

MEDWAY TOWNS FOOTPATH GROUP PROGRAMME

1st May to 31st Aug 2026

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***Please Note: WALKERS WALK AT THEIR OWN RISK -- WALKS MAY BE MUDDY
DOGS MUST BE ON A FIXED SHORT LEAD WHEN PERMITTED BY THE LEADER -- CONTACT THE WALK LEADER IN ADVANCE***

Date	Leader & Contact Number	Start Time	Grid Reference & Postcode Location & Meeting Place	Mileage Map sheet Dogs Y/N	Walk Description & Remarks
SAT 2nd May	CHRIS MORRIS 01634 374923 07847 828249		LONDON WALK PART 1	5 miles Dogs N	Train to Victoria Station then a walk through South London. See separate details.
Sun 10 th May	TRICIA DANIELS 07960 295164 (text only)	10.00 am	TQ757677 Postcode ME4 6PN CHATHAM Railway Station 2 car parks available, pay by App or in station	8.5 miles 148 Dogs N	A slightly shorter repeat of Tricia's walk from Chatham to Maidstone, returning by bus. See separate details. Assistance dogs only.
Sun 17 th May	LESLEY STAFFORD 07803 362259	10.00 am	TEYNHAM Postcode ME9 9SX Teynham Station – park at station or surrounding roads.	5 miles Dogs Y	A mainly flat circular walk via Teynham and Conyer, through fields and orchards. No stiles.
Sun 24 th May	IAN WHEATLEY 07732853200	10.00 am	KNOCKHOLT Postcode TN14 7LD Meet at the Three Horseshoes pub. Park on local roads.	4 Miles Dogs Y	Circular undulating walk via Chevening Park. Lanes, fields, parkland. A steep section around midway for about 10 minutes. 3 stiles, no steps.
Sun 31 st May	CHRIS MORRIS 01634 374923 07847 828249	10.00 am	127 673 Postcode CT5 2QH TANKERTON SLOPES Sea View café, Marine Crescent	4 Miles 150 Dogs Y	A flat easy walk through Tankerton and Chestfield using good paved paths via suburban areas returning along the coast. No steps, 2 stiles (avoidable if necessary).
Sun 7 th June	DAVID KIRK 07711920480	10.00 am	TR 007 627 Postcode ME13 0PY OARE Castle Inn, The Street, Oare Park in road opposite (may be busy) or in nearby approach roads	4.8 miles Dogs Y	A fairly flat walk following the Saxon Shore Way and King Charles III England Coast Path around Ham Marshes, then the Swale Heritage Trail back to Oare. Fields, grass, riverside. No stiles or steps. NB Do not park in Oare itself.
SAT 13th June	CHRIS MORRIS 01634 374923 07847 828249		LONDON WALK PART 2	4.5 Miles Dogs N	Continuing on from Part one on 2 nd May. Train to Victoria Station then resuming the route to Crystal Palace. Mostly flat but hilly towards the end. See separate details.
FRIDAY 19th June	Mike Townsend 07985 211547 Colin Piggott	6.00 pm	EVENING WALK Postcode ME4 3ED CHATHAM DOCKSIDE	3 miles Dogs N	A flat walk on roads and hardstanding. No steps or stiles. A RAINARA-led walk which we have been invited to join.

