



Walks Programme

28th June to

31st October 2026

Notice Board

Official Celebrations of the King Charles 11 England Coast Path.

As part of the celebrations, EDR have a total of 13 walks from end of June to the end of August, denoted by KC111ECP in the walk title.

LINEAR WALK: Channel to Channel, Watchet to Seaton

This route was devised over 30 years ago by East Devon and Taunton Deane Ramblers.

We shall be walking it in five legs, over alternate Fridays, in July, August and September.

Some legs involve public buses, some car shuffling, so we are asking walkers to let the leader know at the latest by a couple of days before the walk if they plan to attend. If your dog wants to walk with us, we cannot guarantee that they will be allowed on the buses, and you will need to ensure that there is a place for your dog in someone else's car when we car shuffle.

Wed. 8th July. Coach/Steam Train/Walks. A coach trip at 8:15am from Canaan Way CP, Ottery St. Mary to Woody Bay Station, then train to Parracombe, then a choice of 3 walks: L 4.5miles, M 8 miles or S 10 miles. Return to Woody Bay Station at about 4:30pm.

Enquiries to jwatsonretired@yahoo.co.uk or phone 07923494220. Please book ASAP as numbers are very limited. Cost is £13 for coach/train. Pay by Bank Transfer (see page 20), using the ref WOODY.

Wed 5th August. Walk and Cream Tea

Bookings and payment for the above walk and cream tea are required in advance. Cost of cream tea £9.

To book your place please email arcticlight52@btinternet.com or phone 01404 811267. Pay by bank transfer (see page 20) using the ref CREAM.

Please note that parking at the hotel is ONLY for those staying for the cream tea. Alternative public parking is situated nearby but is limited.

Wed 14th October: Fish n Chip walks

The two walks will be followed by Fish and Chips and a drink in Colyton Memorial Social Club at around 5.30. No booking required, but bring cash for your supper.

Sat 3rd October. Barn Dance - 7.00pm-10.00pm.

St Francis church hall, Woolbrook, Sidmouth. EX10 9XH. Parking on site.

Cost £5.00 each. Pay by bank transfer (See page 20) using the ref BARN.

Wed 9th Dec.- Group Christmas Lunch - save the date

Our Group Christmas Lunch date is reserved at the Victoria Hotel Sidmouth. Watch out for full details and how to book in the next programme (November 2026 to February 2027).



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ABBREVIATIONS USED IN WALKS LIST: CP = car park, £ = parking charge (check online for parking fees – car sharing can reduce costs to individuals).

£D = donation for parking, DNP = Dartmoor National Park. NR = Nature Reserve. NT = National Trust. P = parking. P&R = Park & Ride. SWCP = South West Coast Path. VH = village hall.

(See also 'Walk grading' and 'Finding our walk start points' on pages 18 & 19).

Date/time Grade/miles	Start-point Map no./Grid ref. Postcode for SatNav	Walk description & notes	Leader & contact phone
July 2026			
Sun 28	Wheathill	Forest School walk	Eve M
Jun	Plantation CP, E	Squabmoor, Dalditch, Knowle.	07460
10:30	Budleigh Common	Dogs on short leads	181656
L 5 mls	OS map: 115 SY040848 P/code: EX9 7BS		
Sun 28	31 Harcombe Lane,	KC111ECP - Coastal walk	Richard H
Jun	Sidford.	Knowle House, Donkey Sanctuary,	07976
10:30	OS map: 115	SWCP, Soldier's Hill Woods.	016653
S 10 mls	SY140900 P/code: EX10 9QN	Picnic Dogs on short leads	

Wed 01 Jul 10:00 M 7.4 mls	Sidford CP £ OS map: 115 SY134900 P/code: EX10 9RL	Into the Woods but good views Boswell Farm, Paccombe House Farm, Harcombe Hill plantation. Ascent 689 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Dawn G 07817 480388
Wed 01 Jul 10:00 M 10 mls	Manaton Church CP £D OS map: 28 SX750812 P/code: TQ13 9UJ	Views and valleys Hound Tor, Smallcombe Rocks, Hound Tor Woods. Total ascent 1775 feet. Mostly paths. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Judy G 07792 781232
Fri 03 Jul 10:00 L 4.5 mls	Salcombe Regis Church £D Small CP pls car-share OS map: 115 SY148888 P/code: EX10 OJQ	KC111ECP - Sea views at Salcombe Regis Coombe Wood Farm, Higher Dunscombe Cliff, Lower Dunscombe cliff. Picnic Assistance dogs only	Margaret R 01392 759332
Fri 03 Jul 10:00 M 6 mls	East Budleigh, Hayes Lane CP OS map: 115 SY066849 P/code: EX9 7EB	Heathlands and Ponds Hayes Barton, Bystock Ponds, Squabmoor Reservoir. Dogs on short leads	Chris A 07780 638350
Sun 05 Jul 10:30 L 4 mls	Kentisbeare VH CP £D OS map: 115/128 ST068080 P/code: EX15 2AB	The same but different Orway, Higher Henland Farm, Saint Hill, Stowford Water. Assistance dogs only	Carole S 01392 873881
Sun 05 Jul 10:00 M 8.5 mls	Langdon Hill NT CP. £ (Free with NT card) OS map: 116 SY412931 P/code: DT6 6EP	KC111ECP - Coast Path and Golden Cap St Gabriel's, Stonebarrow, Golden Cap, Seatown. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Jan W 07436 844123
Wed 08 Jul 08:15	Canaan Way CP Ottery St Mary £ OS map: 115 SY095955 P/code: EX11 1EQ	Coach & Steam Train Trip. Choice of 3 walks See page 1 for booking & full details. Picnic Assistance dogs only	John W 01404 549390

