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Chair's Welcome

A very warm welcome to our beautiful and varied Northumbria countryside.

Our Area stretches from north Co Durham to the Scottish borders and we have 14 groups, offering walks of varied terrain and length, who are always happy to welcome visitors.

I hope that you will find a walk and group that will enable you to enjoy what we have to offer, to take away happy memories and come back soon!

Dogs on Walks

Some groups do not allow accompanying dogs, apart from Registered Assistance Dogs. Please ask the walk's leader if this is the policy.

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.

Northumbria Area Annual General Meeting

Saturday 2nd February 2019 at 2pm, hosted by the Chester-le-Street Group

More details will be on Area website

The AGM is preceded by a short walk starting at 10.30am

Items for the AGM agenda should be sent in writing to the Area Secretary at least 28 days before the AGM

Visually impaired?

To obtain enlarged versions of this booklet in various formats please contact Tony Royston, the walks programme editor, at 0191 3832295, 07776 261749 or tony.royston@talktalk.net

Under 40? Try Northumbria Walking Group northwalk.org.uk or on

www.ramblers.org.uk/northumbria-walking. This is a group for people in their 20's and 30's.

For more information email walks@northwalk.org.uk

Northumbria Family Walking Group This group has been set up to offer families a range of appropriate walks. For more information email Robert Cooper at familywalking@googlemail.com or see www.familywalking.org

Everyone is welcome on the walks; You do not have to have children! However, the walks are designed with children in mind. Please, no unaccompanied children under the age of 16.

Affiliated Groups These can be found at www.ramblers.org.uk/northumbria

Secretary: Colin Duquemin 01665 711797

Walks Secretary: Heather Corby 01665 604012

Meeting place: Start of walk. All walks start at 10.30 unless otherwise stated. If weather is inclement, check with leader.

All walks are on **Sunday** unless otherwise stated

Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Aug 5	Two Rivers walk around Mitford Meet under A1 road bridge	NZ857176	7 L	Penny Ford	01670 788278
Aug 19	Bolton and Beanley Wood circular. Meet at layby 200 M west of Bolton Village	NU072248	9 M	Paul and Barbara Hargreaves	01665 575663
Sept 2	Brough Law, Chesters and Prendwick Meet at second carpark just beyond Ingram	NU008164	10 M+	Nigel and Janet Towers	07484 803510
Sept 16	Shipleigh Moor, Eglington Burn, Eglington, Shipleigh Hill and Shipleigh Smallburns Meet by pull in area at side of road leading to West Bolton	NU143177	8 M	Marilyn Martin and Bill Harries	07903 553074
Oct 7	Humbledon Burn Circular via Common Burn House and Hell Path Meet at Humbledon Burn picnic place	NT977272	7 M	Paul Stenhouse	07766 694756
Oct 21	Ingram, Weather Hill and Fawdon	NU017163	7 M	Elidh and Derek Gardiner	01665 574839
Nov 4	Ros Castle and Hepburn Moor Meet at carpark in Hepburn Wood	NU104136	9	Ian and Ann Lord	07941 416510
Nov 18	AGM at 1.30pm with short walk in the morning from 10.30 before hand lead by Paul Hargreaves. Meet outside Lesbury Village Hall	NU235117	L	Paul Hargreaves	01665 575663
Dec 2	Shilbottle Grange, Spy Law, High Buston, Southside circular Meet by bus layby in Shilbottle Grange	NU208083	8 M	Heather Corby	01665 604012
Dec 16	Morpeth Circular Meet in Morrison's underground carpark	NZ202862	8 M	Derek Gander	01670 787443
2019 Jan 6	Bamburgh –Budle Bay Meet at Village Green in Bamburgh	NU183348	7 L	Janice Clark	0191 2368850
Jan 20	Thrunton Woods circular Meet Thrunton woods carpark	NU093089	8 M	Marilyn Martin	07903 553074

Grading guide

S: Strenuous walk, typically more than 10 miles over rough terrain with steep gradients

M+: Moderate "plus" walk, typically between 8-10 miles, over rough terrain with steep gradients

M: Moderate walk typically between 7-10 miles, may involve some climbing of some gradients

L: Leisurely walk, generally flat

Walks Secretary: Gemma Banks 01890 820452

Group Secretary: Josie McChrystal 01289 307706

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

Special Notes: Where it says phone leader it means there is a bus journey involved

Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Aug 5	East Jedburgh Circular WG 9.30 Start 10.25	NT652205	9	Gemma Banks	01890 820452
Aug 12	Greenlaw, Polwarth Church WG 9.30 Start 10.00	NT720461	8	Helen Rabour	01573 470361
Aug 19	Doddington to Belford <i>Phone leader</i>	NU998325	11.5	Lesley Angell	01289 306790
Aug 26	Around Ingram WG 9.00 Start 9.45	NU017163	9	Annie Watt	01289 307656
Sept 2	Kilham Circular WG 9.30 Start 10.15	NT881321	8	Barry Tymon	01289 305842
Sept 9	Humbleton Hill and Tallon's Crag WG 9.30 Start 10.00	NT976272	8.5	Liz Moat	01289 382774
Sept 16	Hedgehope WG 9.30 Start 10.15	NT996166	10.25	David and Jenny Cant	07785995252
Sept 23	Commonburn WG 9.30 Start 10.05	976271	9.5	Margaret Anderson	01289 305483
Sept 29	Warrenford <i>Phone leader</i>	NT991280	11.5	Derrick Joanes	01289 309581
Oct 7	Brough Law WG 9.40 Start 10.30	NU008164	10	Nigel and Janet Towers	07484 803510
Oct 14	Cranshaws WG 9.15 Start 10.15	NT691620	8	Helen Rabour	01573 470361
Oct 21	St Boswells WG 9.00 Start 10.35	NT539309	6.5	Erica Bamford	01289 302559
Oct 28	Morebattle and Cliftongate WG 9.00 Start 9.45	NT771248	8.5	Phil Thompson	01360 883540
Nov 3	Norham to Fishwick <i>Phone Leader</i>	NT900473	6	Keith Johnson	01289 382083
Nov 11	Langley Craggs and more WG 9.30 Start 10.15	NT975250	10	Heather Corby	01665 604012
Nov 18	Milfield WG 8.40	NT935339	9.5	Derrick Joanes	01289 309581
Nov 25	Etal Circular WG 9.30 Start 10.00	NT926395	7.5	Gemma Banks	01890 820452

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Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
Dec 2	Along the Tweed WG 9.30 Start 9.45	NT980514	7	Annie Watt	01289 307656
Dec 9	South of Spittal WG 9.30 Start 9.35	006515	7.5	Margaret Anderson	01289 305483
Dec 16	Humbleton WG 9.30 Start 10.10	NT977272	7.5	Sue Richardson	01289 332755
Dec 26	Whitadder		5.5	Erica Bamford	01289 302559
2019 Jan 2	Paxton Circular WG 10.00 Start 10.20	NT933530	6	Barry Tymon	01289 305842
Jan 6	Heatherslaw and Ford Moss WG 10.00 Start 10.30	NT934385		Keith Johnson	01289 382083
Jan 13	Duns Castle Wood WG 9.45 Start 10.20	NT785538	7.5	Phil Thompson	01360 883540
Jan 20	Milfield Meander WG 9.45 Start 10.15	NT935338	8.5	Sue Richardson	01289 332755
Jan 27	Norham Circular WG 9.30 Start 9.50	NT899473	8	Keith Johnson	01289 382083

