HIGHWORTH & SWINDON WALKING CLUB
Programme of Sunday Walks Jan – Mar 2026

Coordinator: Marilyn Todd, email: Maltodd2853@hotmail.com /mobile 07709 900413 (Text only)

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Freshbrook Centre, Swindon, SN5 8RJ: EX169: SU111834 What3words: item.shrub.grass
Turnpike Rd, Blunsdon, SN26 8DJ: EX169 SU148899 What3words: expansion.tenses.avid

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Sunday Jan 4th Turnpike Road 09:00	**Walk route & places of interest:** Start from The Plough in Cold Aston. Bang up lane to Turkdean then onto Hazelton, Notgrove, Aylworth. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** The Plough Pub in Cold Aston, GL34 5BN Map: Ex OL45 **SP128197**, W3W: **insurers.derailed.baseballs** **Leader: Pete S, Mob: 07717003741**	10 Easy No steep inclines	£5.20
Xmas Meal Sunday Jan 11th Marlborough Road 09:10	**Walk route & places of interest:** Liddington, The Ridgeway, Badbury. (Coffee break) **Start Point:** The Village Inn, SN4 0HE, start time: **09:30** Walk leaders will meet at start of walk. Walk followed by Xmas lunch at the Village Inn for those who have booked. Map: Ex170 **SU207814**, W3W: **fallback.basically.screamed** **Leader: Morag & Ceri, Mob: 07905566616**	7.5 Easy but one steep climb	70p
Welsh Walk Sunday Jan 18th Freshbrook Centre 08:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** From St Briavels heading up to Lower Meend, to Bigsweir Bridge following Wye Using Offas Dykes path (If flooded higher level option), Brockweir heading east to Hawelsfield, north to St Briavels. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** St Briavel Castle, GL15 6RU Map: Ex OL14 **SO558046**, W3W: **embarks.hazel.agreed** **Please inform leader by 6pm Friday if you intend to go** **Although we meet at freshbrook for car share, a lift is not guaranteed** **Leader: Andrew S, Mob: 07745292985**	8.5 Mod 318m ascent	£11.80

Sunday Jan 18th Brewery Street 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** From Swinbrook, walk in the pretty Windrush Valley. The walk heads east to Asthall and then west to Burford. The area is home to the Mitford sisters. They lived in Asthall Manor and Swinbrook House. Some of the sisters and members of their family are buried in Swinbrook Churchyard. Inside the Church, there are the Fettiplace monuments which are certainly worth a visit if the Church is open. We also pass the village of Widford, which was abandoned after the plague in the 14th century, the tiny St Oswald's Church, the only remaining building. (Lunchbreak) **Start Point:** Meet outside the Swan Inn, Swinbrook. Park responsibly next to the village hall or near the cricket pitch. OX18 4DY Map: Ex OL45 **SP282119**, W3W: **payer.inflamed.fires** **Leader: Don & Maggie W , Mob: 07770875357**	9.5 Moderate Small hills	£3.20
Sunday Jan 25th Marlborough Road 09:50	**Walk route & places of interest:** Swindon Old Town starting from Marlborough Road. The Lawns, Queen's Park, Radnor St cemetery. Canal, part of the dismantled railway line, Old Town Park. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Marlborough Rd meet up point, SN3 1PJ Map: Ex169 **SU160830**, W3W: **junior.pass.kind** **Leader: Richard P, Mob: 07513009044**	7/8 Easy	N/A
Sunday Feb 1st Marlborough Road 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Wansdyke and the Kennet and Avon canal. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Car park on West End Road. Leave the A361 by turning left and head south to Bishop's Cannings. Turn right at the first crossroads and it's immediately on your right. SN10 2LL Map: Ex157 **SU037643**, W3W: **bloom.moons.pizza** **Leader: Richard P, Mob: 07513009044,**	9.5 Easy/Mod	£3.40
Welsh Walk Sunday Feb 8th Freshbrook Centre 08:10	**Walk route & places of interest:** Cwm Carn Visitor Centre Car park (café & toilets) This is a named walk-1807 Walk. First section follows Monmouthshire & Brecon Canal to Pen y Van. North to Pant Yr Eos Reservoir, North West to Twmbarlwm, descend along forest trail to minor road walk back to visitor centre. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Cwm Carn Visitor centre, NP11 7FA Map: Ex152 **ST229936**, W3W: **garlic.spare.genetics** **Please inform leader by 6pm Friday if you intend to go** **Although we meet at freshbrook for car share, a lift is not guaranteed** **Leader: Andrew S, Mob: 07745292985**	10 Mod/Hard	£14.60
Sunday Feb 8th Brewery Steet 08:45	**Walk route & places of interest:** Ardington, East Lockinge, East and West Ginge. Lunch break. Could be muddy so poles are a good idea. **Start Point:** Car park on the Ridgeway by monument (off the B4494 Chain Hill), OX12 8PA Map: Ex170 **SU418841**, W3W: **undertook.cowering.script** **Leader: David W, Mob: 07923055552**	8.5 Easy/Mod One hill	£6.70

