



Nottingham & Derby Walking Group - Walks Programme, May 2025 – August 2025

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


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Sun	04/05/2025		Teversal & Hardwick Hall	Teversal visitors centre, Teversal, Norwood, Rowthorne, Ault Hucknall, Hardwick Lakes, Hardwick Inn PH (optional. Will be busy if nice weather), Stanley, Miners Statue Silver Hill, CP	Circular	SK478612	Teversal Trails Visitors' Centre, NG17 3HJ	belt.seats.melon	10:00	Easy	9%	Steve Shaw
Wed	07/05/2025		Grantham Canal	Hickling, Colston Bassett, Kinoulton, Grantham canal, Hickling(PH)	Circular	SK691295	The Plough - Pub & Kitchen, Hickling Basin (park on road)	resist.sprains.tractor	18:45	Easy	5%	Chris Parkin
Thurs	08/05/2025	🚌	Nottingham Pub Social. Canal House, Nottingham				Canalhouse, 48-52 Canal St, Nottingham, NG1 7EH	sings.inches.rabble	19:00			Joanne Morris
Sun	11/05/2025	🚌	Hayfield & Kinder Downfall	Ridge Top, Phoside Farm, Peep-o-Day, Coldwell Clough, Swine's Beck, Kinder Downfall, Mill Hill, The Grouse (PH), Taiga Farm, Little Hayfield, Hayfield	Circular	SK036869	Sett Valley Trail Car Park, Hayfield	crossword.prongs.earphones	10:00	Moderate	13	Katie Szkornik
Thurs	15/05/2025		Widmerpool, Wysal & Notts Wolds	Widmerpool Main St, Old Hall Drive, RoeHoe Brook, North Lodge Farm, Lings Lane, Keyworth Nature Reserve, Wysall, Plough PH, Thorpe Lodge Fm, KRFC, Widmerpool	Circular	SK631280	Meet at the seat, junction of Church Ln & Wysall Rd, NG12 5PW	captive.merge.widely	18:30	Easy	7	Jonny Bramley-Maye
Sat	17/05/2025	🚌	Matlock - NEW STARTER WALK	Station, Limestone Way, Bonsall (PH), Matlock Bath (infinite refreshment options!!!), High Tor, Matlock station	Circular	SK296602	Matlock Railway/Bus Interchange, DE4 3NA	slouched.safely.completed	10:15	Easy	5%	Andrew Cowell
Sun	18/05/2025		Dovedale Tops from Ilam (Numerous steep but rewarding ascents. Great views on permissive paths on access land)	Ilam National Trust CP, Ilam Cross, Bunster Ridge, Bunster Hill, Bunster bobbles, Dovedale FB, back of Thorpe Cloud, poss summit of Thorpe Cloud, Thorpe Pastures, Hill Near Moor Barn, The Nabe, Baley Hill, Milldale, Ravens Tor, high above Hall	Circular	SK131507	National Trust Ilam Park CP	easygoing.stocks.treaty	09:15	Strenuous	11	Jonny Bramley-Maye
Wed	21/05/2025	🚌	Belper & The Chevin	Belper, Cowhill, Milford, along Chevin to Farnah Green (PH), footpath down to River Derwent, cross river on bridge by weir, back through Belper	Circular	SK347475	Belper Station, DE56 1FX	money.influence.mimed	18:45	Easy	5%	Chris Parkin
Friday to Monday	25/05/2025		Weekend Away - Hebden Bridge									
Sat	24/05/2025	🚌	Hebden Bridge - Stoodley Pike	Hebden Bridge, Cock Hill Moor, Stoodley Pike, Gaddings Dam, Todmorden (optional finish), Rochdale Canal back to Hebden Bridge	Circular	SD993274	Shoulder of Mutton, Hebden Bridge	pallettes.electric.audit	10:00	Easy	12½	Gary Olds
Sun	25/05/2025	🚌	Hebden Bridge - Valleys	Hebden Bridge, Heptonstall, Gibson Mill, Walshaw Dean, Lumb Falls, High Brown Knoll, Chiserley, Hebden Bridge	Circular	SD993274	Shoulder of Mutton, Hebden Bridge	pallettes.electric.audit	10:00	Easy	10%	Gary Olds
Fri	30/05/2025	🚌	Meal at CAFÉ ROYA, Beeston				Café Roya, 130 Wollaton Rd, Beeston, Nottingham, NG9 2PE		19:00			Joanne Morris