URLs of Groups in the Northumbria Area

Northumbria Area	www.ramblers.org.uk/northumbria	
Alnwick	www.ramblers.org.uk/alnwick	NN11
Berwick	www.ramblers.org.uk/berwick	NN10
Chester le Street	www.ramblers.org.uk/chester-le-street	NN02
Derwentside	www.ramblers.org.uk/derwentside	NN12
Durham City	www.ramblers.org.uk/durham-city	NN14
Gateshead	www.ramblers.org.uk/gateshead	NN04
Hexham	www.ramblers.org.uk/hexham	NN05
Morpeth	www.ramblers.org.uk/morpeth	NN13
Northumbria Family Walking	www.ramblers.org.uk/northumbria-family-walking	NN70
Northumbria Short Circuits	www.ramblers.org.uk/northumbria-short-circuits	NN30
Northumbria Walking	www.ramblers.org.uk/northumbria-walking	NN50
Ponteland	www.ramblers.org.uk/ponteland	NN06
Sunderland	www.ramblers.org.uk/sunderland	NN03
Tyneside	www.ramblers.org.uk/tyneside	NN01

Useful Web Addresses

http://gridreferencefinder.com/	Convert OS refs to Postcode and vice versa
https://www.osola.org.uk/rides/gpsuploader.htm	Show a GPX track on an OS Map

Group Secretary: Jon Davison 0191 3884088 jon.sec.cls@gmail.com
Sunday Walks and Coach Trip Co-ordinator: Joanne Hall 07833 590060 cls.ramblers.joanne@gmail.com
Mid-week walks organiser: Maggie Brown 0191 3711522 maggie_2052@hotmail.co.uk
Footpaths Officer: Chris Pickard 07732 959484 ca.1989.pickard@gmail.com

We meet at Chester-le-Street Civic Centre Car Park, DH3 3TE for all walks. We leave promptly at 9.30am and encourage car sharing

Please contact the walks leader direct if you wish to do a short walk; as we try to accommodate those who wish to walk 4/5 miles on most of our Sunday walks.

All walks are subject to change so for more information about the walk you are interested in please check out our website <http://www.chester-le-street-ramblers.org.uk/> or the walks leader

Sunday walks

Date	Description	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018				
Aug 5	9.30am Hury Reservoir, Co Durham	8	Mike Webber	07970 042891
Aug 12	10.30am Newcastle/Jesmond Dene with afternoon tea at Ann and Bernard	8	Bernard Pereira	0191 859689 07929 798820
Aug 19	9.30am Bolam Lake, Northumberland	8	Kath Nixon	07443 892177
Aug 26	10.30am Chopwell Woods, Gateshead	7	Chris Pickard	07732 959484
Sept 2	9.30am Helmsley/Rievaulx Abbey North Yorkshire	11	Brian Farrell	07850 464994
Sept 9	10.30am Roman wall/Wallwick, Northumberland	9	Mu Goode	07525 830263
Sept 16	9.30am Wall Village, Northumberland	9.5	Chris Pickard	07732 959484
Sept 23	8.30am Coach Trip to Keswick – Rosthwaite to Keswick Via Wathendalth £15.00 Return	10 & 5	Jo Hall	07833 590060
Sept 30	9.30am Rothbury , Northumberland	8	Maggie Brown	07527 743166
Oct 7	10.30am Hett , Co Durham	8	Dave Marshall	0191 4104922
Oct 14	9.30am, Chop Gate, North Yorkshire	9	Jo Hall	07833 590060
Oct 21 st	10.30am Dipton Mill, Hexham	8	Mu Goode	07525 830263
Oct 28	9.30am Wylam , Northumberland	8	Alex Harris	07818 251425

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Date	Description	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Nov 4	10.30am Waldridge Fells followed by the AGM at the Lambton Arms CH-LE-ST. 3pm (Soup and a Roll) Please let Jo or Mike if you are attending for numbers	7	Maggie Brown	07527 743166
Nov 11	9.30am Watergate Park, Gateshead	9	Jo Hall	07833 590060
Nov 18	10.30am Broom Park, Co Durham	8	Kath Nixon	07443 892177
Nov 25	9.30am Tow Law, Co Durham	8	Maggie Brown	07527 743155
Dec 2	10.30 The Red Kite Walk, Gateshead	11	Chris Pickard	07732 959484
Dec 9	9.30am Ponteland, Northumberland	8	Dave Marshall	0191 4104922
Dec 16	10.30am Xmas Meal at the Ravensworth Arms, Kibblesworth, Gateshead. 3pm	8	Irma Kennedy	07868 777903
Dec 26	Boxing day walk (check website for times) Langley Park	8	Jim Birkett	07474 666119
Dec 30	TBA			
2019 Jan 1	NYD, TBA			
Jan 6	9.30am Elephant Trees, Co Durham	10	Mollie Knighton	07833 590060
Jan 13	10.30 am Chester-le-Street	9	Dennis Draper	07824 828084
Jan 20	9.30am St Helens, Auckland, Co Durham	8	Dave Marshall	0191 4104922
Jan 27	10.30am Hetton-le-Hole, Tyne and Wear	8	Kathleen Tweddle	0191 5120185

Thursday morning walks – 10am start from the Civic Centre

Date	Description	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Aug 2	Waldridge Fell, Chester-le-Street	5	Maggie Brown	0191 3711522
Sept 6	Ushaw College, Co Durham	4	Kathleen Tweddle	0191 5120185
Oct 4	Lumley Burn, Great Lumley	4	Kathleen Tweddle	0191 5120185
Nov 1	Birtley, Co Durham	4	Dave Marshall	0191 4104922
Dec 6	West Rainton, Co Durham	4	Kathleen Tweddle	0191 5120185
2019 Jan 3	Durham City	4	Kathleen Tweddle	0191 5120185

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Walks Secretary: Rob Green 01207 235032 rob.green@talktalk.net
Footpaths Officer: Tony Royston 0191 3832295 tony.royston@talktalk.net

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	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Aug 12	Helmsley/Rievaulx, meet at Cleveland Way car park in Helmsley	SE610838 YO62 5AT	8 or 9	John Armstrong	0191 3893022 07976 279256
Aug 26	Greenlee Lough, meet at Steel Rigg car park, £4 charge	NY751676 NE47 7AN	8	Marie Elliot	0191 4887514 07505 420123
Sept 9	Ripon to Studley Deer Park and Valley of the Seven bridges. Meet at Ripon Cathedral car park	SE315713 HG4 1LX	9	John Armstrong	0191 3893022 07967 279256
Sept 23	Thornley Village. Meet near church	NZ115371 DL13 4PA	7	Tony Royston	0191 3832295 07776 261749
Oct 7	Whittle Dene and reservoirs. Meet at Tyne Riverside Country Park Car Park, Prudhoe	NZ086635 NE42 6AE	8.5	Eric and Sue Patterson	01207 290822 07714 501386
Oct 21	Stanhope, meet at Durham Dales Centre car park followed by AGM at Dales Centre	NY996392 DL13 2FJ	7	Rob Green	01207 235032 07904 485610
Nov 4	Stocksfield Church and a Mill, meet at Stocksfield Railway Station car park	NZ054613 NE43 7HJ	8	Dave Mitchell	01207 290222 07875 844280
Nov 18	Brancepeth Castle, Weardale Way. Meet at car park off Whitworth Lane across River Wear from Stanners Farm	NZ234355 DL16 7RG	8.5	Eric and Sue Patterson	01207 290822 07714 501386
Dec 2	Quaking near the bog. Meet at private car park beside Jo's house, East Castle, off A693	NZ149520 DH9 8PH	9.5	Jo Davies	01207 237488 07970 057912
2019 Jan 13	Evenwood - Toft Hill. Meet at Travellers Rest pub	NZ156249 DL14 9QD	8	Vaughan Davidson	0191 3894659 07548 229036
Jan 27	Brafferton. Meet on High House Lane	NZ295212 DL1 3LA	8	Vaughan Davidson	0191 3894659 07548 229036

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Group Website: durhamcityramblers.org.uk

Unless otherwise stated, all Sunday and Wednesday walks start at 10.30am and Monday walks at 6.00pm.