Sunday Feb 15th Marlborough Road 09:30	**Walk route & places of interest:** Foxhill, follow Ridgeway path towards Bishopstone and over Russley Downs. Russley Park, back via Sugar Hill. Undulating but no major hills. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Foxhill car park at bottom of Ridgeway path. Layby on road if car park full. Map: Ex170 **SU233814**, W3W: **kinds.televise.reception** **Leader: Kev G, Mob: 07941076786**	9 Moderate/ undulating	£1.10
Sunday Feb 22nd Turnpike Road Blunsdon 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Chedworth, Yanworth and surrounding area. Through farmland and woods, beautiful views of surrounding countryside. Terrian includes some undulation and a couple of small hills. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Chedworth Village Hall, GL54 4NQ Map: OL45 **SP053113**, W3W: **digs.repeat.wonderful** **Leader: Paul R, Mob: 0759152255**	9 Moderate 1123ft ascent	£5.60
Sunday Mar 1st Turnpike Road Blunsdon 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest**: Sapperton, Pinbury Park, Miserden Park Lake, Edgeworth. Some road walking. Paths are likely to be very muddy in places. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Sapperton. Limited parking, please park considerately. Car share if possible, GL7 6LE Map: Ex179 **SO947033**, W3W: **tourist.repayment.bloodshot** **Leader: Ceri M, Mob: 07905566616**	10 Moderate – a couple of short steep climbs	£5.50
Welsh Walk Sunday Mar 8th Freshbrook Centre 07:50	**Walk route & places of interest:** Talgarth & a few historical site/sights, heading south skirting gliding club, The rhos, Castell Dinas, Pengenffordd carn y Castell, Garn y Castell, Trewalkin, Long Barrow, Skirt Pendre Fort, back to Talgarth. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Talgarth main car park, LD3 0PQ Map: Ex OL14 **SO153337**, W3W: **download.faster.crouching** **Please inform leader by 6pm Friday if you intend to go** **Although we meet at freshbrook for car share, a lift is not guaranteed.** **Leader: Andrew S, Mob: 07745292985**	9.5 Mod/Hard 511m ascent	£20.00
Sunday Mar 8th Brewery Street 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** From Great Barrington to RAF Little Rissington and Taynton on the return. We'll walk part of the route out on the return. Last 3/4 mile is along the road from Taynton to Barrington. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Great Barrington village hall car park on back road. OX18 4UR Map: EX OL45 **SP209136,** W3W: **result.lighter.arranges** **Leader: Peter S, Mob: 07717003741**	11 Easy	£3.40
Sunday Mar 15th Marlborough Road 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Walking through Burbage via a Medieval Fish shop to Ram Ally. Then following a tea stop to Kennet and Avon canal heading east via Bruce Tunnel to Crofton locks. Lunch Stop. Walking on via Dark Lane to Station Farm before heading towards Wolfhall and Burbage. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Burbage East Sands Lane. Layby at end of road after Mundays Builders Merchants. SN8 3AN Map: Ex157 **SU236610**, W3W: **budgeted.heaven.pinks** **Leader: Jeremy W, Mob: 07485762971**	9 Moderate. No Hills	£3.40

