



THE RAMBLERS - EAST BERKS GROUP

WALKS PROGRAMME: May – August 2017.

In this programme: Finish the Cotswold Way & start Stones Way; 2 Saturday Coach trips to Chartwell and Stratford-upon-Avon; 82 walks; including 16 Leisurely, with 3 Saturday walks, 6 Strollathons, 4 evening walks and a picnic in Braywick park.

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.

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

Date	Walk description	Time and Details	Grid Ref. Post Code Distance
		Everyone is very welcome to come on a walk in order to get to know us at East Berks Ramblers.	
Wednesday 3 May	Moderate	10.15 am. The Oakley Green circuit. Parking: <i>Greene Oak PH</i> car park (authorised) A308 from Maidenhead to Windsor. Turn right onto B3024 towards Twyford. Left onto Dedworth Road. Pub is on the corner. Features: Many Fields, Morecambe and Wise stiles, (one bigger than the other one) Toe Tally-Flat and Bambi? Leaders: Simon and Yvonne C-J. 07930 378837	SU 929 765 SL4 5UW 4 miles approx
	Moderate Hilly	8.00 am. (Note time and venue) Cotswold Way, Tormarton to Grenville Monument. After crossing the M4, the path drops down and skirts Dyrham Park, before continuing to climb and descend several times before passing through Cold Ashton and on to the Grenville Monument. Please bring food and drink for the day. Fare is £14 (cheques payable to E.B.R.) to Mrs. Pera Marrs, Start from Braywick Car park (<i>Stafferton Lodge</i>), Braywick Road, (A308) Maidenhead. Leaders: Gordon & Pera M. 01628 629155 / 07769 952884. pera.marrs@btinternet.com	SU 892 799 SL6 1DX 10.6 miles

Thursday 4 May	Strollathon Very Leisurely	10.30 am. Burnham Beeches. Meet outside cafe near main car park, Lord Mayor's Drive, Burnham Beeches. Walk will be accompanied by the Chief Ranger of the Beeches to give commentary on history and ecology of the Beeches- one of the most significant woodlands in the UK. Distance about a couple of miles easy and with an short cut for those who wish it Leader: John V. 01628 661590. jcvint@aol.com	SU 957 850 SL2 3PS 1 – 2 miles
Sunday 7 May	Leisurely Moderate Some hills	10.15 am. Shiplake and Harpsden. Park at Memorial Hall, Memorial Lane, Shiplake for a walk around Harpsden and Shiplake. Leaders: Derek & Barbara J. 01189 604579 10.00 am (Note time) Hurley, Crazies Hill & Thames Path. (bring food & drink for the day). Meet at Hurley Village Car Park. 830 ft ascent. Leader: Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450 851884	SU 764 787 RG9 4DN 4.5 miles SU 825 841 SL6 5NB nearest 10 miles
Tuesday 9 May	Leisurely flat	7.00 pm. EVENING WALK - Eton Wick and Dorney. A walk around Jubilee River and Dorney Wetlands, Boveney and Thames Path. Meet at Eton Wick village hall. Leader: Pauline T. 01753 548185 / 07904 057850	SU 948 784 SL4 6LT 4 miles
Wednesday 10 May	Leisurely Moderate 1 hill	10.15 am. Hillgrove Farm and Spade Oak Reach. Start point: Cookham Moor car park. Leisurely walk through meadows, golf course and along the Thames, passing <i>The Bounty</i> . There will be lovely views at the banana stop. RfP Blue Book "Along the Thames" Walk. 9 with different starting point. Leaders: Anne & Arthur L. 01628 663377 10.00 am (Note time) Dorchester-on-Thames, Wittenham Clumps, Little Wittenham Church and Days Lock. Meet at free car park in Bridge End (opposite Abbey). Public conveniences also available. Walk follows the Thames Path to Shillingford and returns via farm tracks, woodland and open countryside with distant views from the top of Wittenham Clumps (weather permitting)! Leaders: Chris & Nigel Roper 01628 636893 / 07793 739 732	SU 893 854 SL6 9SB nearest 4.5 miles SU578 940 OX10 7HH nearest 8 miles
