

# Peak District National Park Authority

## Free Ranger Guided Walks and Events 2012

The Peak District National Park Authority Rangers lead over 150 guided walks each year, which are free to the general public. Rangers are experienced walk leaders and qualified first aiders and their knowledge of this special place is inspiring; they specialise in subjects such as botany, birds and mountain hares.

### Who are the walks and events for?

There are walks and events available for everyone, whether you are new to the countryside or an experienced walker. The symbols after each walk are shown in the key below:

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|  | Suitable for families    |  | Links to bus service                      |
|  | Suitable for pushchairs  |  | Assistance dogs only                      |
|  | Suitable for wheelchairs |  | Pay & Display car park                    |
|  | Links to railway         |  | Navigation walk; bring OS map and compass |

### Navigation training walks:

You can improve your skills through our graded series of navigation training:

**Grade A** - Basic navigation training for the complete beginner. Basic map reading; no compass work.

**Grade B** - Map reading for beginners; some compass work.

**Grade C** - Upland moorland navigation. Beginners' navigation in wilderness areas; using map and compass.

**Grade D** - Navigation for improvers; some navigation skills needed already.

### What to bring:

Many of the walks and events will take most of the day, so do bring:

- Packed lunch and drinks
- Waterproofs and weather appropriate clothing
- Walking boots for walks, sturdy, comfortable shoes for events
- Sun protection in hot weather

Your safety is our first priority; Rangers do have the right to ask you not to take part if they feel that your safety is at risk due to inappropriate equipment.

### Other information:

- Dogs on leads are allowed unless stated; assistant dogs are always welcome.
- Where there are restrictions on areas of land, walk leaders will comply.
- All children attending walks and events must be accompanied by an adult.
- Please remember that some walks need to be booked in advance on the number provided.
- Please note that the postcodes given for walk meeting points cover a geographical area and do not necessarily pin-point the exact location.
- Remember to secure your vehicle and remove all valuables if leaving your car parked and unattended. If you see anything suspicious please contact the Police on the new non-emergency phone number: 101.

### How to get there:

For further details of public transport links:



- Traveline: 0870 608 2608 or [www.traveline.org.uk](http://www.traveline.org.uk)
- National Rail Enquiries: 08457 484 950 or [www.nationalrail.co.uk](http://www.nationalrail.co.uk)

While every effort has been made to ensure the information in this booklet is correct, all events are subject to change.

To ensure you have the most up-to-date information please check our website before setting off for your walk or event: [www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/rangerwalks](http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/rangerwalks)





## Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> January

### January Jaunt

5 mile steady walk around Ashford, Monsal Head and Great Longstone, mainly on footpaths and tracks with a gradual ascent. Meet at the church in Ashford-in-the-Water (GR: SK195 697) (PC: DE45 1QB) Start 11am, finish 2.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  




## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> January

### Navigation Walk (Grade C)

7 mile walk around the wild moorland of Chew learning navigation skills. Rough moorland walking. Meet Ranger Centre, Dove Stone car park, off A635 Holmfirth Road, Greenfield, Oldham (GR: SE013 034) (PC: OL3 7NE) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. Bring OS 1:25000 Dark Peak map and compass. Booking not required.    


## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> January

### Derwent Edge in Search of Hares

5 miles over rough ground with steep ascents and descents. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 11am, finish 3pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**    **P&D**




## Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> January

### Northern Exposure

8 mile winter walk along Kinder Scout's northern edges. Strenuous walk with steep ascents, could be wet and muddy. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemists, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left. (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** **P&D** 





## Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> February

### Navigation for Improvers (Grade D)

6 miles. High quality, small group moorland navigation training for those who already know the basics, in the stunning surroundings of the Upper Derwent Valley. Strenuous ascents and rough ground. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10am, finish 3.30pm. Bring compass, 1:25,000 Dark Peak map, bus fare. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**    **P&D**



## Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> February

### Celebrate National Nest Box Week

2 miles. Make easy-peasy bird feeders and bird puddings, nest box building (small charge), outdoor woodland Nature Trail activities and short Ranger led walks to our veteran tree, on level terrain. Meet The Moorland Visitor Centre, Edale (GR: SK124 856) (PC: S33 7ZA) Start 11am, finish 3pm. Parking at the meeting point for disabled badge holders only. Car park available at entrance to village. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**     **P&D**





## Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> February

### White Hare Walk

8 mile walk around the wild moorland of Chew looking for mountain hares and visit the highest point in Greater Manchester. Some rough moorland walking. Meet Clarence Hotel, Chew Valley Road, Greenfield (GR: SE002 040) (PC: OL3 7DD) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. Booking not required.  

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## Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February





### A Winter Wander

6 miles. Take in the spectacular views around Stanage Edge and Higger Tor, descend through the woods of Whim Plantation, on to Hathersage, then North Lees Hall. Some rough paths and two ascents. Meet Hollin Bank car park on the minor road below Stanage Edge, north of Hathersage village (GR: SK236 839) (PC: S32 1BR) Start 11am, finish 3.30pm. Booking not required. **P&D**


### **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February** **Aircraft Wrecks Close to Fairholmes**

5 mile walk to learn about some of the aircraft wrecks close to Fairholmes, with steep climbs over rough moorland. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   **P&D** 


### **Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March** **To The Manor Born**

5 miles. Meander back through time and visit the homes and livelihoods of ancestors long gone. Meet Grindleford Railway Station (GR: SK251 788) (PC: S32 2JA) Start 10.30 am, finish 3.30 pm. Booking not required.    
 


### **Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March** **Winter Wonderland**

9 mile walk to experience the spectacular views from Kinder Scouts Western Edges. Strenuous walk, with steep ascents. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemists, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left. (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** **P&D** 


### **Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March** **Hares and Aeroplanes**

8 mile walk in search of Mountain Hares and aircraft wrecks, with some steep climbs, over high moorland. Meet Crowden car park, 3 miles east of Tintwistle on the A628 Woodhead Pass. (GR: SK073 993) (PC: SK13 1HZ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.  


### **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March** **The Wonders of Wormhill**

7 mile walk looking at the history of Wormhill and surrounding area, some ascents and descents and some stiles. Meet Millers Dale Old Station car park. Take minor road signposted to Wormhill off B6049 at Millers Dale, go under bridge and turn left. (GR: SK138 732) (PC: SK17 8SN) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** **P&D** 



### **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March** **Winter Wildlife Walk**

5 mile leisurely walk, looking at the wildlife of farmland, woodland and river. Undulating terrain, can be very wet and slippery underfoot in places. Meet Bakewell Old Station car park, 1km north east of Bakewell on Station Road. (GR: SK222 690) (PC: DE45 1GE) Start 10am, finish 4pm. Booking not required.  **P&D**




### **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March** **The Sheffield Flood**

8 mile walk to Dale Dike Reservoir; the site of one of the worst man-made disasters in English history. Some steep slopes and stiles. Meet The Sands car park, near the cricket pitch, Low Bradfield (GR: SK263 921) (PC: S6 6LB) Start 11am, finish 4pm. Booking not required. 




### **Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> March** **Priestcliffe's Lanes and Dales**

4.5 mile easy paced walk exploring the old paths, lanes and dales in the Priestcliffe area with some stiles. Meet Taddington church gate, Taddington village main street, off the A6, Bakewell to Buxton road (GR: SK142 711) Start 11am, finish 2.30pm. On street parking. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  





### **Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> March** **Tissington Village and Railway (a.m.)**

2.75 mile walk to take a close look at the buildings and history of Tissington and its environs, including a section of the Tissington Trail. Easy terrain, asphalt, grass, some stiles. Meet Tissington Trail car park in Tissington village (GR: SK178 521) (PC: DE6 1RA) Start 10.30am, finish 1pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   **P&D** 





**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> March**  
**Tissington Village and Railway (p.m.)**

2.75 mile walk to take a close look at the buildings and history of Tissington and its environs, including a section of the Tissington Trail. Easy terrain, asphalt, grass, some stiles. Meet Tissington Trail car park in Tissington village (GR: SK178 521) (PC: DE6 1RA) Start 1.30pm, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   **P&D** 





**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> March**  
**Map reading for Beginners (Grade B)**

5 miles. Worried about getting lost or want to improve your map reading skills? Join the rangers for a walk to learn to use a map and a compass. Meet Trentabank car park. From Langley village, follow the road to Leather's Smithy, take the right fork and continue on the road around Ridgeway Reservoir, the car park is on the right. (GR: SJ964 712) (PC: SK11 ONE) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. Bring White Peak OS 1:25000 map OL 24. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  **P&D**   



**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> March**  
**The Gathering Curlews**

1 mile to see curlews with a wildlife expert. Easy walking on level, well surfaced paths. Meet at Tittesworth reservoir, first car park on right (GR: SJ993 604) (PC: ST13 8SN) Start 10am, finish 12 noon. Bring binoculars. Booking not required.     **P&D**



**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> March**  
**Navigation Guided Walk (Grade D)**

6 mile walk learning all aspects of navigation using map and compass, including resections and walking on a bearing. Some rough ground and steep sections. Meet at Grindleford Station (GR: SK250 788) (PC: S32 2JA) Start 11am, finish at 4.30pm. Bring White Peak and Dark peak maps and a compass. Booking not required.    
 