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Sun 21 st June	ANN GREEN 07835 137066	10.00 am	CAMER PARK Camer Park Road, Meopham Postcode DA13 0XT	3.5 miles Dogs Y	A mostly flat walk through the park onto farm tracks, through the orchard, grass and woodlands, stopping for a break overlooking the Luddesdown Valley with it's vast vineyards. 2 stiles, no steps. Cafe and toilets at end.
Sun 28 th June	DAVID BROWN 07815 106791	10.00 am	GR954 627 TEYNHAM Station Road Postcode ME9 9BQ	6.5 Miles 149 Dogs Y	An undulating circular walk through fields, grass, roads and hardstanding via Teynham, Conyer and Lewson Street.
Sun 5 th July	MO FLEISIG 07976 600393	10.00 am	TQ 524 730 DARTFORD Dartford Heath Car Park, Heath Lane Postcode DA1 2TN	5 Miles Dogs Y	Undulating walk with one incline up and one down, via Horse and Groom pub, circular through Hazelwood, past Rowhill Grange, along the edge of Hextable to Puddledock, and back to start. Varied terrain – grass, tracks, roads. No stiles or steps.
Sun 12 th July	SUSAN HUMPHRIES 07946 854689	10.00 am	MARGATE Railway Station Postcode CT9 5AD	7 miles Dogs N	A mostly flat linear walk from Margate to Broadstairs, returning by bus. See separate details.
FRIDAY 17 th July	DAVID KIRK 07711 920480	6.00 pm	TQ 683 699 SHORNE WOODS Shorne Woods Car Park (fee payable), Brewers Road Postcode DA12 3HX	3 miles Dogs Y	An undulating walk round Shorne Woods Country Park, avoiding Cardiac Hill. Grass and hardstanding. No stiles or steps. Rainara invited.
Sun 19 th July	JOHN TREBILL 07815 411797	10.00 am	UPPER HALLING Jubilee Car Park, Browndens Road, Upper Halling Postcode ME2 1JH	5.5 Miles Dogs Y	Starting with a steep downhill stretch to the church then a gentler climb up again. Passing Holly Hill House, via Chapel Lane back to start. Through fields, grass and woodland. 2 stiles, no steps.
Sun 26 th July	DAVID TURNER 07870 732813	10.00 am	TENTERDEN Tenterden Town Station, Station Road – free car park Postcode TN30 6HE	6 Miles Dogs N	An all-day walk. Train to Bodiam then a circular walk before returning to Tenterden by train. Both trains are scheduled to be steam. Terrain is woodland and field paths, waterside, a little road walking. Also some stiles. Bring lunch. See separate details.
Sun 2nd Aug CAKE WALK	CHRIS MORRIS 01634 374923 07847 828249	1.00 pm	HARTLIP St.Michael and All Angels Church The Street, Hartlip Postcode ME9 7TL	3 Miles 136/148 Dogs - on walk only	Fairly easy flat/undulating walk through fields and orchards, some roads, followed by Tea and Cake at the church at 3pm, if booked. Maybe one stile. Cost £5 per person for a piece of cake and tea/coffee, payable by 13th July to Lindsay Floyd (cheque or preferably BACS) – see separate booking form.
Sun 9 th Aug	ALISON WILLIAMS 07772 999490	10.00 am	BOUGHTON LEES Meet at the village green, by the Flying Horse pub. Park around the green. Postcode TN25 4HH	7 Miles Dogs N	An undulating walk through Eastwell Manor. Mostly footpaths, fields and woods, with a little road walking. A couple of steep inclines. 2 stiles. Pub at end.
FRI 14th Aug	DAVID KIRK 07711 920480	6.00 pm	TQ 671 685 COBHAM Village Sports Ground Car Park, The Street (free car park) Postcode DA12 3BZ	3 miles Dogs Y	A flat walk on grass and hardstanding tracks from the car park into Jeskyns for a circular walk around the perimeter of the Park. No stiles or steps. Rainara invited.

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Sun 16 th Aug	MO FLEISIG 07976 600393	10.00 am	BROADSTAIRS Postcode CT10 1DP Eastern Esplanade, Broadstairs (Bleak House end)	4.8 Miles Dogs Y	A mostly flat walk, mainly following the Turner & Dickens Walk through Broadstairs and St. Peters to Margate, returning by bus to Mo's for tea, coffee and cake. Hardstanding tracks, grass and road walking, slight incline to Broadstairs Station. No stiles or steps.
SAT 22nd Aug	LINDSAY FLOYD 01634 235427 07743 702049		LONDON BRIDGES WEST	7.2 miles Dogs N	A much-requested repeat of Lindsay's previous walk. Train to Victoria Station then walking westwards over 6 bridges to Putney. See separate details.
Sun 30 th Aug	ANDY BOORMAN 07781 933358	10.00 am	LYNSTED Postcode ME9 0RJ Black Lion pub, The Street. Park considerately in surrounding area.		An undulating walk

NOTES & REMINDERS

AGM – 7.30 pm on Monday 13th July at the Howard Hall, Woodside, Wigmore ME8 0PN (Bar available)

Cake Walk 2nd August - Must be booked with Lindsay Floyd by 13th July (AGM) – please see the relevant form