Saturday 13 May	Social	7.00 pm Skittles evening at New Windsor Community Centre, Hanover Way, Windsor. £7.50 to include fish and chip supper. Must be pre-booked with organiser Jean Todd, or Pauline Thompson. Jean Todd will take payment on walks. Contact: Pauline T. 01753 548185 / 07904 057850	SU 947 766 SL4 5NW
Sunday 14 May	Leisurely Moderate hilly	10.15 am. A walk around Hambleden. Meet at the car park at Mill End. Ramble through Hambleden valley followed by a walk uphill before returning downhill to the car park. Leader: Andrea D. 07845 940402 10.15 am Bix Bottom and Stonor. Meet at Middle Assendon long layby for a walk going via Bix Bottom and Stonor. Go through Henley on A4130 Fairmile turn right on to B480 to Middle Assendon. Leader: Dave M. 07484 105250	SU 785 855 RG9 6TL nearest 3.5 miles SU 739855 RG9 6AU 6 miles
Wednesday 17 May Continued...	Leisurely flat no stiles.	10.15am. Jubilee River, Eton College and Thames Path. Start point: Eton Wick Football Ground C.P. or in lay-by across the road opposite the shops. Walk along the Jubilee River, around Eton College and back along the Thames. Leaders: Anne & Arthur L. 01628 663377	SU 947 785 SL4 6LT 4.5 miles

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Sunday 21 May	Moderate Moderate	10.15 am. Hillgrove Farm and Spade Oak Reach. Start from Cookham Moor car park for a walk crossing Winter Hill golf course and farmland, returning by the Thames path. Walk No. 9 Blue Book RfP "Along the Thames" different start point. Leader: Mary W. 01628 673118 07599 295506 10.00 am (Note time) Beaconsfield, Knotty Green and Seer Green. Chiltern Society Map 13 Walk 1 Walk through woodland and fields with some road walking. Start Point: Warwick Road Car Park. £1.10 for all day on Sundays. May be free parking spaces in side roads opposite Warwick Road, and Seeleys Road after Shopping Parade. Leader: Malcolm S 01628826210 or 07733 426699 on the day.	SU 892 853 SL6 9SB nearest 4.5 miles SU938913 HP9 2PE 6.25 miles
Wednesday 24 May	Leisurely, mainly flat Moderate hilly	10.15 am. Knowl Hill Common. Start from lay-by, off A4, at Knowl Hill, for a stroll around Knowl Hill Common and Littlewick Green. Leader: Jenny C. 01628 623579 / 07887 934274 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	SU 822 794 RG10 9UR 4 miles SU 783 925 HP14 3PJ 7 miles
Thursday 25 May	Strollathon Very Leisurely	10.15 am. Langley Park. Start from car park (£2.50) off Billet Lane, Langley. Directions from Slough, take A412 Uxbridge Road to roundabout with <i>Crooked Billet P.H.</i>, go round the roundabout back towards Slough and take first left turning into Billet Lane. Stroll round the gardens and hopefully see the rhododendrons beginning to bloom. Café for refreshments. Leaders: Mac & June G. 01753 643429	TQ 016 821 SL0 0LS 1 – 2 miles
Sunday 28 May	Moderate flat, some stiles Moderate hilly	10.15 am. Littleworth Common & Dorney. Meet up at the <i>Jolly Woodman PH</i>. Mainly woodland walk across fields to Burnham Beeches and back through Dorney Wood. Leaders: Eileen S. 07719 141516 & Sue S. 07748 350283 10.00am (Note time) A Mystery Walk in the Oxfordshire countryside from Swyncombe church. Park considerably on the road to the church at Swyncombe. From Henley take the A4130 to Nettlebed. Turn right onto the B841 towards Watlington. At Cookley Green, turn left to Swyncombe. The road to Swyncombe Church is on the left hand side after about 1 mile. Bring food and drink for the day. Leader: Gail C. 077 3308 7217	SU 935 865 SL1 8PF 4.5 miles SU 682 902. RG9 6EA nearest 9-10 miles
