



Walks Programme

March 2018 – June 2018

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The object of the Club is to encourage the love of nature and the countryside through walking together, to foster a spirit of **sociability** and **comradeship**.

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STOCKPORT WALKERS WEBSITE

www.stockportwalkers.org.uk

The Public part of the website contains the current Walks Programme but no contact details of Walk Leaders.

The current Walks Programme, including contact details of Walk Leaders, is available from the Members' section which requires a Log In and Password entry which is only available for Members.

The website contains details of how to join Stockport Walkers.

WALKS SCHEDULE**Guidance to Walkers**

Please refer to Members Handbook for “Guidance to Walkers” and for information on locating start of walks, maps, using the internet, mobile phones, car share / meeting points etc. If in any doubt, please contact the Walk Leader.

Walk Distances

Unless otherwise indicated:

A walks	8 to 10 miles at a good pace
B walks	6 to 8 miles at a moderate pace
C walks	4 to 6 miles at a slower pace.

Shorter Walks

Several members meet on Wednesdays for a short morning walk – often followed by lunch. They would be very pleased to welcome others.

Walk Times

All walks start at 10:30, unless otherwise indicated.

Map and Grid References

“Map” refers to OS Explorer Series unless otherwise indicated. The Map reference is followed by first the 3+3 digit Grid Reference and then by the Latitude & Longitude (datum WGS84). The Latitude and Longitude is underlined, shown in blue and is linked to Google Maps. Click on the link to open a Web browser to show a Google Map of the reference point. As the Grid reference is only accurate to 3+3 digits the point shown on Google Maps will be approximate. If you find an error with a reference, please email:

WebController@StockportWalkers.org.uk

Abbreviations

Abbreviations: Grid Ref. (GR), Car Park (CP), Pay & Display (P&D), Park & Ride (P&R), National Trust (NT), Visitor Centre (VC), Compass points (N,S,E,W), Left (L), Right (R), Signpost(SP).

MARCH 2018**Saturday 3rd March****B: Around Poynton and Bramhall**

CP Anglesey Drive, Poynton Lake.

Map: 268 SJ923847 ([53°21'32.8"N 2°07'01.8"W](#))

Sunday 4th March**A: Woodsmoor and Beyond**

127, Woodsmoor lane 10.00am Start. Linear Walk use Bus Pass/Rail Card.

Map: 109 SJ901875 ([53°23'03.3"N 2°09'01.1"W](#))

Wednesday 7th March**A: Oh Deer! - Changed Start Location & Walk**

Dunham Park NT CP, Off Woodhouse Lane / Charcoal Rd at A56 lights S of Altrincham, meet inside the Visitors Centre..

Map: 276 SJ733876 ([53°23'04.4"N 2°24'10.4"W](#))

B: High Dale & Monsal Dale

Tideswell Dale CP (P&D) 1 mile S of Tideswell on B6049.

Map: OL24 SK154743 ([53°15'55.7"N 1°46'14.1"W](#))

C: Lindow Common to Rossmere

CP on Racecourse Road, Wilmslow, opposite the entrance to Boddington Arms SK9 5LT.

Map: 268 SJ833813 ([53°19'42.1"N 2°15'07.9"W](#))

Saturday 10th March**B: Higher Walton-Stretton**

Park Walton Cjurch, Old Chester Rd (Warrington).

Map: 108 SJ598853 ([53°21'46.9"N 2°36'19.9"W](#))

Sunday 11th March**A: Whaley bridge Circular**

Whaley Bridge CP 10.15am Start.

Map: OL1 SK012815 ([53°19'49.5"N 1°59'00.4"W](#))

Wednesday 14th March**A: Monsal Round**

Roadside parking off B6465 E of Monsal Head.

Map: OL24 SK187717 ([53°14'31.2"N 1°43'16.5"W](#))

B: Wolfscote Dale & Alstonfield

Hartington CP (P&D).

Map: OL24 SK127603 ([53°08'22.9"N 1°48'41.8"W](#))

C: Prestbury Circular

Free CP off Shirley's Drive, off Macclesfield Rd, Prestbury.

Map: 268 SJ901768 ([53°17'17.1"N 2°08'59.9"W](#))

Saturday 17th March**B: Helsby through the tunnel'**

Helsby quarry CP Alvanley Rd. Take old Chester Rd left off A56 just past Helsby High Sch (on right as approaching Helsby) then keep left onto Alvanley Rd.CP on RHS.