Walk 1	L 4.5 mls	Woody Bay Station	John W 07772 069940
Walk 2	M 8 mls	Bodley, Invention Wood, SWCP.	Rosemary K 01404 45944
Walk 3	S 10 mls	South Down, Kemacott, Woody Bay.	Brian & Gill 07870 804711
Fri 10 Jul 10:00 L 5.25 mls	Powderham Castle Restaurant CP OS map: OL44/110 SX965831 P/code: EX6 8JQ	Lovely views of the Exe estuary Starcross, Powderham Church, Kenton. Dogs on short leads	Aileen W 07485 645089
Fri 10 Jul 10:00 L 4.5 mls	Peak Hill CP Sidmouth OS map 115 SY109872 P/code: EX10 ONW	A little more Moor Keble's Seat, Bulverton, Lyden Hill. Dogs on short leads	Malcolm H 07812 433184
Fri 10 Jul 10:30 M 11 mls	Harbour Road CP, Watchet OS map: OL9/140 ST071433 P/code: TA23 OET	Channel to Channel 1 Watchet to Seven Ash Please book with leader by 8 th July. Bring bus pass if you have one.. Picnic £6.40. Dogs by arrangement	David M 01297 23424
Sun 12 Jul	Please check the website for a pop-up walk		
Sun 12 Jul 10:00 M 8.5 mls	Drewsteignton Village CP OS map: 28/113 SX736909 P/code: EX6 6QS	Teign Valley Burrow Farm, River Bank, Two Moors Way. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Malcolm H 07812 433184
Wed 15 Jul 10:30 M 8 mls	Yartor Down near Dartmeet OS map: 28 SX681733 P/code: PL20 6SG	River and tors Sharp Tor, Ponsworthy, Broadaford, Corndon Down. Ascent 1300 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	David M 01297 23424

Wed 15 Jul 10:30 M 10.5 mls	Kersbrook Railway Bridge, Budleigh Salterton, roadside parking OS map: 115 SY068830 P/code: EX9 7AD	KC111ECP - Seaside, Reservoir & River SWCP, Squabmoor, East Budleigh, River Otter. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Howard & Sandie 07874 037594
Fri 17 Jul 10:00 L 4 mls	Seaton Down Hill picnic site OS map: 116 SY233913 P/code: EX12 2TH	KC111ECP - Pass the Hole Gatcombe Farm, Beer, Seaton Hole. Dogs on short leads	Peter C 07587 217811
Fri 17 Jul 10:00 M 6 mls	Branscombe VH £D OS map: 115 SY197887 P/code: EX12 3DB	Celebrating the KC111ECP on the SWCP Mare Lane, Beer Head, Branscombe Mouth. Walked at leisurely pace Picnic Dogs on short leads	John W 01404 549390
Sun 19 Jul 10:30 L 8 mls	Uplyme VH Overflow CP £D OS map: 116 SY323934 P/code: DT7 3UY	"From Thomas Whitty up to Trinity" The Coach Road, Whitty Down, Trinity Hill, Holcombe. Picnic Assistance dogs only	Betty H 01297 443836
Sun 19 Jul 10:30 M 8.5 mls	Otterhead Lakes CP, Otterford OS map: 128 ST225141 P/code: TA3 7EE	Another Tricky walk? Trickey Warren, Burnworthy, Churchinford. LIMITED PARKING CAR SHARE PLEASE Picnic Assistance dogs only	April A 07922 651426
Wed 22 Jul 10:00 M 9 mls	Lydeard Hill CP, West Bagborough OS map: 140 ST180338 P/code: TA4 3DY	Starting from a Quantock Corner Triscombe Stone, Gib Hill, Cothelstone Hill. Ascent 1647 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Paul F & Susie 07867 842713
Wed 22 Jul 10:00 M 5 mls	Beer Cliff Top CP £ OS map: 116 SY227888 P/code: EX12 3AQ	KC111ECP - To the Shanty and back Branscombe Mouth, Hazelwood, Mare Lane. Dogs on short leads	Bazil H 07457 477241