**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> March**  
**Mad March Hares**

11 mile walking safari across Kinder Scout to find the special Arctic Hares. Meet at the Moorland Visitor Centre, Edale (GR: SK124 856) (PC: S30 7ZA) Start 10.45am, finish 4.30pm. No parking on site, please use the car park at the entrance to the village. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**    
**P&D**



**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March**  
**A Hard Dales' Hike**

10 mile strenuous walk with magnificent views, over open access land in the White Peak dales. Some strenuous ascents and descents. Meet Tideswell Dale picnic site on the B6049, 3 kms south of Tideswell (GR: SK154 742) (PC: SK17 8SS) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  **P&D** 




**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March**  
**Chunal Wander**

10 mile walk over Chunal Moor, Snake and Shelf Stones, with some steep climbs and rough terrain. Meet Glossop Railway Station (GR: SK035 941) (PC: SK13 8BS) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.  




**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March**  
**Gateway to the Peak**

11 miles. Walk parts of the Tame Valley and Oldham Ways from Greenfield into the Chew Valley area of the Peak District National Park. Mainly tracks and paths with some steep climbs. Meet Greenfield Station, Shaw Hall Bank Rd, Greenfield, Oldham. (GR: SD991 046) (PC: OL3 7JZ) On-road parking available nearby. Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. Booking not required.  


**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March**  
**Explore the Archaeology, History and Ecology around Grindleford**

5 miles visit ancient sites and landscapes around Grindleford and delve into the fascinating history, ecology, flora and fauna. Mainly along paths and tracks, with some steep ascents and rough ground. Meet Grindleford Railway Station (GR: SK251 788) (PC: S32 2JA) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. On-street parking on the station approach road. Booking not required.   



## Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March Navigation for Beginners (Grade B)

5 Miles. Can't map read? What's a compass? Come along and find out how to read maps and learn to plan your own walks. Great for absolute beginners, or those wanting to refresh forgotten skills. Meet at the Moorland Visitor Centre, Edale (GR: SK124 856) (PC: S30 7ZA) Start 10.45am, finish 4.30pm. No parking on site, please use the car park at the entrance to the village. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**    P&D


## Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March The Hills are Alive

8 mile walk from Langsett along part of the old Salt Route from Rotherham. Some steep slopes and stiles. Meet at Langsett car park, off the A616 at Langsett village (GR: SE211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. Booking not required. 



## Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> April One Dale at a Time

4.5 mile walk exploring limestone dales and surrounding access land. Can be followed with the 'Change at Miller's Dale' walk in the afternoon to create a full day's walk. On trail, track and footpaths with some short ascents and descents. Meet Millers Dale Old Station car park. Take minor road signposted to Wormhill off B6049 at Millers Dale, go under bridge and turn left. (GR: SK138 732) (PC: SK17 8SN) Start 10.30am, finish 1pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  



## Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> April Peakland Panorama

10 mile walk to explore the northern moors of Bleaklow, with some steep climbs and rough terrain. Meet Torside car park, 4 miles east of Glossop on the B6105. (GR: SK069 983) (PC: SK13 1JF) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required. P&D 




## Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> April Change at Miller's Dale

5 mile walk looking at centuries of change to the landscape around Miller's Dale. Some moderate ascents and descents. Meet Miller's Dale Old Station car park. Take minor road signposted to Wormhill off B6049 at Millers Dale, go under bridge and turn left (GR: SK138 732) (SK17 8SN) Start 1.30pm, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D


## Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> April Wormhill and Blackwell Circular

4.5 mile walk looking at the geology, landscape and local history of the Upper Wye Valley, with some steep ascents and descents. Meet Wye Dale car park on the A6 between Taddington and Buxton (GR: SK104 725) Start 11.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  P&D 


## Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> April Navigation For Beginners (Grade B)

4 miles. Small group map reading and moorland navigation training with our expert, friendly Rangers. Some rough walking and steep climbs. Bring a Dark Peak Map and compass if you have them. Meet Fairholmes Ranger Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D 

## Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April An Easter Mermaid


6 mile walk to Mermaid's Pool, where legend promises a magical appearance every Easter! Moderate terrain with some steep climbs. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemists, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  P&D

## Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April Millstones and Damstones



8 miles. Leisurely walk around Padley, Bolehill and Longshaw, looking at the industrial history and other interesting features along the way. Mainly footpaths, with two short climbs. Meet Grindleford Station café, at the bottom of the train station approach road (GR: SK251 788) (PC: S32 2JA) Start 10.45am, finish 4pm. Booking not required. 


### **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April** **Langsett Reservoir**

4 mile moorland walk around Langsett Reservoir. Some steep slopes and stiles. Meet Langsett Barn car park, off the A616 in Langsett village (GR: SE211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 2pm, finish 4pm. Booking not required. 



### **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April** **Patrol with a Ranger**

9 miles. Spend the day on patrol with a National Park Volunteer Ranger to gain an insight into the variety of roles that we undertake. Some steep climbs and rough walking. Meet Derbyshire Bridge Ranger Centre, sign-posted 'Derbyshire Bridge only' off the A537 Buxton to Macclesfield road (GR: SK018 715) (PC: SK11 0AR) Start 9.45 am, finish around 6pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**. Suitable for people aged 18 and above.  


### **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> April** **Dale Dyke and Agden Reservoirs**

6 mile stroll around the reservoirs of Bradfield. Some steep slopes and stiles. Meet The Sands car park, near the cricket pitch, Low Bradfield (GR: SK263 921) (PC: S6 6LB) Start 11am, finish 4pm. Booking not required. 

### **Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> April** **Doves and Ducks**

8 miles around the Dove Stone area looking at birds and natural history (joint walk with the RSPB) On tracks, paths and rough moorland. Meet The Clarence Hotel, Chew Valley Road, Greenfield, Oldham (GR: SE001 040) (PC: OL3 7DD) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Bring binoculars. On-street parking available. Booking not required.  


### **Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> April** **South Western Approaches**

9 mile walk in the hills, through forest, high moorland and secluded valleys. Some strenuous sections. Meet Cat and Fiddle Inn, on the A537 Buxton to Macclesfield road (GR: SK001 718) (PC: SK11 0AR) Start 11.15am, finish 5pm. Park in lay by opposite the meeting point. Booking not required. 



### **Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> April** **Patrol with a Ranger**

11 mile walk onto the White Stones moorland, leading to Burbage and its fascinating history relating to WWII, quarrying Millstones and ancient trackways. Undulating terrain, boggy in places, wall and ladder stiles. Meet Hollin Bank car park on the minor road below Stanage Edge, north of Hathersage village (GR: SK236 839) (PC: S32 1DJ) Start 11am, finish 5pm. Booking not required. **P&D**



### **Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> April** **Geology Around Tideswell Dale**

6.5 mile light-hearted but informative look at the warm, tropical lagoons and active volcanoes that created the geology around Tideswell Dale. On footpaths, tracks and quiet roads, including two short ascents and one steep descent. Meet Tideswell Dale car park, one mile south of Tideswell on the B6049 (GR: SK154 742) (PC: SK17 8SS) Start 11am, finish 4:30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**.  **P&D**

### **Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April** **The Ashes Round**

3 mile walk providing a gentle introduction to local routes around Hayfield, mainly on level paths. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemist, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left. (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 11am, finish 1pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**. **P&D**  

### **Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April** **Win and Lose**

8 mile high level, linear walk, between Hope and Edale railway stations. Exceptional views of the Hope and Edale valleys. Meet Hope Railway Station (GR:SK181 833) (PC: S33 6RD) Start 10.45am, finish 4pm. Bring money for return rail fare. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**.  

### Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> April Derwent from the Edge

9 mile walk along Derwent Edge to discover the History and Biodiversity of the Upper Derwent. Stunning views, amazing rock formations and wildlife. Some steep sections and rough tracks. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm). P&D** 🐾

### Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April Longendale Low-level Traverse

7 mile walk on the moorland fringe with superb views of the valley, on good footpaths and trails. Meet Crowden car park, 3 miles east of Tintwistle on the A628 Woodhead Pass (GR: SK073 993) (PC: SK13 1HZ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required. 🚌

### Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April Family Walk in the Wye Valley

5 miles exploring the history and landscape of the White Peak along the River Wye, along good tracks, with a short ascent and descent. Millers Dale Old Station car park. Take minor road signposted to Wormhill off B6049 at Millers Dale, go under bridge and turn left (GR: SK138 732) (PC: SK17 8SN) Start 11am, finish 3.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** ♿ 🚌 🚚 P&D

### Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April Woods, Walls and Water

10 mile varied and beautiful route from Ladybower Dam to Win Hill looking at landscape changes and visiting local points of interest. Some steep climbs. Meet Heatherdene car park, on the A6013 between Bamford and the main A57 road, by Ladybower Reservoir (GR: SK202 859) (PC: S33 0AZ) Start at 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** 🚌 🚚 P&D

### Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> April A Moorland Trek

10 mile walk to Chew Reservoir over high moorland, with steep ascents and descents. Meet Crowden car park, 4 miles east of Tintwistle, on the A628 Woodhead Pass (GR: SK073 993) (PC: SK13 1HZ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required. 🚌

### Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> April A Roam with a View

8 mile walk in the hills, with fine views of the White Peak. Some rough tracks and steep climbs. Meet at the car park to the left of the Monsal Head Hotel on the B6465, 2kms north of Ashford in the Water (GR: SK185 715) (PC: DE45 1NL) Start 10.45am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** 🐾 🚌 P&D

### Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> May Bluebell Bonanza

4 mile walk in the magnificent Bluebell Woods near Grindleford on paths and tracks. Meet Grindleford Railway Station (GR: SK250 788) (PC: S32 2JA) Start 11am, finish 2.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** 🚌 🚚 ♿

### Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> May Dam Builders and Dam Busters


4 mile walk to discover the fascinating story of Tin Town on the beautiful shore of Derwent Reservoir and the role of the valley in the famous Dambusters raid. This walk includes an in-depth historical talk. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** ♿ 🐾 ♿ 🚌 P&D

### Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May Pinnacle Edges

8 mile walk passing pinnacles and wonderful panorama, along high edges. One steep climb, some rocky outcrops, a shallow flowing brook to cross, with easy river bank woodland walk return, Meet Grindleford Railway Station (GR: SK251 788) (PC: S32 2JA) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. Booking not required. 🚌 🚚 🐾


### **Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May**

#### **Body-snatchers, Dukes and the Sheffield Flood**

13 miles. Amazing views and interesting history on this long walk across the Bradfield Moors. Strenuous terrain. Meet The Sands car park, Low Bradfield, near the cricket pitch (GR: SK263 921) (PC: S6 6LB) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. Booking not required. 


### **Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May**

#### **Reservoir Circular**

6 mile walk around Kinder reservoir, with some short steep ascents. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemist, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 1.30pm, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  P&D




### **Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May**

#### **Lathkill Dale's Industrial Past**

9 mile walk to discover Lathkill Dale's exciting industrial past; with corn mills, lead mines and quarrying. Steep ascent and descent. Meet Moor Lane car park, on a minor road off the Bakewell to Newhaven road, 1.5 miles west of Youlgreave (GR: SK183 644) Start 11am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** 

### **Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May**

#### **Castleton by the Sea**

7 miles. A fascinating history of the geology, mining and caving above the Castleton and Peak Forest area. Some ascent/descent. Meet Castleton Visitor Centre (GR: SK149 829) (PC: S33 8WP) Start 10.45am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**    P&D


### **Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May**

#### **Longdendale Watershed**

24 mile challenging walk, visiting remote summits, with some hard climbs and rough walking. Meet Torside car park, 4 miles east of Glossop on the B6105 (GR: SK069 983) (PC: SK13 1JF) Start 8am, finish 7pm. Booking not required. P&D



### **Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May**

#### **Spring into the Dales**

7 mile walk through limestone dales, looking at flowers and far reaching views, with some steep ascents and descents. Meet Millers Dale Old Station car park. Take minor road signposted to Wormhill off B6049 at Millers Dale, go under bridge and turn left (GR: SK138 732) (PC: SK17 8SN) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  P&D

### **Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May**

#### **Castles but no Soldiers**

9 mile walk to Alport Castles, with possible Raven and Peregrine sightings, returning by the Alport Valley and the River Ashop. Meet at Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.15am, finish 4.30pm. Bring binoculars. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  P&D 



### **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> May**

#### **Overlooked by Neolithic Ancestors, 5000 Years of Change: An Archaeological Guided Walk to Minninglow Chambered Tomb and Roystone Grange**

4.5 mile walk with archaeologist John Barnatt, visiting the most impressive Neolithic tomb in the Peak, a Romano-British farm and Medieval grange. Also taking in an impressive embankment of the 1830s Cromford and High Peak railway, with adjacent limestone quarries and brick kilns. On footpaths with some moderate gradients. Meet Minninglow Car Park on the High Peak Trail. From the A5012 Via Gellia, take the minor road south towards Parwich at Pikehall. After nearly one mile turn left and left again into the car park (GR: SK194 581) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 200 (available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**

### **Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> May**

#### **Round Trip; Visit the Ancient Stone Circles of Big Moor**

8 miles. One steep climb initially up through woodland, then rough moorland and tracks. Meet Grindleford Station Café, Grindleford. On-street parking on the station approach road (GR: SK250 788) (PC: S32 2JA) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. Booking not required.  

## Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> May Highs and Lows

10 mile walk to see spectacular views along Stanage Edge, down to the River Derwent and on to North Lees. Some ascents, rough paths and tracks. Meet at Hollin Bank car park, on the minor road below Stanage Edge, north of Hathersage village (GR: SK236 839) (PC: S32 1BR) Start 11am, finish 5.30pm. Booking not required. **P&D** 🐾

## Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> May National Park on your Doorstep

5 mile Walk from Meltham into the Peak District National Park experiencing the moorland of West Nab and Raven Rocks. On paths, tracks and rough moorland. Meet Meltham Bus Turnaround, Parkin Lane, Meltham (GR: SE101 106) (PC: HD9 4EN) Start 1pm, finish 4pm. Booking not required. 🐾 🚌

## Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May Patrol with a Ranger

Up to 9 miles. Spend the day on patrol with a National Park Volunteer Ranger to gain an insight into the variety of roles that we undertake. Some steep climbs and rough walking. Meet Derbyshire Bridge Ranger Centre, sign-posted 'Derbyshire Bridge only' off the A537 Buxton to Macclesfield road (GR: SK018 715) (PC: SK11 0AR) Start 9.45 am, finish around 6pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** Suitable for people aged 18 and above. 🐾 🚌

## Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May From Edge to Edge

12 mile walk to discover the best view points and the distinctive grough systems on Kinder Scout. Steep ascents and rough terrain. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemist, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** 🚌 **P&D**

## Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May Peak Park in Cheshire

7 miles. Walk around Macclesfield Forest and moors looking at views, land uses past and present, attractions to visitors and the work of the Rangers. Some steep sections. Meet Trentabank Ranger Centre. From Langley village, follow the road to Leather's Smithy, take the right fork and continue on the road around Ridgetgate Reservoir, Trentabank car park is on the right (GR: SJ964 712) (PC: SK11 0NE) Start 11am, finish 4pm. Booking not required. 🚌 🐾 **P&D**

## Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May Introduction to Kinder Scout

11 mile walk onto Kinder Scout to introduce the walker to this dramatic part of the Peak District. Strenuous walk, with steep ascents. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemists, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** **P&D** 🚌

## Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May The Railway Tunnels Walk

8 mile linear walk (with return transport) along a former railway and passing through open tunnels, to look at its history and wildlife. On tracks and trails with a climb at the end. Meet Bakewell Old Station car park, off A619, Bakewell (GR: 223 690) (PC: DE45 1GE) Start 10.45am, finish 5.30pm. Bring £3 return bus fare. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** 🚌 **P&D** 🐾

## Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May The History of Wildboarclough and Crag Hall Fete



4 mile walk to discover the history of Wildboarclough and then enjoy the fete and fell race at Crag Hall, the local home of Lord Derby, where refreshments will be available (more information: [www.wildboarclough.co.uk](http://www.wildboarclough.co.uk)) Meet Clough House car park, 1 mile north of the Crag Inn (GR: SJ987 699) (PC: SK11 0BD) Start 10.30am, finish 4.00pm. Bring money for admission to the fete. Booking not required. 🚶🚶

## Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May Aircraft Wrecks of Bleaklow Part 1

11 mile walk visiting four aircraft wrecks on Bleaklow, there are some hard climbs and rough walking. Meet Torside car park, 6km east of Glossop on the B6105 (GR: SK069 983) (PC: SK13 1JF) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required. 🚌 **P&D**


## Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May

### Women on Wheels: Cycles, Cotton & Cheese!

12 mile leisurely cycle ride through White Peak landscape; aiming to build the confidence and fitness of female riders. Enjoy a rest stop in a characteristic Peak District village. Suitable for occasional or regular cyclists (not beginners), who are comfortable riding on quiet roads. Undulating, with a few short, steep climbs. Meet Parsley Hay Cycle Hire (GR: SK146 637) (PC: SK17 0DG) Start 11am, finish 2.30pm. Bring a bicycle (or hire one in advance via the booking number, giving rider's height), cycle helmet if you have one, packed lunch, drink, suitable clothing and footwear. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D



## Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May

### Bradfield Dale and Ughill

11 mile walk up the dale, across the moors and by the reservoirs. Meet the Sands car park, Low Bradfield, near the cricket pitch (GR: SK263 921) (PC: S6 6LB) Start 11am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required. 




## Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> June

### Navigation for Beginners (Grade B) Part 1

9 mile strenuous walk to learn basic navigation, on rough open moorland, with steep ascents. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemist, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: 048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. Bring Dark Peak map and a compass. Part 2 on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** P&D  




## Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> June

### Four Dales Walk from Monyash

4.75 miles exploring land opened up under the 'Right to roam' in Lathkill Dale, Ricklow Dale, Cales Dale and Fern Dale. On limestone, short steep ascents and rocky conditions underfoot in places, with some stiles and steps. Meet Monyash Village centre (GR: SK149 665) (PC: DE45 1JH) Start 10am, finish 3pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   


## Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

### Map Reading and Hillcraft for Beginners (Grade A-B) Part 1

3 miles. Introduction to maps and hillcraft for beginners. Morning indoors, with an afternoon walk in the Goyt area; over rough tracks and moorland paths, some stiles. Meet at Derbyshire Bridge Ranger Centre, sign-posted 'Derbyshire Bridge only' off the A537 Buxton to Macclesfield road (GR: SK018 715) (PC: SK11 0AR) Start 10.45am, finish 4pm. Bring a compass and OS Outdoor Leisure White Peak map 1:25,000. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** Suitable for people aged 16 and above. Part 2 is on 17/06/12.   




## Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

### Up and Over!

15 mile strenuous walk over Cut Gate into the Derwent Valley via Penistone Stile, with views of Bleaklow and Kinder Scout. Meet Langsett car park (GR: SE211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 10.30am, finish 6.30pm. Booking not required. 






## Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June

### e-Treasure Hunt

4 mile fun and informative introduction for all, on using a GPS to go treasure hunting. Meet at the Moorland Visitor Centre, Edale (GR: SK24 856) (PC: S30 7ZA) Start 10.45am, finish 4.30pm. No parking on site, please use pay and display car park at entrance to village. Bring a GPS if you have one. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D 






## Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> June

### Introduction to Longdendale

5 mile walk around Longdendale Valley, looking at its history and wildlife, walking on good footpaths and surfaced trails. Meet Hadfield Railway Station (GR: SK024 960) (PC: SK13 1AA) Start 11am, finish 3pm. Booking not required.     



## Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> June

### Family Fun Activity Walk in Coombs Dale

2 mile walk for children and their families, with activities; to explore nature in Coombs Dale. On a surfaced trail. Meet Stoney Middleton sports field; from Calver Sough follow A623 towards Stoney Middleton for 300m and turn left into sports field car park (GR: SK235 750) Start 11am, finish 2pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** Children must be accompanied by an adult.     


## Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June

### Exploring Bleaklow via Dog Rock

10 mile walk over exposed high moorland, with some steep climbs and rough terrain. Meet Shepley Street bus turning circle, Old Glossop. Turn north off the A57 onto Manor Park road, continue this round to the right onto Shepley Street (GR: SK046 948) (PC: SK13 7PY) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.  




## Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June

### Longstone Loop

8 miles around Longstone Moor, Great Longstone and Little Longstone. Some steep ascents and descents. Meet village green, Great Longstone, near Crispin Inn (GR: SK199 718) (PC: DE45 1TZ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** 


## Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June

### Burbage Rocks, OK!

6 mile walk looking at the fascinating geology and industrial archaeology of the Upper Burbage Valley and Hathersage Moorlands. Rough terrain, moorland, rocks and old quarries, with three stiles en route. Meet Fox House Inn car park, on the A617, Hathersage road (GR: SK267 803) (PC: S11 7TY) Start at 10.30am, finish 4pm. Suitable for people aged 14 and above. Booking not required.   




## Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> June

### Water and Woodland

10 mile walk to explore the enchanting woodlands of Wyming Brook and the surrounding Hallam moorlands, with two main ascents. Meet Hollin Bank car park, on the minor road below Stanage Edge, north of Hathersage village (GR: SK236 839) (PC: S32 1DJ) Start 11am, finish 5pm. Booking not required. **P&D** 


## Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> June

### Introduction to Mountain Biking

11 mile off road route, on easy terrain with an introduction to bike handling, maintenance and navigation. Meet Derwent Cycle Hire at Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.30am, finish 2.30 pm. Bring bike and helmet or hire from Cycle Hire. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** Children under 14 to be accompanied by adult.   **P&D** 



## Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June

### Moor Wrecks

8 mile walk to look at some of the aircraft wrecks on the high moors around Kinder Scout. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemist; follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** **P&D** 




## Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June

### Cloughs, Butts and Groughs

11 mile walk across the Derwent Watershed on open moorland. Meet Langsett car park, on the A616 at Langsett village (GR: SE211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 11am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.  


## Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June

### Sunday Saunter

5 mile pleasant stroll taking in the wonderful woodlands and spectacular views around Grindleford and Hathersage. Meet Grindleford Railway Station (GR: SK251 787) (PC: S32 2JA) Start at 11am, finish 3pm. Booking not required.   


## Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

### Exploration of New Access Land



10 miles plus. Explore the moors above Bamford and around Stanage Edge. Strenuous walk over rough moorland with steep climbs. Meet Hook's Carr car park, on the minor road below Stanage Edge, north of Hathersage Village (GR: SK244 828) (PC: S10 4QZ) Start 10am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required. 

## Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June



### The Moors

8 mile walk into the Pennines, across the moors past old farmhouses and along a railway trail. Meet Langsett car park, on the A616 at Langsett village (GR: SE211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. Booking not required. 




**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**  
**Meadows and Wildflowers of Warslow**

4 mile walk to explore the flower rich meadows and heather moorland that surround the Staffordshire Moorlands village of Warslow on paths that can be wet and boggy. Meet Warslow Village Hall (GR: SK086 585) (PC: SK17 0JQ) Start 11am, finish 2.30pm. Bring binoculars if you have them. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  




**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**  
**Secrets of Hope**

7 Miles. An exploration of the historic village of Hope and the surrounding countryside during Wakes Week and Well Dressing. On paths and tracks with some stiles. Meet Hope Railway Station (GR: SK181 833) (PC: S33 6RD) Start 10.45am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  



**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**  
**Introduction to Mountain Biking**

11 mile off road route, on easy terrain with an introduction to bike handling, maintenance and navigation. Meet Derwent Cycle Hire at Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.30am, finish 2.30 pm. Bring bike and helmet or hire from Cycle Hire. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** Children under 14 to be accompanied by an adult.   **P&D** 


**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> June**  
**Chew Valley Wrecks**

7 miles looking at aircraft wreck sites around Chew Valley. Strenuous walk over rough moorland. Meet The Clarence Hotel, Chew Valley Road, Greenfield (GR: SE001 039) (PC: OL3 7DD) On-road parking at the meeting point. Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.   


