Free for NT members or otherwise £4.25 charge. Alternatively park in Church car park on left after you turn right from main road and meet us in main car park. From Wycombe take A4128 towards Hughenden and entrance is on left about 2 miles.<br><b>Leader: Dave M. 01628 673471 / 07484 105250</b> | <b>SU 861955<br/>HP14 4LA<br/>6.3 miles</b> |
| <b>Sunday 7<sup>th</sup><br/>February</b>     | <b>Moderate</b>                  | <b>10.15 am. Ambarrow Hill and Finchampstead Ridges.</b><br>Start: Wellington Business Park car park, Crowthorne.<br>A walk around the beautiful Finchampstead Ridges and passing Simon's Pond and Wood. Can be muddy around the pond.<br>Ramble 24 RfP "in East Berkshire".<br><b>Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 / 07817 607261</b>                                                                                                      | <b>SU 823638<br/>RG45 6LS<br/>4 miles</b>   |
|                                               | <b>Moderate<br/>Some hills</b>   | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) West of West Wycombe.</b><br>Start from old garden centre/Hellfire Caves car park, West Wycombe.<br>Bring food and drink for the day. 1240 ft ascent.<br><b>Leader; Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450 851884</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>SU 826948<br/>HP14 3AP<br/>9.7 miles</b> |
| <b>Wednesday<br/>10<sup>th</sup> February</b> | <b>Moderate</b>                  | <b>10.15 am. Thames Path and Temple Footbridge.</b><br>Start from Hurley car park opposite the Church, passing Temple Island and Marlow, returning alongside the River Thames. No. 15 RfP "Along The Thames" with <b>different start point</b> . May be muddy.<br><b>Leaders: Jacqui J. 01753 852567 &amp; Viv W. 01189 342834 / 07762 320260</b>                                                                                       | <b>SU 825840<br/>SL6 5NB<br/>5 miles</b>    |
|                                               | <b>Moderate</b>                  | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Windsor Great Park &amp; Virginia Water.</b><br>Meet at Bishops Gate for a leg stretching walk through the Heather garden and round Virginia Water.<br><b>Leader: Hilde J. 01753 867179</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>SU 978722<br/>TW20 0XY<br/>7 miles</b>   |
| <b>Saturday 13<sup>th</sup><br/>February</b>  | <b>Moderate<br/>hilly</b>        | <b>10.15 am. Cookley Green to Swyncombe via Swyncombe Downs.</b><br>Parking on green in Cookley Green. Walk starts from the War Memorial. Hilly walk, with wonderful views and lots of snowdrops<br><b>Leader: Juliet W. 01628 473195 / 07583 694911</b>                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>SU 695901<br/>RG9 6EN<br/>5 miles</b>    |
| <b>Sunday 14<sup>th</sup><br/>February</b>    | <b>Leisurely</b>                 | <b>10.15 am. Gentle hills to Channers.</b><br>Meet in the layby near <i>Seven Stars PH</i> (closed), A4 Knowl Hill.<br>Gentle hills.<br><b>Leaders: Barbara and Derek. J. 01189 694579</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>SU 822794<br/>RG10 9UR<br/>4 miles</b>   |
| <b>Wednesday<br/>17<sup>th</sup> February</b> | <b>Leisurely<br/>flat</b>        | <b>10.15 am. Brunel Bridge and Bray.</b><br>Start from the car park by Braywick Nature Reserve, Hibbert Road (different to that in book) No. 6 RfP "Along The Thames" for a walk through Bray Village, Brunel's Bridge and beside The Thames.<br><b>Leaders: Jean &amp; Don T. 01753 860708</b>                                                                                                                                         | <b>SU 894794<br/>SL6 1UU<br/>5 miles</b>    |
|                                               | <b>Moderate<br/>stiles</b>       | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Rotherfield Greys.</b><br>Park in road near church/pub or in pub car park if you are visiting the <i>Maltsters Arms</i> afterwards. 650 feet of ascent in total and 6 stiles. A reasonably flat walk through the beech woods and fields towards Henley and back.<br><b>Leader: Andrew J. 07976 313970</b>                                                                                                      | <b>SU 725823<br/>RG9 4QD<br/>7.5 miles</b>  |

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| <b>Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> February</b>    | <b>Moderate one stile flat</b> | <b>10.15 am. Dorney, Jubilee River and the Thames Path.</b><br>Park considerably far end of Dorney Garden Centre car park for walk through Dorney, along Jubilee River and Thames path.<br><b>Leaders: Eileen S. 07719 141516 and Sue S. 07748 350283</b>                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>SU 927789<br/>SL4 6QP<br/>5.5 miles</b>         |
