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Northumbria Area Annual General Meeting

Saturday 26th January 2013 hosted by Sunderland Group in the Visitor Centre, Durham Wildlife Trust, Rainton Meadows, Chilton Moor, Houghton le Spring, DH4 6PU, Grid reference is NZ328 485, map 308.

Short walk starting at 10.30am. Will those intending to do the walk please bring their own packed lunch.

Tea, coffee and soft drinks will be provided in the Durham Wildlife Trust Visitor Centre meeting room.

Please go to Sunderland Group's Walkfinder page for maps to help find the venue.

Please come - there are important matters to discuss

Any member with items for the AGM agenda should send details in writing
to the Area Secretary at least 28 days before the date of the AGM

RAMBLERS' ASSOCIATION OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the Ramblers' Association are to
promote walking, protect rights of way,
campaign for access to open country
and defend the beauty of the countryside.

Area Website at <http://www.northumbriaramblers.org.uk>

The Group walk programs can be obtained from this website without registering.
However, you need to register to participate in the forums

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Other Groups

Under 40?

Try Northumbria Walking Group

<http://northwalk.org.uk>

This is a group for people in their 20's and 30's

Contact: Andy Wright, 15 Ord Court, Fenham, Newcastle upon Tyne NE4 9YF

Tel: 0191 274 5961 Email: walks@northwalk.org.uk

Northumbria Family Walking Group

This group has been set up to offer families a range of appropriate walks.

For further information contact:

Robert Cooper, 3 Roydon Avenue, Sunderland, SR2 7TB

Email: nfamilywalking@googlemail.com

Website: <https://sites.google.com/site/nfwgroupsite/>

Everyone is welcome on the walks; You do not have to have children!

However, you will appreciate that the walks are designed with children in mind.

Please, no unaccompanied children under the age of 16.



Get Walking Keep Walking



Get Walking Keep Walking in Durham runs short led walks designed to help people take their first steps to better health and fitness. Walks are up to five mile long, are open to all, and suitable for almost all abilities. They are run in several locations throughout the county.

Contacts:-

Project Co-ordinator: Marianne Patterson, Marianne.Patterson@ramblers.org.uk

Outreach Officer: Filomena Solan, Filomena.Solan@ramblers.org.uk

Phone: 07557 119497 or Website <http://www.getwalking.org/durham/>

BE SUITABLY EQUIPPED

Conditions on walks can vary with the terrain and the weather, which is often unpredictable. In a few minutes rain can turn a firm path into a quagmire and, when walking on a hilltop a pleasant summer breeze can become an icy wind. Please be prepared. It is recommended that all participants on organised walks wear stout footwear, preferably walking boots, and carry a rucksack. Carry waterproof and warm clothing (don't wear jeans), sufficient food and drink for your walk, map of area, compass, whistle, first aid and, in winter, a torch.

In remote or rugged areas a survival bag or blanket should also be carried, we hope you will never need to use it but it is reassuring to know it is there. Most outdoor shops sell them for a couple of pounds and they weigh very little.

THE COUNTRYSIDE CODE

Which all ramblers should observe:

Respect - Protect - Enjoy

- a.. Be safe - plan ahead and follow any signs.
- b.. Leave gates and property as you find them.
- c.. Protect plants and animals, and take your litter home.
- d.. Keep your dog under close control.
- e.. Consider other people.

Grading of Walks

Walks on the Group Walks Finder (http://www.ramblers.org.uk/areas_groups/groupswalksfinder) are graded for difficulty as follows:

- **Easy Access** Walks for everyone, including people with conventional wheelchairs and pushchairs, using easy access paths. Comfortable shoes or trainers can be worn. Assistance may be needed to push wheelchairs on some sections: please enquire.
- **Easy** Walks for anyone who does not have a mobility difficulty or a specific health problem or is seriously unfit. Suitable for pushchairs if they can be lifted over occasional obstructions. Comfortable shoes or trainers can be worn.
- **Leisurely** Walks for reasonably fit people with at least a little country walking experience. May include unsurfaced rural paths. Walking boots and warm, waterproof clothing are recommended.
- **Moderate** Walks for people with country walking experience and a good level of fitness. May include some steep paths and open country, and may be at a brisk pace. Walking boots and warm, waterproof clothing are essential.
- **Strenuous** Walks for experienced country walkers with an above average fitness level. May include hills and rough country, and may be at a brisk pace. Walking boots and warm, waterproof clothing are essential. People in doubt about their fitness are advised to contact the organiser or leader in advance.
- **Technical** Walks for experienced and very fit walkers with additional technical skills. May require scrambling and use of ropes, ice axes and crampons. You must contact the organiser or leader in advance for further details.

Important. Grades are provided as a general guide only: if you have any doubt about your fitness for a particular walk please contact the organiser or leader in advance. You should also bear in mind the distance of the walk, regional differences in terrain and the possibility of bad weather, which can make a walk more difficult than planned. If you're unsure of your fitness level, try a short and easy walk first: it's much better to find a walk a little too slow and easy than to make yourself miserable and exhausted. Leaders may refuse to accept participants who in their opinion are inadequately equipped or unfit.

Some of our volunteers use their own local grading systems: if this isn't explained in the walk description, contact the organiser or leader for details.

Alnwick and District

Secretary: L.M. Law, 1 The Crofts, Grange Road, Shilbottle, Alnwick, NE66 2XW

Walks Secretary: R.A. Law, Tel: 01665 575633

Footpaths Officer Mr R.A. Law, 1 The Crofts, Grange Road, Shilbottle, Alnwick NE66 2XW
Email: ralmlaw@tiscali.co.uk

Meeting place: Start of walk. All walks start at 10:30. If weather is inclement, check with leader.

All walks are on Sunday

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
Aug 5	Wooler Common-Broadstruther circular. Meet at Wooler Common Car Park.	NT977272 OL 16	8	Daphne Kelly	0191 2586834
Aug 19	Shilbottle circular. Meet at Shilbottle Working Mens Club.	NU201085 EXP 332	7	Linda Law	01665 575633
Sept 2	College Valley-Eccles Cairn circular. Meet Hethpool Car Park.	NT894281 OL 16	7.5	Elidh Gardiner	01665 574839
Sept 16	Cold Law-Hawsen Burn-Broadstruther circ Meet at Carey Burn Bridge.	NT976250 OL 16	7	Judy Williams	01665 581531
Oct 7	Alwinton-Copper Snout- Pass Peth circular. Meet at Alwinton Village Green.	NT922063 OL 16	8	Janet and Nigel Towers	01665 830313
Oct 21	Chesters circular. Meet at Bulby Wood Car Park	NU008163 OL 16	7.5	Margaret Wallhead	0191 2364549
Oct 28	AGM at St Michael's Church Hall, Alnwick at 1 pm, preceded by a short walk from the Hall starting at 10:30.	NU185136 EXP 332	4		
Nov 4	Bolam Lake circular. Meet at Boathouse Wood CP. Note: Parking charges apply.	NZ085818 OL 42	6.5	Daphne Kelly	0191 2586834
Nov 18	Rothbury-Cragside Carriage Drive Meet at Debden Entrance	NU066034 Exp 332	7.5	David and Wila Bradbrooke	01670 787771
Dec 2	Powburn-Titlington-Beanley Hall circular. Meet at CP of fuel station café.	NU065165 OL 16	8	Bill Harries	01665 575129
Dec 16	Hepple-Holystone circular. Meet at lay-by north of Hepple Bridge.	NZ982003 OL16	7	Margaret Wallhead	0191 2364549
2013 Jan 6	Bamburgh to Budle Bay circular. Meet at Castle CP. Note: charges may apply	NU183349 LR 75	6.5	Janice Clarke	0191 2368850
Jan 20	Craster-Dunstan Steads-Howick circular, Meet at Craster CP (charges apply)	NU256198 EXP 332	8	Penny Ford	01670 788278

