

DALESRAIL WALKS PROGRAMME 2019

JUNE 2019

SUNDAY 2nd JUNE 2019

RICHMOND

B Walk Strenuous 11.5 miles Alight and return Ribbleshead

Ribbleshead – Downholme Bridge – Sour Nook – Oxque Bridge – Low Oxque – Marrick Park – Helmsley House – Marrick Priory – Ewelop Hill – Grinton – Manor House – Sharrow Hill – Snowden Man – Hags Gill Bridge – Hags Gill – Juniper Gill Plantation – Ellerton Scar – Stop Bridge Lane – Downholme. **Coach to/from Downholme Bridge.**

D/E Walk Moderately Easy 8 miles Alight and return Ribbleshead

Downholme Bridge – Marske – Applegarth Scar – Deep Dale – Willance's Leap – Castle Walks – Richmond. **Coach to Downholme Bridge/from Richmond.**

F Walk Easy 6 miles Alight and return Ribbleshead

A walk beside the River Swale from Lownethwaite beside the River Swale to Easby Abbey (refreshments). Return to Richmond along north bank of River Swale. **Coach to Lownethwaite/from Richmond.**

G Walk Easy Stroll 5 miles Alight and return Ribbleshead.

A walk around and about Richmond, exploring the ancient town, with a chance to visit Richmond Castle and a stroll beside the River Swale to Easby Abbey. Bus to/from Richmond.

Alternative walk for those not wishing to use the coach:

D Walk Moderately Easy 10 miles Alight and return Kirkby Stephen

Smardale Fell – Smardale Bridge – Smardale Nature Reserve – Waitby – Bloody Bones Lane – Kirkby Stephen and station.

SUNDAY 9th JUNE 2019

B Walk Strenuous 14 miles Alight and return Kirkby Stephen

Nine Standards Rigg: Stenkrieth – Ewebank Scar – Ladthwaite – Longrigg – Nine Standards Rigg – Dukerdale Potts – High Pike Hill – Nateby

C/D Walk Moderate 10 miles Alight and return Kirkby Stephen

Wharton Hall – Lammerside Castle – Pendragon Castle – Southwaite – Nateby.

F Walk Easy 7 miles Alight and return Appleby

Bandley Bridge – Nether Hoff – Colby – Limekiln Hill – Dowpits Wood. Time to visit the Horse Fair.

G Walk Easy Stroll 4 miles Alight and return Carlisle

Carlisle just beyond. 94.5 miles to Glasgow. Homes of magnets, musicians and military men. For Knowefield, Kells Place and Tarraby Lane. For Hysop Holme, Gosling Syke and the Two Crowns, come to Stanwix.

SUNDAY 16th JUNE 2019

B Walk Strenuous 15 miles Alight Dent return Garsdale

Dent – Cowgill – Spice Gill – Broadfield House – Gibbs Hall – Bankland – Peggleswright – Backstonegill – High Hall – Hacra Wood – Roantree – Longstone Fell – Aye Gill Pike – Peggy's Hill – Dandra Garth – Garsdale Station.

C Walk Moderately Strenuous 13 miles Alight and return Kirkby Stephen

Smardale Fell – Smardale Bridge – Brownber – Bents Farm – Crosby Garrett Fell – Crosby Garrett – Smardale Mill – Sandwath – Kirkby Stephen – Railway Station.

E Walk Moderately Easy 7 miles Alight and return Langwathby

Langwathby – Winskill – Hunsonby – Birks – Long Meg and her daughters – Addingham Church – Long Meg Farm – Little Salkeld Mill – Langwathby. A look at the scarecrows.

F Walk Easy 4 miles Alight and return Langwathby

Paces Through the Past: A raised village, a deserted church and a vanished hall. Tales of drovers and reivers, of potters and plague. Of baronets, of sheriffs and men of the cloth. Enjoy returning via Ladies Walk for the Eden Bank's flowers.

SUNDAY 23th JUNE 2019

SEDBERGH

A Walk Strenuous 13 miles Alight and return Dent

The Howgills: Arant Haw – The Calf – Randy Gill – Yarlside – Cautley Spout – Fawcett Bank – Sedbergh. **Coach to/from Sedbergh.**

D Walk Moderate 9 miles Alight and return Dent

Flinter Gill – South Lords Land – Combe House – Brackensgill – Abbot Holme Bridge – Birks Mill – Sedbergh. **Coach to Dent Town/from Sedbergh**

F Walk Easy 6 miles Alight and return Dent

Flower walk: Cross House – Tommy Bridge – Whernside Manor – Rigg End – Deepdale Beck – Bridge End – River Dee – Dales Way – Dent Town. **Coach to Cross House/from Dent Town.**

F Walk Easy Stroll/Visit 5 miles Alight and return Dent

From Sedbergh a short walk along the Dales Way returning by Briggflatts (Friends Meeting House). A short exploration of the delightful historic town of Sedbergh. **Coach to/from Sedbergh.**

Alternative walk for those not wishing to use the coach:

D/E Walk Moderately Easy Alight and return Garsdale

Cock Lakes – Beck Rigg – Cobbles Plantation – The High Way – Thwaite Bridge – Yore House – Moorcock Inn – Garsdale Station.

SUNDAY 30TH JUNE 2019

B Walk Strenuous 14 miles Alight and return Appleby

Around Knock Pike. Appleby – Hungriggs – Crab Apple – Black Hill – Esplandhill – Stock Bridge – Dufton Wood – Dufton Gorge – Mill Bridge – Church Bridge – Knock – Close House – Gravel Pit – Swindale Beck – Town End Farm – Heater – Newlands – Birks Head – Long Marton – Church House – Far Broom – Rising Sun – Appleby.

C Walk Moderately Strenuous Alight and return Kirkby Stephen

Nateby – Tailbridge Hill – Hartley Fell – Little Long Rigg Scar – Long Rigg – Fell Lane – Whingill – Hartley Fold – Kirkby Stephen to Station.

E Walk Moderately Easy 7 miles Alight Lazonby return Armathwaite

Fiddlers Lane – Eden Bridge – Kirkoswald Church and Castle – Kirkoswald (Medieval origin) – Staffield – Chapel Hill – Broad Wood – Ruckcroft – Langdales – Coombs Wood – Armathwaite.

G Walk Easy Stroll 3 to 4 miles Alight and return Appleby

Paces Through the Past Appleby in Westmorland: For the Causeway, the Smithies' Cave and Scattergate Green. For the Medieval St. Michaels and the Earls' Bongate Mill. For the watchmakers and cheese makers and their Royalist taverns. Tales of scolds and doom, of rotten boroughs and a church organist's sins.