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1. All enquiries about walks please refer to the walk leader.
2. If you are joining a walk somewhere other than the stated meeting place, please inform the walk leader.
3. Meeting times can vary, so please note carefully
4. Cafe/lunch facilities cannot be guaranteed as this program is prepared several months in advance, and company managements and trading conditions can change. To ascertain the latest situation, please ask the relevant walk leader a few days before hand.

| DATE | Walk. | General info. Meeting place and transport details | Leader | Meeting time |
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| 2 nd Jan | New | Summerfield Park to Woodgate Visitor Centre. 5 miles. Mixed. Meet NS 4 for No.80 bus at 10.24 Return by bus. | David Roberts 0121 243 2243 | 10.15 |
| 9 th Jan | 77 | Earlswood to Shirley Station. 4.75 miles. Mainly road. Meet Moor Street Station for 10.31 train. Bus pass or £5.00/£3.30 | Phil Williams 079 66 806 947 | 10.20 |
| 16 th Jan | 133 | Galton Bridge to Gas Street Basin. 4.5 miles Canal. Meet Snow Hill station for 10.33 train. Bus pass or £2.60/£1.70 | Pauline & Michael 0121 458 6320 | 10.20 |
| 23 rd Jan | 179 | Wolverhampton Locks. 4 miles. Canal for part of the way. Meet New Street Station for 10.31 train. Bus pass or £5.90/£3.90 | Christine & Clive 0121 707 2263 | 10.20 |
| 30 th Jan | 124 | Northfield to Rowheath plus possible extension. 3.5 + miles. Mixed. Meet NS 8 for 144 bus at 10.25. Return by bus. | Andrea and Ian 0121 476 7196 | 10.20 |
| 6 th Feb | 146 | Kenilworth Town, Castle and Abbey Fields. Mixed. 3.6 miles. Meet New Street Station for 10.30 train to Coventry and then bus to Kenilworth. Return by bus and train. Bus pass or £4.50/£2.95 | Michael Tombs 07761937 788 | 10.20 |
| 13 th Feb | 8 | West Heath to Maypole, 4.1. miles Mainly tarred. Meet NS8 for 146 bus at 10.35 to Man on the Moon (PH). Return by bus. | Lynda and Michael 0121 603 4474 | 10.30 |
| 20 th Feb | 46a | Curly Wyrley Part 1 5 miles. Canal. Meet New Street Station for 10.31 train to Wolverhampton. Return by bus to Walsall and then train to New Street. Bus pass or Singles: to Wolverhampton £4.00/£2.65; From Walsall £3.60/£2.40 | Phil Williams (as above) | 10.20 |
| 27 th Feb | 178 | Wombourne Railway. 5 miles Old railway line. Meet New Street Station for 10.31 train to Wolverhampton. Then Bus No.3 to Castlecroft. Return by bus from Wombourne to Stourbridge Town and train back to Birmingham. Bus pass or Singles £4.00/£2.65. From Stourbridge £5.20/£3.45 | Christine & Clive (as above) | 10.20 |
| 6 th March | 150 | Balaam's Wood and Gannow Green Mixed. 4.8 miles. Meet NS 8 for 144 bus to Rubery at 10.25. Return by bus. | Pauline & Michael (as above) | 10.20 |
| 13 th March | 36 | A Lickey Hills Walk to Cofton Park. Mixed 5 miles. Meet NS 8 for 144 bus to Rubery at 10.25. Return by bus. | Andrea and Ian (as above) | 10.20 |
| 20 th March | 66 | Grand Union Canal. Canal to Solihull. Up to 7 miles but go as far as you want. Meet Moor Street Station for 10.30. | Michael Tombs (as above) | 10.25 |
| 27 th March | 119a | Walsall Arboretum, Park Lime Pits and Rushall Canal. Mixed. 6 miles. Meet New Street Station for 10.27 train to Walsall. Return by train. Bus pass or £4.60/£3.05 | Jenny Round 0121 544 5971 | 10.20 |
| 3 rd April | New | Leamington Figure of 8 and Millennium Way. Mixed. 4.5 miles. Meet Moor Street Station for 10.15 train to Leamington Spa. All pay. Return Dorridge to L. Spa £6.20/£4.10 | Phil Williams (as above) | 10.10 at latest |
| 10 th April | 131b | Cole Valley Walkway Part 2. Mainly tarred. 4.4 miles. Meet BS 13 for No.55 bus at 10.29. Return by bus. | Gordon Hackett 0121 444 1043 | 10.20 |
| 17 th April | 58a | Barnt Green, Lickey and Cofton Park. Mixed. 4.2 miles. Meet New Street Station for 10.23 train to Barnt Green. Return by bus. ALL Pay Single. Longbridge to Barnt Green £1.90/£1.25 | John Clulee 0121 708 1327 | 10.20 |

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| 24 th April | 34 | Cannock Chase /German Cemeteries. Mixed. 5 miles. Meet New Street Station for 10.12 train to Hednesford. Transfer for short bus journey. Return by bus and train. Bus pass or £6.60/£4.35 | Christine & Clive (as above) | 10.05 |
| 1 st May | | Waseley Hills/Bluebell Walk. Mixed. 5 miles. Meet NS 8 for 144 bus to Lydiate Ash at 10.25. Return by bus. | Jan Mikhail 07811 394 056 | 10.20 |

The first fare is the full fare, the second fare is with the Senior Railcard discount and is likely to be the group discount fare too.

A 006 has the following Walks Leaders:

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The Group Leaders would welcome volunteers to lead walks, either new ones of their own creation, or from our existing library of ambles to include in our future programs. Just let one of the current leaders know and we can take it from there.

Current practice is in a 4 month period there are 17 Wednesdays. The 4 regular leaders each lead 3 or 4 walks but that leaves 3 or 4 weeks which we would encourage others to fill.

Disclaimer

I have been informed by Fircone Central that members of the walking group A006 are NOT insured by Fircone. Fircone's insurance extends only to their premises and to members whilst they are on those premises.

Therefore, amblers participate on Fircone Ambles at their own risk and are entirely responsible for themselves. Fircone cannot accept any responsibility for them. Neither can the leader of any walk be held responsible for amblers' safety.

Amblers are advised to wear good footwear suitable for the terrain and other appropriate outdoor wear.

Membership of Fircone costs a one-off payment of £10
See www.firconebirningham.org.uk for all the other activities Fircone offers.
We ask for a donation of £3 for each walk which contributes to the running of Fircone.