Berwick

Walks Secretary: Derrick Joanes, Tel. 01289 309581

Group Secretary: Serena Dean, Tel. 01289 388668

Footpaths Officer: Mrs E Bamford, 112 Main Street, Spittal, Berwick on Tweed TD15 1RD
Email: ericabamford@btinternet.com

Meeting place: Wallace Green car park, Berwick (see time at WG) to arrange car sharing, except for walks using public transport as indicated

Special events: Weekend away (Moffat): 7th – 10th September 2012.

Festival of Winter Walks: 26th December 2012 to 2nd January 2013.

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Aug 5	Hedgehope WG 09:15. Start 10:00	NT954225	9	Tom Brewis	01289 387524
Aug 12	Pennine Way Circular WG 09:30. Start 10:20	NT840277	7	Ron Beresford	01289 305628
Aug 19	The Schil from Sourhope WG 09:30. Start 10:25	NT841197	8	Elliott Ray	01289 306955
Aug 26	Norham to Coldstream WG 09:55. Start 10:15	NT899473	8.5	Derrick Joanes	01289 309581
Sept 2	Over Heddon Hill WG 09:30. Start 10:05	NT998233	8.5	Margaret Anderson	01668 219361
Sept 16	Eildon Hills Circular WG 09:15. Start 10:15	NT550340	8	Martin Davison	01835 823833
Sept 23	Tosson Round WG 09:15. Start 10:15	NZ052987	11	Morag Forsyth	01670 734122
Sept 30	Eccles Cairn WG 09:45. Start 10:25	NT894281	7	Julie Yellowley	01665 579062
Oct 7	Craster to Bamburgh WG 09:30. Join 10:24 bus from Bamburgh	NU257199	12.5	Martin Davison	01835 823833
Oct 14	Around Bowden Doors Bus Berwick Rly Stn 09:40. Start 10:12	NU109339	10.5	Derrick Joanes	01289 309581
Oct 21	Akeld Hill and Yeavinger Bell WG 09:30. Start 10:00	NT976273	8.5	Elliott Ray	01289 306955
Oct 28	The Hirsell and The Tweed WG 09:30. Start 10:00	NT840397	7	John Bamford	01289 302559
Nov 4	Autumn in Detchant Park WG 09:45. Start 10:10	NU083373	8	Serena Dean	01289 388668
Nov 10	Norham to Etal Bus Berwick Rly Stn 09:05. Start 09:27	NT899473	10.5	Derrick Joanes	01289 309581
Nov 18	Holy Island Circular WG 09:30. Start 09:55	NU080427	7.5	Martin Davison	01835 823833
Nov 25	Kilham Circular WG 09:30. Start 10:00	NT881321	8	Elliott Ray	01289 306955

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Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
Dec 2	The Long Walk WG 10:00. Start 11:00	NU259174	6	Sheila March	01665 721124
Dec 8	Horncliffe to Berwick Bus Berwick Golden Sq 11:10. Start 11:25	NT935503	6.5	Randi Wright	01289 332630
Dec 16	Warenford and Chathill WG 09:30. Start 10:00	NU137285	9.5	David Griggs	01665 589289
Dec 21	Fishwick to Norham Bus Berwick Golden Sq 11:00. Start 11:21	NT917514	5.5	Derrick Joanes	01289 309581
Dec 26	Berwick Circular Start WG 10:30	NT999532	5	John Bamford	01289 302559
2013 Jan 2	Paxton Circular WG 10:00. Start 10:20	NT933530	6	Elliott Ray	01289 306955
Jan 6	Dod Law and Wooler Water WG 09:45. Start 10:15	NT998325	9	Bruce Anderson	01289 305350
Jan 13	Around Cheswick Bus Berwick Rly Stn 09:40. Start 09:53	NU007492	8.5	Peter Maule	01289 331768
Jan 20	A circular walk from Duns WG 09:45. Start 10:15	NT785539	8.5	Philip Thompson	01361 883540
Jan 27	Etal and The Till WG 09:45. Start 10:15	NT925393	11	Gemma Banks	01890 820452

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Chester-le-Street

Secretary: Jon Davidson, 29 Grasmere, Chester-le-Street, DH2 3DL
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Walks Organiser Bill Fairnington: Tel 0191 3893114

Footpaths Officer: Steve Dixon, 78 Sullivan Walk, Heburn NE31 1YW
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Meeting Place Chester-le-St Civic Centre car park – 9.30 am unless stated

‘A’ walks are mainly circular approx.10m

‘B’ walks are approx 5m, where possible

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Aug 5	No Place, Beamish		10 mod	Elsie and Margaret	0191 3883180 07944 808552
Aug 19	Elsdon		9 mod	Josie Lowden	07891 784933
Sept 2	Coach Trip – 8.30 Start Craster to Seahouses		10 easy	Jon Davidson	0191 3884088 07704 493948
Sept 16	Westgate		8 mod	Ian Drummond	0191 4106892 07983 772285
Sep 30	Great Ayton		9 mod	Colin Edwards	07984 396771
Oct 14	Coach Trip – 8.30 Start Whitby to Eskdale		9 or 5 mod	John Armstrong	0191 3893022 07976 279256
Oct 28	Lanchester		8 or 5 mod	Kathleen Tweddle	0191 5120185 07941 88862
Nov 4	Seaton Sluice		9 easy	Bill Fairnington	0191 3893114 07950 598429
Nov 18	Dipton		8 mod	Dave Marshall	0191 4104922 07552 182655
Dec 2	Brafferton Nr Darlington		9 easy	Muriel Goode	0191 4386820
Dec 16	Shincliffe		8 mod	Kath Nixon	0191 4873905 07765 939232
Dec 26	Boxing Day TBA			Colin Edwards	07984 396771
2013 Jan 1	New Years Day TBA			Jon Davidson	0191 3884088 07704 493948
Jan 13	Hawthorn Dene		8 or 3 easy	Dennis Draper	0191 3891122 07910 782151
Jan 27	Cassop		8 mod	Bryan Stout	0191 3864089 07580 806554
Jan 23	AGM 7.30 pm venue TBA				

Evening Walks – Short evening walks on second and fourth Wednesday during May, June, July and August.
Meet at Civic Centre Car Park at 6.45pm

Dogs permitted with the leaders prior agreement, on a short lead at all times

New Walkers – are most welcome, and car sharing is encouraged.