Monday evening walks may be followed by an optional pub meal. NB Post codes of rural start points may not be precise.

Sunday and Monday Walks

Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Mon Jul 30	Sedgefield and Hardwick Hall Meet Golden Lion, Sedgefield E end. TS21 3AU	NZ358288 Exp 308	4.5 Leis	John Hillier	01388 765589 07900 054353
Sun Aug 5	Westgate and Rookhope Meet layby Westgate village DL13 1JL	NY907380 OL 31	9.5 Mod	Tony Royston	0191 3832295 07776 261749
Mon Aug 13	Frankland Ponds Meet St Bede's Ch. Cp DH1 5LZ	NZ271449 Exp 308	4 Leis.	Richard Dennis	07774 347328
Sun Aug 19	Loftus, Liverton and Skinningrove Meet Loftus North car park TS13 4JL	NZ721182 OL26 & 27	9.5 Mod	Richard Fletcher	0191 3843193 07974 352372
Mon Aug 27	Around Tudhoe Meet Green Tree PH, Tudhoe DL16 6LE	NZ260356 Exp 305	4 Mod	Richard Dennis	07774 347328
Sun Sept 2	Tunstall Meet Wolsingham, Demesne Mill car park DL13 3DG	NZ076375 Exp 307	9 Mod	Helen Attewell	0191 3867234 07817 623398
Mon Sept 10	Fir Tree and Harperley Meet Fir Tree country hotel DL15 8DD	NZ141344 Exp 305	4.5 Mod	John Hillier	01388 765589 07900 054353
Sun Sept 16	Slaley and Devils Water Meet Rose and Crown, Slaley NE47 0AA	NY975578 OL 43	10 Mod	Roger Carpenter	0191 3864511 07754 718386
Sun Sept 30	Rainton Meadows and Hetton Lyons cp Meet Rainton Meadows DH4 6PU	NZ325485 Exp 308	9 Mod	Pat Conway	0191 3868216 07763 599727
Sun Oct 14	Cassop and Thornley Hall Meet Cassop Community Centre DH6 4RJ	NZ345383 Exp 305	8 Mod	Mary Falconer	0191 5863214 07773 424187
Sun Oct 28	Rookhope and Boltslaw Meet Rookhope Inn DL13 2BG	NY938428 Exp 307	8 Mod	Tony Royston	0191 3832295 07776 261749
Sun Nov 11	Prefab sprout nostalgia walk Meet Cross Keys PH Esh DH7 9QU	NZ197441 Exp 308	8 Mod	Helen Attewell	0191 3867234 07817 623398
Sun Nov 25	Stanwick and Aldborough St John Meet Stanwick Arms, A St J. DL11 7SZ	NZ202112 Exp 304	9 Mod	Fiona Curtis	07855 427501

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Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
Mon Dec 3	Group Annual General Meeting – 1900 Meet Alington House, Durham DH1 3ET	NZ275424 Exp 308			
Sun Dec 9	Causey Arch and Beamish Meet Causey Arch picnic area NE16 5EJ	NZ205562 Exp 307	7 Mod	Sue Goddard	0191 3845308
	Christmas Dinner TBA				
Sun Dec 23	TBA				
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Sun Jan 6	Washington to Roker (linear) Meet Washington Old Hall NE38 7HW	NZ311566 Exp 308	9.5 Leis	Richard Fletcher	0191 3843193 07974 352372
Sun Jan 20	Waldrige Fell Meet Chester Moor cp DH2 3RY	NZ251498 Exp 308	7 Mod	Sue Goddard	0191 3845308

Wednesday Walks

Short (4-5 mile) Wednesday walks will be followed by an optional pub lunch

Unless otherwise stated, all Wednesday walks start at 10.30am . Short (4-5 mile) walks will be followed by an optional pub lunch. NB Post codes of rural start points may not be precise.

Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Aug 1	Parkhead, Collier Law and Waskerley Reservoir. Meet Parkhead Café DL13 2ES	NZ002431 Exp 307	9 Mod	Jim Birkett	07474 666119
Aug 8	Gunnarside Gill and Surrender Bridge Meet Surrender Bridge DL11 6PP	SD989999 OL 30	8 Mod	Roderick MacDonald	07807 069038
Aug 15	A Grand Tour of Holy Island Meet free car park near Snook 1.3m beyond causeway TD15 2SS	NU107434	9 Mod	Jim Birkett	07474 666119
Aug 22	High Cup Nick (linear walk) Meet TBA	OL 31	11 Mod	Kevin White	07752 327861
Aug 29	Middleham, Wensleydale Meet at Richard 111 Hotel, Market Pl. M DL8 4NP	SE127877 OL 30	8 Mod	John Armstrong	07474 666119
Sept 5	Craster, Dunstanburgh and Embleton Bay Meet Craster cp NE66 3TW	NU256198 Exp 332	8 Leis.	Janie Robinson	07929 047551
Sept 12	Roseberry Topping and Highcliffe Nab Guisboro. Forest visitor centre TS14 8HD	NZ584152 OL 26	8 Mod	Roger Carpenter	0191 3864511 07565 770753
Sept 19	Cotherstone and Romaldkirk Meet Cotherstone PO DL12 9NJ	NZ011197 OL 31	8 Mod	Roderick MacDonald	07807 069038
Sept 26	Tarset Burn Meet Backpackers, Tarset Tor, on road signed Donkleywood, NE48 1NT	NY792856 OL 43	7 Mod	Mary Falconer	0191 5863214 07773 424187