Fri 24 Jul 10:00 L 5.5 mls	Budleigh Salterton Town CP OS map: 115 SY060821 P/code: EX9 6JL	River and coast Kersbrook, Otterton. Dogs on short leads	Joy W 07772 069940
Fri 24 Jul 10:00 M 5.2 mls	Bowd lay-by; N-side of A3052, 300 yds W of Bowd Inn. OS map: 115 SY104898 P/code: EX10 ONB	Beacon Hill loop Fire Beacon, Harpford Wood. Dogs on short leads	Malcolm H 07812 433184
Fri 24 Jul 10:00 M 10 mls	Tangier CP, Castle Street, Taunton OS map: 128/140 ST222245 P/code: TA1 4AY	Channel to Channel 2 Seven Ash to Taunton Book with leader by 22 nd July. Bring bus pass if you have one. Car parking £10.20 Picnic Dogs by arrangement	Rosemary K 01404 45944
Sun 26 Jul	Please check the website for a pop-up walk		
Sun 26 Jul 10:30 L 6.6 mls	Weston village CP OS map: 115 SY166890 P/code: EX10 OPH	Part of the SWCP on the KC11IECP Dunscombe Manor House, Combe Wood Farm, SWCP, Salcombe Regis. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Doug R 01395 577891
Wed 29 Jul 10:00 M 12 mls	Newton Poppleford Rec. Ground CP OS map: 115 SY088899 P/code: EX10 OEY	Third time lucky BW37 Aylesbeare Common, Fire Beacon, Tipton St John, Aylesbeare RSPB. Ascent 1600 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Tim S 07578 413003
Wed 29 Jul 10:30 M 5 mls	Four Firs Cross CP B3180/B3179 Woodbury OS map: 115 SY032864 P/code: EX5 1JL	A Heath walk for Heath Week Blackhill quarries. Stepping stones over a stream. Bicton common. Dogs on short leads	Eve M 07460 181656
Fri 31 Jul 10:00 M 5.5 mls	Wheathill Plantation CP, E Budleigh Common OS map: 115 SY040848 P/code: EX9 7BS	To Gibraltar Black Hill, Bicton Common, Uphams Plantation. Ascent 351 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Howard & Sandie 07874 037594

Fri 31 Jul 10:00 L 4.5 mls	Weston village CP OS map: 115 SY166890 P/code: EX10 OPH	KC111ECP - More sea views at Weston Weston Cliff, Coxes cliff, Berry Camp. Picnic Assistance dogs only	Margaret R 01392 759332
August 2026			
Sun 02 Aug 10:00 L 5 mls	Tracey's Avenue, roadside parking near dog walking park OS map: 116 SY238906 P/code: EX12 2XS	To the woods Views of Seaton, Holyford woods, Tower garage. Dogs on short leads	Shirley T 07477 879445
Sun 02 Aug 10:30 M 11 mls	Canaan Way CP Ottery St Mary OS map: 115 SY095955 P/code: EX11 1EQ	East Hill "Expedition"! East Hill Strips, White Cross, Secret Valley, River Otter. One hill, some stiles, great views. Free parking Sundays. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Chris C 07546 267229
Wed 05 Aug 10:10 M 8.6 mls	Colyton Peace Memorial Playing Fields CP OS map: 116 SY249936 P/code: EX24 6PU	A linear "cake walk" Offwell Woods, Bethlehem Farm, Baker's Gate, River Coly. Ascent 775 feet. Catch X30 bus @10.20. Bring bus pass. Tea and cake. after. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Jasmine L 01297 552313
Wed 05 Aug 10:00 M 8.1 mls	Two Bridges Hotel CP, Yelverton OS map: OL28 SX609750 P/code: PL20 6SW	7 tors and a cream tea Beardown Tors, Beardown Man, Brown's House. Ascent 1148 feet. Booking required, see page 1 for details Picnic Dogs on short leads	Vivien I 01404 811267
Fri 07 Aug	Please check the website for a pop-up walk		
Fri 07 Aug 10:00 L 5.5 mls	Otterton Green roadside parking OS map: 115 SY081852 P/code: EX9 7JD	KC111ECP - Lanes and footpaths around Otterton Includes river and SWCP. Dogs on short leads	Chris A 07780 638350