Derwentside

Secretary: Vaughan Davidson, Tel: 0191 3894659, email: vandjq@hotmail.com

Walks Secretary: Rob Green. Tel: 01207 235032, email: Rob.Green@talktalk.net

Footpaths Officer: A Royston, 2 Chapel Place, High Shincliffe, Durham DH1 2FD

Phone: 0191 3832295 Email: Tony.Royston@talktalk.com

All walks are on a Sunday at 10:30 am and are classed as 'moderate' unless otherwise stated.

If in any doubt about the weather or other conditions then please contact the leader or walks secretary, Rob Green, beforehand.

The second number given is the leader's mobile phone and can be used for contact on the morning of the walk.

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Aug 5	Evenwood – West Auckland Meet at Evenwood village centre.	NZ155250	10	Vaughan Davidson	0191 3894659 07548 229036
Aug 19	Blackhall Rocks Meet at The Rocks picnic area.	NZ471387	8.5	Eric Patterson	01207 290822 07714 501368
Sept 2	Cornsay Meet at Cornsay village.	NZ146435	8	Len Crawley	01207 505193 07910 386479
Sept 16	Esh – Neville's Cross Meet at Esh village.	NZ203441	10.6	Rob Green	01207 235032 07904 485610
Sept 30	Rookhope Meet near Rookehope Inn.	NY939429	7	Tony Royston	0191 3832295 07776 261749
Oct 14	Hardberry Hill Meet at Bowlees picnic area.	NY907282	8	Ian Turnbull	01207 238193 07891 110669
Oct 28	Bollihope (near Frosterley) via Carrs top and Catterick Meet at car park. This will be followed by the AGM at Stanhope Dales Centre at 15:00.	NZ007349	8	Sharron Lea	01207 561629 07500 223637
Nov 11	Wolsingham – White Kirkley Meet at Demesne Car Park.	NZ075376	9.3	Vaughan Davidson	0191 3894659 07548 229036
Nov 25	Castle Eden Dene Meet at Castle Eden Dene car park (torch needed for a dark tunnel).	NZ428394	7.75	Eric Patterson	01207 290822 07714 501368
Dec 9	Rowley Meet at former station CP.	NZ085478	7.5	Len Crawley	01207 505193 07910 386479
2013 Jan 6	Causey Arch & Tanfield Meet at Causey Arch picnic area.	NZ204562	6	Rob Green	01207 235032 07904 485610
Jan 20	Blanchland-Bolt's Law, Townfield, Hunstanworth, Baybridge Meet in Blanchland main CP.	NY965504	8.7	Tony Royston	0191 3832295 07776 261749

Durham

Secretary: Cliff Ludman, 5 Church Street, Durham, DH1 3DG.

Tel 0191 3866886 Email: Cliff.Ludman@Ramblers.DurhamCity.org.uk

Walks Secretary: Richard Fletcher Tel: 0191 3843193

Wednesday Walks: Roger Carpenter Tel: 0191 3864511

Footpaths Officer: Mr R Cornwell, 40 The Avenue, Durham DH1 4EB
roger@cornwell.org.uk

Group Website: <http://Ramblers.DurhamCity.org.uk>

The Group strongly supports car sharing. If you can offer a lift to walks, or would like a lift to a walk, please contact the walk leader. Anyone who knows of a footpath problem, please contact the Footpaths Secretary Roger Cornwell Tel 0191 3868756

Unless otherwise stated, all Sunday and Wednesday walks start at 10.30am and Monday walks at 6.00pm. Short (4-5 mile) Wednesday walks will be followed by an optional pub lunch.

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Wed Aug 1	Cronkley Fell Meet at Bowlees Visitor Centre	NY907282 OL 31	12 Mod	Brian McKenzie Brown	01388 607943 07763 155817
Mon Aug 6	West of Holmside Meet on Holmside to South Stanley road near Burnhope Flatts Farm	NZ194494 EXP 308	5 Mod	Brian and Liz Anderson	0191 3718898 07794 979595
Sun Aug 12	Alston, Nenthead and Garrigill Meet at Alston Market Place	NY718465 OL 31	9or12 Hard	Susan Goddard	0191 3845308
Wed Aug 15	Waskerley, Castleside and Horsleyhope Meet at Waskerley Farm	NZ051453 EXP 307	8 Mod	Tony Royston	0191 3832295 07776 261749
Mon Aug 20	Littleton and Elemore Woods Meet at Littleton cross roads	NZ339434 EXP 307	5 Leis.	Cliff Ludman	0191 3866886 07766 662669
Sun Aug 26	Cow Green and Herdship Fell Meet at Cow Green Reservoir CP	NY810309 OL 31	10 Hard	Jason Crosbie	07931 458739
Wed Aug 29	Allensford and the bonny banks o'Derwent Meet at Allensford CP nearest A68	NZ078502 EXP 307	9 Mod	Cliff Ludman	0191 3866886 07766 662669
Mon Sept 3	Beamish Woods Eden Place car park	NZ220537 EXP 308	4 Mod	John Albery	0191 3843164 07975 958560
Sun Sept 9	Sutton Bank to Osmotherley Linear. Meet Osmotherley at 10.15 for transfer to Sutton Bank. Rather than car share all cars should have as many spare seats as possible	SE456972 OL 26	11.4 Mod	John Albery	0191 3843164 07975 958560
Wed Sept 12	Linburn – the Secret Valley Meet at the Cross Keys, Hamsterley (BA)	NZ119311 EXP 305	9 Mod	Roger Carpenter	0191 3864511 07503 646233
Mon Sept 17	Around Great Lumley Meet Community Centre	NZ293492 EXP 308	3 Leis.	Roger Carpenter	0191 3864511 07503 646233
Sun Sept 23	Birdoswald and Gilsland Meet Birdoswald Roman Fort Car Park	NY616664 OL 43	9 Mod	Richard Fletcher	0191 3843193 07974 352372
Wed Sept 26	Greta Bridge and Brignall Banks Meet Greta Bridge	NZ085133 OL 31	10 Mod	Brian McKenzie Brown	01388 607943 07763 155817