Sunday Mar 22nd Brewery Street 09:00	**Walk route & places of interest:** Lower Slaughter to Upper Slaughter probably on the road due to the wet conditions. To Naunton along the Wardens Way beside the river Windrush. Could be wet. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** St Marys church, Lower Slaughter, GL54 2HR Map: Ex OL45 **SP165226**, W3W: **pounding.musical.meanwhile** **Leader: Peter S, Mob: 07717003741**	9.2 Easy	£5.00
Sunday Mar 29th Marlborough Road 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Walk starts at Axford Village Hall. Whitehard Bottom, Moores Wood, Ogbourne St George, Old Chase. Skirts Poulton Downs. Undulating but no major hills. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Axford Village Hall, SN8 2EZ Map: Ex174 **SU238701**, W3W: **varieties.dressings.foremost** **Leader: Pat K , Mob: 0776946779**	10 Mod	£3.40

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Sunday 5th Apr Marlborough Road 09:30	**Walk route & places of interest:** Up over the Ridgeway, near Charlbury Hill & Lammy Down. Includes Bishopstone & good examples of ancient field systems. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Car Park at the rear of Hinton Parva Village Hall. SN4 0DH Map: Ex170 **SU229832**, W3W: **lands.rekindle.remarks** **Leader: Richard P, Mob: 07513009044**	10 Mod	£1.60
Welsh Walk Sunday 12th Apr Freshbrook 07:45	**Walk route & places of interest:** Llanfrynach heading south to Clawdd Coch then Gist Wen Craig Cwareli, Craig Cwmoergwm, return along Cefn Cyff ridge to Llanfrynach. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Llanfrynach-opposite the church, street parking by public toilets. LD3 7AJ Map: Ex OL12 or Harvey Brecons East. **SO074258**, W3W: **goals.blackbird.haggling** **Please inform the leader before 6pm Friday if you intend to go** **Please note meeting at Freshbrook doesn't guarantee a lift.** **Leader: Andrew S, Mob: 07745292985**	11 Mod/Hard 730m ascent	£18.50
Sunday 12th Apr Brewery Street 09:00	**Walk route & places of interest:** Start at the Celtic Cross in Icomb. Oxford way to Nether Westcote, Church Westcote over the A424 to Wyck Rissington past Wyck Hill house over the A424 to Icomb. **Start Point:** Celtic cross in Icomb, GL54 1JD. Parking is limited in Icomb please car share where possible. We don't want to be a pain to the residents. Map: Ex OL45 **SP212226**, W3W: **singers.deploying.slice** **Leader: Pete S, Mob: 07717003741**	8.9 Easy Nothing very steep	£4.40

Sunday 19th Apr Marlborough Road 09:30	**Walk route & places of interest:** Start from Aldbourne heading north towards Sugar Hill, crossing towards Liddington Castle. Heading south, taking in the Ridgeway, returning via Upper Upham. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** The car park at the Pond Aldbourne. Map: Ex157 **SU264756**, W3W: **grandest.shine.cookery** **Leader: Barbara R, Mob: 07980305651**	10 Easy	£1.70
Sunday 26th Apr Marlborough road 09:35	**Walk route & places of interest:** From Chiseldon north to Coate Water, skirt Broome Manor golf course, back via Burdrop farm and Hodson (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Car park off Stroud's Hill near SPAR shop. SN4 0NG Map: Ex169 **SU187798**, W3W: **hood.cheese.skill** **Leader: Richard P, Mob: 07513009044**	8 Easy	£1
Sunday 3rd May Brewery Street 09:00	**Walk route & places of interest:** Lower Slaughter to Lower Swell & Upper Swell along the Warden's Way. There's some road walking back to Lower Swell from Upper Swell & another mile of road to reach Condicote Lane. If the weather is good there's nice views of The Cotswolds. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** St Mary's church Lower Slaughter next to the Manor Hotel, GL54 2HR Map: Ex OL45 **SP165226**, W3W: **marmalade.caused.keen** **Leader: Pete S, Mob: 07717003741**	9.3 Mod	£5:00
Sunday 10th May Turnpike Road 09:20	**Walk route & places of interest:** The infinite Monkey Cage. Walking through Cirencester to Stratton, Tea stop at church, Daglingworth, Itlay, Quarry, Bagendon crossing valley to Baunton, Monarch's way to Cirencester. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Beeches road car park Cirencester, GL7 1BW charge £3.70 Map: Ex179 **SP028019**, W3W: **tested.orbited.crowbar** **Leader: Jeremy W, Mob: 07485762971**	10 Mod	£3.70
Welsh Walk Sunday 17th May Freshbrook Centre 08:00	**Walk route & places of interest:** Llanbedr, Hen Bant, Crug Mawe, drop into Grwyne Fawrn Valley, Penilfach and return. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Llanbedr near church. NP8 1SQ Map: Ex OL13 **SO240204**, W3W: **permanent.vouch.exit** **Please inform the leader before 6pm Friday if you intend to go** **Please note meeting at Freshbrook doesn't guarantee a lift** **Leader: Andrew S, Mob: 07745292985**	12.5 Hard 2 ascents 1081m	£16.30
Sunday 17th May Marlborough Road 09:20	**Walk route & places of interest:** Postern Hill, old railway track, Marlborough Common, Rough Down, Wessex Ridgeway, Barton Down & Whitehorse Trail. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Postern Hill SN6 4ND Map: Ex157 **SU197678**, W3W: **twigs.waxes.appointed** **Leader: David W, Mob: 07923055552**	9.2 Mod	£1.60
Sunday 24th May Marlborough Road 09:30	**Walk route & places of interest:** Roman Road South, Sarcen Way, Barbury Castle, Old Ridgeway. (Lunch Break) **Start Point**: Car park behind the Spar shop in Chiseldon. SN4 0NG Map: Ex169 **SU187798**, W3W: **raft.icons.camps** **Leader: Peter S , Mob: 07504461982**	8 Mod	£1.00