Fri 07 Aug 10:00 M 11 mls	Otterford VH CP, Bishopswood OS map: 128/116 ST252128 P/code: TA20 3RZ	Channel to Channel 3 Taunton to Bishopswood Book with leader by 5 th Aug and have 2 spare seats in car. Car parking £D/£10.20. Picnic Dogs by arrangement	David M 01297 23424
Sun 09 Aug 10:00 M 8.5 mls	Upper Linhay CP West Hill OS map: 115 SY063943 P/code: EX11 1JY	Closed path? Not anymore! West Hill, Fluxton, Venn Ottery. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Ted S 07848 852463
Sun 09 Aug 10:30 M 7 mls	31 Harcombe Lane, Sidford. OS map: 115 SY140900 P/code: EX10 9QN	Fire and smoke Knowle House, Fire & Smoke, Barker's Barn Woods. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Richard H 07976 016653
Wed 12 Aug 10:00 M 9.5 mls	Abbotsbury Swannery overflow CP OS map: 15 SY577846 P/code: DT3 4JH	Flag Captain Hardy Portesham, Hardy Monument, Blackdown Nature Reserve. Ascent 1480 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Chris B 07862 134745
Wed 12 Aug 10:30 M 8 mls	Knapp Copse NR CP, nr Farway OS map: 115 SY155957 P/code: EX10 OQG	Ups and downs EDW, Old Dairy House, Sandcombe Farm. Car share if possible. Picnic Assistance dogs only	Hilary T 07504 911476
Fri 14 Aug 10:00 L 5.25 mls	Newton St Cyres recreation ground. OS map 114 SX880987 P/code: EX5 5AT	Creedy countryside Langford, Winscott and Sweetham. Dogs on short leads	Aileen W 07485 645089
Fri 14 Aug 10:00 M 4.5 mls	Stockland VH CP £D OS map: 116 ST245045 P/code: EX14 9EF	Stockland wander Wytech Lane, North Hill Farm, Millhayes. Assistance dogs only	Hilary T 07504 911476

Sun 16 Aug 10:30 L 6.8 mls	Thorncombe Church CP £D OS map: 116 ST376034 P/code: TA20 4NE	Winsham, Lose sum Forde Abbey Farm, Winsham, Shedrick Bridge. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Doug R 01395 577891
Sun 16 Aug 10:00 M 8.5 mls	Otterton Green roadside parking OS map: 115 SY081852 P/code: EX9 7JD	KC111ECP - Up and around Peak Hill Otterton, Ladram, Peak Hill and Mutter's Moor. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Kate A 07984 032278
Wed 19 Aug 10:00 S 10 mls	High Down CP, Lydford (down track by Dartmoor Inn) OS map: OL28 SX525854 P/code: EX20 4BA	Grand tor tour Widgery Cross/Brat Tor, Hare Tor, Great Links Tour. Ascent 1620 feet Moderate pace. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Vivien I 01404 811267
Wed 19 Aug 10:00 M 5.5 mls	Castle Drogo Walkers NT CP £ Free with NT card OS map: 28/113 SX725902 P/code: EX6 6PB	Rocky Road after? Fingle Bridge, River Teign, Hunters Tor. Rocky in places. Optional lunch/Castle visit after. Dogs on short leads	Dave S 07954 401802
Fri 21 Aug 10:00 L 5 mls	Darts Farm CP, Topsham OS map: 44/110/114 SX978884 P/code: EX3 OQH	Linear Stroll along the Estuary Exton, Lymestone, Bring bus pass. Dogs on short leads	Anne R 07549 013877
Fri 21 Aug 10:00 L 5.5 mls	Newton Poppleford Rec Ground CP OS map: 115 SY088899 P/code: EX10 OEY	Let's cross Joney! Yonder Hill, Stoneyford, Joney's Cross, Back Lane. Dogs on short leads	Maureen 01392 833109
Fri 21 Aug 10:00 M 11.5 mls	Kilminsteron VH CP £D OS map: 116 SY273980 P/code: EX13 7RF	Channel to Channel 4: Bishopswood to Kilminsteron Book with leader by 19 th Aug and have 2 spare seats in car. Car parking £D. Picnic Dogs by arrangement	Rosemary K 01404 45944

Sun 23 Aug	REMINDER TO LEADER	WALK CHITS DUE ON 6 TH SEP		
Sun 23 Aug 10:00 M 10.5 mls	West Hill CP behind Morrisons OS map: 115 SY068938 P/code: EX11 1UQ	Halfway there and back Benchams, Aylesbeare, Metcombe. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Colin & Mary Ann 07771 935117	
Sun 23 Aug 10:00 M 8.25 mls	Stantyway Farm, Otterton, roadside parking OS map: 115 SY089849 P/code: EX9 7JJ	KC111ECP - Coast and Estuary SWCP, river estuary, East Budleigh. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Ted S 07848 852463	
Wed 26 Aug	Please check the website for a pop-up walk			
Wed 26 Aug 10:30 M 9 mls	The Down Recreation Park CP OS map: 108 SX452667 P/code: PL20 7HG	A walk in the Tamar Valley Weir Quay, Tamara Way, Calstock viaduct, Bere Alston station. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Graham H & Alison 07851 743913	
Fri 28 Aug	Please check the website for a pop-up walk			
Fri 28 Aug 10:00 L 5 mls	Hawkchurch VH overflow CP £ OS map: 116 ST343004 P/code: EX13 5XD	Pass a castle and a tower Castle Cross, Wadbrook, Holditch Court Optional pub lunch after. Dogs on short leads	Sue B 07762 930640	
Sun 30 Aug	Please check the website for a pop-up walk			
Sun 30 Aug 10:30 M 7.5 mls	Budleigh Salterton Town CP OS map: 115 SY060821 P/code: EX9 6JL	KC111ECP - Coffee at the Trig Littleham Church, Old S.R. Railway. Ascent 1050 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Naomi & John 07484 820895	
September 2026				
Wed 02 Sep 10:30 M 10.5 mls	Chard Reservoir CP OS map: 116 ST337093 P/code: TA20 1HU	Apple time? Reservoir, Knowle St Giles, Cudworth. Picnic Assistance dogs only	April A 07922 651426	