Wednesday 31 May	Moderate Moderate hilly stiles	10.15 am. Warfield. Start at Warfield Church. Shortened version of ramble 14 in RfP "in East Berks" dark green book. Leaders: Roger and Judith E. 01628 672223 10.00 am (Note time) Bledlow Ridge and Chinnor Hill. Start at <i>The Boot PH</i> in Bledlow Ridge, would non-diners please park behind diners. A walk through Rout's Green to Chinnor Hill, returning via Radnage. Some stiles, a couple with high steps, and splendid views. Leader: Nigel F. 07721 426768	SU 880 723 RG42 6EE 4 miles SU 794 981 HP14 4AW 7 miles

Saturday 3 June	Moderate Hilly 6 stiles	8.00am (Note time) Coach Trip to Chartwell. Start from Braywick car park (in front of Stafferton Lodge), Braywick Road (A308), Maidenhead (free parking at weekends). Coach fare £12. Optional circular walk of 5.1 miles from Chartwell. Full details in the Newsletter or from Juliet W. 01628 473195 / 07583 694911 or John S. 01628 635564 / 07887 678575 .	SU 892 799 SL6 1DX 5.1 miles
Sunday 4 June	Moderate	10.15 am. Taplow and Barge Farm. Park in St Ives Road, Maidenhead (near Library) or in Town Hall car park for a walk around Maidenhead and Taplow. Leader: Mary W. 01628 673118 / 07599 295506	SU 890 811 SL6 1QU 5.5 miles
	Moderate Some steep ascents.	10.00 am (Note time) Explore the beautiful Hambleden Valley. Meet in village CP in Hambleden village behind <i>Stag & Huntsman PH</i> . (bring food & drink for the day) Leader; Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450 851884	SU 785866 10.5 miles 1330 ft
Wednesday 7 June	Leisurely, one steep hill	10.15 am. Hambleden. Start from car park behind <i>The Stag and Huntsman PH</i> . Undulating, with one steep hill. Leaders: Alex and Janet G. 01628 626757	SU 785865 RG9 6RP 3.5 miles
	Moderate hilly	8.00 am. (Note time and venue) Cotswold Way, Grenville Monument to Bath. The path skirts the race course to Prospect view point, then follows a long descent of Dean hill into the western outskirts of Bath. We will lunch in the park near the Crescent and then you are free to wander before meeting at the coach. Return time tba on the day. Please bring food and drink for the day. Start from Braywick Car park (<i>Stafferton Lodge</i>), Braywick Road, (A308) Maidenhead. Fare is £14 (cheques payable to E.B.R.) to Mrs. Pera Marrs, Leaders: Gordon & Pera M. 01628 629155 / 07769 952884. pera.marrs@btinternet.com	SU 892 799 SL6 1DX 6 miles
Sunday 11 June	Moderate	10.15 am. Ambarrow Hill and Finchampstead Ridges. Start in the car park of the Wellington Business Park in Crowthorne, just along the road from Crowthorne Station, for walk around the beautiful Finchampstead Ridges and passing Simon's Pond and wood. Walk 24 from RfP "in East Berkshire" Green Book. (note different start point). Leader: Alma 01628 781827 or 07817 607261	SU 825 637 RG45 6LS 4 miles
	Moderate hilly no stiles	10.15 am. Sonning, Binfield Heath and Shiplake. Starring: George Clooney (maybe), Father Thames, Scenic Views, Triple Hills and no stiles at all. Directions: A4 from Maidenhead towards Reading. B478 to Sonning. Left at mini roundabout and right into Pearson road for street parking. Meet near entrance to the High street. Leader: Simon & Yvonne CJ. 07930 378837	SU 757 754 RG4 6UL 7.5 miles
Tuesday 13 June	Leisurely flat	7.00 pm. EVENING WALK – Windsor Great Park Start from Bishopsgate, next to <i>Fox & Hounds P.H.</i> for a walk around Windsor Great Park. Leader: Pauline T. 01753 548185 / 07904 057850	SU 978 722 TW 20 0XY 4 miles