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Oct 3	Wolsingham and the Elephant Trees Meet Wols. Station DL13 3BL	NZ076368 OL31	10 Mod	Ian Goulding	07594 525585
Oct 10	Druridge Bay and Low Hauxley Nature Reserve. Meet Visitor Centre car park NE61 5BX	NZ271998 Exp 325	8 Mod	John Armstrong	07474 666119
Oct 17	Littleton and around Meet Plantation car park, L. DH6 1PZ	NZ340435 Exp 308	8 Mod	David Strong	0783 7171719
Oct 24	Cassop and Coxhoe Meet Coxhoe FC ground DH6 4LV	NZ320363 Exp 305	9 Mod	Alan Taylor	0191 3779535 07833 997810
Oct 31	Hamsterley, the Castles and Hoppyland Meet Cross Keys, Hamsterley DL13 3QB	NZ117310 Exp 305	9 Mod	Roger Carpenter	0191 3864511 07565 770753
Nov 7	South Sedgfield and Mordon Meet at St Edmunds church Sedgfield TS21 3AS	NZ356288 Exp 305	8 Mod	Alastair and Elaine Simpson	01388 607323
Nov 14	Lumley Park Burn Meet Chester le Street Golf Club DH3 4NS	NZ285508 Exp 308	9 Mod	Ian Goulding	07594 525585
Nov 21	Edmundbyers and Pedoms Oak Meet Edmundbyers Punch Bowl DH8 9NL	N 016500 Exp 307	8 Mod	Tony Royston	0191 3832295 07776 261749
Nov 28	Billy Row and White Lea Meet The Green, Billy Row DL15 9TA	NZ161372 Exp 305	6.5 Mod	John Hillier	01388 765589 07900 054353
Dec 5	Shildon circular Meet S. cemetery, W. Auck. Rd, Shildon DL4 1PY	NZ218262 Exp 305	8 Mod	David Strong	0783 7171719
Dec 12	Staindrop and Streatlam Wall Meet Staindrop PO DL2 3LZ	NZ129206 Exp 304	7.5 Mod	Ian Goulding	07594 525585
Dec 19	Xmas Lunch walk TBA		4 Leis	Richard Dennis	07774 347328
Dec 26	Langley Park, Quebec and Ushaw College Diggerland, Langley Park. DH7 9TT	NZ210451 Exp 308	7 Mod	Jim Birkett	0747 4666119
2019	Fish and Chip Walk	NZ205303	4	Alastair and Elaine	01388 607323
Jan 2	Meet north end Newton Cap viaduct, Bishop Auckland DL14 7SE	Exp 305	Mod	Simpson	
Jan 9	Evenwood and Cockfield Fell Meet St Paul's ch. Evenwood DL14 9QY	NZ154251 Exp 308	8 Mod	Roderick MacDonald	07807 069038
Jan 16	Woodland Trust and Croxdale Estate Meet Houghall Lane Ends DH1 3PJ	NZ286411 Exp 308	7 Mod	Roger Carpenter	0191 3864511 07565 770753
Jan 23	Crimdon and Castle Eden Dene Meet Crimdon Ponyworld TS27 3AA	NZ482372 Exp 306	7 Mod	Mary Falconer	0191 5863214 07773 424187
Jan 30	Stamfordham and RAF Ouston Meet S. vill green, near Church NE18 0QQ	NZ076577	8 Mod	Jim Birkett	0747 4666119

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Walks start 10.00 am at OS grid ref. or postcode unless otherwise stated. Please make your own way there, car sharing is encouraged. If there is doubt about the weather or starting point please contact the leader. Registered assistance dogs only. Additional information is available on group web page on national ramblers website [www. Ramblers.org.uk/Gateshead](http://www.Ramblers.org.uk/Gateshead). Please check website for any programme changes.

Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Aug 4	Blanchland Circular. Penny Pie- Actonclough-Embley Bank- Bruntshieldhaugh-Long Lee-Blackburn Head-Riddleham Hope Path-Baybridge- Blanchland Meet at Blanchland car park	NY964504 DH8 9TA	11 Mod	Colin Clark	0191 4143643
Aug 11	Hexham Circular Start Tyne Green Riverside Car Park	NY936647 NE46 3HJ	10.5 Mod	Brenda Wilson	07939 164033
Aug 18	Barnard Castle Circular Parking available on Bridgegate A67 On Teesdale River Path to Eggleston, and returning on Teesdale Railway Path. All day walk, returning to Barnard Castle at about 5.30pm. If the weather is poor may be reduced to 8 miles	NZ048163 DL12 8QB	13 Strng	Doris McAlister	07538 653423
Aug 25	Slayley Circular Meet near the Rose and Crown PH, please park with consideration	NY974 577 NE47 0AA	8 Easy	David Mottershead	07824 485197
Sept 1	Burnhope Seat (Wearhead) Circular Meet at Reservoir	NY849388 DL13 1HS	10 Mod	Val and Hedley Horsley	07918 604953
Sept 8	Blanchland Circular Start main car park Blanchland (voluntary charge £1). Follow 'The Pennine Journey' trail to Bolts Law, returning via the old railway track, and Buckshot Moor and Fell	NY964504 DH8 9ST	10 Mod	Rob Hemsworth	07743 382134
Sept 15	Beamish Circular 9am start Start Beamish Museum Car Park	NZ219536 DH9 0RE	16.4 Stren	Ken Murray	07549 257476
Sept 22	Newburn Circular Meet at the Riverside Country Park	NZ160653 NE15 8ND	9.5 Easy	Anne Hefferman	07761 711722
Sept 29	Near The Source Circular Start Blanchland car park Walking Beldon Burn and Nookton Burn	NY965504 DH8 9TA	10 Mod	Janet Lewis	07866 827737
Oct 6	South Shields Circular Start Harbour Lights, Lawe Top. Coastal Path, returning via Cleadon Hills	NZ366679 NE33 2AJ	10 Mod	June, Diane and Barbara	07849 230035
Oct 13	Falstone Circular Start 9am Park and Start behind the Tearooms in the Village Centre	NY723874 NE48 1RT	13 Stren	Ken Murray	07549 257476
Oct 20	Thrunton Wood Circular Meet Thrunton Wood car park	NU085 097 NE66 4SD	10.5 Mod - Stren	David Young	07594 885071
Oct 27	Causey Arch circular Meet Causey Arch car park	NZ205561 NE16 5EJ	10 Mod	Rob Hemsworth	07743 382134

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Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
Nov 3	Corbridge Circular Meet CorbridgeVillage Car Park Corstopitum-Mount Pleasant-Stanley Plantation-Hadrian Wall Path-Halton-Ayton Castle-Corbridge	NY988640 NE45 5AR	10 Stren	Colin Clark	07432 838296
Nov 10	Short walk starting at the Green St Marys. Group AGM at St. Mary's Church Hall, Whickham 13:00	NZ207613 NE16 4DN			
Nov 17	Spennymoor Circular Meet at Page Bank Car Park Walking the Weardale Way	NZ234355 DL16 7RG	9 Mod	Alan Barber	07887 912012
Nov 24	Bolam Circular Start Visitor's Centre car park	NZ082 820 NE20 0HG	10 Mod	Rob Hemsworth	07743 382134
Dec 1	Ebchester Circular Start Ebchester old Railway station Derwent Walk A walk to Hedley on the Hill and return	NZ108 550 DH8 0SU	10 Mod	Peter Blacklock	07852 721577
Dec 8	Riding Mill Circular Meet at the Railway Station where parking is available or park beyond the Parish Church	NZ019615 NE44 6EN	9 Mod	Brenda Wilson	07939 164033
Dec 15	The Peaks of North Tyneside Circular Meet in the McDonalds end of the car park at Asda Benton Superstore Whitley Road	NZ297696 NE12 9SR	10 Mod	Alan Barber	07887 912012
Dec 22	Almouth Circular Park and Meet Almouth Car park alongside the Golf Course	NU251107 NE66 3NJ	9.5 Mod	David Young	07594 885071
Dec 29	Blyth Circular Meet at Blyth Links car park	NZ319795 NE24 3PL	8 Easy	Doris McAlister	07538 653423
2019 Jan 5	Wannie Line Circular Our annual first walk of the New Year	NZ037864 NE61 4DB	6 Easy	Colin Clark	07432 838296
Jan 12	Broom Park Circular Park Broom Park Picnic area	NZ250 415 DH7 7RJ	10 Easy	Peter Blacklock	07852 721577
Jan 19	Beamish Woods Circular Meet at Eden Place Car Park	NZ220537 DH9 0RE	8 Mod	Janet Lewis	07866 827737
Jan 26	Two for the price of one Start and parking at East Boldon Metro Station. Either an 8 mile linear walk from East Boldon Metro station to St Peter's Metro or a 15 mile circular. Parking at East Boldon Metro Station.	NZ372 615 NE36 0LD	8 Mod or 15 Stren	John Emslie	07989 765351