Wed 02 Sep 10:00 M 8 mls	Maer Road CP £ or nearby roadside parking OS map: 115 SY011801 P/code: EX8 2DB	Coast to Common and back Littleham Church, Knowle, golf course, SWCP. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Richard & Barbara 07874 330097
Fri 04 Sep	Please check the website for a pop-up walk		
Fri 04 Sep 10:00 M 5.5 mls	Stantyway Farm, Otterton, roadside parking OS map: 115 SY089849 P/code: EX9 7JJ	The sea is calling Stantyway Farm, SWCP, Brandy Head. Dogs on short leads	Olga N 07963 180140
Fri 04 Sep 10:00 M 9 mls	Seaton Hole, roadside parking. OS map: 116 SY234896 P/code: EX12 2PX	Channel to Channel 5 Kilmington to Seaton Book with leader by 2 nd Sept and have 2 spare seats in car. Car parking £D. Picnic Dogs by arrangement	David M 01297 23424
Sun 06 Sep	REMINDER TO LEADERS	WALK CHITS due in today	
Sun 06 Sep 10:30 M 9 mls	Powerstock Common NR CP 1 ml W of Toller Porcorum OS map: 117 SY547974 P/code: DT2 OEJ	A Toller(able!) Walk Jubilee Trail, Toller Porcorum. Ascent 950 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Naomi & John 07484 820895
Sun 06 Sep 10:30 M 7 mls	Seatown CP £ OS map: 116 SY420918 P/code: DT6 6JU	"Back to the doghouse" Thorncombe Beacon, Eype Mouth, Eype Down Hill, SWCP. Hills, stiles, superb views. Pub after? CP discount - mention East Devon Ramblers! Picnic Dogs on short leads	Chris C 07546 267229
Wed 09 Sep 10:00 M 7 mls	Beer Cliff Top CP £ OS map: 116 SY227888 P/code: EX12 3AQ	Beer-Branscombe circular West Cliff, Street, Culverwell, Hazelwood. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Bazil H 07457 477241

Wed 09 Sep 10:00 M 10 mls	Symondsburys Estate CP, off Mill Lane OS map: 116 SY447937 P/code: DT6 6HQ	Through Chideock Monarchs Way, North Chideock, Thorncombe Beacon, Colmer's Hill. Ascent 1600 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Paul F & Susie 07867 842713
Fri 11 Sep 10:00 L 4 mls	Brampford Speke: roadside parking near church OS map: 114 SX927983 P/code: EX5 5DP	An Austen amble Woodrow Barton, Upton Pyne Church, Optional lunch at Agricultural Inn after. Book lunch with leader by 4 th Sept. Dogs on short leads	Vicky S 07885 951863
Fri 11 Sep 10:00 M 6 mls	Colaton Raleigh, Church Road, roadside parking OS map: 115 SY082872 P/code: EX10 OLN	River, sea and moor Sea View Farm, SWCP, Mutter's Moor. Dogs on short leads	Chris A 07780 638350
Sun 13 Sep	Please check the website for a pop-up walk		
Sun 13 Sep 10:00 M 8 mls	Four Firs Cross CP B3180/B3179 Woodbury OS map: 115 SY032864 P/code: EX5 1JL	Snifters at the Gofe Club' Woodbury, Woodbury Park, Fords. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Roger S 07721 872882
Wed 16 Sep 10:30 M 7.5 mls	Fernworthy Reservoir CP £, Dartmoor OS map: 28 SX669839 P/code: TQ13 8EA	Tors, a pound and stone rows Teignworthy, Kestor Rock, Batworthy Corner, Thornworthy Down. Ascent 1000 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	David M 01297 23424
Wed 16 Sep 10:00 M 10.5 mls	Stoodleigh Parish Hall, West End Lane, Ford Barton OS map: 114 SS912185 P/code: EX16 9PP	Exe Valley wander Oakford, Combe Bottom, Rifton Wood. Total ascent 1650 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Brian & Gill 07870 804711
Fri 18 Sep	Please check the website for a pop-up walk		