Wednesday 14 June	Moderate	10.15 am. Boveney Chapel and Dorney Common. Start from Boveney car park for a walk along the Thames, through Dorney Village, returning across Dorney Common. Walk 5 Blue Book RfP "Along the Thames". Leader: Alison H. 01628 822657	SU 939 777 SL4 6QQ 5 miles
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Sunday 18 June	Moderate	10.15 am. Widbrook Common and Cliveden Reach. Start from car park in Lower Cookham Road (A4094) just past Boulters Lock (bring Advantage Card if you have one). A walk across fields to Cookham and back along the river. Leaders: Eileen S. 07719 141516 & Sue S. 07748 350283	SU 902 825 SL6 8JN 5.5 miles
	Moderate hilly	Walk to be arranged and details will be on line neared the date. Leader: Dave M. 07484 105250	6 – 7 miles
Wednesday 21 June	Moderate 3 stiles	10.15 am. Mill Wood and River Wye. Park in Wooburn Park Car Park for a walk through Mill Wood, returning adjacent to River Wye. Leaders: Christine B. 01628 627161 & Val S. 01628 639552	SU 911 878 HP10 0PN 4 miles
	Moderate	10.00 am (Note time) Gallowstree & Kingswood Commons, Hook End and Cane End. Chilterns Society Map 4 Walk 2 Walk through woodland and fields with some road walking. Start Point (not as in Map booklet) <i>The Reformation Pub</i> , Gallowstree Common. Car Parking for all with licensee's permission. Pub lunch for those interested. Leader: Malcolm S. 01628 826210 or 07733 426699 on day.	SU 690 801 RG4 9BP 6.75 miles
Thursday 22 June	Strollathon Very Leisurely	10.15 am. Dorney, Arboretum and The Thames. Start from Dorney Kitchen Garden Centre car park. Short walk through the arboretum and down to the Thames and return to the Garden Centre for coffee. Some members may prefer to skip the walk and just meet for coffee. Leader: Arthur L. 01628 663377	SU 927 789 SL4 6QP 1 – 2 miles
	Moderate	7.15 pm. EVENING Taplow walk. Start at the free car park in Taplow, next to school and community centre for a walk through woods and fields around Taplow. Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 / 07817 607261	SU 911 822 SL6 0ET 4 miles
Sunday 25 June	Moderate level	10.15 am. Maidenhead Thicket and Pinkneys Green. Start from NT parking area off Cannon Lane for a roam over National Trust land, no highwaymen nowadays but plenty of wildlife. Walk.2 RfP Green Book, "in East Berks". Leader: Dotty L. 01628 622185 / 07746 858635 (on day)	SU 859 803 SL6 4QQ 5.5 miles
	Moderate hilly	10.00 am. (Note time) A Mystery Walk in the glorious Chilterns. Start from Maidensgrove. Park considerably on the grass on the right before the bend in the road as you come up from Stonor. Bring food and drink for the day. Leader: Gail C. 07733 087217	SU718 887 RG9 6EY nearest 9-10 miles
Wednesday 28 June	Moderate	10.15 am. Happy Valley and Low Grounds Farm. Start from Pound Lane car park (paying) Marlow. Walk around Happy Valley, Harleyford and the river Thames Leaders: Viv W. 07762 320260 & Jacqui J. 07939 871143	SU 848 862 SL7 2AE 5 miles
	Moderate hilly	10.15 am. Icknield way. Directions: go north west from Aldbury on B488, turn right down Stocks road, to car park on the Icknield way. LU7 9EN will take you to just south of Stocks Rd. The walk follows ridgeway then Ashridge & Bridgwater monument, with an option for a 2 mile extension to Ivinghoe beacon. Leader: Meg K. 01494 881825 / 07811 149789	SP 954 148 6 miles

Saturday 1 July	Moderate hilly no stiles	10.15 am. West Wycombe and Bradenham. Start from free car park in Chorley Road, West Wycombe next to the defunct garden centre (now called the Hell Fire Caves car park). The walk takes in several area of woodland, crosses part of Naphill Common, visits the quaint village green at Bradenham and skirts West Wycombe Hill. Two stiff ascents. Leader: John S. 01628 635564 or 07887 678575.	SU 826 947 HP14 3AP 5.5 miles 600ft ascent