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Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018	Wark and Birtley	NY861771	5	Ann Nicholson	07731 995732
Aug 5	Allendale and Burntridge Moor	NY838558	9.5	Brian Paterson	07706 916674
Aug 12	Ninebanks and Dryburn Moor	NY782529	8.5	Roger Grist	07841 87153
Aug 19	Greenhead Circular	NY660653	10.5	Carol Sanderson	01434 602431
Aug 26	Owd man and Hardy Shepherds of West Allen	NY476803	8	Roger Morris	0191 4194471 07816 760039
Sept 2	Simonburn	NY871735	5	Jaqui Kerr	01434 634286
	Breamish Valley	NU007164	9.5	Liz Alexander	01434 694855
Sept 9	Allendale and Crawberry Hill	NY838558	7.5	Eric Wilson	01434 683971 07572 389337
Sept 16	Wooler and Yeavinger Bell	NT977272	9.	Nick Markson	01434 682358
Sept 23	Alwinton and Linbriggs	NT919063	7.5	Alison Watson	01434 606535
Sept 29	"PJ in a Day": Hexham to Blanchland	NY933648	12	Carol Sanderson	01434 602431
Sept 30	Allenheads Circular	NY852464	7	Cath Chaytor	07983 872298
Oct 7	Dipton Mill	NY928606	5	John Bungay	01830 540173
	Wolsingham	NZ075375	9.5	Brigitte Armstrong	01914 133416
Oct 14	Plenmeller Common to Shepherd's Cairn	NY774594	7.5	Roger Morris	0191 4194471 07816 760039
Oct 21	Slaggyford Circular	NY677524	9	Carol Sanderson	01434 602431
Oct 28	Henshaw and Greenhead	NY713686	8.5	Paul Armitage	01434 344778
Nov 4	Harwood Shield	NY913526	10	Liz Alexander	01434 694855
	Allendale	NY836558	5	Julia Forster	0191 4131724
Nov 11	Stocksfield and High Mickley	NZ054613	8.6	Brigitte Armstrong	0191 4133416
Nov 18	Whitley Chapel (followed by AGM at 2.15)	NY927578	7	Jennifer Stephenson	01434 607772
Nov 25	Greenhead and Thirlwall	NY661653	7	Sally Armitage	01434 344778

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Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
Dec 2	Kirkwhelpington	NY996845	8	Jill Bungay	01830 540173
Dec 9	Simonburn	NY871735	8.5	Brigitte Armstrong	0191 4133416
Dec16	Haltwhistle and Greenhead	NY707644	8	Paul Armitage	01434 344778
Dec 30	Gibside Green Trail	NZ168582	5	Ann Nicholson	07731 995732
2019					
Jan 6	Christmas Meal				
Jan 13	Corbridge and Aydon	NY988640	7	Jill Bungay	01830 540173
Jan 20	Corbridge south of the river	NY988640	10.5	Carol Sanderson	01434 603431
	Lintzford	NZ146569	5	Julia Forster	0191 4131724
Jan 27	Hexham's western fringes	NY938646	7	Alison Watson	01434 606535

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Secretary and Walks Vicky Ludbrook
Coordinator:

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Meeting Place: Car Park next to St George's Church, Morpeth at 9.00 am unless otherwise indicated.
 Where possible car share to the start point.

Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Aug 12	Bolam Lake Circular Start at main visitor car park.	NZ085821	8	Diana Aynsley	0191 2376079
Aug 26	Stamfordham Circular. Start at layby just north of the village.	NZ081724	8.5	Bill Siggins	01670 518032
Sept 9	Barrowburn Circular. Barrowburn To Windy Gyle via The Street. Start at Wedder Leap car park.	NT866103	10.5	Pat Rathbone	01670 519977
Sept 23	Great Bavington Circular. Start by the grassed area in the village.	NY983803	8	Jenny Ellis	01670 512322
Oct 14	Hartside Circular. Park on the road leading towards Hartside Farm.	NT468536	8.5	Neil Allender	0191 2743930
Oct 28	St Cuthbert's Cave Circular. Park on B6349 at Belford near Community Club.	NU108338	9.5	Liz and Dave Hazelhurst	01670 220365
Nov 11	Green Leighton Quarry Circular. Start at Quarry Car Park.	NZ035915	7.5	Bill Siggins	01670 518032
Nov 25	Morpeth/Netherton Circular. Start in Morpeth at car park by St George's Church.	NZ201858	9	Jacqueline Armstrong	01670 511570 (Secretary)
Dec 9	Newcastle Quayside Linear. Start at Haymarket Bus Station at 10.15. Bus back to Haymarket from Metro Centre.	NZ248648	6.5	Julia Birchall and Jenny Ellis	01670 852358
2019 Jan 13	Blyth/New Hartley Circular. Start at South Beach Car Park.	NZ319794	8.5	Jacqueline Armstrong	01670 511570 (Secretary)
Jan 27	North of Morpeth Circular. Start at the picnic area just past Morpeth Rugby Club	NZ189861	7	Barbara Low	01670 511570 (Secretary)

Walk Co-ordinator: Neil Allender neilallender@yahoo.co.uk

Meeting Place: Please make your own way to the start of the walk; car sharing is encouraged. Additional information and any changes to the walks programme will be advertised on the website. All walks are circular unless otherwise stated.

Further information: This is a trial arrangement and should it prove popular, longer walks will continue, with a possibility of being more frequent. Walks are currently on the last Saturday of the month

All walks start at **10am** unless otherwise stated

Date	Description	Start	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Aug 25	Arkengarthdale and Reeth Meet in the car park in Langthwaite	NZ005024 DL11 6RF	13	John Emslie	07989 765351
Sept 29	Simonburn Meet in the car park beside St Mungo's church	NY871735 NE48 3AS	13	Lea Greenslade	07504 989114
Oct 27	Beamish Circular Meet in Eden Place picnic area car park (off A693 near Beamish Museum entrance)	NZ220537 DH9 0RB	14	Jo Hall	07833 590060
Nov 24	Alwinton Circular	NT922064 NE65 7BQ	14	Neil Allender	0191 2743930
Dec	No walk				
2019 Jan 26	Boldon, the Wear, and the Coast Meet at East Boldon Metro Station (in conjunction with the Gateshead Group)	NZ372615 NE36 0AB	15	John Emslie	07989 765351

Walks Coordinator: David Moore

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Footpaths Secretary: Neville Dickinson