Map: 267 SJ490749 ([53°16'07.1"N 2°45'58.1"W](#))

Sunday 18th March**A: Tow The Line**

Littleborough Heritage Centre, Lodge Road.

Map: OL21 SD937164 ([53°38'38.7"N 2°05'48.4"W](#))

Wednesday 21st March**A: Walk the Limestone Way (11 miles)**

Moor Lane CP. W of Youlegreave.

Map: OL24 SK193644 ([53°10'34.9"N 1°42'45.7"W](#))

B: Around Monyash

Monyash CP.

Map: OL24 SK150665 ([53°11'43.3"N 1°46'37.0"W](#))

C: Lunch Walk

Park at Sutton Hall, Macclesfield SK11 0HE.

Map: 268 SJ925715 ([53°14'25.7"N 2°06'49.8"W](#))

Saturday 24th March**B: Mow Cop**

Mow Cop National Trust CP.

Map: 268 SJ857573 ([53°06'45.7"N 2°12'54.3"W](#))

Sunday 25th March (BST Starts)**A: Dales of the Dove**

Hartington Village Centre.

Map: OL24 SK127604 ([53°08'26.2"N 1°48'41.8"W](#))

Wednesday 28th March**A: Kinder Western Edge**

Hayfield CP (P&D).

Map: OL1 SK036869 ([53°22'44.2"N 1°56'50.5"W](#))

B: The Cloud

CP up the track beside The Knot Inn at Rushton Spencer.

Map: OL24 SJ935624 ([53°09'31.3"N 2°05'55.2"W](#))

C: Wilmslow to Mottram Bridge – **Changed Meeting Place and Leader**

From Wilmslow Station head East on Macclesfield Road towards Woodford. Cross over the A34 dual carriage way and immediately turn left into Wilmslow Park. Go down the narrow road through a chicane. The small car park is on the left after the bridge over the Bollin.

Map: 268 SJ853813 ([53°19'42.3"N 2°13'19.8"W](#))

Saturday 31st March

B: Beeston & Peckforton Castles

Beeston Castle CP.

Map: 257 SJ541591 ([53°07'37.5"N 2°41'14.6"W](#))

APRIL 2018

Sunday 1st April (Easter)

A: Chinley via South Head, back via the Churn
Hayfield Bus Station CP [Pay & Display].
Map: OL1 SK036869 ([53°22'44.2"N 1°56'50.5"W](#))

Wednesday 4th April

A: Froggatt Edge & the Derwent Valley
Haywood NT CP off A625.
Map: OL24 SK255776 ([53°17'41.1"N 1°37'08.0"W](#))

B: Three Shires Head – **Changed Meeting Place and Leader**

Clough House car park, Wildboardclough.
Map: OL24 SJ987698 ([53°13'30.9"N 2°01'15.3"W](#))
Meet at Hazel Grove P&R to leave at 09:30

C: To Lyme Park

Jackson's Brickworks Free CP, Higher Poynton.
Map: 268 SJ947843 ([53°21'20.0"N 2°04'51.9"W](#))

Saturday 7th April

B: Eaton, Cotebrook & Little Budworth
Little Budworth Country Park CP, Coach Road A49.
Map: 267 SJ590654 ([53°11'02.8"N 2°36'54.0"W](#))

Sunday 8th April

A: No walk planned
Meet at Hazel Grove P&R & choose a leader

Wednesday 11th April (Spring Holiday)

A: No Walk planned

B: Youlgreave Circular

Outside the George Hotel (Opposite the church) Youlgreave.
Map: OL24 SK212643 ([53°10'31.4"N 1°41'03.4"W](#))

C: No Walk Planned

Saturday 14th April

B: Glossop Circular
Manor Park CP, Glossop, off A57.
Map: OL1 SK039943 ([53°26'43.6"N 1°56'33.9"W](#))

Sunday 15th April

A: No walk planned
Meet at Hazel Grove P&R & choose a leader

Wednesday 18th April**A: Ogden Reservoir Circular**

Ogden Reservoir CP, off A640 NW of Newhey.

Map: OL21 SD953122 ([53°36'22.8"N 2°04'21.0"W](#))

B: Lantern Pike & Cown Edge

Rowarth CP.

Map: OL1 SK011892 ([53°23'58.7"N 1°59'05.7"W](#))

C: Around Billinge Hill

Limited parking so meet at Hazel Grove P&R for car sharing. CP on Spuley Lane, Bollington. Take B5090 to east end of Bollington. At the roundabout take 2nd exit. Immediately turn R into Ingersley Road. Take 1st L (SP Pott Shrigley). After 1/4 mile park on RHS at the bottom of Hedge Row.