Sunday 2 July	Leisurely Moderate Some steep ascents	10.15 am. Pitlands Farm and Weycock High End. Start from lay-by off A4 at Knowl Hill for easy, level walk to Waltham St. Lawrence. May be muddy when wet. Walk 10 RfP Green Book. Leaders: Mike and Cilla T. 01628 662 808 10.00 am (Note time) Circular walk north of Stokenchurch via Radnage. Meet at <i>Kings Hotel</i> CP in Stokenchurch village. (bring food & drink for the day) Leader: Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450 851884	SU 822 794 RG10 9UR 4.25 miles SU 761 963 HP14 3TA 10 miles 1330 ft
Wednesday 5 July	Moderate Moderate easy hills	10.15 am. Aston and Remenham. Start from car park, Mill End, Hambleden. The walk climbs the high ground overlooking the Greenlands Estate, returning along the Thames path from Remenham to Aston. Walk 19 Blue Book RfP "Along the Thames." Leader: Angela M. 01628 784239 / 07787 181005 8.00am (Note time and coach pick-up) Great Stones Way, Old Sarum to Woodhenge. This is the first of a three leg walk from Old Sarum to Overton Hill. The walk, although the longest stretch, is moderately level with just a few inclines. Those preferring a shorter walk can spend time exploring Old Sarum before taking the coach to Upper Woodford, joining the main group, and completing the remaining 8.5 miles to the coach pick-up at Woodhenge. There is some, unavoidable, walking along quiet roads. The walk takes in Amesbury and provides a close-up view of Stonehenge. Please bring food and drink for the day. Start from Braywick Car park (<i>Stafferton Lodge</i>), Braywick Road, (A308) Maidenhead. Fare is £14 (cheques payable to E.B.R.) contact Chris Roper. Leaders: Chris & Nigel Roper 01628 636893 or 07793 739 732 (Chris) / 07872 558 664 (Nigel) chris.roper79@gmail.com	SU 785 854 RG9 6TL nearest 4.25 miles SU 892 799 SL6 1DX 12.2 miles or 8.5 miles
Thursday 6 July	Moderate	7.15 pm. EVENING walk around Medmenham. Start at the bottom of Ferry Lane, Medmenham. A walk along fields and tracks to Hambleden Place and back along the River Thames. Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 or 07817 607261	SU 805 837 SL7 2HB 3 miles
Sunday 9 July	Moderate one slow climb Moderate hilly	10.15 am. High Wood, Burchetts Green and Littlewick Green. Starting from the layby on A4 at Knowl Hill we take a path up Ashley Hill and then up to High Wood, returning via Burchetts Green and Littlewick Green. One long slow "up". Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 / 07817 607261 10.00 am. (Note time) Medmenham and Rotten Row. Start from Ferry Lane, Medmenham. Park along road after crossing the small bridge. Several short ascents and descents and a few stiles. Good mixture of woodland sections and open farmland. Leader: Andrew J. 07976 313970	SU 822 794 5.5 miles SU 806 838 SL7 2HB 7.2 miles
Wednesday 12 July Continued...	Leisurely	10.15 am. Pitlands Farm and Weycock High Road. Start from layby on A4 at Knowl Hill for a walk through lanes to Waltham St. Lawrence. RfP dark green book, "in East Berks" walk 10 Leader: Brenda C-S. 01753 868669	SU 822 794 RG10 9U 4.25 miles

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Thursday 13 July	Strollathon Very leisurely	10.15 am Ockwells Park “Get together and stroll.” A very slow paced walk aimed at those who have dropped from walking the usual Group walks. Meet at Ockwells Park, for a short stroll, followed by a get-together in the cafe. Perhaps just meet old friends and no walk if you wish. Leaders: Alex and Janet G. 01628 626757	SU 878 790 SL6 3AA nearest 2 miles