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Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018 Aug 11	Hedley on the Hill Circular. Farmland and open countryside. Meet at the "Feathers" pub. Park at roadside nearby.	NZ078592	5.5	Shirley Comer	0191 3889658
Aug 25	Whitburn to Souter Lighthouse Circular. At Seaburn go south along A183 turn right at Morrisons, near which is a large free CP.	NZ404604 SR6 8AA	5.5	Linda Snowdon	07790 428322
Sept 5 1300	Warkworth Circular. 1pm start Park at the riverside in the Stanners CP (left at the Masons Arms). Walking south alongside the estuary for views of Coquet Island and near Amble turn inland to St. Oswald's Way. At the Hermitage return along the river to the castle and visit a café.	NU247062 NE65 0XE	6.0	David Moore	0191 2852925
Sept 8 0900	Roseberry Topping / Great Ayton. Away Day. Meet at the Regents Centre bus station, Gosforth, for a 9am start by coach (<u>must be booked</u>) to Newton under Roseberry. An uphill walk passes Roseberry Topping, through woods back to near Roseberry Topping for lunch. Weather permitting, an optional extension to the top. Afterwards downhill to Great Ayton and then by coach to Swainby for a <u>pre-ordered</u> meal before return.	NZ243687	5.5	Bill Wright	07947 043610
Sept 12 1800	Chester-le Street / Lumley Circular. This is a circular evening walk near Lumley Castle. Park and meet at Chester-le- Street Golf Club Overflow CP. We use the Great North Forest Heritage Trail, following the Lumley Park Burn and Weardale Way.	NZ284508 DH3 4NS	4.0	Peter Stableford	07711 363355
Sept 22	Steel Rigg/Roman Wall Circular Exploring the area north of the wall including the loughs. Car park north of the B6318, 2.5 miles west of Housesteads.	NY752676	5.0	Ian Hunter	0191 2170517
Oct 6	Ovingham/Whittle Dene Circular. Lovely walk around Ovingham and Whittle Dene. Park and meet in Tyne Riverside Country Park in Prudhoe (toilets in car park).	NZ086634 NE42 6NP	5.0	Owen and Pat Oliver	07932 671311
Oct 13 1400	The Northumbria Short Circuits AGM at Trinity Centre, West Avenue, Gosforth. 2pm parking nearby.	NZ244679 NE3 4AG			
Oct 20	Castle Eden Dene Circular . Meet at Oakerside Dene Lodge CP / overflow on roadside. Lunch to be on the cliff top at Horden, weather permitting.	NZ427393	5.0	Stan and Wendy Smith	07591 824746

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Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
Nov 3 1100	Alnwick Hulne Park Circular This walk starts at 11am . Meet and park on Ratten Row on the approach to the park gates. The walk in Hulne Park is on road, track and paths through woodland, by a stream and through pastures	NU179136 NE66 3HX	5.0	Sheila and John Finn	07584 639414
Nov 17	River Wear Trail Circular An easy walk along the banks of the River Wear. We meet at the car park next to Washington Wildfowl Park. From the A1(M) take the A1231 (Washington to Sunderland) and follow signs for the Wildfowl Park. There are toilets halfway at the lunch stop.	NZ330562	5.0	David Armstrong and Bill Wright	0191 4604994
Dec 1	Kibblesworth Circular A moderate walk with some gradients through woods and open countryside. Meet at "The Plough", Kibblesworth. Park considerably in the village. There will be toilets available at the end of the walk when The Plough opens.	NZ247568	5.5	Joanne O'Leary	07958 032198
Dec 15	Lanchester/Knitsley Circular Meet at "Kings Head" Lanchester. Drive in front of the building to access car park. Please park at bottom end of pub car park keeping close together. Toilets at pub. We will be taking an easy walk along the Lanchester rail track. Coffee stop at Knitsley Farm Shop. Lunch is available at The Kings Head. The manager has made a room with our own table available for those who wish to use it.	NZ166473	6.0	Peter Stableford	07711 363355
2019 Jan 5	Tyne Bridge to South Gosforth Meet under the Tyne Bridge (Newcastle side). An old favourite. An easy linear walk from the Tyne following the Ouseburn up to South Gosforth via Jesmond Dene. The walk ends at a Metro Station. There are toilets in Jesmond Dene at the lunch stop.	NZ253638	5.5	Charlie and Julie Brown	0191 2809501
Jan 19	Morpeth / Bothal Circular A moderate walk commencing at Morpeth Railway Station and proceeding through the countryside to Bothal, where we stop for lunch by the ancient church. We return along the River Wansbeck going under the Stephenson Viaduct across country to the start. Generally the walk is on flat ground.	NZ202855	6.0	Neville Dickinson	01670 517303

An extended version of the walks description is available at www.ramblers.org.uk/northumbria-short-circuits

Group Secretary: Stephen Edwards

01661 886310

Footpaths Secretary: Colin Braithwaite

Sunday Walks: Meet at **Merton Way South Car Park** at 10:00 am unless otherwise indicated on the programme. **Note: New meeting point for Sunday walks.**

Anyone not on our email circulation is advised to check the walk details with the leader or Group Secretary.

Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Phone
2018					
Aug 12	Blindburn	NT823107	8	Graham Snowdon	01661 820737
Aug 26	Wooler Common	NT976273	7	David Evans	0191 2577950
Sept 9	Stonehaugh	NY789762	8.5	Steve Edwards	01661 886310
Sept 23	T.B.A.			Paul Stenhouse	
Oct 7					
Oct 21	Thornley Woodland Centre	NZ177604	8	Alan Mitcham	01661 823960
Nov 4	T.B.A.			Paul Stenhouse	
Nov 18	Causey Arch	NZ205562	7	David Evans	0191 2577950
Dec 2	Kirkwhelpington. Joint walk with Hexham. Note 10.15 at the start point.	NY996845	8	Jill Bungay	01830 540173
Dec 16	Stamfordham Mince Pie Walk	NZ078721	8	Steve Edwards	01661 886310
2019					
Jan 13	Corbridge and Aydon. Joint walk with Hexham. Note 10.15 at the start point.	NY988640	7	Jill Bungay	01830 540173
Jan 27	Sunday Group Lunch				

Wednesday Walks: The second and fourth Wednesday in every month. Meet at Thornhill Road Car Park at 9.30 am prompt. Usually half day local walks followed by an optional pub lunch. Occasionally half or full day walks travelling further afield.

For further information contact John le Rolland. Tel 01661 825408.

Group Secretary: Gillian Darbyshire	0191 4172797
Walks Secretary: John Routledge	0191 5286966 JohnRo2016@hotmail.com (new)
Footpaths Secretary: Mr. John Todd	0191 5171935

All walks start at 10:30am, unless otherwise stated. IN CASE OF BAD WEATHER or MORE INFORMATION for the walks, please contact the walk leader.

We normally walk every Wednesday and alternate Sundays. If there are any "gaps" in the Walks Magazine, please check for further updates and information on the Ramblers Association: Local Groups Website at www.ramblers.org.uk/sunderland, to view the Walkfinder list of walks or contact John Routledge, on 0191 5286966. While information is given in good faith, it may become necessary to update the programme.