Sunday 31st May Brewery Street 09:10	**Walk route & places of interest**: Gt Barrington to Gt Rissington, Windrush & Lt Barrington. Hopefully the Windrush valley will be dry. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Village Hall car park Gt Barrington. OX18 4UR Map: Ex OL45 **SP209136**, W3W: **result.lighter.arranges** **Leader: Pete S, Mob: 07717003741**	9.2 Mod	£3.50
Sunday 7th Jun Turnpike Road 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Walk from Sapperton, through mainly beech woodland, with some typical Gloucestershire hills and dales and farmland to the Cotswold village of Bisley. Points of interest and history will illustrate the villages and countryside with a descent to Oakridge. A flat woodland walk along the Thames and Severn Canal/River Frome to return. Hills early in the walk and throughout mainly the first half. Twelve stiles, not at the beginning but well into the walk and thereafter. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Sapperton opposite Kenelms Church. GL7 6LQ Very restricted roadside parking, car sharing advised. Map: Ex168 **SO946032**, W3W: **slogans.shins.engraving** Minimising the number of cars is essential especially in case of simultaneous church activities. Nearest refreshments are at the Daneway pub or The Crown Inn, Frampton Mansell. **Leaders: Lin D & Zoe H** **Mob: 07941232273/07788884608**	10.5 Moderate	£3.80
Welsh Walk Sunday 14th Jun Freshbrook Centre 08:00	**Walk route & places of interest:** Crickhowell CP, The Wern, Darren, Pen Cerri-calch, Pen Allt-Mawr, Pen Twyn Glas, Tal Trwynau, Penwyn Neuadd Fawr, past Llanbedr. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Crickhowell Car park. NP8 1AC Map: Ex OL13 **SO218183** , W3W: **valley.nips.plants** **Please inform the leader before 6pm Friday if you intend to go** **Please note meeting at Freshbrook doesn't guarantee a lift.** **Leader: Andrew S, Mob: 07745292985**	12.25 Hard	£16.80
Sunday 14th Jun Brewery Street 09:40	**Walk route & places of interest:** Lechlade, Kelmscott, Radcot, Buscot weir. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Layby on A417 approx ½ mile east of Lechlade Map: Ex170 **SU221994**, W3W: **sprinkler.toads.loses** **Leader: Pete (shorter) S, Mob: 07504461982**	10.7 Easy flat	£1.10
Sunday 21st Jun Marlborough Road 09:25	**Walk route & places of interest:** Ashbury Folly along the Ridgeway past the Waylands Smithy, Uffington White Horse, Blowing Stone and round the North Wessex Downs almost into Lambourn. Nothing difficult or too onerous. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Ashbury Folly just off the B4000, nearest SN6 8LZ Map: Ex170 **SU273843**, W3W: **evaporate.beaters.remodel** **Leader: Pete (taller) S, Mob: 07717003741**	10.5 Easy	£2.00
Sunday 28th Jun Freshbrook Centre 09.00	**Walk route & places of interest:** The walk starts in the Cotswold village of Avening. A moderate walk with some hills covering a variety of open fields & woodland, passing through Hazelwood, Barton End, Tiltsup End, Longtree Bottom, Avening Park. There are a few small to medium well maintained stiles. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** : Telephone box on Point Road GL8 8LY Map: Ex168 **ST882979**, W3W: **feathers.fuse.cute** **Leader: Pat K, Mob: 07769046779**	9.5 Mod	£4.30