Sunday 16 July	Leisurely fairly flat Moderate Hilly Stiles	10.15 am. Ascot, Sunninghill. Start from Ascot High Street, car park No. 6, for a walk around Ascot and Sunninghill. Leaders: Jean and Don T. 01753 860708 10.00 am (Note time) Holtspur, Forty Green, Beacon Hill, Loudwater, Wooburn Moor. Chiltern Society Map 13 Walk 2 – a mixture of walking through woodlands and fields, with some road walking. Start Point (Not as in Map Notes) North Drive at entrance to Kiln Court on left hand side of A40 going towards Beaconsfield. Park considerably in North Drive/ Kiln Court. Leader: Malcolm S 01628 826210 or 07733 426699 on the day	SU 925 687 SL5 7LB 4.5 miles SU 925 898 HP9 1TZ 7.25 miles
Monday 17 July	Social Picnic	6.00 pm. Evening Picnic in the Park - followed by a walk around Braywick Nature Reserve (2miles) at 7 30pm. Just turn up, bring your picnic and a chair and join in. All welcome. Park in Hibberts Road CP. Contact: Pauline T. 07904057850.	SU 894 794 SL6 1UU 2 miles
Wednesday 19 July	Leisurely flat Moderate Hilly stiles	10.15 am. Littleworth Common and Dorney Wood. Park considerably at <i>The Jolly Woodman P.H.</i> for a pleasant walk around Burnham and Littleworth Common. Leaders: Jean and Don T. 01753 860708 10.00 am. (Note time). Middle Assendon, Rowe Wood, Fawley Bottom, Coxlease Farm. Park in Middle Assendon, (B480) in the layby near <i>Rainbow Inn</i> . Splendid scenic and wildlife views. Approx. 1050ft. of ascent including steep hills and stiles. Leader: Keith D. 01628 782959 / 07900 354315	SU 935 865 SL1 8PF 4 miles SU 739 855 RG9 6AU 1050 ft. 7 miles
Sunday 23 July	Moderate Moderate hilly	10.15 am. Lower Shiplake and the Lock. Start from Shiplake Memorial Hall car park. A walk along the Thames and through Shiplake, passing Shiplake Church. Walk 24 Red Book RfP “around Reading” Leader: Angela M. 01628 784239 / 07787 181005 10.00 am (Note time) Mystery Walk round Hambleden. Start from the village car park, Hambleden, behind the <i>Stag & Huntsman PH</i> . Bring food and drink for the day Leader: Gail C. 07733 087217	SU 764 787 RG9 4DN 3.75 miles SU 785 866 RG9 6RP 9-10 miles
Wednesday 26 July	Moderate	10.15 am. Stud Green and Blackbird Lane. Start at Holyport Green War Memorial. Walk 12 RfP dark green book. “In East Berks”. Level walk taking in Stud and Moneyrow Greens. May be muddy. Leaders: Roger and Judith E. 01628 67222	SU 892 778 SL6 2JL 4.5 miles
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Sunday 30 July	Moderate, one stile	10.15 am. The Frieth Round. Meet at Lane End car park (free on Sundays.) B482 from Marlow, right just after traffic lights in village. Features: hills, scenic views, woodland, fields and one stile Leader: Simon & Yvonne CJ. 07930 378837	SU 808 917 HP14 3JG 4.5 miles approx
	Moderate one hill no stiles	10.15 am. Shiplake, Sonning and Binfield Heath. RfP "Along the Thames" ramble 24 but with a different start point – Shiplake Memorial Hall car park (or park in Memorial Avenue), Shiplake. The walk covers a wriggly stretch of the Thames Path to Sonning Bridge and then climbs through fields and woodland around Binfield Heath, with fine views over the Thames Valley. Leader: John S. 01628 635564 or 07887 678575.	SU 762 786 RG9 4DN 6.2 miles 300ft ascent