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Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
Sun Oct 7	Dipton Mill, Ordley. Dukerfield and Juniper. Meet at Dipton Mill Inn.	NY929610 OL 43	9 Mod	John Albery	0191 3843164 07975 958560
Wed Oct 10	Autumn in Castle Eden Dene Meet at east end of Wellfield Rd. Wingate (old A181)	NZ407383 EXP 308	9 Mod	Cliff Ludman	0191 3866886 07766 662669
Wed Oct 17	Walks Planning Meeting At the Court, Inn, Durham, 7.00pm	NZ279422 EXP 308			
Sun Oct 21	Egglestone, Cotherstone and Romalldkirk Meet at Egglestone village centre	NY999238 OL 31	10 Mod	Jason Crosbie	07931 458739
Wed Oct 24	Ramblers 'Walk in the Woods' Festival Lanchester - Black and Fox woods Meet in Lanchester Valley Walk car park	NZ163575 EXP 307	5 Mod	Cliff Ludman	0191 3866886 07766 662669
Sun Nov 4	Barnard Castle and Whorlton Meet at Barnard Castle PO, Galgate	NZ049166 OL 31	9 Mod	Brian and Liz Anderson	0191 3718898 07794 979595
Wed Nov 7	Winston and Old Richmond Meet on A67 east of Winston	NZ147171 EXP 304	6.5 Leis.	Alastair and Elaine Simpson	01388 607323
Sun Nov 18	Elwick and Summer Hill Meet at Spotted Cow, Elwick	NZ455323 EXP 306	7 Leis.	Cliff Ludman	0191 3866886 07766 662669
Wed Nov 21	Staindrop Meet at Post Office	NZ130206 EXP 304	4 Leis	Alastair and Elaine Simpson	01388 607323
Sun Dec 2	Sedgefield Stroll Meet Sedgefield C of E church	NZ357289 EXP 305	7 Leis.	Roger Thomas	07706 833347
Mon Dec 3	Annual General Meeting 7.30 p.m. Meet at Alington House, North Bailey, Durham DH1 3ET	NZ275424			
Wed Dec 5	Around Rookhope Meet at Rookhope Inn	NY939429 OL 31	7 Mod	Tony Royston	0191 3832295 07776 261749
Sun Dec 16	Winston, Little Newsham and Whorlton. Meet Main Street Winston Village	NZ139167 Exp 304	8 Mod	John Albery	0191 3843164 07975 958560
Wed Dec 19	Xmas Lunch walk Meet at the Blacksmith's Arms at Low Pittington	NZ324448 EXP 308	4 Mod	Roger Carpenter	0191 3864511 07503 646233
Sun Dec 30	Ramblers Festival of Winter Walks Rowlands Gill Meet car park Stirling Lane	NZ166580 EXP 307	8 Mod	Richard Fletcher	0191 3843193 07974 352372
2013 Wed Jan 2	Fish and Chip Walk Meet at the Customs House, South Shields Money required for lunch	NZ359672 EXP 316	7 Leis.	Ivy Papps	01913843164 07762 627026
Sun Jan 13	Summerhouse, Gainford and Piercebridge Meet at Summerhouse	NZ202191 EXP 304	7.5 Leis.	Tony Royston	0191 3832295 07776 261749
Wed Jan 16	West Auckland Railways Meet West Auckland Manor Hotel	NZ180263 EXP 305	4 Easy	Roger Carpenter	0191 3864511 07503 646233
Sun Jan 27	The start of the Stockton and Darlington Meet Paradise CP, Witton Park	NZ173303 EXP 305	7 Mod	Roger Carpenter	0191 3864511 07503 646233
Wed Jan 30	Winston and Gainford Meet at Winston Church	NZ143169 EXP 304	8 Leis.	Roger Carpenter	0191 3864511 07503 646233

Gateshead

Secretary: V Horsler, 0191 4144366

Footpaths Officer: B Smith, 'The Durdens', Fellside Road, Whickham NE164 LA

Walks Hedley Horsler 0191 414 4366

Coordinator:

Walks start 10.00am. If there is a doubt about the the weather or starting point please phone the leader . Dogs not permitted (except guide dogs) Please use mobile phones with consideration for others

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Aug 4	Frenchman's Lea, S. Shields. Park on A183 coast road	NZ383660 EXP316	10 Mod/Esy	J. Emslie	07989 765351
Aug 11	Harwood CP to Fontburn reservoir	NZ002902 OL42	11	Brenda Wilson	07939 164033
Aug 18	No Walk – Somerset Holiday				
Aug 25	No Walk – Somerset Holiday				
Sept 1	Wooler old railway stn. Park locally	NT994283 OL16	10	Val Horsler	07918 604953
Sept 8	Lordinshaw CP near Rothbury	NZ053988 OL42	11	Peter Blacklock	07791 866915
Sept 15	Ingram. CP on left after bridge on entering village	NU017163 OL16	10	Doug Moffat	07812 377521
Sept 22	Scarth Memorial Hall, centre of Staindrop	NZ128206 EXP304	10	Keith Smith	0191 388958
Sept 29	Coach walk. Berwick – St Abbs Meet Blaydon CP east end by recycling bins	NZ188633 EXP316	11	Hedley Horsler	07918 604953
Oct 6	Ridley Hall NT CP	NY798640 OL43	11	C. Clark	01914 143643
Oct 13	Corbridge. Meet CP by bridge south of Corbridge	NY988640 OL43/EXP316	11	Doug Moffat	07812 377521
Oct 20	CP centre of Haltwhistle	NY706642 OL43	10	D. Mottershead	0191 4820173
Oct 27	Carter Bar CP	NT698068 OL16	8	Val Horsler	07918 604952
Nov 3	CP Causey Arch picnic area	NZ205562 EXP308	10	Doug Moffat	07812 377521
Nov 10	AGM. St Mary's Rectory Hall, Whickham Walk 1000hrs. AGM 1300hrs	NZ206613 EXP316			07918 604952
Nov 17	County Hotel, village green, Aycliffe	NZ285225 EXP305	8	Colin Goodfellow	0191 4692948
Nov 24	Anchor Hotel, Haydon Bridge	NY843643 OL43	9	Beth Smith	0191 4881631

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Dec 1	Christmas Lunch. Venue tba				
Dec 8	Castleton. Meet near tea room. Park in village	NZ688080 OL26	8	J. Emslie	07989 765251
Dec 15	Lintzford layby, Rowlands Gill	NZ147570 EXP307	8	Peter Blacklock	07791 866915
Dec 22	Whittonstall	NZ073572 EXP307	10	Irene Griffiths	01207 544035
Dec 29	“The Avenue Branchline”. Meet Monkseaton Metro Stn	NZ347721 EXP316	9	Brenda Nunn	0191 4884677
2013 Jan 5	Wannie Line. Scots Gap CP. Tea at Stables afterwards	NZ038864 OL42	11	C. Clark	0191 4143643
Jan 19	Wolsingham Demesne CP	NZ075375 OL31	10	Irene Griffiths	01207 544035
Jan 26	Newcastle – Tynemouth. Meet Newcastle side of Swing Bridge. Bring Metro Card/Bus Pass	NZ246635 EXP316	12	Colin Goodfellow	0191 4692948

Hexham

Secretary: Ros Blaylock, 10 Quatre Bras, Hexham NE46 3JY
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Walks Coordinator: Julia Forster 27 Cross Row, Stargate, Ryton, Tyne and Wear, NE40 3EG
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Footpaths Officer: Mrs M.E. Harris, Bradley Farm, Wylam, NE41 8JB

All walks start at 10.15am at OS reference point, on map OL43 unless otherwise stated.
Check www.ramblers.org.uk/areas_groups/groupswalksfinder or
www.northumbriaramblers.org.uk/group/hexham for any late changes or ring walk leader for further information.