Fri 18 Sep 10:00 E 3.75 mls	Otterton Green roadside parking OS map: 115 SY081852 P/code: EX9 7JD	To White Bridge Mauders Hill, lane, river bank. Dogs on short leads	Malcolm H 07812 433184
Sun 20 Sep 10:30 L 4.5 mls	Honiton Golf Club roadside parking OS map: 115 SY174991 P/code: EX14 9TR	The fringe of Honiton Mount Pleasant, The Glen, St Michael's Church. Dogs on short leads	John W 01404 549390
Sun 20 Sep 10:00 M 8.5 mls	Budleigh Salterton Town CP OS map: 115 SY060821 P/code: EX9 6JL	Around Budleigh Kersbrook, Shortwood Common, Leeford, West Down Beacon. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Malcolm H 07812 433184
Wed 23 Sep 10:00 M 9 mls	Cogden Beach NT CP off B3157 £ Free with NT card OS map: 15 SY503884 P/code: DT6 4RN	Let's gorge ourselves Shipton Gorge, Bothenhampton, Burton Cliffs. Ascent 1237 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Chris B 07862 134745
Wed 23 Sep 10:00 M 7.5 mls	Branscombe VH £D OS map: 115 SY197887 P/code: EX12 3DB	Beach, cliff and country Branscombe, SWCP, Lower Weston Farm, Culverwell. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Kate A 07984 032278
Fri 25 Sep 10:00 L 4.5 mls	Colaton Raleigh, Church Road, roadside parking, meet at church. OS map: 115 SY082872 P/code: EX10 OLN	A river walk Otterton, Anchoring Hill Dogs on short leads	Joy W 07772 069940
Fri 25 Sep 09:30 M 4.6 mls	East Hill Pride Farm Shop/café, off Four Elms Hill. OS map: 115 SY102897 P/code: EX10 OFE	Lost in the forest East Hill, Harpford Woods, Clinton Estate. Small hills, some stiles. Leisurely pace. 09:30 coffee. Walk 10am - 12noon. Lunch after? Book lunch with leader by 18 th Sept. Dogs on short leads	Chris C 07546 267229
Sun 27 Sep	Please check the website for a pop-up walk		

Sun 27 Sep 10:00 M 9 mls	Peak Hill CP Sidmouth OS map 115 SY109872 P/code: EX10 ONW	Peek-a-boo Mutter's Moor, Harpford Common, Bulverton. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Janette M 07759 324849
Wed 30 Sep 10:00 S 13 mls	Blackbury Camp 3mls N of Branscombe OS map: 115 SY188924 P/code: EX24 6JE	A Bramble? Branscombe and Beer. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Sandy T 07551 531341
Wed 30 Sep 10:30 L 5.5 mls	Steps Bridge CP 1 ml SW of Dunsford OS map: 28/110/114 SX803883 P/code: EX6 7EQ	An edge of Dartmoor treat Windhill Gate, Burnicombe, Bridford Wood. Dogs on short leads	Rob F 07465 425031
October 2026			
Fri 02 Oct 10:00 M 6 mls	Newton Poppleford Rec Ground CP OS map: 115 SY088899 P/code: EX10 OEY	be that Yonder Hill? Yonder Hill, Coleton Raleigh, Stoneyford. Dogs on short leads	Roger S 07721 872882
Fri 02 Oct 10:00 L 5.5 mls	Otterton Green roadside parking OS map: 115 SY081852 P/code: EX9 7JD	An Autumn perambulation SWCP, Ladram Bay. Dogs on short leads	Paul R 01392 214430
Sun 04 Oct 10:30 L 7.3 mls	Hemyock Parish Hall CP £D OS map: 128 ST138133 P/code: EX15 3QW	No Tricks Conigar Plantation, Trickey's Farm, Burrow Hill. Ascent 650feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Jasmine L 01297 552313
Sun 04 Oct 09:30 S 15.8 mls	Otterton Green roadside parking OS map: 115 SY081852 P/code: EX9 7JD	The ten Commons "challenge"! Colaton Raleigh, Woodbury Castle, Black Hill, East Budleigh. Small hills, no stiles, super views. Please bring extra water/snacks. Pub after? Picnic Dogs on short leads	Chris C 07546 267229