|                                           | <b>Moderate</b>                | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Colne Valley Way.</b><br>Meet at free car park, Colnbrook, opposite the church, on Vicarage Way, for a circular route via Thorney and Harmondsworth Moor, and a section of the Duke of Northumberland river. It can be muddy. Bring lunch / Pub could be organised on the day.<br><b>Leader: Sue G. 01753 675272 / 07931 118631</b>                                                                                           | <b>TQ 027 771<br/>SL3 ORJ<br/>6.5 miles</b>        |
| <b>Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> February</b> | <b>Moderate hilly</b>          | <b>10.15 am. High Knowl Wood and Penny's Lane.</b><br>Walk starts from C of E: Primary School, Crazies Hill, park considerably nearby for walk through small fields and quiet woods.<br><b>Leaders: Roger &amp; Judith E. 01628 672223</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>SU 799808<br/>RG10 8LY<br/>4 miles</b>          |
|                                           | <b>Moderate</b>                | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) A 'Snowdrop' walk from Ewelme to Swyncombe.</b><br>Meet in the car park at Ewelme Recreational Ground for a moderately hilly walk to St Botolph's Church, Swyncombe, to enjoy the beautiful carpet of snowdrops in the churchyard before returning to Ewelme.<br><b>Leader: Margaret C. 01628 783300 / 07740 283623</b>                                                                                                       | <b>SU 648911<br/>OX10 6PG<br/>6.75 miles</b>       |
| <b>Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> February</b>    | <b>Leisurely flat</b>          | <b>10.15 am. Jubilee River/ Dorney Lake/ Boveney.</b><br>Meet at the Village Hall, beside the Recreation Ground at Eton Wick. Park nearby in the car park or beside the shops. This walk will be taken at a Leisurely pace along the Jubilee River (where I may pause to Stop and Stare!) Banana Break at Dorney Garden Centre 10 mins (toilets) then return via Dorney Rowing Lake and Boveney.<br><b>Leader: Pauline T. 07904 057850</b>             | <b>SU 948784<br/>SL4 6LT<br/>5 miles</b>           |
|                                           | <b>Leisurely</b>               | <b>10.15 am. Hambleden Valley and Henley.</b><br>Description - Marsh Lock, Thames meadows and farmland. Walk 1 in (non-EBR) book "The Walks near Maidenhead". Start - Hambleden Valley/Mill End car park (Skirmett Road off A4155 at Mill End)<br><b>Leaders: Mike &amp; Cilla T. 01628 662808 / 07718 762469 / Skype: mike.maison-taylor</b>                                                                                                          | <b>SU 785854<br/>RG9 6TL<br/>nearest c 6 miles</b> |
| <b>Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March</b>     | <b>Leisurely flat</b>          | <b>10.15 am. Cookham Dean Common.</b><br>Start from layby opposite Park Farm, Winter Hill Road, Cookham Dean, for gentle flat walk on Cookham Dean Common.<br><b>Leaders: Alex &amp; Janet G. 01628 626757</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>SU 861843<br/>SL6 6PJ<br/>3.5 miles</b>         |
|                                           | <b>Moderate</b>                | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Lacey Green, Redland End and Great Hampden.</b><br>Park along Pink Road, near the <i>Whip Inn PH</i> at Lacey Green. This is accessed from the A4010 from West Wycombe. The undulating walk, which passes the windmill, follows the wooded Chiltern Way to Hampden House before descending to Highwood bottom. We pass over Grim's ditch and ascend back to Lacey Green.<br><b>Leader: Eve N. 01628 622279 / 07708 049589</b> | <b>SP 818008<br/>HP27 0PG<br/>6.8 miles</b>        |
| <b>Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March</b>        | <b>Leisurely flat</b>          | <b>10.15 am. Holyport and Bray Lake.</b><br>Description - Through Holyport and over almost flat farmland on the London clay. Walk 40 in (non-EBR) book "The Walks near Maidenhead" (alternate start point) Start - Bray Lake car park (Monkey Island Lane, off A308 Maidenhead to Windsor road)<br><b>Leaders: Mike &amp; Cilla T. 01628 662808 / 07718 762469 / Skype: mike.maison-taylor</b>                                                         | <b>SU 912786<br/>SL6 2EB<br/>c 5 miles</b>         |