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Aug 5	Demesne Car Park Wolsingham	NZ076376 OL31	8	Cliff and Sheila Wood	0191 4139827
Aug 12	Blanchland – Hexham. Linear walk. Meet at Blanchland CP. Contact leader for car sharing arrangements re. return to Blanchland	NY964505 307	11-12	Cath Chaytor	01661 842293
Aug 19	Kingslaw Plantation, near Whitley Chapel	NY903544	6	Ros Blaylock	01434 604639
Aug 26	Broccolitia Car Park	NY860713	11.7	Jenny and Dennis Harrington	01434 681619
Sept 2	Matfen	NZ030718 316	5	Julia Forster	0191 4131724
Sept 9	Stocksfield Railway Station CP	NZ054613 316 and 307	10	Miles Hutchinson	01434 605462
Sept 16	Middleton village, nr. Ox Inn Joint with Ponteland group	NZ063852 OL42	7.5	Colin Braithwaite	01661 822929
Sept 23	Meet on B6318, west of Gilsland, before entrance to Clark's Hill Farm	NY590671	10-12	Alison Watson	01434 606535
Sept 23	Acomb. Park on main street. Walk starts from square at top of main street	NY934667	3-4	Marshall Ward	01434 633401
Sept 30	Pow Hill CP, Derwent Reservoir	NZ009517 307	5.5	Julia Forster	0191 4131724
Oct 7	Walking in the College Valley; optional overnight at Mounthooly Bunkhouse. Details of cost etc. from Cath or www.northumbriaramblers.org.uk/group/hexham			Cath Chaytor	01661 842293
Oct 14	Kirkwhelpington Church	NY996844 OL42	6	Margaret Brough	01434 689353
Oct 21	Housesteads-Greenhead. Linear walk. Return on HW Bus. Meet Housesteads CP (CP charge)	NY794684	9.8	Cath Chaytor	01661 842293
Oct 28	Prudhoe, Highfield Lane, playground CP	NZ093624	6	Mavis Harris	01661 852229

Hexham

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Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
Nov 4	Whitley Chapel	NY928578	8-9	Ros Blaylock	01434 604639
Nov 11	Allendale Bakery, Catton	NY831568	5.5	Carole Byron	01434 688223
Nov 18	Allendale Market Place	NY838558	9	Carole Byron	01434 688223
Nov 25	AGM. Details to be confirmed. Check group page on website				
Dec 2	Eltringham	NZ075628 Expl. 316	10.5	Ruth Robards	01434 600574
Dec 9	Corbridge CP. South end of bridge	NY988641	5-6	Marshall Ward	01434 633401
Dec 16	Tyne Green, Hexham. (CP charge)	NY938647	10	Sue Lake	01434 600334
Dec 23	No walk Mid-week walk and Xmas meal. Details to be confirmed at later date. Check group page on website.				
Dec 30	No walk				
2013 Jan 6	Halton Shields. Meet layby north side of B6318 Joint walk with Ponteland group	NZ013686 Expl.316	7.5	Mavis Harris	01661 852229
Jan 13	Wall. Lay by north of village	NY918693	10	Jenny and Dennis Harrington	01434 681619
Jan 20	Gunnerton main street	NY905749	8 or 6 if bad weather	Cliff and Sheila Wood	0191 4139827
Jan 27	Stamfordham	NZ080721 Expl. 316	9.5	Ruth Robards	01434 600574

Morpeth

Secretary: Margaret Siggins, 17 Kingswell, Morpeth, NE61 2TY
Tel: 01670 518031

Footpaths Officer: Mr Neil Allender, 267 Wingrove Road, North Fenham NE4 9EH
Email: neilallender@yahoo.co.uk

Meeting Place: Car Park next to Morpeth Library at 9.00am

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Aug 12	Rothbury Circular		10	Neil Allender	
Aug 26	Wooler Circular		7	Jenny Ellis	
Sept 9	Boulmer Circular		9½	Julia Birchall and Vicky Ludbrook	
Sept 23	Yeavinger Bell Circular		9	Bill Siggins	
Oct 14	South Middleton Circular		8	Bill Siggins	
Oct 28	Hexham Circular		9	Diana Aynsley	
Nov 11	Great Bavington Circular		8	Jackie Jones	
Nov 25	Temple Thornton Circular		7	Dorothy Watson Fenwick	
*Dec 9	Tynemouth Priory *starts 10.am at Tynemouth Priory		8	Jenny Ellis	
2013 Jan 13	Ponteland Circular		6	Vicky Ludbrook	
Jan 27	Morpeth Circular		8	Jackie Jones	

AGM and Walks Planning Meeting

Wednesday 24 October 2012 - 8.00pm
Sour Grapes Wine Bar, Newgate Street, Morpeth

Northumbria Short Circuits

Secretary Tom Turnbull. Tel: 0191 4696661. Email: tom.trt@talktalk.net

Walks Co-ordinator David Moore. Tel. 0191 2852925. Email: davidmoore1936@gmail.com

Walks start at 10.30 a.m. and are circular unless stated otherwise. If no phone no. is given, please contact David Moore for further details.

Interactive maps may be found via www.streetmap.co.uk or www.ramblers.org.uk .

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Aug 4	Pauperhaugh. Fields and woodland beside the Coquet. Limited parking at village, advise car share from Weldon Bridge.	NZ101995	6	Derek Coleman	0191 2670890
Aug 18	Steel Rig/Roman Wall. Exploring the area N. of the wall, including the loughs. Car park N of the B6318, 2.5 miles W of Housesteads.	NY752676	6	Ian Hunter	0191 2745723
Sept 1	Stanhope. A testing walk in the hills to N of village. Meet at Dales Centre (Parking limited to 4 hrs., You may want to park elsewhere).	NY996392	6	Phil Marriott	
Sept 15	Waldrige Fell. Woods and fells, some slopes. Car parks to SW of village on Edmondsley road.	NZ251498	5	Bill Wright	07947 043610
Sept 29	Away Day to Ullswater by Coach Details from D.Moore, booking essential.		7	David Moore and friends.	0191 2852925
Oct 13	Ingram Valley. The Cochrane Pike walk.Meet at Visitors' Centre, parking nearby.	NU017163	4.5	Anne Dickinson	01670 517303
Oct 27	Blanchland. Moorland walk to NW of village via Baybridge. C/P in village.	NY964505	5.5	Eric Nicholson	0191 4401956
Nov 10	Barnard Castle/Egglestone Abbey. Riverside walk to the abbey, returning via the town. Park at Bowes Museum.	NZ055163	5	Pat/Owen Oliver	01670 731340
Nov 24	Newcastle Moors and Mansions. Linear. The four moors of Newcastle, and some of its grander residences. Meet West Jesmond Metro. Limited meter parking nearby.	NZ252667	5	Helen/Tom Turnbull	0191 4696661
Dec 8	Shiremoor Metro to Percy Main, Linear. Following the wagonways towards the Tyne, inc. a railway museum. Parking at Shiremoor Metro. Return by Metro.	NZ318715	4.5	David Moore et al.	0191 2852925
Dec 29	Newcastle Quayside to Newburn, Linear .Following the Tyne westwards. Meet under Tyne Bridge.	NZ252638	6	David Moore et al.	0191 2852925
2013 Jan 12	Newcastle Quayside to S. Gosforth Linear. An old favourite to start the year, via Heaton and Jesmond Dene . Meet at Milleniium Bridge.	NZ257641	5.5	Valerie Bunyan Lillian Shearing	
Jan 26	Newburn and Wylam Circular. Riverside and Meadowland walk with local history and wildlife. Car park to N of the Keelman.	NZ161657	5	Derek Coleman	0191 2670890

Ponteland

Secretary: Colin Braithwaite Tel: 01661 822929

Footpaths Officer: Mr C. Braithwaite, 105 Western Way, Ponteland. NE20 9LY
Email: braithwt@gotadsl.co.uk

Meeting Place: Merton Way Car Park. Ponteland

Walks are mainly circular, by car to start point

Note: The location of all walks is subject to change at the discretion of the walk leader

Sundays: Meet at **10.00 am** prompt, unless otherwise indicated on programme.

Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Aug 5	Tyne Green Hexham			S Edwards	01661 886310
Aug 19	Greenhaugh N Tyne			H Walker	01670 717745
Sept 2	Northumberland Coast			J Finch	01661 823453
Sept 16	Middleton Village Joint walk with Hexham			C and V Braithwaite	01661 822929
Sept 30	Hadrians Wall			J and A Bull	01661 860205
Oct 14	Colwell Military Rd			M Scarlett	01661 824801
Oct 28	Tynedale			J and B Trimble	01661 823515
Nov 11	Waldrige			D Dastur	0191 3881279
Nov 25	Bardon Mill			T Caldwell	01661 823539
Dec 9	Stamfordham			S Edwards	01661 886310
Dec 23	No walk				
2013 Jan 6	Halton Shields Joint walk with Hexham			M Harris	01661 852229
Jan 20	Local Walk			C and V Braithwaite	01661 822929

Second and fourth Wednesday in every month.

Meet at 9.30am prompt. Usually half day local walks, followed by an optional pub lunch. Occasionally half or full day walks, travelling further afield

For further information telephone John Le Rolland Tel 01661 825408

Ponteland Group AGM

Tuesday 12th February 2013 at 7.30 p.m. St. Mary's Church Hall Ponteland

Note: The AGM will also cover the planning of the late summer early winter programme

Sunderland

Secretary: Pat Jackson, 73 Houghton Road, Hetton le Hole, DH5 9PQ
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Footpaths Officer: Mr D Hann, 34 Leeholme, Houghton le Spring DH5 8HS
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All walks start at 10.30 am unless otherwise stated. In case of bad weather, contact leader

Sunday Walks

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Aug 5	Waskerley Circular. Meet Waskerley Station	NZ051453 307	9	Mel Brown	0191 4165560
Aug 19	Herrington Park/Hastings Hill. Meet Herrington Country Park	NZ339532 308	9	Mel Brown	0191 4165560
Sept 2	Barningham Moor. Meet in Barningham village	NZ084103 304	10	David Hann	0191 5120567
Sept 16	Metro Walk. Brockley Whins to South Hylton. Meet South Hylton station at 10.00am. Bring Metro pass.	NZ354567 308	8.25	Gordon Lindsley	0191 5202152
Sept 30	Yarm Circular. Meet at old town hall in Yarm main street.	NZ418128 304	9	Dennis Borley	0191 4920029
Oct 14	Monks Moor. Meet Middleton in Teesdale long stay CP, Alston Road on B6277	NY947252 OL31	8	David Hann	0191 5120567
Oct 28	Allensford Circular. Meet Allensford picnic area off A68	NZ080504	8.5	Bill McQue	0191 3852732
Nov 11	West Auckland Wander. Meet CP on West Green, West Auckland	NZ180263 305	9	Brian Myers	01642 313446
Nov 25	Brandon and Bearpark. Meet Deerness Leisure Ctr, Ushaw Moor, off B6302	NZ236422 308	8	Brian Myers	01642 313446
Dec 9	Herrington Park Urban Walk. Penshaw Lambton Estate. Meet Elba Park, Old Lambton Coke Works	NZ316519 308	8	Viv Maris	0191 5510260
2013 Jan 6	Beau Repaire Circular. Meet Whitesmocks North off the A167 between Crossgate Moor and Framwellgate Moor.	NZ260435 308	7	Pat Jackson	0191 5260434 07901 684913
Jan 20	Langley Park circular. Meet approach road to Diggerland, Langley Park	NZ215451 308	9	Dennis Borley	0191 4920029

Wednesday Walks

Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2012 Aug 1	Rookhope. Meet Rookhope village CP	NY936429 307	9	John Todd	0191 5171935
Aug 8	Ebchester Circular. Meet Ebchester Station CP	NZ107548 307	9	John Gouge	0191 5842034
Aug 15	Round the river and South Hylton. Meet Herrington Country Park lower CP	NZ340538 308	8	John Routledge	0191 5286966
Aug 22	Across the Browney. Meet Old Sunderland Bridge nr Croxdale off B6300	NZ265377 305	8.5	Brian Myers	01642 313446
Aug 29	Thornley Village. Meet in village	NZ116372 305	9	John Todd	0191 5171935

Sunderland

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Date	Venue	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
Sept 5	Barnard Casatle/Cotherstone. Meet Demesne CP, Barnard Castle	NZ052163 OL31	9	David Strong	07837 171719
Sept 12	<i>Metro Walk.</i> Roker to South Hylton or Pallion. Meet Roker Block Yard at 10.30am. <i>Bring Metro pass.</i>	NZ408586 308	7.25 or 8.5	Gordon Lindsley	0191 5202152
Sept 19	Newburn. Meet Riverside Pk	NZ159655 316	9	Philip Heslop	0191 3885508
Sept 26	Ingleton Circular. Meet near Black Horse PH	NZ172206 304	9	Dennis Borley	0191 4920029
Oct 3	Cassop Vale. Meet Sherburn Village	NZ319421 308	8	Pauline Bell	0191 5238517
Oct 10	Wander round the Wear. Meet Jubilee Bridge, Willington.	NZ207345 305	10	Brian Myers	01642 313446
Oct 17	Hamsterley Village. Meet in village near WMC	NZ115310 305	9	John Todd	0191 5171935
Oct 24	Kibblesworth Circular. Meet at Kibblesworth Wheel.	NZ241567 308	8	Dennis Borley	0191 4920029
Oct 31	Causey Arch. Meet at Causey Arch Picnic Area	NZ205562 308	8	Philip Heslop	0191 3885508
Nov 7	Houghton walk followed by AGM at Houghton Rugby Club. Lunch provided. Meet at Rugby Club	NZ337497 308	4.5	John Gouge	0191 5842034
Nov 14	Cornsay Colliery. Meet south end of village near PH	NZ171432 307	9.5	David Marshall	0191 4104922
Nov 21	South Shields/Marsden. Meet in South Shields opp Bamburgh PH, nr Gypsy Green	NZ382665 316	8	Bob Moat	0191 4105048 07963 391985
Nov 28	Washington/Newbottle. Meet James Steel CP, Washington	NZ317547 308	9	Gill and Bill Darbyshire	0191 4172797
Dec 5	Park to Park, a canny few constructed pathways. Herrington to Barnes. Meet Herrington Country Park lower CP	NZ340538 308	8	John Routledge	0191 5286966
Dec 12	Linear Coastal Walk. Meet CP behind Seaburn Ctr <i>Bring bus pass for return to CP</i>	NZ403603 308	8	Pauline Bell	0191 5238517
Dec 19	Short walk followed by bar meal lunch at The Dun Cow, Burnmoor. Meet Dun Cow CP	NZ305512 308	4.5	Bill McQue	0191 3872732
2013 Jan 9	Holmside (south east of Stanley). Meet in village.	NZ218491 308	9	David Marshall	0191 4104922
Jan 16	Piercebridge Circular. Meet CP for the Roman Bridge at the George Hotel	NZ209157 304	9	David Strong	07837 171719
Jan 23	Witton Gilbert. Meet at Parish Church	NZ235454 308	8	Philip Heslop	0191 3885508
Jan 30	Another Beamish Walk! Causey Circular. Meet Eden Place CP	NZ220537 308	9	Bill and Gill Darbyshire	0191 4172797