Wed 07 Oct 10:00 M 10 mls	Blackbury Camp 3mls N of Branscombe OS map: 115 SY188924 P/code: EX24 6JE	No tents required Roncombe, Hatway Hill, Harcombe Hill. Ascent 1200 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Paul F & Susie 07867 842713
Wed 07 Oct 10:00 L 8 mls	Budleigh Salterton Town CP OS map: 115 SY060821 P/code: EX9 6JL	Guess which way? East Budleigh, Bickton, Otterton. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Paul R 01392 214430
Fri 09 Oct 10:00 L 4 mls	Seaton Hole, roadside parking. OS map: 116 SY235897 P/code: EX12 2PZ	Up and around Seaton Down, Gatcombe Farm, Beer. Dogs on short leads	Peter C 07587 217811
Fri 09 Oct 10:00 M 6 mls	Otterton Green roadside parking OS map: 115 SY081852 P/code: EX9 7JD	Nice walk. Let's enjoy the views SWCP, view of Brandy Head, River Otter. Dogs on short leads	Caroline M 07516 419833
Sun 11 Oct 10:30 L 6.9 mls	Colaton Raleigh, Church Road, roadside parking OS map: 115 SY082872 P/code: EX10 OLN	Up to the Common Stowford, Kettle Plantation & Naps Lane. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Doug R 01395 577891
Sun 11 Oct 10:00 M 10 mls	Millwey Rise Ind Estate, Weycroft Ave, Axminster. roadside parking OS map: 115 SY307995 P/code: EX13 5HU	A Minster ramble Pinneywood, Holditch Court, Hawkchurch, The Old Lodge. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Janette M 07759 324849
Wed 14 Oct 12:45 L 8 mls	Colyton Peace Memorial Playing Fields CP OS map: 116 SY249936 P/code: EX24 6PU	The other fish & chip walk Seaton Jn, Haddon Corner, Whitford. Ascent 600 feet. Optional Fish & Chips after walk @5.30pm Dogs on short leads	Jasmine L 01297 552313

Wed 14 Oct 12:00 M 10 mls	Colyton Peace Memorial Playing Fields CP OS map: 116 SY249936 P/code: EX24 GPU	Fish & Chips longer walk Holyford, Jobble's Lane, Bonehayne. Total ascent 920 feet. Optional Fish & Chips after walk @ 5.30pm Picnic Dogs on short leads	Brian & Gill 07870 804711
Fri 16 Oct 10:00 L 5.5 mls	Budleigh Salterton Town CP OS map: 115 SY060821 P/code: EX9 6JL	Two Budleighs in one Kersbrook, East Budleigh. Dogs on short leads	Paul R 01392 214430
Fri 16 Oct 10:00 L 5 mls	Ottertton Green roadside parking OS map: 115 SY081852 P/code: EX9 7JD	Coffee on the beach? River Otter, Budleigh Salterton. Dogs on short leads	Jayne C 07790 813344
Sun 18 Oct 10:30 M 7.8 mls	All Saints VH £D OS map: 116 ST305011 P/code: EX13 7LY	To the Quaker Burial site? Dennings Down Farm, Membury, Symons Cross, Long Lea Farm. Ascent 1200 feet. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Jasmine L 01297 552313
Sun 18 Oct 10:30 M 6 mls	Bowd lay-by; N-side of A3052, 300 yds W of Bowd Inn. OS map: 115 SY104898 P/code: EX10 ONB	Up to a fire? Harpford Woods, Fire Beacon Hill. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Barbara R 07944 338877
Wed 21 Oct 10:00 M 10.5 mls	East Hill Strips CP Opp Ridgeway OS map: 115 SY123942 P/code: EX11 1QB	Down, around, up and along Core Copse, Sandcombe Farm, Sidbury. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Colin & Mary Ann 07771 935117
Wed 21 Oct 10:30 M 5 mls	Uplyme VH Overflow CP £D OS map: 116 SY323934 P/code: DT7 3UY	Country and sea East Devon Way, Lyme Regis, Ware, Gore Lane. Picnic Dogs on short leads	Peter & Wenna 07527 826368

Fri 23 Oct	Ottertton Green	To the coast and back	Joy W
10:00	roadside parking	Ladram Bay, Seaview Farm.	07772
L 4.5 mls	OS map: 115	Dogs on short leads	069940
	SY081852		
	P/code: EX9 7JD		
Fri 23 Oct	Sidmouth RC	Up the valley	Jerome H
10:00	Training Pitches,	Knowle House, Harcombe Hill and	07551
M 4.5 mls	off Byes Close,	Buckton Farm.	068088
	Sidford	Dogs on short leads	
	OS map: 115		
	SY135897		
	P/code: EX10 9PY		
REMINDER - END OF BST - CLOCKS GO BACK 1 HOUR			
Sun 25	Dalwood VH CP £D	Sleepy rabbits on a Sunday morning	John W
Oct	OS map: 116	Burrow Knapp, Hawley Cross,	01404
10:30	ST248006	Coombe's Head Farm.	549390
L 4.5 mls	P/code: EX13 7EQ	Optional Tuckers Lunch after.	
		Picnic Assistance dogs only	
Sun 25	Manaton Church	Bowerman and his mate	Graham K
Oct	CP £D	Easdon Tor, Lower Hookner, TMW,	07804
10:00	OS map: 28	Hayne Down.	836362
M 9 mls	SX750812	Picnic Dogs on short leads	
	P/code: TQ13 9UJ		
Wed 28	Sidbury CP,	Upon Pen Pin and Path	Sandy T
Oct	Ridgeway Close	East Hill, Pen, Pin & Path Hills,	07551
10:00	OS map: 115	Roncombe Valley.	531341
S 12 mls	SY138918	Picnic Dogs on short leads	
	P/code: EX10 OSN		
Wed 28	Joney's Cross CP	Woodland and fields	Jerome H
Oct	OS map: 115	Southerton, Venn Ottery, Aylesbeare	07551
10:00	SY057897	Common.	068088
M 7.5 mls	P/code: EX10 OBL	Dogs on short leads	
Fri 30 Oct	Weston village CP	Weston mouth circular	Jenny &
10:00	OS map: 115	Salcolme Regis, Donkey Sanctuary.	Pepper
M 4.5 mls	SY166890	Ascent 942 feet	07855
	P/code: EX10 OPH	Optional refreshments after?	041083
		Dogs on short leads	