|                                           | <b>Moderate stiles</b>         | <b>10:15 am. Bowsey Hill from Wargrave.</b><br>Meet in the pay and display car park in School Lane immediately after the <i>Bull PH</i> . Wargrave. (Free on Sunday) A lovely walk on the upper slopes of the Thames valley including dense woodland and peaceful glades passing through Crazies hill and up Bowsey hill about 250' ascent plus a few stiles.<br><b>Leader: Andrew J. 07976 313970</b>                                                 | <b>SU 786785<br/>RG10 8DX<br/>6 miles</b>          |

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| <b>Wednesday<br/>9<sup>th</sup> March</b>  | <b>Leisurely<br/>flat</b>                      | <b>10.15 am. Downfield Lane and Shottesbrooke Park.</b><br>Meet at Waltham St. Lawrence Parish Church, parking considerably nearby, for walk through farmland and Shottesbrooke Park. No. 11 in RfP (Silver Book), "in East Berks".<br><b>Leader: Viv W. 0118 9342834 / 07762 320260</b>                                                                                                                | <b>SU 829769<br/>RG10 0JN<br/>3.5 miles</b>  |
|                                            | <b>Moderate</b>                                | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Chorley Wood Common.</b><br>Meet at the car park at Chorley Wood Common, just off the A404 Rickmansworth Rd. A walk across the Common to Rickmansworth, through fields, by lakes and on Canal Tow path. Some pavements. Bring lunch or pub can be arranged on day.<br><b>Leader: Sue G. 01753 675272 / 07931 118631</b>                                                        | <b>TQ 033966<br/>WD3 5TL<br/>7.5 miles</b>   |
| <b>Thursday<br/>10<sup>th</sup> March</b>  | <b>Strollathon</b>                             | <b>11.00 am. (Note time) Strollathon at Dorney Lake.</b><br>Meet at Dorney Garden Centre by the entrance. We will have a coffee first and socialise and then for those who wish, a walk round Dorney Lake. Very leisurely pace. This is aimed at those who no longer or seldom walk with the group now.<br><b>Leader: Pauline T. 07904 057850.</b>                                                      | <b>SU 927789<br/>SL4 6QP<br/>2.5 miles</b>   |
| <b>Saturday 12<sup>th</sup><br/>March</b>  | <b>Moderate</b>                                | <b>10.15 am. Cuxham to Pryton.</b><br>Park at <i>Half Moon PH</i> , Cuxham or in road nearby. Walk starts in Manor Road near the church of the Holy Rood. A level walk, using part of the Oxfordshire Way and following some of the old open field boundaries of Cuxham, loads of history, and a glorious display of wild daffodils in Pryton.<br><b>Leader : Juliet W. 01628 473195 / 07583 694911</b> | <b>SU 667953<br/>OX49 5NF<br/>6 miles</b>    |
| <b>Sunday 13<sup>th</sup><br/>March</b>    | <b>Moderate<br/>hilly</b>                      | <b>10.15 am. Hodgedale Lane, Hallplace Farm and Prospect Hill.</b><br>Start from Hurley Village car park, opposite Church. Walk starts along the towpath climbing gently to hills overlooking the river valley, returning down Prospect Hill to Hurley Bottom.<br><b>Leaders: Jeff &amp; Barbara S. 01628 604244</b>                                                                                    | <b>SU 825840<br/>SL6 5NB<br/>5 miles</b>     |
| <b>Wednesday<br/>16<sup>th</sup> March</b> | <b>Moderate</b>                                | <b>10.15 am. Windsor Great Park.</b><br>Park off A332 Windsor, a quarter mile past Queen Anne's Gate on the LEFT (west) . Walk to the gallop then to Copper Horse and on to Bears Rail and back.<br><b>Leaders: Brian &amp; Marion C. 01753 862872</b>                                                                                                                                                  | <b>SU 963747<br/>SL4 2BD<br/>4.5 miles</b>   |
|                                            | <b>Moderate<br/>hilly</b>                      | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Lewknor, Ridgeway and Shirburn hill.</b><br>Start near <i>Leathern Bottle PH</i> (NOT Pub Car park). Come off at Jn 6 M 40 turn left towards WATLINGTON and then right to Lewknor. Park considerably in the street in Lewknor. A hilly walk of about 3-4 hours walking<br><b>Leader: Dave M. 01628 673471 / 07484 105250</b>                                                   | <b>SU 715975<br/>OX49 5TW<br/>7.5 miles</b>  |