Sat	31/05/2025	🚌	Holymoorside & Linacre Reservoirs	Holymoorside, Fairfield, Old Brampton, Linacre Reservoir, Oxton Rakes, Birley, Wigley, Wadshelf, Loads House Farm, Nether Loads, Holymoorside(PH)	Circular	SK336719	Village hall, Holymoorside	swerves.choirs.rationed	10:15	Easy	8%	Steve Shaw
Sun	01/06/2025		Millers Dale & Chee Dale	CP, Monsal Trail, Chee Dale, Pennine Bridleway, Tunstead, Dale Head, up Hay Dale, Water Lane, Tideswell (PH), Slancote Lane, Limestone Way, CP	Circular	SK137732	Millers Dale Car Park - Peak District NP	spaceship.staring.homes	10:00	Moderate	12	Katie Szkornik
Tues	03/06/2025	🚌	Derby Pub Social. The Broadway, Derby.				The Broadway, Duffield Rd, Darley Abbey, DE22 1JB		19:00			Joanne Morris
Wed	04/06/2025		Wollaton and University Park	University Boat Lake, Wollaton Park, Wollaton Village (PH), Wollaton Park, Lakeside Arts Centre.	Circular	SK546382	Lakeside Arts Centre, University Boulevard, Nottingham, NG7 2RD	wasp.gold.visa	18:30	Easy	5	Andrew Cowell

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
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Sat	07/06/2025		New Mills & Lyme Park	NMC Station, River Goyt, Disley, Lyme Park (the Cage), Lyme Hall, Bow Stones, Dissop Head, Toddbrook Reservoir, Whaley Bridge, Canal, Carr Farm, Millennium Walkway, NMC Station	Circular	SJ997854	New Mills CENTRAL Station. Parking at the bottom of the lane and	establish.riper.universes	10:15	Moderate	12	Gary Olds
Sun	08/06/2025	 	Burton Joyce - NEW STARTERS	Burton Joyce, Stockhill Farm, Lambley, Well Cottage, Woodborough, Ploughman Wood, Cornwalls Hill, The Mount, Burton Joyce	Circular	SK647437	St Helen's Church, Burton Joyce	speech.crops.developed	10:00	Easy	7½	Chris Parkin
Thurs	12/06/2025		Ilam, Bunster Hill & Dovedale	Ilam Cross, Bunster Ridge, Hill & bobbles, Stepping Stones, poss detour up Thorpe Cloud, Hill near Moor Barn, Permissive Path along tops to Upper Taylor Wood, Ilam Rock, Air Cottage, Bunster Hill & Ridge, Ilam Cross	Circular	SK135509	Ilam Cross in Ilam, junction of Moor Lane and Thorpe Road	rotations.shame.host	18:30	Moderate	6	Jonny Bramley-Maye
Sat	14/06/2025		Blackden Brook and Alport Castles (involves some easy scrambling)	Lay By on Snake Rd near Wood Cottage, Blackden Brook, Top of Blackden Moor, Blackden Edge, Mad Woman's Stones, CrookStone Hill, HaggWater Bridge, Hagg Farm, BellHagg Tpr, Bonwlee Pastures, Alport Castles, Little Moor, The Tower, Alport	Circular	SK130895	Lay By on Snake Rd near Wood Cottage	manliness.brimmed.unzipped	09:30	Technical	11½	Jonny Bramley-Maye
Sun	15/06/2025		Parwich & Tissington	Parwich, Ballidon, Bradbourne, Tissington, Alsop en le Dale, Parwich (PH)	Circular	SK189542	Car Park, Parwich, DE6 1QL	tripling.trailing.stage	10:00	Easy	9½	Steve Shaw
Wed	18/06/2025		* Dawn Walk * - Swarkestone	Lock, canal eastwards to Masseys Bridge, Old Hall, Crewe and Harpur, Barrow on Trent, Barrow Bridge, canal, lock.	Circular	SK372292	Near Swarkestone Lock, approach from Pingle Lane near A50 junction	brilliant.family.race	04:20	Easy	4½	Gary Olds
Sat	21/06/2025		Middleton & Wirksworth - NEW STARTERS	CP, High Peak Trial to SK305561, path to Longway Bank, Intake Lane, Wigwellnook Farm, Bolehill, Wirksworth(optional tea shop), back up to Middleton Top, CP	Circular	SK275552	Middleton Top Visitor Centre	duty.severe.display	10:00	Easy	6½	Paul Adams
