

Dursley Walking Festival has put the Dursley area firmly on the map.

It's a wonderful place to walk and enjoy some of the stunning countryside views around this part of Gloucestershire and the Cotswolds.

Our 2020 Walking Festival


This leaflet has been put together to give an overview of our 2020 festival. For a fuller description of the walks along with other information such as what to bring on the walks, which walks are classified as Family Friendly and which walks dogs are welcome on please visit our walking festival website www.dursleywalkfest.btck.co.uk or www.dursleywelcomeswalkers.org.uk.


The websites also contains information on travel and parking.


All walks in the festival will comply with the Government Guidelines in place at the time of the festival and these include the need to book for all walks. As the position with Covid-19 in England can change at very short notice it is essential that you visit the website to see the Covid-19 requirements and also keep up to date with what will be happening at the festival.

To comply with Government Guidelines all walks in the 2020 festival must be booked in advance, how to book the walks plus walk information are given on the Walking Festival pages of our website.

Please ensure you visit our website for the latest information on Dursley Walking Festival 2020 where you will find the full notes on information and guidance to help you enjoy our Festival.

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This is our 9th Dursley Walking Festival and we are pleased to have been supported by a large number of organisations and businesses over the years.

We would like to thank all those who have led walks for us including South Cotswold Ramblers, Vale Vision Walking for Health team, Steering group members of Dursley Welcomes Walkers, Cotswold Voluntary Wardens, Owlpen Manor, Gloucestershire Area Ramblers Group, Dursley Rambling Club, Geostudies.co.uk, Cotswold Way Association, Dursley Heritage Centre, Dursley Dursley Library, Dursley Lions Club, All Seasons Nordic Walking, St James's Church, Cotswold Guided Walks, 1st Dursley Scouts and Dursley Birdwatching and Preservation Society.

We would also like to thank all businesses and organisations who have supported us over the years including Dursley Town Council, Cam Parish Council, Dursley Pet Shop, Dursley Methodist Church, The Old Spot, Dursley Community Centre, Dursley Town Hall, Simply Foot Care, Ramblers Walking Holidays, Leaf and Ground, The Bank Cafe, Hummingbird Cafe, Dursley Library, Dursley Rambling Club, and South Cotswold Ramblers.

For more information about events and places to stay or eat in Dursley and the Surrounding area visit www.dursleytowncouncil.gov.uk/visit-dursley.html

Remember to put the dates of our next Festival in your diary.

Dursley Walking Festival 2021

6th to 10th October



Dursley Welcomes Walkers

Dursley Walking Festival 2020

Wednesday 7th October
To
Sunday 11th October

Free walks for a range of abilities exploring the glorious countryside and heritage of Gloucestershire and the Cotswolds