| <b>Sunday 20<sup>th</sup><br/>March</b>    | <b>Moderate<br/>hilly</b>                      | <b>10.15 am. High Knowl Wood and Penny's Lane.</b><br>Walk No.7 from RfP "in East Berkshire" <b>but with a different start point.</b> Meet at Holly Cross, near Crazies Hill, parking carefully on the long grass verge.<br><b>Leader: David B. 01628 634561 or 07748 574810</b>                                                                                                                        | <b>SU 802808<br/>RG10 8QD<br/>4.25 miles</b> |
|                                            | <b>Moderate</b>                                | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Oxfordshire Way &amp; Thames Path.</b><br>Start from Greys Rd CP Henley. Bring food & drink for the day. 750 ft<br><b>Leader: Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450 851884</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>SU 760825<br/>RG9 4QQ<br/>10 miles</b>    |
| <b>Wednesday<br/>23<sup>rd</sup> March</b> | <b>Leisurely<br/>mainly flat,<br/>one hill</b> | <b>10.15 am. Pitlands Farm and Weycock High Road.</b><br>Follow the old tracks leading to Waltham St Lawrence with lovely views from Knowl Hill. No.10 RfP "in East Berkshire" (dark green book). Park in layby on A4 in Knowl Hill.<br><b>Leader: Brenda C-S. 01753 868669</b>                                                                                                                         | <b>SU 822749<br/>RG10 9UR<br/>4.25 miles</b> |
|                                            | <b>Moderate<br/>hilly</b>                      | <b>10.15 am. Whitchurch Hill and Boze Down.</b><br>The walk crosses the Thames and explores north of Pangbourne, with views of the Thames valley from Whitchurch Hill. Meet in the Recreation ground car park on the Pangbourne side of Whitchurch toll bridge.<br><b>Leader: Chris R. 07793 739732 &amp; Belinda T. 07810 030586.</b>                                                                  | <b>SU 636767<br/>RG8 7DP<br/>6 miles</b>     |



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| <b>Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> March</b><br><b>Easter</b>       | <b>Moderate undulating</b>           | <b>10.15 am. Nettlebed, Park Corner and Nuffield.</b><br>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.<br><b>Leader: Malcolm S 01628 826210 / 07733 426699 on the day.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>SU 702868</b><br><b>RG9 5AX</b><br><b>nearest 6 miles</b> |
| <b>Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March</b>                     | <b>Leisurely mainly flat 1 stile</b> | <b>10.15 am. Dorney Village, Jubilee River and Lake End.</b><br>Ramble through Dorney Village, along part of Jubilee River and to Lake End. Start: Dorney Court Garden Centre, Dorney. Park considerably at far end of car park.<br><b>Leader: Stella G. 01628 602291</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>SU 927789</b><br><b>SL4 6QP</b><br><b>3.5 miles</b>       |
|                                                            | <b>Moderate flat</b>                 | <b>9.10 am. (note time) Explore London with Margaret.</b><br>Strand, Embankment and Fleet Street. Walk from Trafalgar Square to St Paul's. 72 points of interest. Meet Burnham Railway Station at 9.10 am for 9.25am train to Paddington. Cost £9.80 as group of 3 or 4. Park in street at Cippenham Village or in Burnham Retail Park [B&Q etc] along the street in Phipps Road or Burnham Station CP [this has a charge of £5.50 for the day].<br>PLEASE ALLOW EXTRA TIME FOR PARKING as Station Road is now closed at the bridge, approaching from M4 or A4 is affected. More details on the web nearer the time.<br><b>Leader Margaret W. 01628 661295 / 07780 571007.</b> | <b>SU 940813</b><br><b>SL1 6JT</b><br><b>6.5 miles</b>       |
|                                                            | <b>Moderate hilly</b>                | <b>10.00 am. (note time) "Chiltern Edges".</b><br>Starting at Hell fire Caves (ex-Garden Centre) Car Park, Chorley Road, West Wycombe. Total ascent 1,300 ft.<br><b>Leader: John P. 01628 624490 or 07952 477781 on the day.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <b>SU 826948</b><br><b>HP14 3AP</b><br><b>8.6 miles</b>      |
| <b>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> April</b>                         | <b>Moderate Hilly</b>                | <b>10.15 am. Bowsey Hill and Juddmonte Farm.</b><br>Walk No.6 from RfP "in East Berkshire" but with a different start point. Meet at Holly Cross, near Crazies Hill, parking carefully on the long grass verge. <b>Leader: David B. 01628 634561 / 07748 574810</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>SU 802808</b><br><b>RG10 8QD</b><br><b>4.5 miles</b>      |