Tyneside Group

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The Tyneside Group will be delighted to welcome new walkers at any or all of its four sub-Groups. Every week, on Sundays and Wednesdays, there are organised walks based on coach transport. It's best to book in advance to ensure a seat because it is not unknown for the coaches to be full. Payment is usually made a week in advance but, for those making a late booking, there are arrangements for payment on the coach. New walkers with us should contact the relevant Coach Organiser by telephone in the first instance. Details are shown in the following pages. Coach Organisers will happily advise you about administrative arrangements concerning advance bookings and cancellations. There is a choice of several walks on each outing. These usually start from different points en route but converge to meet the coaches for the return journey. Walks invariably end at a pub for refreshments and socialising. The return times given are from the departure point, not the arrival in Newcastle. For safety reasons, walkers must stay with the organised ramble which they have chosen.

There is also a variety of Social Activities to join in. Non members are welcome.

Holiday

Weeks Holiday to the Bancourt Hotel, Avenue Road, **Torquay**, T2 5LG
Saturday, 8 September - Saturday, 15 September 2012

Check with Ken Walker (Tel. 0191 4143922) for availability of places.

Although this holiday is organised by members of Tyneside Group, and the walks will be led by members of Tyneside Group, it is independent of the Tyneside Group Ramblers' Association. They are open to any members of any group.

Tyneside Group AGM

Thursday, 21st February 2013 at Brunswick Methodist Church Hall

Meeting starts at 19:30. Registration from 19:00

**All proposals and nominations for the Committee to be sent to
the Secretary by the end of December 2012**

Sunday Walks - 9.30 am Start, Earlier Return

Coach Organiser: Arthur Harris Tel: 0191 2095938
Email: arthurharris237@hotmail.com

Walks Coordinator: Ron Robinson Tel: 01661 825726

Fares: Approximately £7.00/£8.00. Children (Under 16) £2.00 and they must be accompanied by an adult. Coach pick-up point at the lay-by adjacent to the Hancock Museum on Claremont Road, Newcastle, NZ 248 650.

Date	Venue	OL/Exp	Return
2012	St John in the Vale - Grasmere	4, 5, 6, 7	6.30 pm
Aug 5			
Aug 12	Belford - Holy Island (Pick up at Beal at 6.40 pm)	332, 340	6.30 pm
Aug 19	Castletown - Rosedale	26, 27	6.30 pm
Aug 26	Castle Carrick - Armathwaite	5, 315	6.30 pm
Sept 2	Hawes - Ingleton	2	6.30 pm
Sept 9	Upper Coquetdale - Clennel	16	6.30 pm
Sept 16	Patterdale - Ambleside Centre (not Waterhead)	5, 7	6.30 pm
Sept 23	West Burton - Kettlewell	2, 30	6.30 pm
Sept 30	Ingram - Wooler	16	6.30 pm
Oct 7	Winlatter - Buttermere	4	6.30 pm
Oct 14	Hole of Horcum - Pickering (World War 2 Weekend)	27	6.30 pm
Oct 21	Brough - Kirkby Stephen	19	6.30 pm
Oct 28	Craster - Bamburgh	332, 340	5.30 pm
Nov 4	Richmond - Reeth	30, 302	5.30 pm
Nov 11	Scots Gap - Rothbury	16, 42, 332	5.30 pm
Nov 18	Roman Wall - Gilsland	43	5.30 pm
Nov 25	Woolsingham - St John's Chapel	31, 307	5.00 pm
Dec 2	Longframlington - Eglington	332	5.00 pm
Dec 9	Shotley Bridge - Edmundbyers	307	5.00 pm
Dec 16	Scotch Corner - Bowes - Barnard Castle	31, 305	5.00 pm
Dec 23	Rothbury - Alnwick	332	5.00 pm
Dec 30	Riding Mill - Hexham	43, 316	5.00 pm
2013	Akeld - Wooler (Meal at Tankerville Arms)	16	7.30 pm
Jan 6			
Jan 13	Chester-le-Street - Lanchester	307, 308	5.00 pm
Jan 20	Hexham - Allendale	42	5.00 pm
Jan 27	Thropton - Powburn	16, 332	5.00 pm
Feb 3	Guisborough - Staithes - Saltburn	26, 27	5.30 pm

Sunday Walks - 9.30 am Start

Coach Organiser: Andrew White Tel: 0191 2301247, Email: tyneandwalk@yahoo.com

Walks Co-ordinator: David Morley Tel: 0191 2849196

Fares: £9.00 (subject to change at Coach Organiser's discretion).

Children under 16 - £4.00 and they must be accompanied by an adult

All bookings should be made with full payment in advance, either on a previous outing, or at the pick-up point at St James' Street off Strawberry Place (next to the Football Stadium), Newcastle, on Sundays prior to the coach departure. New participants may contact the Coach Organiser by telephone or email for their first trip.

Date	Going to	Map	Return
2012 Aug 5	Glenridding via Pooley Bridge	OL5	7.00 pm
Aug 12	North Berwick via Haddington	66, 67, X351	7.00 pm
Aug 19	Whitby via Eskdale	OL26, 27	7.00 pm
Aug 26	Langholm via Longtown	79, X323, 324	7.00 pm
Sept 2	Alwinton via upper Coquetdale	80, OL16	7.00 pm
Sept 9	T.B.A.		7.00 pm
Sept 16	Helmsley via Sutton Bank	OL26, 27	7.00 pm
Sept 23	Grasmere via St John in the Vale	OL4, 5, 6, 7	7.00 pm
Sept 30	Bamburgh via Craster	75, 81, X332,340	7.00 pm
Oct 7	Hawes via Mallerstang	OL30	7.00 pm
Oct 14	Grosmont via Eskdale	OL26, 27	7.00 pm
Oct 21	Keswick via Borrowdale	OL4, 5	7.00 pm
Oct 28	Wark via Otterburn	87, OL42, 43	6.00 pm
Nov 4	Leyburn via Aysgarth	98, 99 OL30	6.00 pm
Nov 11	Alston via Whitfield	86, 87, OL31, 43	6.00 pm
Nov 18	Wooler via Ingram	74, 75, OL16	6.00 pm
Nov 25	Barnard Castle via Piercebridge	92, OL31, X304	6.00 pm
Dec 2	Corbridge via Blanchland	OL43, X316, 307	6.00 pm
Dec 9	Alnwick via Warkworth	75, 81, X325, 332	6.00 pm
Dec 16	Carts Bog Inn via Allendale (Christmas Do)	OL43	8.00 pm
Dec 23	Richmond via Greta Bridge	92, OL30, X304	6.00 pm
Dec 30	Durham via Willington	88, X305, 308	6.00 pm
2013 Jan 6	Greenhead via Roman Wall (New Year Do)	86, OL43	8.00 pm
Jan 13	Rothbury via Elsdon	OL16, 42, X325	6.00 pm
Jan 20	Wolsingham via Castleside	OL31, X305, 307	6.00 pm
Jan 27	Hexham via Chollerford	87, OL43, X316	6.00 pm
Feb 3	Bellingham via Housesteads	OL42, 43	6.30 pm

Wednesday Walks - 9.30 am Start

Coach Organiser: Gordon Lumsden Tel: 0191 4882251

Walks Co-ordinator: Bob Copeland Tel: 0191 2668380

Fares: Fares will be approximately £10. Children under 16 welcome but they must be accompanied by an adult. Pick up point The Coach Station, St. James Boulevard, Newcastle.