Sunday Walks

Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Contact
2018 Aug 12	Bolam Lake - Shaftoe Crags Circular. Meet South East of lake in car park	NZ084817	8.5	Dennis Borley	0191 4920029
Aug 26	Hamsterley Circular. Meet in Village nr. W.M.C.	NZ115311	8~	John Todd	0191 5171935
Sept 9	Parkhead. Circular Meet off B6278 (Fell Haven)	NZ002431	8.5	Jim Birkett	07474 666119
Sept 23	Cresswell Circular. Meet car park north of Cresswell	NZ288939		Dennis Borley	0191 4920029
Oct 7	(Jersey Break.) T.B.A. if required				
Oct 21	Edmunbyers Circular. Park in Village with care	NZ017501	8	Mel Brown	
Nov 4	Cassop Circular. Park in layby at school west of Cassop	NZ 340 377	8	John Routledge	0191 5286966
Nov 18	Burnhope Circular. Meet car park Edge lane crossroads	NZ 182 479	8	TBA	0191 5286966
Dec 2	High Shincliffe-Durham. Meet layby at High Shincliffe off A177	NZ 295 401	~8	John Todd	0191 5171935
Dec 16	Park to Park. Meet Herrington Park, top car park.	NZ334538 DH4 7NJ	8	Dennis Borley	0191 4920029
2019 Jan 13	Copt Hill Circular. Meet Copt Hill.	NZ354495	8	John Todd	0191 5171935
Jan 27	Diggerland. Meet nr. Diggerland Langley Park Alongside Lanchester Valley Railway Path	NZ213452	~8	John Routledge	0191 5286966

Wednesday Walks

Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Contact
2018 Aug 1	Cotherstone via Low Balderstone Circular. Meet in Cotherstone	NZ011198	7	David Hann	0191 5120567
Aug 8	Blanchland Meet in car park	NY904504	8.5	Dennis Borley	0191 4920029
Aug 15	Alnwick - Hulme Park Circular. Park outside Hulme Park.	NU181137	8	John Routledge	0191 5286966
Aug 22	Kildale-Hob Hole. Meet on grass verge 100yds before Kildale sign	NZ605093	9.5	Brian Myers	01642 313446
Aug 29	Hutton Magna Park in village with care	NZ127125	8	Dennis Borley	0191 4920029

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Date	Description	OS Ref	Miles	Leader	Contact
Sept 5	Durham Circular. Meet Belmont Park+Ride	NZ306445	8	Gordon Lindsley	0191 5202125
Sept 12	Cox Green via Northern Spire Circular (completion permitting) Meet Cox Green Bridge. Parking available either side of the river	NZ325553 SR4 9JS or NZ325552 NE38 8JZ	8	Penny Best	07910 044899
Sept 19	Pow Hill Country Park Circular Muggleswick and Edmonbyers Meet in Pow Hill Country Park	NZ009517	7.5	Jim Birkett	07474 666119
Sept 26	Beamish to Washington Linear walk Meet in free car park at Washington Retail Park at 10am for the 10.21am No.8 bus from Stand A to Beamish. The walk starts at 11am at Beamish. Bring your bus pass.	NZ302563 NE387RW	9	Gordon Lindsley	0191 5202125
Oct 3	Chopwell Woods Circular Meet car park along Chopwell Woods Rd. off Hookergate Lane	NZ137584	8	John Todd	0191 5171935
Oct 10	The Jersey Break. T.B.A. If required				
Oct 17	Rising Sun Country Park Circular via Silverlink Hill Meet Rising Sun Country Park car park	NZ304695 NE12955	8	Penny Best	07910 044899
Oct 24	Richmond Circular taking in Colburn. Meet Nun's Close car park, Richmond	NZ168011	8.5	Brian Myers	01642 313446
Oct 31	A.G.M. Short walk Circular Meet Rugby Club Houghton le Spring	NZ337497	5-6	John Gouge	0191 5842034
Nov 7	Escomb Circular. Meet Escomb Saxon Church	NZ189302	8	John Todd	0191 5171935
Nov 14	Bowlees + the Green Trod Circular. Meet Bowlees Visitors Centre	NZ908283	8~	David Hann	0191 5120567
Nov 21	Broompark Circular via New Brancepeth. Meet Broompark picnic area	NZ251415	9.25	Brian Myers	01642 313446
Nov 28	Hetton Lyons Park Circular	NZ360479	8~	John Conder	07714 718253
Dec 5	Barnard Castle Circular to Lartington. Meet Thorngate	NZ050160	8~	David Hann	0191 5120567
Dec 12	Christmas Party Short Circular. Meet opp. Biddick WMC	NZ309538	6~	Gillian Darbyshire	0191 4172797
Dec 19	Christmas Break....unless				
Dec 26	Christmas Break....unless				
2018					
Jan 2	Christmas Break....unless				
Jan 7	Seaburn Linear to South Shields for fish and chips. Bring your bus passes	NZ403604	7.5	Joan Routledge	0191 5286966
Jan 16	Durham to Low Pitlington Circular. Meet Durham City Retail Park. (Dragonville)	NZ299432	8	Brian Myers	01642 313446
Jan 23	Dalton Park. A short circular walk followed by a meal at the "Dancing Betty" Pub if required. Meet outside Pub	NZ404468	6.5	Gordon Lindsley	0191 5202125
Jan 30	Page Bank Circular. Meet 50 metres north of bridge over River Wear in car park.	NZ233355	8	John Routledge	0191 5286966

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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 should contact the relevant Coach Organiser by telephone in the first instance, details are shown on 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 that they have chosen. Guidance Notes about walking with Tyneside Group can be found on our web pages.

Check the Tyneside Group website for more information and details of the walks each week. Each coach has its own page.

There is a variety of Social Activities and non-members are welcome.

Tyneside Group AGM

Thursday, 24th January 2019 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 beginning of December 2018

Sunday Walks - 9.30 am Start, 'Hancock'**Coach Organiser:** Myra Wiseman

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Walks Coordinator: Ron Robinson

01661 825726

Fares: Approximately £10.00 Children (Under 18) £4.00 and they must be accompanied by an adult. Coach pick-up point is at the lay-by adjacent to the Hancock Museum on Claremont Road, Newcastle, NZ 248 650.

Date	Description	OL/Exp	Return
2018			
Aug 5	Craster via Alnwick and Seahouses	Ex340	18:00
Aug 12	Pateley Bridge via Ripley and Ripon Road	Ex298	18:00
Aug 19	Grasmere via Glenridding	OL4,5	18:30
Aug 26	Melrose via Jedburgh and Gallashiels	Ex338	18:00
Sept 2	Whitby via Scaling Dam	OL27	18:00
Sept 9	Morebattle via Carter Bar	OL16	18:00
Sept 16	Orton via Kirkby Stephen	OL19	18:00
Sept 23	Ilkley via Bolton Bridge	Ex297	18:30
Sept 30	Keswick via Borrowdale	OL4,5	18:30
Oct 7	Langholm via Long Town	Ex323/324	18:00
Oct 14	Goathland via Sleights (World War 2 weekend)	OL27	18:00
Oct 21	Sedbergh via Kirkby Stephen	OL19	18:00
Oct 28	Greenhaugh via Bellingham	OL42	17:30
Nov 4	Rosedale Abbey via Castleton and Blakey Ridge	OL26,27	17:30
Nov 11	Alston via Haltwhistle	OL31/43	17:30
Nov 18	Bamburgh via Craster and Seahouses	Ex332/340	17:30
Nov 25	Kirkby Stephen via Brough	OL19	17:30
Dec 2	Stanhope via Edmundbyers	OL31Ex307	17:00
Dec 9	Glanton via Ingram Valley	OL16	17:00
Dec 16	Barnard Castle via Greta Bridge and Bowes	OL31	17:00
Dec 23	Lanchester via Beamish	Ex307/308	17:00
Dec 30	Alnwick via A1 and Embleton	Ex332	17:00
2019			
Jan 6	Haydon Bridge via Roman Wall	OL43	17:00
Jan 13	Middleton in Teesdale via Barnard Castle	OL31	17:00
Jan 20	Rothbury via Weldon Bridge	OL16,42Ex332	17:00
Jan 27	Gilsland via Roman Wall and Lannercost Priory	OL43Ex315	17:00
Feb 3	Allenheads via Allendale	OL31,43	17:00

Sunday Walks - 9.30 am Start 'St. James'**Coach Organiser:** Andrew White

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Walks Coordinator: David Morley

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Fares: £10.00 (subject to change at Coach Organiser's discretion).