Wednesday 2 Aug	Moderate	10.15 am. Great Common and Conker Alley. Park in Service Road opposite <i>Shepherds Hut PH</i> in Eton Wick for a 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 Hilly	8.00am (Note time and coach pick-up) Great Stones Way, Netheravon to Manningford Bohune. We re-join the Great Stones Way at Netheravon (having missed out a tedious stretch of urban walking between Woodhenge and Netheravon). The walk takes in beautiful reaches of the Avon Valley, edges of Salisbury Plain (where you will likely hear MOD firing practice), passes Casterley Camp and drops down to Charlton St. Peter. Start from Braywick Car park (<i>Stafferton Lodge</i>), Braywick Road, (A308) Maidenhead. Please bring food and drink for the day. Fare is £14 (cheques payable to E.B.R.) contact Chris Roper. Leaders: Chris & Nigel Roper 01628 636893 or 07793 739732 (Chris) / 07872 558 664 (Nigel) chris.roper79@gmail.com	SU 892 799 SL6 1DX 10 miles
Thursday 3 August	Strollathon flat no stiles	10.15 am. Carpenter's Wood. Start from Pinkneys Green NT car park, Pinkneys Drive. A walk via Stubbings to crashed bomber site in Carpenters Wood, flat with some safe road walking. No immediate café facilities but Stubbings Garden Centre café only 3 minutes away by car if desired later. Leader: Tony H. 01628 623140	SU 855 815 No PC 2.2 miles
Sunday 6 Aug	Moderate Slightly hilly	10.15 am. Aston and Remenham. Start from car park, Mill End, Hambleden. The walk climbs the high ground overlooking the Greenlands Estate, returning along the Thames path from Remenham to Aston. Walk 19 Blue Book RfP "Along the Thames". Leader: David B. 01628 634561 or 07748 574810	SU785854 RG9 6TL 4.25 miles
	Leisurely	10.15 am. Medmenham and Danesfield. Beech woods, Hurley weir, and along dark tunnel on Walk 18 RfP Silver Book "in East Berks" Park south end of Ferry Lane or <i>Dog & Badger PH</i> if planning to lunch/drink afterwards. Leaders: Mike & Cilla T. 01628 662 808	SU 806 838 SL7 2HA 5 miles

Wednesday 9 Aug	Leisurely, hilly	10.15 am. Hardings Green and Winter Hill. Start from Cookham Moor car park for walk around Cookham Dean and crossing Winter Hill golf course on return. RfP silver book No 7 with different start point. Leader: Brenda C-S. 01753 868669	SU 892 853 SL6 9SB 4 miles
	Moderate hilly	10.15 am. Box Wood & Grimsbury Castle, Hermitage. Leave M4 at Jnc 13 and follow the signs for A34 Oxford. On the slip road keep left to Hermitage & Chieveley. (Do not join A34) Turn right at T junction, pass Newbury Show ground and Denison Barracks on right, car park on left after bend. Meet in the retail car park to the left of Hillier's Garden Centre CP, for a walk through farmland and woods, around Hermitage village. Optional lunch after at <i>White Horse PH</i> . Publican Graham Marrs. Leaders: Gordon & Pera M. 01628 629155 / 07769 952884	SU 501 729 RG 18 9TG 6.5 miles
Sunday 13 Aug	Moderate	10.15 am Heathlake and Gorrick Wood. Around the woods and forest on the edge of Crowthorne. Start at the small car park at Heathlake Park, off Nine Mile Ride (B3430). Leader: Alma R. 01628 781827 / 07817 607261	SU 828 653 RG40 3AT nearest 4 miles
	Moderate hilly	10.00 am (Note time) Classic Chiltern walk via Southend & Turville. Meet in Lane End Village CP Bring food & drink for the day. 1575 ft ascent. Leader: Roy G. 01628 637878 / 07450851884	SU 807 919 HP14 3JG 10.5 miles
Wednesday 16 Aug	Leisurely	10.15 am. Widbrook Common and Cliveden Reach. Park in paying car park in Lower Cookham Road, near Boulters Lock (free with vantage card) for a walk through Widbrook Common, Cookham returning along the Thames path. Walk No. 7 Blue Book RfP "Along the Thames". Leader: Pauline T. 01753 548185 07904 057850	SU 902 825 SL6 8JN 5.5 miles
	Moderate hilly stiles	10.15 am. Pullingshill Wood, Great Marlow. 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. 850ft. of ascent and stiles. Leader: Keith D. 01628 782959 or 07900 354315	SU 822 865 SL7 2QR (Marlow Common) 6 miles