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Welsh Walk Sunday 5th Jul Freshbrook Centre 07:45	**Walk route & places of interest:** Tommy Jones Memorial stone route up Pen y Fan. Skirt Pen Milan, to Obelisk, Corn Du, Pen y Fan, return along Cefn Cwm Llwch, Three Rivers back. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Informal parking area by Nant Cwm Llwch camping site. LD3 8NB Map: OL12, **SO006245**, W3W: **spoon.whimpered.assemble** **Leader: Andrew S, Mob: 07745292985**	8.5 Hard One main ascent	£19.50
Sunday 5th Jul Marlborough Road 09:20	**Walk route & places of interest:** Great Bedwyn, Wilton, Kennet & Avon canal, Wolfhall. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Church in Bedwyn. SN8 3PG Map: Ex157 **SU277643**, W3W: **muddle.wobbling.sundial** **Leader: Richard P, Mob: 07513009044**	10 Easy/Mod	£4.00
Sunday 12th Jul Marlborough Road 09:10	**Walk route & places of interest:** Athelstan, Pilgrim Way, Malmsbury & Upper Avon, Brockenborough, Corston, Rodbourne and Malmsbury Abbey. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Malmsbury Station Road long term car park 60p all day . SN16 9JT Map: Ex168 **ST932875**, W3W: **inspected.jukebox.impulse** **Leader: Jeremy W, Mob: 07485762971**	14 Mod	£4.20
Sunday 19th Jul Brewery Street 08:55	**Walk route & places of interest:** Guiting Power, Guiting Wood, Winchcombe Way, Sabrina Way, Diamond Way to Hawling, then back to Guiting Power. Lovely views of the Cotswolds. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Car park north of Guiting , Critchford Lane. GL54 5UZ Map: OL45 **SP084258**, W3W: **tinned.shade.ringers** **Leader: Pete S, Mob: 07717003741**	10.2 Mod	£7.00

Sunday 26th Jul Brewery Street 08:55	**Walk route & places of interest:** Morton in the Marsh, past Batsford Arbortum, Blockley, Draycott, Aston Magna, Dorn. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** High Street Moreton. GL56 0AH No parking restrictions on Sunday. Map: OL45 **SP204324** , W3W: **switch.overruns.homework** **Leader: Pete S, Mob: 07717003741**	10.4 Mod	£5.60
Sunday 2nd Aug Turnpike Road 08:50	**Walk route & places of interest:** Hailes Abbey, Cotswold Way, east then north, Stanway. Sight of GWSR (steam railway). Didbrook, beautiful views from a part of the Cotswold Way. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Car park at Hailes Abbey GL54 5PB Map:OL45 **SP051301**, W3W: **relating.kings.ecologist** **Leader: Richard P, Mob: 07513009044**	9 Mod	£6.00
Welsh Walk Sunday 9th Aug Freshbrook Centre 07:45	**Walk route & places of interest:** Fan y Big & Taf Fechan circuit Craig y Fan Ddu, Craig Cwareli, Fan y Big & Taf Fechan Forest. Optional extension from Fan y Big Great views if weather cooperates. (Lunch Break) **Start Point:** Torpantau car park Talybont (public toilets), CF48 2UT Map: OL12 LR160 Harvey Brecon Beacons East **SO056175** W3W: **narrates.violinist.singing** For sat navs - Car park lat/long 51 50 53N, 003 22 19 W **Leader: Andrew S, Mob: 07745292985**	8 With an optional extension Hard	£19.50
Sunday 9th Aug Brewery Street 09:10	**Walk route & places of interest:** Fifield, D'Arcy Dalton Way, Bruern Abbey, Oxfordshire Way, Bledington, Idbury. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Fifield OX7 6HF Map: Ex OL45 **SP239187**, W3W: **desktops.chilled.supposes** **Leader: David W , Mob: 07923055552**	9.2 Mod Some Hills	£3.70
Sunday 16th Aug Turnpike Road 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Cotswolds circular from Withington passing through Shipton, Compton Abdale and Cassey-Comptom. Beautiful open countryside, stunning views. Some undulation, a couple of small hills. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** The Mill Inn, Withington, GL54 4BE Map: Ex OL45, **SP032153** W3W: **overheat.redefined.extreme** **Leader: Paul R, Mob: 0759152255**	9 Mod, total ascent 1022ft	£4.20