Date	Venue	Map	Return
2012	Etal via Belford	Ex339, 340	6.00 pm
Aug 1			
Aug 8	Thornton-le-Dale via Hole of Horcum	OL27	6.00 pm
Aug 15	Ravenstonedale via Sedburgh	OL19	6.00 pm
Aug 22	Morebattle via Wooler	OL16	6.00 pm
Aug 29	Kilburn via Bilsdale	OL26	6.00 pm
Sept 5	Rosthwaite via Braithwaite 9.00am Start	OL4	6.00 pm
Sept 12	Rothbury via Powburn	Ex332	6.00 pm
Sept 19	Richmond via Stang Top	OL30	6.00 pm
Sept 26	Allendale via Blanchland	OL43	6.00 pm
Oct 3	Melrose via Jedburgh	OL16, Ex338	6.00 pm
Oct 10	Grassington via Bolton Abbey (9.00 am Start)	OL2, Ex297	6.00 pm
Oct 17	Ambleside via St Johns Vale (9.00 am Start)	OL4,5,7	6.00 pm
Oct 24	Eyemouth via Cockburnspath (9.00 am Start)	Ex346	6.00 pm
Oct 31	Hutton le Hole via Castleton	OL26, 27	5.00 pm
Nov 7	Castle Carrock via Lambley	OL43, Ex315	5.00 pm
Nov 14	Alwinton via Elsdon	OL16, 42	5.00 pm
Nov 21	Arkengarthdale (CB Inn) via Richmond	OL30, Ex304	5.00 pm
Nov 28	Blanchland via Hexham	OL43	5.00 pm
Dec 5	Dyke Neuk via Wallington	OL42, Ex325	5.00 pm
Dec 12	High Flatts via Consett	Ex307, 308	5.00 pm
Dec 19	Wooler (Christmas Dinner at Tankerville Hotel)	OL16, Ex332,340	7.30 pm
Dec 27	Shotley Bridge via Derwent Valley	Ex307	5.00 pm
2013	Alnmouth via Embleton	Ex332	5.00 pm
Jan 2			
Jan 9	Gilsland Spa Hotel (New Year Do) via Roman Wall	OL43	8.30 pm
Jan 16	Bishop Auckland via Wolsingham	OL31, Ex305	5.00 pm
Jan 23	Rothbury via Elsdon	OL42	5.00 pm
Jan 30	Allenheads via Catton	OL31, 43	5.00 pm
Feb 6	Osmotherley via Great Broughton	OL26	5.00 pm

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Wednesday Walks - 10.00 am Start

Coach Organiser: Ruth Sides Tel: 0191 2840357

Walks Sid Burness Tel: 01670 732510

Co-ordinators: Dr Kenneth Wright Tel: 0191 2921302

Fares: Fares will be approximately £7.00/£9.00. Children under 16, who must be accompanied by an adult, £2.00. Coach pick-up point at the lay-by adjacent to the Hancock Museum on Claremont Road, Newcastle.

Date	Venue	Map	Return
2012 Aug 1	Glenridding via A592 (9.30 am Start)	OL5	6.00 pm
Aug 8	Kilburn via Thirsk	OL26, 299	6.00 pm
Aug 15	Seahouses via Charlton Mires	340, 332	6.00 pm
Aug 22	Sedburgh via Brough (9.30 am Start)	OL19	6.00 pm
Aug 29	Middleton in Teesdale via Stanhope	OL31	6.00 pm
Sept 5	Berwick via A1	339, 340, 346	6.00 pm
Sept 12	Keswick via Caldbeck (9.30 am Start)	OL5, OL4	6.00 pm
Sept 19	Saltburn via A171	306	6.00 pm
Sept 26	Kirk Yetholm via A697	OL16, 339	6.00 pm
Oct 3	Castle Carrock via B6413	315	6.00 pm
Oct 10	Middleham via Leyburn	OL30, 302	6.00 pm
Oct 17	Rothbury via B6342	OL16, OL42, 332	6.00 pm
Oct 24	Nenthead via Alston	OL31, OL43	6.00 pm
Oct 31	Etal via A697	339	5.30 pm
Nov 7	Great Broughton	OL26	5.30 pm
Nov 14	Blanchland via Edmundbyers	OL43, OL31, 307	5.00 pm
Nov 21	Reeth via B6270	OL30	5.00 pm
Nov 28	West Woodburn via A696	OL42	5.00 pm
Dec 5	Wark via B6320	OL43	5.00 pm
Dec 12	Stanhope via A68	OL31, 307	5.00 pm
Dec 19	Warkworth via A1068	332	5.00 pm
Dec 27	Hexham	OL43	5.00 pm
2013 Jan 2	Castleside via A692	307	5.00 pm
Jan 9	Longframlington via B6345	332, 325	5.00 pm
Jan 16	Barrasford via Ridsdale	OL43	5.00 pm
Jan 23	Sedgefield via Wingate	305	5.00 pm
Jan 30	Belford via Wooler	340	5.00 pm
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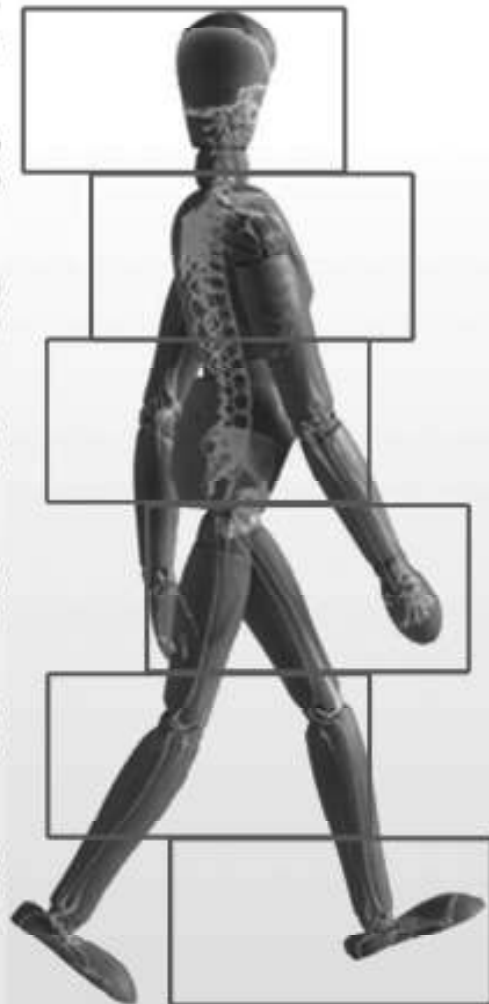
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*Enjoy performing with other groups,
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