Saturday 19 Aug	Moderate One hill No stiles	8.00 am (Note time) Coach Trip to Stratford-upon-Avon. Start from Braywick car park (in front of Stafferton Lodge), Braywick Road (A308), Maidenhead (free parking at weekends). Optional walk of 6.5 miles from Bidford into Stratford. Coach fare £12. Full details in the Newsletter or from Juliet W. 01628 473195 / 07583 694911 or John S. 01628 635564 / 07887 678575.	SU 892 799 SL6 1DX 6.5 miles
Sunday 20 Aug	Moderate	10.15 am. Medmenham and Danesfield. Start at the bottom of Ferry Lane, Medmenham. From the village of Medmenham we go up into the beech woods north of Danesfield. We circle back and pass through a 75 ft tunnel to reach the Thames and then through a field which can be muddy after heavy rain. Leader: Alma 01628 781827 or 07817 607261	SU 806 838 SL7 2HB 5 miles
Wednesday 23 Aug Continued...	Leisurely	10.15 am. Black Park, Iver Heath. Meet near entrance to the car park (£2.50 per day) A4 to Slough. A412 towards Iver Heath. Left turn after Pinewood hotel, signposted Black Park. Starring: Pinewood's back lot, no stiles, flat terrain, woodland, moorland, a lake and a café Leader: Simon & Yvonne C-J. 07930 378837	TQ 006 832 SL3 6DT 4 miles approx

...continued	Moderate hilly	10:00 am (Note time) Nuffield & Hailey. Park near Holy Trinity Church, Nuffield. There is a small car park with a charge/donation. Varied walk towards Hailey. Good views of the Oxfordshire countryside. Leader: Belinda T. 07810030586	SU 667 873 RG9 5SN 7 miles
Sunday 27 Aug	Moderate Moderate (See notes)	10.15 am. The Green Lanes of St Lawrence. Park considerably near Waltham St Lawrence Church for a level walk over farmland, taking in Shottesbrooke Park. Walk 11 RfP in East Berks, Green Book Leader: Dotty L. 01628 622185 or 0774 6858635 (on the day) 10.00 am. (Note Time) Ockwells Park, White Waltham, Shottesbrooke and Woolley Green, A flat walk except for one short climb, walking on some country lanes/roads and over fields. Passing Ockwells Manor, St John's Church, Shottesbrooke, and Lillibrooke Manor. Start at Ockwells Park, Cox Green, Car Park. Free Parking. The pace will likely be to the top end of moderate ie: around 3mph, due to the mainly flat nature of the walk, and only one stile. Leader: Malcolm S. 01628 826210 / 07733 426699 on the day	SU 829 769 RG10 0JN 5.5 miles SU 878 789 SL6 3AA 8.8 miles
Wednesday 30 Aug	Moderate, slightly hilly Moderate Hilly	10.15 am. The Thames, Hodgedale Lane and Prospect Hill. Start from Hurley Village car park, opposite Church, for a walk along the river, climbing gently to the hills overlooking the river valley. Walk 17 Blue Book RfP "Along the Thames". Leader: David B. 01628 634561 or 07748 574810. 10:15 am. Swyncombe to Hailey. Meet at Swyncombe Church for a walk going via Ladies walk, Swans way to Hailey for pub lunch at <i>King William 1V</i> , then onto Ridgeway through Nuffield. Go through Henley on A4130 to Nettlebed then turn right on B481 to Cookley Green then left on Church Lane for about a mile and then turn right to Church. Leader: Dave M. 07484 105250	SU 825 840 SL6 5NB 5 miles SU 683 902 RG9 6EA 11.5 miles
Thursday 31 August	Strollathon Social	10.15 am. Burnham, Lent Green and Hitcham. Meet in Burnham Park car park, next left turning after the Library, off Windsor Lane. A circular stroll with undulating footpaths and country lanes. Refreshments at St. Peter's Church, Burnham, afterwards. Leader: Stella G. 01628 602291 Theatre Royal. Matinee performance "How The Other Half Loves." See newsletter for details. Pre-book. Pauline 07904 057850	SU 932 823 SL1 7HR 2 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