**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> June**  
**Snake Summit Ramble**

9 mile walk over Mill Hill and Snake, with some steep climbs and rough terrain. Meet Glossop Railway Station (GR: SK035 941) (PC: SK13 8BS) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.  



**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> June**  
**The Richness is in the Detail: An Archaeological Walk through Upper Lathkill Dale, Old Ash Grange and Monyash**

5 mile walk with archaeologist John Barnatt, taking in medieval fields, dew ponds, limekilns, stone quarries, a ruined mill, ochre mines, lead mines, hidden caves, sheep washes, pig sties, and a market cross. On footpaths, some uneven ground. Meet at the roadside parking outside of Monyash village at the top of Lathkill Dale. On the B5055, between Bakewell and the A515, east of Monyash village in a dip in the road, with small toilet block opposite (GR: SK156 664) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking number (available Mon-Fri 9am-5pm) 01629 816 200.** 


**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June**  
**White Peak Landscape, Life and Industry**

5½ mile circuit through White Peak dales, limestone plateau, river bank and woodland, looking at landscape, history and the lives and work of communities past and present, including the village of Sheldon. Some steep ascents and descents, with rough ground in places, may be slippery when wet. Meet White Lodge car park, on the A6 Bakewell to Buxton road. (GR: SK170 706) (PC: SK17 9UH) Start 11am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** **P&D** 


**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June**  
**Rivers and Dragons of the Mid-West**

8 miles. Starting near the source of two well known rivers and following old packhorse routes; with views of the limestone ridge known locally as the Dragon's Back, to discover the history of this area. Hilly with some strenuous ascents. Meet at the parking area near The Knights Table public house at Flash Bar (GR: SK032 679) (PC: SK17 0SN) Start 10.15am, finish 3pm. Booking not required.  

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July**  
**A Route around the Roych**

10 mile walk to discover the hidden beauty of this little known area of Kinder Scout. Some steep ascents and strenuous sections. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemists, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  **P&D**



## **Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July** **The Summer Wine**

10 mile walk through 'Last of the Summer Wine' country, between Langsett and Holmfirth, using the service bus part of the way. Moorland terrain. Meet Langsett car park, on the A616 at Langsett village (GR: SE211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. Bring bus fare. Booking not required. 


## **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July** **Big Pit or Small? An Archaeological Guided Walk on Goyts Moss and Axe Edge**

6 mile walk with archaeologist John Barnatt, looking at extensive coal mining remains; with many shaft mounds and causeways, tramways, railways, coke ovens, fire houses and the sites of horse-whims and steam engines. On footpaths and moorland with boggy areas, undulating but some off-path walking, strenuous terrain in parts. Meet Derbyshire Bridge car park in the Upper Goyt Valley. From the A537 Buxton to Macclesfield road, take the minor road signposted Derbyshire Bridge only (GR: SK180 715) (PC: SK11 0AR) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 200(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**


## **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July** **Orchard, Hay Meadows and an Ancient Monument**

3 mile stroll around Bradwell to look at local hay meadows, a community orchard and the 'Grey Ditch' ancient monument. Through meadows, with no steep ascents or descents. Meet The Shoulder of Mutton Public House in Bradwell (GR: SK174 809) (PC: S33 9HJ) Start 11am, finish 1pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  


## **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July** **Walk the Upper Dove's 'Mountains'**

13.5 mile walk up the High Peak Trail and to the Upper Dove's two spectacular 'mountains'. On railway trail, tracks, fields and two very steep hills with ridges. Meet Parsley Hay Cycle Hire, just off A515, 10 miles south of Buxton (GR: SK145 638) (PC: SK17 ODG) Start 10am, finish 5.30pm. Booking not required. 

## **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> July** **Crowden Horseshoe**

11 mile walk visiting Black Hill, Laddow rocks and Lads leap, over high moorland, on rough terrain. Meet Crowden car park, 3 miles east of Tintwistle on the A628 Woodhead Pass (GR: SK073 993) (PC: SK13 1HZ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required. 


## **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> July** **Dymynsdale – Legends of a Lost Time**

6.5 mile walk through village, dale and woodland, hearing about ancient legends, old customs and some new discoveries. Some steep and uneven paths, occasional stiles. Meet at the church at Ashford in the Water (GR: SK195 697) (PC: DE45 1QG) Start 10am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** 

## **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> July** **An Aircraft Wreck, a Mill and a Coal Mine**



6.5 miles. A walk spanning 300 years visiting a little known Flying Fortress wreck from 1945 on Birchenclough hill, a 18<sup>th</sup> century textile mill at Gradbach, a 19<sup>th</sup> century coal mine and returning to Wildboarclough via ancient pack horse trails. One steep uphill section, open moorland and tracks. Meet Clough House car park, 1 mile north of the Crag Inn at Wildboarclough (GR: SJ987 699) (PC: SK11 0BD) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**

## **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> July** **An Edge in Two Halves: An Archaeological Walk on Gardom's Edge**

4 mile walk with archaeologist John Barnatt, focusing on prehistoric remains, including features excavated by him in the 1990s. Highlights include a massive 'enclosure', house sites, a pit alignment, rock art and the Three Men barrow; to contrast with later millstone quarrying and medieval farming. On footpaths and moorland, on easy gradients but with some rough ground. Meet Birchen Edge car park, next to the Robin Hood public house: from the A619 Chesterfield to Baslow road, take the B6050 towards Old Brampton, the car park is on your left (GR: SK281 721) (PC: DE45 1PQ) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 200(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** P&D 



## Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> July

### Aircraft Wrecks of the Howden Moors

10 mile challenging walk over the moors in search of some of the wrecks to be found in the area. Strenuous terrain. Bring bus fare. Meet at Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 9.45am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  **P&D** 


## Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> July

### Snailsden and Ramsden

9 mile walk round the high moorland above the Holme Valley. Several stiles. Meet opposite The Bay Horse, Hade Edge, Holmfirth (GR: SE146 058) (PC: HD9 2JG) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. On-street parking at meeting point. Booking not required.  


## Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> July

### Kinder High

8 mile walk over open moorland to the highest points on Kinder Scout. Strenuous walk, with steep ascents. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemist, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** **P&D** 



## Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> July

### Meadows and Moors, Woods and Water

7 mile walk through the mosaic of habitats that make the Upper Derwent so beautiful and fascinating. Stunning views of Ladybower and Win Hill. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR:SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AX) Start 10.15am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  **P&D**

## Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> July

### Thread Wilfrey's Needle

8 mile strenuous walk to Howden Edge over cut gate to climb through Wilfrey's Needle. Meet Langsett car park, on the A616 in Langsett village (GR: SE211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. Booking not required.  

## Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July

### From Hidden Valley to Windswept Wilderness; An Archaeological Walk around North Lees and Stanage Edge

5 mile walk with archaeologist John Barnatt, taking in North Lees Hall, a Roman period settlement, a ruined paper mill, a white coal kiln, prehistoric fields, lost packhorse routes and the strangest boulder in the Peak. On footpaths and rough ground, with two steep gradients. Meet Hollin Bank car park, on the minor road below Stanage Edge, north of Hathersage (GR: SK237 838) (PC: S32 1DJ) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 200 (available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** **P&D**

## Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July

### Lead Mines of Taddington

3 mile walk looking at some examples of the rich lead mining heritage of Taddington, and telling the stories of some of those who worked the mines. Footpaths, lanes, quiet roads and open farmland, includes two crossings of a major road and one short, steep descent. Meet the Bramwell Memorial Institute, Taddington (GR: SK146 710) (PC: SK17 9UD) Start 1pm, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  


## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

### Eyam and Beyond



5 miles around the historic villages of Eyam and Stoney Middleton, on footpaths and tracks with some steep ascents and descents. Meet Hawkhill Road car park, Eyam, opposite the Museum (GR: SK216 767) (PC: S32 5QP) Start 11am, finish 3pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   **P&D**

## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July



### Come and be Lead Astray

6 miles. Enjoy stunning views above Castleton and enter the secret world of our lead mining heritage in Peak Forest. On paths and tracks, not flat but no steep ascents or descents, some stiles. Meet Mam Nick car park (GR:SK124 833) Start 10.45 am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  **P&D**

## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July Bleaklow Summit

9 mile walk across high moorland with some steep slopes and rough terrain. Meet Shepley Street Bus turning circle, Old Glossop. Turn north off the A57 onto Manor Park road, continue this round to the right onto Shepley Street (GR: SK046 948) (PC: SK13 7PY) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.  




## Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> July Lost Villages

7 mile walk in the woods and on the moors below Derwent Edge to discover the story of Ashopton and Derwent and the building of the dams. Meet Heatherdene car park on the A6013 between Bamford and the main A57 road, by Ladybower Reservoir (GR: SK202 859) (PC: S33 0AZ) Start 10am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D



## Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> July Sinking Deep and the Problems of Water: An Archaeological Walk from Deep Dale to Magpie Mine

6 mile walk with archaeologist John Barnatt, to visit abandoned 2000 year old settlements and fields, mine drainage soughs and the spectacular 19<sup>th</sup> century remains at Magpie Mine. On footpaths, with two steep gradients. Meet White Lodge car park on the A6 between Bakewell and Buxton, 2 miles west of Ashford in the Water (GR: SK171 705) (PC: SK17 9UH) **Booking essential; call 01629 816 200 (available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** P&D 



## Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> July Canal Boats and Tractors

7 mile walk round Saddleworth looking at landscape and history. On paths and tracks with several stiles. Meet Greenfield Station, Shaw Hall Bank Rd, Greenfield, Oldham (GR: SD991 046) (PC: OL3 7JZ) On-road parking near meeting point. Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.   



## Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> July The Aliens Have Landed!

4 miles. What are Alien Invasive Species? Come along to Pindale to find out! On the walk we shall be removing some of the pesky plants (gloves provided) and visiting an area blooming with our own native wildflowers. On paths, tracks, grass, one moderate ascent taken slowly and country lanes. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D


## Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> July Peak District Exposed

8 mile moorland walk to introducing the Peak District; its wildlife, views and the history of the Buxton coalfields. Meet Cat and Fiddle Inn on the A537, Buxton to Macclesfield road (GR: SK001 718) (PC: SK11 0AR) Start 10.15am, finish 3pm. Park in lay-by opposite meeting point. Booking not required.  



## Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> July South Head Circular

5 mile walk around the foothills of Kinder Scout to see some fantastic views. On moderate terrain with some slopes. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemist, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: 048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 1pm, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D

## Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> July Working Forests of the Upper Derwent




7 mile walk through the beautiful woodlands looking at how they have been managed over the years and learning about the trees. Good paths, some steep climbs. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  P&D

## Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> July A Stroll Through Hurdlow Flower Meadows

1.25 miles. There are wildflowers as far as the eye can see at Hurdlow meadows; the largest unimproved meadow site on the Peak limestone plateau. Learn about flowers, conservation and folklore with ranger Steven Bell. One stile and some steps. Meet Hurdlow car park, quarter of a mile from the A515 at Sparklow on the High Peak Trail (GR: SK127 659) (PC: SK17 9QT) Start 1.30pm, finish 4pm. Booking not required.  P&D 


### Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> August

#### Family Fun Activity Walk on the Monsal Trail

2 mile walk for children and their families, with activities, to explore nature along the Monsal Trail. On surfaced track. Millers Dale Old Station car park. Take minor road signposted to Wormhill off B6049 at Millers Dale, go under bridge and turn left (GR: SK138 732) (PC: SK17 8SN) Start 11am, finish 2pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** Children must be accompanied by an adult.    **P&D**



### Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> August

#### Heather and Grouse

9 mile walk to look at the traditional moorland management of Kinder Scout. Strenuous, with steep ascents. Meet at Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemists, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** **P&D** 


### Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> August

#### Rocking Horses

11 mile strenuous moorland walk overlooking the Derwent Valley. Steep ascents and descents over rough moorland. Meet Langsett car park, on the A616 at Langsett village (GR: SK211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 10.30am, finish 5.30pm. Booking not required.  



### Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> August

#### Tissington, Parwich, Ballidon and Bradbourne

6 mile walk through charming Tissington village to discover the influence of the FitzHerbert family, the deserted village of Ballidon; and uncover the role of Bradbourne in the history of both villages. Some stiles, ascents and descents. Meet Tissington car park, in Tissington village (GR: SK178 521) (PC: DE6 1RA) Start 11am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.  **P&D**


### Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August

#### White and Dark Peak Wildlife Walk

5 miles looking at wildlife habitats on limestone, gritstone and shale. Undulating terrain, can be very wet underfoot in places. Meet Hulme End car park, near Hartington (GR: SK102 593) (PC: SK17 OEX) Start at 10am, finish at 4.30pm. Booking not required.   **P&D**

### Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August

#### Waymarkers of the Eastern Moors

10 mile challenging walk on Big Moor to identify guide stumps and learn about old transport methods, on steep upland terrain and exposed moorland. Meet Nether End car park at Baslow (GR: SK258 721) (PC: DE45 1SR) Start 11am, finish 5pm. Booking not required.  **P&D**



### Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August

#### Up Hill and Down Dale

7 mile walk discovering Coombs Dale and its scenery. On tracks, paths and some rough terrain, with some stiles and steep slopes. Meet Calver Crossroads, Calver village, on the A623 (GR: SK239 748) (PC: S32 3XH) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** 



### Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August

#### Cycles, Cotton & Cheese!





12 mile leisurely cycle ride through White Peak landscape, with stunning views. Enjoy a rest stop in a characteristic Peak District village. Suitable for occasional or regular cyclists (not beginners), who are comfortable riding on quiet roads. Undulating, with a few short, steep climbs. Meet Parsley Hay Cycle Hire (GR: SK146 637) (PC: SK17 0DG) Start 11am, finish 2.30pm. Bring a bicycle (or hire one in advance via the booking number, giving rider's height), cycle helmet if you have one, packed lunch, drink, suitable clothing and footwear. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   **P&D**

### Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> August


#### Earth Explorers Wanted! A Fun Filled Activity Walk for Families

3 mile walk on easy terrain to discover a beautiful dale, with lots of activities aimed at children aged 5-11 for the family to share. Meet by the playground in the centre of Middleton by Youlgreave (GR: SK195 632) (PC: DE45 1LS) Start 10.30am, finish 3.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  



### **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> August** **Family Fun Activity Walk in Tideswell Dale**

2 mile walk for children and their families, with activities, to explore nature along Tideswell Dale, on a surfaced trail. Meet Tideswell Dale car park, approx 1 mile south of Tideswell on B6049 (GR: SK154 742) (SK17 8SS) Start 11am, finish 2pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**. Children must be accompanied by an adult.     **P&D**


### **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August** **Cracken Up**

10 mile strenuous walk visiting the opposing quarries of South Head and Chinley Churn. Two steep ascents, rough terrain. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemists; follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LH) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**. **P&D** 

### **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August** **Moorland Glory!**

6 mile stroll looking at the glorious heather moorland on White Edge Moor, Toley Moss and Burbage Moor. Some rough ground. Meet Grindleford Railway Station (GR: SK251 787) (PC: S32 2JA) Starts 11am, finish 4.15pm. Booking not required.  


### **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August** **Holme Valley Circuit**

10 miles from the centre of Holmfirth to the Peak District National Park. On paths and tracks with several stiles. Meet Holmfirth Bus Station (GR: SE142 082) (PC: HD9 1HA) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required. **P&D** 


### **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August** **Patrol with a Ranger**

Up to 9 miles. Spend the day on patrol with a National Park Volunteer Ranger to gain an insight into the variety of roles that we undertake. Some steep climbs and rough walking. Meet Derbyshire Bridge Ranger centre, sign-posted 'Derbyshire Bridge only' off the A537 Buxton to Macclesfield road (GR: SK018 715) (PC: SK11 0AR) Start 9.45 am, finish around 6pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**. Suitable for people aged 18 and above.  


### **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August** **Peep into the Derwent**

10 mile walk over moorland onto Derwent Edge and Bradfield Dale, with stunning views across purple heather clad hills. Meet at Cutthroat bridge lay by on the A57, Snake Pass road (GR: SK217 875) Start 11am, finish 5pm. Booking not required. 



### **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> August** **Introduction to the Roaches**

3 mile leisurely walk, to explore wildlife, history and spectacular scenery of the Roaches. Some steep slopes and rocky terrain. Meet at Roaches Gate near bus stop (GR: SK004 621) (PC: ST13 8UA) Start 10.30am, finish 2.30pm. Park in lay-bys along road. Booking not required. 