Map: OL24 SJ945782 ([53°18'02.6"N 2°05'02.4"W](#))

Saturday 21st April**B: Chelmorton**

Park by church.

Map: OL24 SK114703 ([53°13'46.6"N 1°49'50.5"W](#))

Sunday 22nd April**A: Rowarth and Beyond**

Rowarth Village CP 10.15am Start.

Map: OL1 SK011891 ([53°23'55.4"N 1°59'05.7"W](#))

Wednesday 25th April**A: Around Hollingworth Moor**

Copley Rec. Centre (Active Thameside), Stalybridge SK15 3RR.

Map: OL1 SJ974990 ([53°29'15.7"N 2°02'26.3"W](#))

B: Around Hollingworth

Roadside parking on Wedneshough / Hollinghey Terrace Hollingworth near Glossop. It's the lane on the L when you reach the bottom of Mottram Moor A57 / 628 junction.

Map: OL1 SK004963 ([53°27'48.4"N 1°59'43.6"W](#))

C: Untitled

Free CP at Astbury Mere Country Park, off A43 just S of Congleton.

Map: 268 SJ846627 ([53°09'40.3"N 2°13'54.4"W](#))

Saturday 28th April**B: Around Lyme Park – Changed Start Point & Leader**

Disley Station.

Map: OL1 SJ974845 ([53°21'26.5"N 2°02'25.9"W](#))

Sunday 29th April**A: Buxworth Circular**

Buxworth Canal Basin 10.00am Start.

Map: OL1 SK022821 ([53°20'08.9"N 1°58'06.3"W](#))

MAY 2018**Wednesday 2nd May****A: Around the Dane**

Gradbach CP. SE of Flash off the A53.

Map: OL24 SJ998663 ([53°11'37.6"N 2°00'16.0"W](#))

B: Upper Dovedale

The square in the centre of Hartington.

Map: OL24 SK128604 ([53°08'26.2"N 1°48'36.4"W](#))

C: Cunning Dale

Roadside parking at St. Peter's Rd, 2nd R entering Buxton on A6.

Map: OL24 SK066741 ([53°15'49.9"N 1°54'09.0"W](#))

Saturday 5th May**B: Hare Hill – Changed Start Point & Leader**

Parking at Shirley Drive, Prestbury.

Map: 268 SJ901768 ([53°17'17.1"N 2°08'59.9"W](#))

Sunday 6th May**A: The Snake & Rowarth**

Hayfield Bus Station CP[Pay & Display].

Map: OL1 SK036869 ([53°22'44.2"N 1°56'50.5"W](#))

Wednesday 9th May**A: Howden Moor**

CP at end of road W side of Howden reservoir.

Map: OL1 SK168939 ([53°26'29.8"N 1°44'54.8"W](#))

B: Around Mam Tor

Mam Nick CP (P&D, NT) or roadside parking W of Castleton.

Map: OL1 SK124832 ([53°20'44.0"N 1°48'54.7"W](#))

C: Around Reddish Vale

Reddish Vale VC, Reddish.

Map: 277 SJ903934 ([53°26'14.2"N 2°08'50.9"W](#))

Saturday 12th May**B: Kettlethulme**

Park by Bulls Head.

Map: OL24 SJ989797 ([53°18'51.2"N 2°01'04.7"W](#))

Sunday 13th May**A: Mellor Circular**

Mellor Church, Mellor 10.15am Start.

Map: OL1 SJ983889 ([53°23'48.9"N 2°01'37.3"W](#))

Wednesday 16th May**A: Roaches in Reverse**

Roadside parking N of Upper Hulme, off A53, N of Leek, beyond signposted Tea Room.

Map: OL24 SK004621 ([53°09'21.7"N 1°59'43.7"W](#))

B: Valley circular via Win Hill

Outside toilets at Hope CP (RHS on A6187 from Winnats).

Map: OL1 SK171835 ([53°20'53.2"N 1°44'40.5"W](#))

C: Adlington Circular

Layby next to Leigh Arms on Poynton - Macclesfield Rd.

Map: 268 SJ912806 ([53°19'20.1"N 2°08'00.9"W](#))

Saturday 19th May**B: Buxworth circular**

Navigation Inn, Buxworth.

Map: OL1 SK023821 ([53°20'08.9"N 1°58'00.9"W](#))

Sunday 20th May**A: Peak Forest**

Roadside Parking nr Old Dam Lane & Pennine Bridleway.