Fri 30 Oct	Maer Road CP £	Let's see what's up along the zig zag	Olga N
10:00	or nearby roadside	path	07963
L 5.5 mls	parking	Orcombe Point, SWCP, Sandy Bay,	180140
	OS map: 115	Gore Lane.	
	SY011801	Dogs on short leads	
	P/code: EX8 2DB		

About our walks

NEW MEMBERS & VISITORS

Non-members are welcome to try out up to three of our walks for free. Once you have experienced the views and good company, it's just a case of joining the Ramblers. Membership entitles you to walk with any Ramblers group throughout the country. You can join online, at <https://www.ramblers.org.uk/membership>, by phone or by post.

WALK GRADING The letter in column 1 of the walks list, just before the mileage. Please note how the walks are graded see below. **If in doubt, telephone the leader.**

- E = Easy** Gentle pace; easy terrain; occasional obstructions to negotiate.
- L = Leisurely** Taken at a leisurely pace, often over uneven ground and obstructions etc., including hills. For an averagely fit person with some country walking experience.
- M = Moderate** For fairly fit people with country walking experience. Moderate pace; uneven ground, occasional sustained climbs, steep ground and open country likely.
- S = Strenuous** For experienced country walkers of above average fitness. Generally brisk pace, over rougher ground and more demanding terrain. Sustained climbs/descents, typically, over longer distances.

Please note that virtually all walks in East Devon are hilly and are often muddy! This is particularly so in winter and can add to the toughness of a walk. Many walks include stiles that require climbing over.

COME EQUIPPED: Wear seasonally appropriate clothing. Walking boots & waterproofs are often essential. A drink and, for all-day walks, picnic lunch is advisable.

GET TO THE WALK IN GOOD TIME: Please arrive at the start with enough time to pay for parking, get boots on and attend the leader's pre-walk briefing.

FINDING OUR WALK START-POINTS: Maps, grid references and postcodes: Ordnance Survey map sheet nos. and grid references 1:25,000 scale maps with orange covers are combined in col 2 of the walk table in this programme - e.g., 115 SY088899 is a grid reference on OS Explorer sheet 115. OS Outdoor Leisure OL maps have 1 or 2-figure no's: e.g. 9 SS872323 is on the Exmoor OL map. Postcodes are also in column 2 under the grid reference for those using SatNavs. NB: postcodes are designed for postal addresses NOT car parks. The postcode will hopefully get you somewhere near a start-point.

CAR-SHARING & PARKING: Some car parks are small. Car sharing can help make best use of the space.

DOGS: Most of our walks are suitable for dogs but some are not. Those that are not are marked '*Assistance dogs only*'. Some linear walks are marked '*Dogs by arrangement*' where car-sharing is involved. Dogs on all walks must be accompanied by a well-behaved owner on a short lead who can manage their dog over/through stiles etc. Owners are also expected to '*bag it and bin it*'.

ACCIDENTS: It is a requirement of the Ramblers that any accident involving people or property is reported for recording in the accident register. Please contact our Chair on 07484 820895.

DISCLAIMER: "All sporting and leisure activities have inherent hazards associated with them and rambling is no exception. In spite of the safety of members always being of paramount concern, accidents will occasionally occur. It is important, therefore, that when entering into the activity, each member appreciates that they have a responsibility to identify the hazards associated with the activity and take all reasonable steps to eliminate or minimise the potential for an accident to arise."

NUMBERS ATTENDING WALKS: Leaders should, soon after the walk, let Graham know how many people came on their walk including themselves by phone 01395 445872 or email grahamknapton@tiscali.co.uk.

WALK DETAILS CHITS for the next programme should be sent to Jas by email: jasmine_mike.list@yahoo.com, or phone 01297 552313.

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2025 – 2026

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Please include the relevant reference with your payment and let the event organiser know you have paid. If you are unable to pay in this way, contact the event organiser.

You are receiving this programme because we believe that it would be of interest to you as a member of East Devon Ramblers. If you would rather not receive similar information in future, please let us know. *You can change your preferences online by email ramblers@ramblers.zendesk.com, or <https://www.ramblers.org.uk/my-account> or call 020 3961 3232.*

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Help support our group by booking your walking holidays with **Ramble Worldwide** (Classic, Discover, Adagio or Self-Guided) and nominate East Devon Ramblers when booking to ensure we receive vital funds through the Walking Partnership.

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