### **Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> August** **To New Zealand and Back**

7 miles. Explore the little known valley above Tittesworth Reservoir. Climb via New Zealand to the top of Gun Hill and learn about the myths and legends of this area. Return via the picturesque Turners pool. Meet Tittesworth Water, 1<sup>st</sup> car park on the right (GR: SJ993 604) (PC: ST13 8SH) Start 10am, finish 4pm. Booking not required.  **P&D**

### **Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> August** **Aircraft Wreck sites of Bleaklow Part 2**




9 mile walk over high moorland with some steep climbs and rough terrain. Meet Shepley Street Bus turning circle, Old Glossop. Turn north off the A57 onto Manor Park road, continue this round to the right onto Shepley Street (GR: SK046 948) (PC: SK13 7PY) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.  

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## Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> August

### Win Hill or Bust!

9 mile challenging and rewarding walk from Ladybower to the 'Matterhorn' of the Peak, with stunning views and magnificent forests. Meet Heatherdene car park on the A6013 between Bamford and the main A57 road, by Ladybower Reservoir (GR: SK202 859) (PC: S33 0AZ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**    P&D



## Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> August

### Heather, Holloways and Old Stones

5.5 mile walk onto the moor to look at old boundaries and track ways with splendid views. Steep ascents and some rough walking over trackless moor. Meet Bamford Railway Station, Upper Derwent Valley (GR: SK208 825) (PC: S32 1EG) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   


## Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August

### Beavers, Bears and Wolves? Discovering the Dales

5 mile family walk with activities in Biggin Dale, Wolfscote Dale and Beresford Dale; including map reading, investigating a lead mine, looking at wildlife and trees. Activities for children aged 8+. One small ascent and uneven stony paths in places. Meet the duck pond at Hartington village centre (GR: SK128 604) (PC: SK17 0AL). Bring a torch! Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. Park in Hartington car park: from the village centre follow the road towards Warlsway and Hulme End, the car park is on your right. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D

## Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> August

### Wildflower Walk

2 mile, leisurely afternoon walk looking at wildflowers, on easy terrain. Park and meet at Hartington Station car park, 1 mile from the A515, along the B5054 Hartington road (GR: SK149 610) (PC: SK17 0AZ) Start 1.30pm, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  P&D




## Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August

### Glorious Heather with a 'Surprise'!

10 mile strenuous walk up onto the edges leading to Stanage Edge, with brilliant heather and an interesting cave! Steep climbs, rocky edges and rough moorland. Meet Grindleford Station Café, parking on-street on station approach road (GR: SK251 788) (PC: S32 2JA) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. Booking not required.  


## Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August

### Navigation for Beginners (Grade B)

4 miles. Small group map reading and moorland navigation training with our expert, friendly Rangers. Some rough walking and steep climbs. Bring a Dark Peak Map and compass if you have them. Meet Fairholmes Ranger Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then signs to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**    P&D


## Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> August

### Magical World of Heather

6 miles exploring the mysterious world of insects, plants and wildlife in the special, protected heather moors and peat bogs of Kinder Scout. Some steep slopes and rough ground, but at a steady pace. Meet The Moorland Centre, Edale (GR: SK124 856) (PC: S30 7ZA) Start 10.45am, finish 4pm. Park at the public car park at the entrance to the village. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  P&D



## Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> August

### The Summer Wine

10 mile walk through 'Last of the Summer Wine' country, between Langsett and Holmfirth, using the service bus part of the way. Moorland terrain. Meet Langsett car park, on the A616 at Langsett village (GR: SE211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. Bring bus fare. Booking not required. 


## Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> August

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3 mile walk on easy terrain to discover a beautiful dale, with lots of activities aimed at children aged 5-11 for the family to share. Meet by the playground in the centre of Middleton by Youlgreave (GR: SK195 632) (PC: DE45 1LS) Start 10.30am, finish 3.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  

## **Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> September**

### **Twin Peaks**

9 miles. Visit the Roaches and Ramshaw Rocks in this wonderful corner of the Staffordshire Moorlands, to hear some of the legends and stories linked with this area. Meet Tittesworth Water, 1st car park on the right (GR: SJ993 604) (PC: ST13 8SH) Start 10am, finish 4.45pm. Booking not required.  **P&D**





## **Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> Sept**

### **Short Stroll from Miller's Dale Old Station**

3 mile walk along an old railway, a river, through a wildlife reserve to Wormhill village looking at wildlife, local history and a well dressing; with one gentle climb. Meet Millers Dale Old Station car park. Take minor road signposted to Wormhill off B6049 at Millers Dale, go under bridge and turn left (GR: SK138 732) (PC: SK17 8SN) Start 11am, finish 1pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   **P&D**


## **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September**

### **Beginners Birdwatch**

1mile walk to learn the basics of birdwatching from helpful experts, on surfaced paths. Meet and Park at Tittesworth Reservoir, first car park on the right (GR: SJ993 604) (PC: ST13 8SN) Start 10am, finish 12 noon. Bring binoculars. Booking not required.     **P&D**



## **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September**

### **Forgotten Tales in Hidden Dales**

7 miles. Step back in time to trace an old story and explore hidden ways. Some rough and steep paths, several stiles. Meet Hawkhill Road car park, Eyam, opposite the museum (GR: SK216 767) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  **P&D**




## **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September**

### **Thurlstone Moor**

11 miles. A walk around Thurlstone Moor from Langsett on moorland tracks, paths, open country and railway trail. Meet Langsett car park, on the A616 at Langsett village (GR: SE 211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required.  


## **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> September**

### **Explore the Archaeology, History and Ecology around Grindleford**

5 miles visit ancient sites and landscapes around Grindleford and delve into the fascinating history, ecology, flora and fauna. Mainly along paths and tracks, with some steep ascents and rough ground. Meet Grindleford Railway Station (GR: SK251 788) (PC: S32 2JA) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. On-street parking on the station approach road. Booking not required.   





## **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> September**

### **Get Stoned on Stanage!**

11 mile walk across the Stanage Edge and Bamford Moor area, exploring its inter-related history through stone; including millstones, guide stoops, carvings, circles and a pub. On rough terrain, with some strenuous ascents. Meet Hollin Bank car park, on the minor road below Stanage edge, north of Hathersage (GR: SK237 839) (PC: S32 1BR) Start 11am, finish 5pm. Booking not required. 


## **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> September**

### **Dam Builders and Dam Busters**


4 mile walk to discover the fascinating story of Tin Town on the beautiful shore of Derwent Reservoir and the role of the valley in the famous Dambuster raid. This walk includes an in-depth historical talk. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then signs to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**     **P&D**

## **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> September**


### **Over the Tops; Chinley to Edale**

8 mile high-level, linear walk between Chinley and Edale railway stations, taking in Mount Famine, South Head and Brown Knoll. Two steep ascents/descents. Meet Chinley Railway Station (GR: SK038 827) (PC: S12 6AA) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Parking available at the meeting point. Bring money for return rail fare. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** 


### **Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> September** **Lakes of the Little Don**

10 miles. A walk around Langsett, Midhope and Underbank reservoirs, over valley, woodland, moorland and railway trail. Meet Langsett car park, on the A616 at Langsett village (GR: SK211 005) (PC: S36 4GY) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. Booking not required. 


### **Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> September** **Walk with a Ranger**

6 miles. Go on patrol to explore the landscape of the White Peak along the River Wye, assist with practical tasks and do some basic navigation. Meet Millers Dale Old Station car park. Take minor road signposted to Wormhill off B6049 at Millers Dale, go under bridge and turn left (GR: SK138 732) (PC: SK17 8SN) Start 11am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  P&D



### **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> September** **An Autumn Amble**

7 miles looking at Ancient Settlement around the Dales with some splendid views along the way. Rocky paths, limestone dales, tracks, footpaths and a steep descent. Meet White Lodge car park on the A6 Bakewell to Buxton road (GR: SK150 706) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** P&D 


### **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> September** **Pennine Way Old and New**

10 mile scenic walk over the highest point in old Cheshire, over high moorland on rough terrain. Meet Crowden car park, 3 miles east of Tintwistle on the A628 (GR: SK073 993) (PC: SK13 1HZ) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30 pm. Booking not required. 

### **Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> September** **Navigation for Improvers (Grade D)**

7 Miles. An opportunity to practice map and compass skills, to take your navigation to a higher level! Moorland terrain. Meet at the Moorland Visitor Centre, Edale (GR: SK124 856) (PC: S30 7ZA) Start 10.45am, finish 4.30pm. Bring map and compass. No parking on site, please use the car park at the entrance to the village. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D


### **Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> September** **Longnor and Beyond**

8 miles to discover interesting aspects of Longnor and its environs. Undulating terrain with some stiles. Meet Longnor market place (GR: SK088 649) (PC: SK17 ONT) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required. 