Map: OL24 SK115798 ([53°18'54.0"N 1°49'43.9"W](#))

Wednesday 23rd May**A: Dee Valley Way**

Horseshoe Falls CP (NT).

Map: 256 SJ198433 ([52°58'51.7"N 3°11'45.5"W](#))

B: Ilam & Dovedale

Ilam Hall CP.

Map: OL24 SK131508 ([53°03'15.5"N 1°48'21.6"W](#))

C: Black Rock

Roadside parking in Bentside Rd, Disley. From Stockport on A6 turn R at Disley traffic lights then 2nd R.

Map: OL1 SJ976843 ([53°21'20.1"N 2°02'15.1"W](#))

Saturday 26th May**B: Chatsworth circular**

Carlton Lees CP on Chatsworth estate (right hand side Baslow to Beeley Road). Park in left hand corner.

Map: OL24 SK259685 ([53°12'46.6"N 1°36'49.1"W](#))

Sunday 27th May**A: Wolfscote & Beresford Dale**

Roadside Parking, Hartington Village.

Map: OL24 SK128605 ([53°08'29.4"N 1°48'36.4"W](#))

Wednesday 30th May

A: Macc Forest and beyond

Roadside parking at Leather Smithy PH, by side of Teggsnose Reservoir.

Map: OL24 SJ946718 ([53°14'35.5"N 2°04'56.6"W](#))

B: Hope Valley / Win Hill

Hope CP (P&D).

Map: OL1 SK171835 ([53°20'53.2"N 1°44'40.5"W](#))

C: Longshaw Estate

Meet at Hazel Grove P&R for car sharing leaving at 0930 am.

Map: 268 SJ926864 ([53°22'27.9"N 2°06'45.7"W](#))

JUNE 2018**Saturday 2nd June****B: Black Hill**

CP Nelson Pit (charge).

Map: OL1 SJ945833 ([53°20'47.6"N 2°05'02.7"W](#))

Sunday 3rd June**A: Shutlingslow**

Ridgegate Res, Roadside Parking, nr Leather Smithy. 10.15am Start.

Map: OL24 SJ953715 ([53°14'25.8"N 2°04'18.8"W](#))

Wednesday 6th June**A: Exploring Little Switzerland (Staffordshire Version)**

Froghall CP, NW of A52 jct with B5053.

Map: 259 SK026477 ([53°01'35.7"N 1°57'45.7"W](#))

B: Kinder Downfall

Bowden Bridge CP (P&D) on Kinder Rd, Hayfield (or roadside parking).

Map: OL1 SK048869 ([53°22'44.2"N 1°55'45.5"W](#))

C: Around Quarry Bank Mill

Twinnies Bridge CP off B5166 Styal Rd.

Map: 268 SJ840822 ([53°20'11.3"N 2°14'30.3"W](#))

Saturday 9th June**B: Horton/Rudyard**

CP Rudyard Station.

Map: 268 SJ956578 ([53°07'02.5"N 2°04'01.9"W](#))

Sunday 10th June**A: Tideswell Dale**

Tideswell CP, One mile South of Tideswell.

Map: OL24 SK153741 ([53°15'49.2"N 1°46'19.5"W](#))

Wednesday 13th June**A: Coombs Reservoir Circular**

Coombs Reservoir CP.

Map: OL24 SK034798 ([53°18'54.4"N 1°57'01.5"W](#))

B: Around Upper Hulme

Roadside parking area Rockhall (Through Upper Hulme off A53).

Map: OL24 SK004620 ([53°09'18.5"N 1°59'43.7"W](#))

C: Alderley Edge

The Wizard CP (P&D, NT).

Map: 268 SJ860772 ([53°17'29.7"N 2°12'41.3"W](#))

Saturday 16th June**B: Ollersett Moor**

Hayfield Bus Station.

Map: OL1 SK036869 ([53°22'44.2"N 1°56'50.5"W](#))**Sunday 17th June****A: No walk planned**

Meet at Hazel Grove P&R & choose a leader

Wednesday 20th June**A: A Lake, Edge and Moor**

Hollingworth Lake CP.

Map: OL21 SD937153 ([53°38'03.1"N 2°05'48.3"W](#))**B: Ollersett Moor**

Hayfield Bus Station.

Map: OL1 SK036869 ([53°22'44.2"N 1°56'50.5"W](#))**C: Eyam Moor Circular**

Park at entrance to Sir William Hill Rd.