Sunday 23rd Aug Turnpike Road 09:00	**Walk route & places of interest:** A Cotswold Common walk starting in historical Painswick and crossing Buckholt Wood, Cooper's Hill Wood and Cranham Common. A hilly and wooded start is followed by more open pasture on the return. There is shade/shelter in the woods but not in open land. Walking sticks are recommended. 2 stiles on the route. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Car park, (free) next to St Mary's Church, New Street, Painswick GL6 6UZ Map: Ex179 **SO865094**, W3W: **grad.skip.strategy** 1. Walking sticks recommended for slopes especially if wet. 2. St Mary's car park is free but usage is shared with the adjacent church and other walking groups, so it is busy. Early birds.....and car sharing recommended. 3. Free public toilets (2) are in the car park so build in time prior to walk start. 4 Birdlip, A417, has major road works around a large area where the Air Balloon roundabout used to be. Traffic diversions are constant, and constantly changing. It is recommended to build in extra travel time to the walk start, even 30 mins. **Leader: Lin D & Zoe H, Mob: 07941232273/07788884608**	11.5 Mod, (including hills)	£6.00
Sunday 30th Aug Freshbrook Centre 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Start Church Road Derry Hill. Bowden, Bewley, Reybridge, Wiltshire and Berkshire Canal, Pewsham Locks, Derry Woods. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Church Road, Derry Hill, SN11 9NN Map: Ex173 **ST962708**, W3W: **rotation.transcribes.nightfall** **Leader: Pat K, Mob: 07769046779**	9 Mod, undulating with a few low stiles	£3.20
Sunday 6th Sept Brewery Street 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Quenington to Bibury to Coln St Aldwyns and Quenington. Nothing difficult there's the odd stile.(Lunch break) **Start Point:** Village green in Quenington. GL7 5BS Map: Ex OL45 **SP144042**, W3W: **buzzards.basher.unspoiled** Should be okay to park around and on the green. There's a small amount of road walking. **Leader: Pete S, Mob: 07717003741**	10.3 Easy	£2.20
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Sunday 13th Sept Marlborough road 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Pleasant walk starting at the Dundas Arms, Kintbury, along the Kennet & Avon Canal. Leave the canal at Hamstead lock, walking through Hamstead Marshall Park and circling back to Kintbury via St Cassian's. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Car parks - Kintbury Station, Canal Car Park or Dundas Arms (if you are going for a drink after the walk) Map: LR174 **SU386672**, , W3W: **knees.marching.harmless** **Leader: Don & Maggie W, Mob: 07770875357**	9.2 Easy (gentle slopes) some stiles	£4.10

Sunday 20th Sept Turnpike Road 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Minchinhampton, Upper Hyde, Cherington Pond, Avening, Gatcombe Park. (Lunch break) **Start Point:** Meet in Bell Lane car park. GL6 9BP Map: OS168 **SO871008**, W3W: **advances.freezers.loaders** Car park might be busy so alternative free car park on Friday Street W3W: **stop.fades.nutty** **Leader: Ceri M, Mob: 07905566616**	10 Mod A couple of steep hills	£4.50
Sunday 27th Sept Turnpike Road 09:15	**Walk route & places of interest:** Miserden, Winston's, Bull Banks, Sudgrove. (Lunch break) Lovely views, 3 steepish hills and undulations, a few stiles. Walking poles will be useful. **Start Point:** The Garden at Miserden, car park, GL6 7JA Map: Ex179 **SO939088**, W3W: **penned.roosts.intruders** **Leader: Annie W, Mob: 07809637890**	8.5-9.0 Mod	£4.40