### **Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> September** **On Patrol**

8 mile walk with National Park Ranger Marilyn, along a regular patrol route, exploring the wonderful eastern side of the Park. Meet Grindleford Railway Station café (GR: SK257 788) (PC: S32 2JA) 10.45am, finish 4pm. Park on station approach road. Booking not required.   



### **Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> September** **Grough Stuff**

12 mile walk to look at the natural drainage system known as groughs on Kinder Scout. Strenuous walk with steep ascents. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemist, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**  P&D

### **Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> September** **Myths and Legends of the Roaches**



6 mile walk to hear myths and legends about the Roaches and the surrounding area of the Staffordshire Moorlands. Some steep slopes and rocky terrain. Meet at Roaches Gate. Turn off the A53 Leek to Buxton road through Upper Hulme and past the Roaches Tea Rooms, Roaches Gate is ½ mile on the right (GR: SK004 621) (PC: ST13 8UA) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Park in lay-bys along the road. Booking not required.

### **Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> September** **Industrial Archaeology around Miller's Dale**

3.5 miles looking at old industrial workings and remains around Millers Dale. Some rough ground and steep ascents/descents. Meet at the Ranger's office, Millers Dale Old Station car park. Take minor road signposted to Wormhill off B6049 at Millers Dale, go under bridge and turn left (GR: SK137 732) (PC: SK17 8SN) Start 10.30am, finish 3.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D


## Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> September

### Alstonefield; Peas, Ponds and the Past

4 mile walk with fine views and historical features around the Alstonefield area. One steep climb (optional) and one steep descent. Meet Alstonefield car park. Follow the road sign in the village for toilets and public car park (GR: SK130 556) (PC: DE6 2FY) Start 11am, finish 3.30pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D


## Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September

### Fungi To Be With!

2 mile walk to learn about fungi, folklore and wildlife around Hen Cloud near the Roaches. Leisurely pace in woodland and moorland, with some steep slopes and rough ground. Meet and park in lay-by below Hen Cloud, near Upper Hulme (GR: SK006 615) (PC: ST13 8TY) Start 10.30am, finish 3pm. Bring container to collect fungi. Booking not required. 






## Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> Sept

### North Bleaklow Ramble

10 mile walk up the highest slopes on Bleaklow, with some steep climbs and rough walking. Meet Torside car park, 4 miles east of Glossop on the B6105 (GR: SK069 983) (PC: SK13 1JF) Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. Booking not required. P&D 



## Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October

### Fungus Foray

1 mile stroll with Kevin Gilfedder to identify the fascinating variety of fungi in the Upper Derwent Woodlands. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 11am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**      P&D


## Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October

### Let's Look for Letterboxes!

9 Miles. An exploration of the moors of Kinder above Edale to seek out letterboxes, and no, not to post letters! Strenuous, with steep ascent/descents, over open moorland. Meet Moorland Visitor Centre, Edale (GR: SK124 856) (PC: S30 7ZA) Start 10.45am, finish 4.30pm. No parking on site, please use the car park at the entrance to the village. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**   P&D




## Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October

### Kinder Skyline

10 mile walk over Mount Famine, South Head and onto Kinder Scout. Strenuous walk with steep ascents. Meet Bowden Bridge car park. From Church Street in Hayfield, turn onto Kinder Road at the chemist, follow the road for 1 mile, Bowden Bridge car park is on the left (GR: SK048 869) (PC: SK22 2LE) Start 10.30am, finish 5pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).** P&D 




## Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October

### Hassop Easy

3 mile walk along the Monsal Trail and back. On hard, level surfaces. Meet Hassop Old Station car park. Take the A619 from Bakewell, then the B6001 to the roundabout, the car park is off the roundabout (GR: SK217 706) Start: 11.30am, finish 2pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm).**    P&D


## Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October

### Fungus Foray

5 mile walk around the Chatsworth area, identifying the different fungi that grow in the woods and surrounding fields. Some stiles, uneven ground and slopes. Meet Birchen Edge car park, next to the Robin Hood Public House, near Baslow (GR: SK280 722) (PC: DE45 1PQ) Start 11am, finish 4.30 pm. Booking not required.   

## Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October

### Agden Autumn

8 mile walk around Bradfield village and Agden Rocher on steep hill sides with some stiles. Meet at the Sands car park, Low Bradfield, near the cricket pitch (GR: SK263 921) (PC: S6 6LB) Start 11am, finish 5pm. Booking not required. 

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> October**  
**Eyam and Offerton Moors**

10 mile strenuous walk, exploring the history of this open access moorland. Steep ascents and descents over rough ground. Meet at Eyam Moor at the east end of the track over Sir William Hill, 1.5 miles west of Grindleford (GR: SK225 780) **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**. Start 10.30am, finish 4.30pm. 🐕

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> October**  
**Navigation for Improvers (Grade D)**

6 miles. High quality, small group moorland navigation training for those who already know the basics in the stunning surroundings of the Upper Derwent Valley. Strenuous ascents over rough ground. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. Bring compass, 1:25,000 Dark Peak Map, bus fare. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**. 🗺️ 🚐 🐕 P&D

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> October**  
**Fungus Foray**

4 mile walk around the Chatsworth area identifying the different fungi that grow in the woods and surrounding fields. Some stiles, uneven ground and slopes. Meet at Birchen Edge Car Park next to the Robin Hood Public House, near Baslow (GR: SK280 722) (PC: DE45 1PQ) Start 11am, finish 4.30 pm. Booking not required. 🧑🧑 🚐 🐕

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> October**  
**Warslow Heritage and Wildlife**

4 mile leisurely afternoon walk, looking at archaeology and wildlife around the quiet village of Warslow. Undulating terrain, can be wet and slippery underfoot in places. Meet and park at Warslow village hall (GR: SK086 585) (PC: SK17 OJQ) Start 1.30 pm, finish 5 pm. Booking not required. 🚐 🧑🧑

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> November**  
**Fungus Foray**

1 mile stroll with Kevin Gilfedder to identify the fascinating variety of fungi in the Upper Derwent Woodlands. Meet Fairholmes Visitor Centre. From the A57 where the road crosses the Ladybower Reservoir, follow the brown tourist sign to Derwent Valley Dams, then to Fairholmes (GR: SK172 893) (PC: S33 0AQ) Start 11am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**. ♿ 🐕 🧑🧑 🚐 🐕 P&D

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November**  
**Win Hill from Afar**

8 miles. Majestic panoramas of Win Hill, Ladybower and the surrounding area on this challenging walk over varied and beautiful countryside. Rough and steep terrain. Meet Heatherdene car park. On the A6013 between Bamford and the main A57 road, by Ladybower Reservoir (GR: SK202 859) (PC: S33 0AZ) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**. 🐕 🚐 🚐 P&D

**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November**  
**Aircraft Wrecks of Kinder**

11 Miles. A strenuous Remembrance Day walk to visit some of the aircraft crash sites and wrecks to be found on Kinder Scout. Meet Moorland Visitor Centre, Edale (GR: SK124 856) (PC: S30 7ZA) Start 10.45am, finish 4.30pm. No parking on site, please use car park at entrance to village. **Booking essential; call 01629 816 211(available Mon-Fri 9am-4.30pm)**. 🚐 🐕 P&D

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November**  
**1659**

6 mile walk to Cheshire's 'Matterhorn', over open access moorland with panoramic views. Some steep slopes and rough ground. Meet Trentabank car park. From Langley village, follow the road to Leather's Smithy, take the right fork and continue on the road around Ridgeway Reservoir, the car park is on the right (GR: SJ964 712) (PC: SK11 0NE) Start 10.30am, finish 3.30pm. Booking not required. 🚐 🐕 P&D

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November**  
**Navigation Walk (Grade C)**

7 mile walk around the wild moorland of Chew learning navigation skills. Some rough moorland walking. Meet Ranger Centre, Dove Stone car park, off A635 Holmfirth Road, Greenfield, Oldham (GR: SE013 034) (PC: OL3 7NE) Start 10.30am, finish 4pm. Bring OS 1:25000 Dark Peak map and compass. Booking not required. 🗺️ 🚐 🚐 🐕 P&D