Dursley Walking Festival 2020 - Programme of Walks

Walk No	Start Time	Walk Title	Meeting Point	Grid Reference	Distance (Miles)	Duration (Hrs)
Wednesday 7th October						
1	9:30 AM	Photography walk to Cam Peak with Alan	Dursley Market Place. GL11 4BS	ST 756 981	3 - 4	3 - 4
2	10:00 AM	In Stitches at the Ditches with Mick (Gloucestershire Area Ramblers Group)	Stinchcombe Hill Car Park. GL11 6AQ. (Not the golfers car park)	ST 744 984	11	6
3	10:30 AM	Keeping fit in Cam with Peter (Vale Vision Walking for Health volunteers)	By Post Box between Tesco and Post Office. GL11 5PS	SO 749 003	3	1.5
4	10:30 AM	Dursley without hills with Dave. (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Dursley Market Place. GL11 4BS	ST 756 981	2 - 3	1.5
5	2:00 PM	Cam's Historic Graveyards with Jenny (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Outside Froffy Coffee, Cam. GL11 5PS	SO 749 003	2	2
6	2:00 PM	Circular Walk with Linda and Chris (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Leaf and Ground, Dursley. GL11 6PP	ST 741 993	4.25	2
Thursday 8th October						
7	10:30 AM	Owlpen Valley Circular Walk with Hugo (Owlpen Manor)	The Car Park, Owlpen Manor, Uley. GL11 5BZ	ST 800 498	3	1.5
8	2:00 PM	Cam and surrounding hamlets with Greta (Cam, Dursley and District U3A)	By Post Box between Tesco and Post Office. GL11 5PS	SO 749 003	4	2
9	2:00 PM	Strolling the footpaths and alleyways of Dursley (Vale Vision Walking for Health volunteers)	By Bennett Jones Estate agent, Parsonage Street, Dursley. GL11 4BP	ST 755 982	1.5	1
Friday 9th October						
10	8:00 AM	Tai Chi Walk with Mark ((Cotswold Edge Tai Chi)	Cam Peak Car Park, GL11 5HJ	ST 767 993	1.5	1.5
11	10:00 AM	The Hill (Not the Sean Connery one) with John R. This walk can be a 14 mile walk or 2 of 7 mile walks. (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Dursley Market Place. GL11 4BS	ST 756 981	14	6
12	10:20 AM	Bus Walk to Woodchester Mansion with Mick (Dursley Rambling Club)	May Lane Bus Station, Dursley. GL11 4JH	ST 754 981	8.5	7.5
13	10:30 AM	Across the fields to Uley with Linda and Chris (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Dursley Market Place. GL11 4BS	ST 756 981	4.5	2
14	2:00 PM	The Hill Part 2 (Not the Sean Connery one)	Dursley Market Place. GL11 4BS	ST 756 981	6.5	3
15	2:00 PM	The Saints Bartholomew - Cam and Coaley circular with John F. (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Outside Cam Parish Council Offices GL11 5PS	SO 749 003	4.6	3

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Saturday 10th October						
16	8:38 AM	Bus walk to visit Newark Park with Mick (Dursley Rambling Club)	May Lane Bus Station, Dursley. GL11 4JH	ST 754 981	9.5	7.5
17	10:00 AM	Canal Deep, Commons High with John R.(Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Large parking area Selsley Common (B4066)	SO 828 026	12	6
18	10:00 AM	5 Churches Walk with David and Dave (St James Church, Dursley)	St James Church, Dursley. GL11 4JE	ST 757 981	7	5
19	10:00 AM	A walk to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Cotswold Way with John (Cotswold Way Association)	Cam Peak Car Park, GL11 5HJ	ST 767 993	7	5
20	10:00 AM	Geology and Landscape around North Nibley with Dave (Geostudies)	Layby on Dursley to Wotton road at Bournstream, GL12 7PB	ST 749 944	4	5
21	1:30 PM	A Geocaching walk in Hermitage Wood with Graham (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Breakheart Quarry, Dursley. GL11 6ER	ST 756 967	2.6	2.25
22	2:00 PM	Intuitive wisdom walk with Peter (Living-Focusing)	Dursley Woods, Dursley. GL11 4QJ	ST 763 970	2 to 3	1.5
Sunday 11th October						
23	09:00 AM	The Lantern Way The Other Way with Chris and Sheila (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Dursley Market Place. GL11 4BS	ST 756 981	14	8
24	10:00 AM	Autumn Woods and Ashen Plains with David and Dave (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Dursley Market Place. GL11 4BS	ST 756 981	5	2.5
25	10:00 AM	Cam Stone Stiles and Severn Views Walk with John F. (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Outside Cam Parish Council Offices GL11 5PS	SO 749 003	3.5	2
26	11:00 AM	Dawdle and Doodle - Art Walk with Christina and Magnus (Dursley Welcomes Walkers)	Post Box outside Tesco, Cam GL11 5PS	SO 749 003	2.5	2.25
27	1:30 PM	Spectacular Views from Dursley's Hills with Richard (Dursley Rambling Club)	Dursley Market Place. GL11 4BS	ST 756 981	6	3
28	2:00:PM	Heritage walk- Dursley Town Centre with Andy Barton (Dursley Heritage Centre)	Dursley Market Place. GL11 4BS	ST 756 981	2	1.5 to 2

Please remember that all walks must be pre-booked, see our website for links to bookings.

• All walks are subject to change due to Covid-19 restrictions. Please visit our website to read our Covid Statement and our Important information pages.