|                                                            | <b>Moderate flat</b>                 | <b>6.15 am Dawn Walk by the Thames.</b><br>Meet in St Ives Road, Maidenhead, for a walk to Windsor via Bray, where we join towpath, with diversion before joining river path. Breakfast in Windsor. Back by train or you can walk back!<br><b>Leader: Mary W. 01628 673118 / 07599 295506</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>SU 890811</b><br><b>SL6 1QU</b><br><b>6 - 6.5 miles</b>   |
| <b>Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April</b>                      | <b>Moderate</b>                      | <b>10.15 am. Little Marlow and Riverwoods.</b><br>Start from Riverside car park in Gossmore Lane, Marlow. Walk through modern business area, pleasant farm road into Little Marlow returning via the River Thames.<br><b>Leader: Angela M. 01628 784239 / 07787 181005</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>SU 859862</b><br><b>SL7 1SZ</b><br><b>4 miles</b>         |
|                                                            | <b>Moderate hilly</b>                | <b>8.00 am.(Note time) Cotswold Way. 1<sup>st</sup> Leg. Chipping Campden to Stanton, via Broadway.</b><br>From Chipping Campden we ascend Dover's Hill for the view, before dropping down to Broadway, past the famous Broadway Tower and on to the delightful Cotswold stone village of Stanton.<br>Please bring food and drink for the day.<br>Fare is £13 (cheques payable to E.B.R.) to Pera Marrs, South Riding, Belmont Pk. Rd. Maidenhead, SL6 6HS.<br>Start from Braywick Car Park (Stafferton Lodge), Braywick Road, (A308) Maidenhead.<br><b>Leaders: Gordon and Pera M. 01628 629155 or 07769 952884. pera.marrs@btinternet.com</b>                                | <b>SU 892799</b><br><b>SL6 1DX</b><br><b>10 miles</b>        |
| <b>Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> April</b><br><b>Continued...</b> | <b>Moderate 2 hills 7 stiles</b>     | <b>10.15 am. Wooburn and Hedsor.</b><br>Park in car park at junction of Wooburn Town and Wash Hill. 600 ft. ascent, 2 hills and 7 stiles. Good views.<br><b>Leader: Keith D. 01628 782959 or 07900 354315</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>SU 911877</b><br><b>HP10 0PN</b><br><b>4.5 miles</b>      |

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| .....continued                                      | Moderate                            | <b>10.00 am (Note time) Rockwell End, Medmenham &amp; Hambleden.</b><br>Start from Hambleden Village CP behind the <i>Stag and Huntsman PH</i> . Bring food & drink for the day. 780 ft ascent.<br><b>Leader: Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450 851884</b>                                                                                                                                                               | SU 785866<br>RG9 6RP<br>10 miles                      |
| Wednesday<br>13 <sup>th</sup> April                 | Moderate<br>flat,<br>some<br>stiles | <b>10.15 am. Littleworth Common &amp; Dorney Wood.</b><br>Meet up at the <i>Jolly Woodman PH</i> . Burnham. Mainly woodland walk across fields to Burnham Beeches and back through Dorney Wood.<br><b>Leaders: Eileen S. 07719 141516 and Sue S. 07748 350283.</b>                                                                                                                                                 | SU 935865<br>SL1 8PF<br>4.5 miles                     |
|                                                     | Moderate                            | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Crowell, Chinnor Hill and the Ridgeway.</b><br>Meet in Crowell, parking either on the grass triangle in front of the <i>Shepherds Crook PH</i> or, considerably, opposite the houses at the top end of the farm track on the left before <i>Shepherds Crook</i> . One very steep ascent and one corresponding descent.<br><b>Leader: David B. 01628 634561 / 07748 574810</b>             | SU 744997<br>OX39 4RR<br>7 miles                      |
| Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup><br>April                  | Strollathon                         | <b>11.00 am. (Note time) Strollathon, Braywick &amp; Stafferton Lodge.</b><br>Meet by the entrance to the <i>Toby Carvery</i> . Coffee and socialising first then for those who wish, a walk around The Nature Reserve in Braywick Park nearby. Very leisurely Pace. Aimed at those who no longer or seldom walk with the group now.<br><b>Leader: Pauline T. 07904 057850</b>                                     | SU892799<br>SL6 1DX<br>2 miles                        |
| Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup><br>April                    | Very<br>Leisurely                   | <b>10.15 am. The Green Lanes of Waltham St. Lawrence.</b><br>Gentle walk No. 11 RfP "in East Berks". Starting from Waltham St Lawrence Church, walking through fields and Shottesbrooke Park. Park considerably in nearby lanes.<br><b>Leader: Patrick C. 01628 822970</b>                                                                                                                                         | SU 829769<br>RG10 0JN<br>5.5 miles                    |
|                                                     | Moderate                            | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Sarratt and Chess Valley.</b><br>Park by the green in Sarratt Village, by the Post Office / shop, for a <b>different</b> walk undulating through the Chess Valley. Could be muddy<br><b>Leader: Sue G. 01753 675272 / 07931 118631</b>                                                                                                                                                    | TQ 042994<br>WD3 6AY<br>7 miles                       |
| Wednesday<br>20 <sup>th</sup> April                 | Moderate                            | <b>10.15 am. Maidenhead Thicket, Pinkneys Green.</b><br>Park in N.T. car park, Pinkneys Drive for walk through fields and lanes.<br><b>Leader: Christine B. 01628 627161</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | SU 854815<br>No post<br>code<br>4.5 miles             |
|                                                     | Moderate<br>hilly<br>with stiles    | <b>10.15 am. Pullingshill Wood, Great Marlow.</b><br>Take the road out of Marlow which goes through Bovingdon Green (towards Frieth). Turn left to Marlow Common and bear left at next road junction parking carefully where the road meets the Chiltern Way, AVOIDING concealed ditches!! Splendid views.<br>850ft. of ascent and stiles.<br><b>Leader: Keith D. 01628 782959 or 07900 354315</b>                 | SU 822865<br>SL7 2QR<br>(Marlow<br>Common)<br>6 miles |
| Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup><br>April                    | Moderate                            | <b>10.15 am. Hurley Lock and Temple Park.</b><br>Meet at car park in Hurley, opposite the church. Walk along the Thames path at Hurley, between Frogmill Farm and Temple and through riverside meadows. No.16 in RfP "Along the Thames" book.<br><b>Leader: Dotty L. 01628 622185</b>                                                                                                                              | SU 825840<br>SL6 5NB<br>4 miles                       |
|                                                     | Moderate<br>hilly                   | <b>10.15 am. Marlow, Danesfield and Bovingdon Green.</b><br>Chiltern Soc. Map 1 walk 3: Walk by the Thames, pass through Harleyford Estate and golf course. Followed by woodland walk towards Bovingdon Green before returning to Marlow. Start in Pound Lane car park (Number Plate recognition, pay on departure) or further up Pound Lane.<br><b>Leader: Malcolm S. 01628 826210 / 07733 426699 on the day.</b> | SU 848862<br>SL7 2AE<br>6.25 miles                    |
| 25 <sup>th</sup> – 29 <sup>th</sup>                 |                                     | <b>Group Holiday in Bourton on the Water.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                       |
| Wednesday<br>27 <sup>th</sup> April<br>Continued... | Leisurely<br>mainly flat            | <b>10.15 am. Frogmore Farm and Knowl Hill Common.</b><br>Meet at <i>Seven Stars P.H.</i> (closed) Knowl Hill layby, for mainly flat walk. No.20 RfP (light Green Book).<br><b>Leader: Brenda C-S. 01753 868669.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                | SU 822794<br>RG10 9UR<br>4 miles                      |

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| ....continued | Moderate hilly | <b>10.00 am. (Note time) Cadmore End and Chiltern Hills.</b><br>Park on the verge near the church or on the approach road. A hilly walk starting from the church at Cadmore End. A few stiles.<br><b>Leader: Meg K. 01494 881825</b> | <b>SU 783925</b><br><b>HP14 3PJ</b><br><b>7 miles</b> |
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**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](mailto: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](http://Streetmap.co.uk).**

**Note 5: If less 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** (not including banana stops etc.)

**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