Sun	22/06/2025		South Wingfield & Crich	CP, Four Lanes End, South Wingfield (including station), Coalburn Farm, Mill Green, Park Head, view point at Crich Stand, Edge Farm, Brook Farm, Broom House, Lower Delves Farm, CP.	Circular	SK412558	Rodgers Lane CP, meet at crossroads. 09:05 (Comet) from Derby arrives bus station 09:50	edits.punchy.arrive	10:00	Moderate	13	Joanne Morris
Sat	28/06/2025		Monsal Head (meal afterwards)	Monsal Head, Ashford in the Water, Lumford Mill, Monsal Trail 10 places available for the meal afterwards. Please email socials@ndwg.org.uk to book. If you are just attending the walk, there is no need to book.	Circular	SK185715	Monsal Head Car Park	bunk.gangs.shatters	10:00	Easy	7½	Joanne Morris
Sat	28/06/2025	 	Edale skyline	Hope, Lose Hill, Back Tor, Mam Tor, Rushup Edge, Brown Knoll, Kinder southern edges and Win Hill before heading back to Hope(PH)	Circular	SK171835	Hope Car Park - HPBC	gratuity.recur.shocks	08:30	Strenuous	20	Rob Stevens
Sun	29/06/2025		Ashbourne & Mayfield	Ellastone, Limestone Way (N), Marten Hill, Okeover Bridge (river dip if weather is good!), Callow Top, Hanging Bridge, Church Mayfield, Calwich Abbey, Ellastone	Circular	SK116434	St Peter's Church, Church Lane, Ellastone, DE6 2HB	serious.spotted.litigate	10:00	Moderate	12	Rachel Johnson
Wed	02/07/2025		Ockbrook & Dale Abbey	Ockbrook, Hopwell Hall, Keys Farm, Dale Abbey (PH), The Hermitage, Little London	Circular	SK426363	Far Lane Junction, Ockbrook	baking.dignity.heightens	18:45	Easy	5½	Rob Stevens
Thurs	03/07/2025		Derwent Valley Pub Social. Holly Bush, Makeney				Holly Bush Inn, Makeney		19:00			Joanne Morris
Fri	04/07/2025		Flagg	Green Lane, Sough Lane, Long Lane, Monsal Trail, Litton Mill, Taddington, Flagg	Circular	SK135682	Mycock Lane CP, Flagg	shifts.hostels.displays	10:00	Easy	9½	Andrew Cowell
Sun	06/07/2025		Waterhouses	CP, Manifold Way, Beeston Tor Farm, Mere Hill, Slade House, The Budds, Middlehills Farm, Waterhouses (PH), CP	Circular	SK085501	Waterhouses car park	sprint.intervals.diverting	10:00	Easy	8	Dave Spencer
Sun	13/07/2025		Market Bosworth	CP, Leicestershire Round, Sutton Cheney, Bosworth Field, Shenton Station, Ashby Canal (N), Carlton Bridge, Carlton, Leicestershire Round, Market Bosworth, CP	Circular	SK412032	Market Bosworth country park CP, CV13 0LP	plugged.yelled.petal	10:00	Easy	9½	Rob Brighton

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Sat	19/07/2025	 	Cromford & Holloway	Riber, Dethick, Lea (PH), Holloway, Cromford Canal at Gregory Tunnel, canal back to start	Circular	SK300570	Cromford Wharf	thatched.piles.proved	10:20	Easy	9	Paul Adams
Sun	20/07/2025		The Edges and Derwent	Bridge Inn Calver, Curbar Edge, Froggatt Edge, White Edge Moor, Longshaw Lodge, Yarncliff Wood, Upper Padley, Horse Hay Coppice, Froggatt Bridge, River Derwent to Calver	Circular	SK247743	Bridge Inn, Calver	dusts.quickly.tidal	10:00	Moderate	10	Joanne Morris
Sat	26/07/2025		SSS - Bleaking Loonnngg	Lady Clough, Drs Gate' Bleaklow, The Ridge, Pt 535, Pt 494, Alport Castles, Haybridge Fm, Roman Rd	Circular	SK109914	"Snake Woodland-Forestry England" in Google Maps	elevates.pepper.collect	09:00	Strenuous	15	Rob Stevens
Sun	27/07/2025		Wetton & Butterton	Manifold Way, Weag's Bridge, Buckfurlong Farm, Grindon, Hillsdale, Butterton, Wetton Mill, Wetton	Circular	SK108551	Wetton CP, Carr Lane	outline.gambles.only	10:00	Easy	8	Andrew Cowell