Children under 18 - £5.00 and they must be accompanied by an adult

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 St. James Park), Newcastle, on Sundays prior to the coach departure. New participants may contact the Coach Organiser by telephone or email for their first trip.

Date	Description	Map	Return
2018			
Aug 5	Braithwaite via Borrowdale	OL4,5	18:00
Aug 12	Grassington via Wharfedale	OL2,30	18:00
Aug 19	Rothbury via Forestburn Gate	OL16,42Ex325	18:00
Aug 26	Kirkoswald via Hartside	OL5,31Ex315	18:00
Sept 2	Whitby via Loftus	OL26,27	18:00
Sept 9	Seahouses via Craster	Ex340	18:00
Sept 16	Glenridding via Dockray	OL5	18:00
Sept 23	Reeth via Gunnerside	OL30	18:00
Sept 30	Duns via Grantshouse	Ex345,346,339	18:00
Oct 7	Keswick via Caldbeck	OL4,5	18:00
Oct 14	Grosmont via Eskdale	(NYMR Wartime Event)	OL26,27
Oct 21	Appleby via Brough	OL19,31	18:00
Oct 28	Carlisle via Castle Carrick	Ex315	17:00
Nov 4	Leyburn via Bedale	OL30	17:00
Nov 11	Belford via Eglington	Ex332,340	17:00
Nov 18	Haltwhistle via Roman Wall	OL43	17:00
Nov 25	Castleton via Guisborough	OL26,27	17:00
Dec 2	Alnmouth via Seahouses	Ex340	17:00
Dec 9	Allendale via Hexham	OL43	17:00
Dec 16	Barnard Castle via Piercebridge	OL31Ex304	17:00
Dec 23	Morpeth via Shafto Crags	OL42Ex325	17:00
Dec 30	Corbridge via Blanchland	OL43Ex307,316	
2019			
Jan 6	Durham via Willington	Ex305,308	17:00
Jan 13	T.B.A. New Year Dinner		20:00
Jan 20	Alston via Whitfield	OL31,43	17:00
Jan 27	Richmond via Greta Bridge	OL30Ex304	17:00
Feb 3	Warkworth via Ellington	Ex325,332	17:00

Wednesday Walks - 9.30 am Start, 'Coach Station'

Coach Organiser: Gordon Lumsden 0191 4882251

Walks Coordinator: Bob Copeland 0191 2668380

Fares will be approximately £10. Children under 18 are welcome but they must be accompanied by an adult. Pick up point The Coach Station, St. James Boulevard, Newcastle.

Date	Description	Map	Return
2018			
Aug 1	Appleby via Orton	OL19 LR91	18:00
Aug 8	Elsdon via Kirkwhelpington (Summer Buffet)	OL42 LR80/81	18:30
Aug 15	Allenheads via Allendale	OL31/43 LR87	18:00
Aug 22	Hawes via Wensleydale	OL30 LR98	18:00
Aug 29	Jedburgh via Bonchester Bridge	OL16, Ex331, LR73/74/80	18:00
Sept 5	Caldbeck via Carlisle (9.00am start)	OL4/5 LR85/90	18:00
Sept 12	Goathland via Sleights	OL27 LR94	18:00
Sept 19	Kirk Yetholm via Cocklawfoot	OL16 Ex339, LR74/80	18:00
Sept 26	Dufton via Hartside	OL19/31, LR86/91	18:00
Oct 3	Ampleforth via Sutton Bank	OL26 LR100	18:00
Oct 10	Falstone via Kielder	OL42 LR80	18:00
Oct 17	Braithwaite via Cockermouth (9.00am start)	OL4 LR89	18:00
Oct 24	Otley via Blubberhouses (9.00am start)	Ex297 LR104	18:00
Oct 31	Bamburgh via Beadnell	Ex340 LR75/81	17:00
Nov 7	Haltwhistle via Bardon Mill	OL43 LR86	17:00
Nov 14	CB Inn via Richmond	OL30 LR92/98	17:00
Nov 21	Lowick via Belford	Ex340 LR75	17:00
Nov 28	Blanchland via Corbridge	OL26 LR87	17:00
Dec 5	Great Ayton via Comondale	OL26 LR93/94	17:00
Dec 12	Foxton Golf Club via Ellington and Beadnell (Christmas Dinner)	Ex332/340 LR75/81	19:30
Dec 19	Carts Bog via Allendale	OL43 LR87	17:00
Dec 27	Durham City via Crook	Ex305/308 LR88/92/93	17:00
2019			
Jan 2	Glanton via Rothbury	OL16Ex332LR81	17:00
Jan 9	Gilsland Spa via Brampton (New Year Party)	OL43Ex315LR86	20:30
Jan 16	St. John's Chapel via Woosingham	O31 LR87/91/92	17:00
Jan 23	Ridsdale via Kirkwhelpington	OL43 LR80/81	17:00
Jan 30	Alston via Whitfield	OL31/43 LR86/87	17:00

Wednesday Walks - 10.00 am Start, 'Hancock'

Coach Organiser: Ruth Sides 0191 2840357

Walks Coordinator: Dr Kenneth Wright 0191 2921302

Fares will be approximately £7.00/£10.00. Children under 18 who must be accompanied by an adult, £4.00.

Coach pick-up point is at the lay-by adjacent to the Hancock Museum on Claremont Road, Newcastle.

Date	Description	Map	Return
2018			
Aug 1	Hutton le Hole	OL27	18:00
Aug 8	Coldstream	Ex339	18:00
Aug 15	Ravenstonedale	OL19	18:00
Aug 22	Rosedale Abbey (9.30am start)	OL26/27	18:00
Aug 29	Bamburgh	Ex340	18:00
Sept 5	Bowness on Solway	Ex314/315	18:00
Sept 12	Reeth	OL30	18:00
Sept 19	Braithwaite (9.30am start)	OL4	18:00
Sept 26	Newbiggin in Eden	OL5Ex315	18:00
Oct 3	Saltburn	OL26	18:00
Oct 10	Jedburgh	OL16	18:00
Oct 17	Langthwaite	OL30	18:00
Oct 24	Grosmont	OL27	18:00
Oct 31	Morebattle	OL16	17:30
Nov 7	Westgate	OL31	17:00
Nov 14	Barnard Castle	OL31	17:00
Nov 21	Rothbury	OL16 Ex332	17:00
Nov 28	Great Broughton	OL26	17:00
Dec 5	Warkworth	Ex332	17:00
Dec 12	Whitfield	OL43	17:00
Dec 19	Shotley Bridge	Ex307	17:00
Dec 27	Elsdon	OL16	17:00
2019			
Jan 3	Morpeth	Ex325	17:00
Jan 9	Blanchland	OL31 Ex307	17:00
Jan 16	Warden (New Year Meal)	OL43	19:30
Jan 23	Woolsingham	OL31	17:00
Jan 30	Alnwick	Ex332	17:00