Map: OL24 SK225780 ([53°17'54.5"N 1°39'49.9"W](#))**Saturday 23rd June****B: Coombs Edge**

Coombs dam CP. Turn right off B5470 down narrow lane.

Map: OL24 SK033798 ([53°18'54.4"N 1°57'06.9"W](#))**Sunday 24th June****A: Pendle and Beyond**

Barley CP, Pendle Hill.

Map: OL21 SD823403 ([53°51'31.0"N 2°16'14.1"W](#))**Wednesday 27th June****A: Villages and Moors around Eyam**

Eyam Village CP.

Map: OL24 SK216767 ([53°17'12.6"N 1°40'38.9"W](#))**B: River Derwent & Baslow, Curbar & Froggat Edges**

Haywood CP (NT) off A625 near the Grouse Inn.

Map: OL24 SK255777 ([53°17'44.3"N 1°37'08.0"W](#))**C: Around Youlgreave**

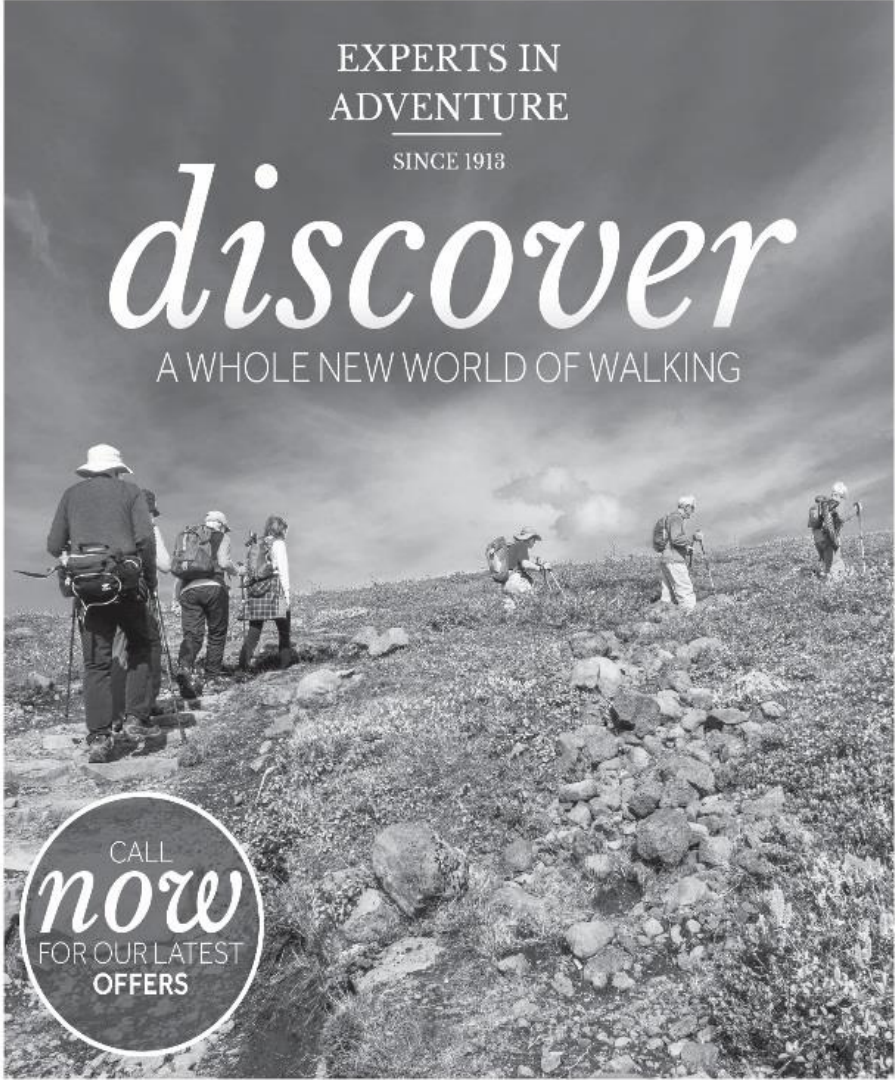
Youlgreave CP.

Map: OL24 Sk209642 ([53°10'28.2"N 1°41'19.6"W](#))**Saturday 30th June****B: Kingsley Circular**

Park Lady Heyes Centre, Kingsley Rd, (Frodsham).

Map: 267 SK535757 ([53°16'32.1"N 1°11'57.0"W](#))

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