Wed	30/07/2025		Ticknall	Ticknall, Stanton's Wood, Robin's Wood, Sailing Club, White Leys, Calke Abbey, Ticknall (PH)	Circular	SK353241	Ticknall Village Hall	dove.reflector.premature	18:30	Easy	6½	Andrew Cowell
Sat	02/08/2025	 	Dronfield Round	Unstone, Apperknowle, Troway (farm shop cafe), Coal Aston, Bradway Tunnel, Mickley, Holmesfield (PH), Cartledge, Cowley, Ouzle Bank Cottage, Unstone (anticlockwise this time)	Circular	SK366777	Lay by adjacent to junction of Half Acre Lane & Chesterfield Rd, Unstone	epic.fuel.herb	10:00	Moderate	14	Gary Olds
Sun	03/08/2025		Oakamoor & Dimmingsdale	Oakamoor, Oulscloough, Hayes Cottage, Edgewells Farm, Ramshorn, Lower Ground Farm, Inas Rock, Alton Castle, Alton, Toot Hill, Lords Bridge, Dimmingsdale, CP	Circular	SK052447	CP across river for village	broccoli.torches.ballooned	10:00	Moderate	10	James Cholerton
Sat	09/08/2025	 	Willington (meal afterwards)	Willington Gravel Pits Nature Reserve. 10 places are available for the meal afterwards. Please email socials@ndwg.org.uk to book. If you are just attending the walk, there is no need to book.	Circular	SK295285	Willington Station Car Park	fruit.witty.pushy	10:00	Easy	4¾	Joanne Morris
Sun	10/08/2025		Low Bradfield (Heather season)	Low Bradfield, Dale Dike Reservoir, Foulstone Delf, Back Tor, Hobson Moss, Hurkling Edge, Rocher Head, High Bradfield, Low Bradfield	Circular	SK262920	CP in Low Bradfield (NW of Sheffield)	basis.cooks.splash	10:00	Strenuous	12½	Please email walks@ndwg.org.uk to lead this walk
Tues	12/08/2025		Derby - Allestree Park	Woodlands Lane CP, Allestree Park, Burley Hill, The Bridge Inn (PH), Bunker's Hill, CP	Circular	SK341403	Woodlands Road CP	data.strain.happy	18:30	Easy	5	Andrew Cowell
Sat	16/08/2025		SSS - Undiscovered Ladybower	Abbey brook, Featherbed Moss, Margery Hill, Crow Stones, Oakden Bank, Howden, Derwent dam (few people have been to some of these places)	Circular	SK172893	Fairholmes car park, S33 0AQ	budding.compress.flotation	09:00	Strenuous	13	Rob Stevens
Sun	17/08/2025		Birchover, Rowsley & Youlgreave	Birchover, Nine Ladies stone circle, Stanton Woodhouse, Rowsley, Bowling Green Farm, Haddon Barn, Raper Mine, Youlgreave, Robin Hoods Stride, Birchover	Circular	SK238621	Birchover	motel.twin.stooping	10:00	Moderate	11½	Steve Blatherwick
Friday to Monday	23/08/2025		Conwy Weekend - SOLD OUT Contact weekends@ndwg.org.uk to put your name on the reserve list.									
Sun	24/08/2025		Lower Hartshay & Wingfield	Pentrich, Coneygre Farm, Wingfield Station (cafe), South Wingfield, Wingfield Manor, Dingle Farm, over tunnel, Lodge Hill Farm, Pentrich	Circular	SK389525	St Matthews Church, Pentrich	youths.smallest.howler	10:00	Easy	8	Stef
Thurs	28/08/2025		Bennerley viaduct & canals	CP, Bennerley Viaduct, Erewash canal (S), railway bridge, Nottingham canal back to start	Circular	SK476434	CP near Awwsworth	snake.powder.such	18:30	Easy	4¼	Chris Parkin
Sun	31/08/2025		Tegg's Nose & Shutlingsloe (The Cheshire Mattahorn)	CP, Higher Ridgeway, Langley, Tegg's Nose, Windyway House, Walker Barn, Lamaload Reservoir, Shining Tor, Cat & Fiddle (PH), Clough House, Shutlingsloe, Nessit Hill, CP	Circular	SJ961711	Trentabank Reservoir CP	quit.contacts.rave	10:00	Moderate	13¾	Rob Brighton