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WALK PROGRAMME

January to April 2025

(v6)



Wednesday 1 January (Phil)
Pickering
5.2 miles 400ft ascent (Easy)
Start/Park: 13:00 Westgate Carr Road, Pickering (SE787844, butter.holds.amps)

Thursday 9 January (Stuart)
Coneysthorpe and Appleton-le-Street
8.4 miles 450ft ascent (Easy)
Start/Park: 10.00 Coneysthorpe village. Considerate roadside parking and honesty box (SE712712, stun.escalates.stickler)

Wednesday 15 January (Cath)
Coxwold
8.7 miles 850ft ascent (Moderate)
Start: 10:00 outside the Fauconberg pub in Coxwold (SE534772, diagram.decoded.bikes)
Park: Considerate street parking

Sunday 19 January (Eric)
Fadmoor and Gillamoor
6.5 miles 760 ft ascent (moderate)
Start/Park 10:30 around Fadmoor village green (considerate parking please)
SE675893 ///shippers.nitrogen.shredding

Thursday 23 January (Susan)
Hovingham
5.1 miles 460ft ascent (Easy)
Start: 10:00 at Hovingham Village Hall (SE667756, grove.harmony.craters)
Park: Hovingham Village Hall (£1 for half day), or considerate roadside parking
No packed lunch required

Sunday 26 January (David)
Malton
4.9 miles 130ft ascent (Easy)
Start/Park: 10:00 at Wentworth Street car park - free on Sundays (SE786720, applied.signs.trespass)
No packed lunch required

Thursday 30 January (David)
Scarborough winter walk
9.6 miles 720ft ascent (Easy++)
Start/Park: 10:00 at Scalby Mills Road; half way down (TA034906, glitz.tall.sides)

Sunday 2 February (James)
Farndale top end
6.6 miles 1040ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 11:00 Farndale Village Hall, Church Houses (SE670975, pranced.toasters.limit)
Honesty box for payment

Sunday 9 February (Eric)
Pickering, Thornton and Dalby Forest
10.2 miles 750ft ascent (Easy +)
Start/Park 10.00 Pickering Community Park car park, Whitby Road (SE802846, remotest.slam.pelt)

Thursday 13 February (Chris D)
Settrington Beacon, Wharram le Street, & Duggleby
8.5 miles 740ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10.00 Water Tower Settrington Beacon (SE866705, lanes.stint.potions)

Sunday 16 February (Simon)
Deep Dale, Givendale, Millington
11.3 miles 1788ft ascent (Moderate++)
Start/Park: 10:00 Wayrham picnic site (SE835567, arrival.assure.tidal)

Thursday 20 February (Stuart)
Crayke and Yearsley
8.7 miles 751ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:00 Crayke Sports Club and Village Hall (honesty box) (SE557703, primed.triathlon.entire)
Optional café stop at the end

Thursday 27 February (Wendy)
Farndale
5.5 miles 520ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:00 Lowna car park (SE685910, hatter.bedrooms.aunts)
Please car share if possible as parking space is limited

Sunday 2 March (James)
Sinnington and Appleton-le-Moors
5 miles 664ft ascent (Easy+)
Start: 11:00 on the green near Sinnington bridge (SE744858, foot.singing.emperor)
Park: Considerate roadside parking. There's an honesty box in the area of the green

Thursday 6 March (Phil)
Field House, Chalkland Way, Tibthorpe Wold
7.5 miles 550ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:00 Field House Farm midway on the Huggate – Tibthorpe Road (SE930551, rumble.adapt.swung)
Optional café lunch at the end; ETA 13:00-13:30
No packed lunch required

Saturday 8 March (Eric)
Harland Moor and Farndale
9 miles 1100ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:00 Parking area in disused quarry on left side of Daleside Road about 1.5 miles north-west of Lowna (SE675927, narrates.revived.building)

Sunday 16 March (Jos)
Easingwold and Foss Way
11 miles 610ft ascent (Easy+)
Start: 10:00 Easingwold Market Cross (SE529698, lasts.emerald.certainly)
Park: Considerate street parking / car parks
This is the 1st walk of 3 which Jos will be leading in the coming months to complete the River Foss Walk from Easingwold to York

Thursday 20 March (Chris D)
Scampston
5.75 miles 40ft ascent (Easy)
Start/Park: 10:00 the layby on Sands Lane between Rillington and Scampston (SE 858749, appointed.points.preparing)
No packed lunch required

Saturday 22 March (Simon)
Hawnby and Fangdale Beck
9.3 miles 1740ft ascent (Moderate+)
Start/Park: 10:00 car park on the Osmotherly road just north of Hawnby (SE 543898, good.nasal.decently)

Wednesday March 26 (Geoff)
Ravenscar and Hayburn Wyke
7.5 miles 1000ft ascent (Moderate)
Other details tbc

Sunday 30 March (David)
Hovingham figure of 8 route
This walk will provide the option to do the first loop, or the second loop, or both. Lunch will be taken between the loops back in Hovingham.
First loop: Hovingham - Stonegrave
5 miles 87ft ascent (Easy)
Second loop: Hovingham – Fryton
5 miles 375ft ascent - largely at the start (Easy)
Overall: you do the maths :-)
Start/Park: 10:00 Hovingham Village Hall (£1 honesty box) or considerate roadside parking (SE667756, grove.harmony.craters)
The start time for the second loop will be 12:30

Saturday 5 April (Chris B)
Castle Howard and Coneysthorpe
7 miles 580ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:00 parking area adjacent to St. John the Evangelist church, Welburn (SE721678, depended.redeemed.walnuts)

Thursday 10 April (Susan)
Helmsley & Rievaulx
9 miles, 700ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:15 Birds of Prey Centre, Duncombe Park (SE603831, state.audit.installs)
Note: There is a £1 charge for walking in Duncombe Park which will be collected by Susan at the start of the walk.

Saturday 12 April (Geoff)
Ravenscar and Boggle Hole
8.5 miles 1300ft ascent (Moderate)
Other details tbc

Thursday 17 April (Judith)
Welburn and Castle Howard
8.3 miles 680ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:30 parking area near Welburn church (SE721678, depended.redeemed.walnuts)

Saturday 19 April (Chris B)
Stamford Bridge
8.25 miles (Easy)
Other details tbc

Thursday 24 April (Wendy)
Hawnby
5.8 miles 1100ft ascent (Moderate+)
Start/Park: 10:30 parking area at Moor Gate about 1.5 miles N of Hawnby (SE539917, permanent.lads.hesitate)

Saturday 26 April (Karen)
York walls and riverside including a stop at the cafe in Rowntree Park
5 miles 250ft ascent (Easy)
Start: 13:00 at York station on the platform near the back of the York Tap (SE596517, dips.harsh.gloves)
Park: Park and ride, or any other preferred method

Wednesday 30 April (Phil)
Coxwold, Beacon Banks, Huthwaite, old railway
6.5 miles 600 feet ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:30 Coxwold Village Hall (SE536773, snack.lamplight.distorts)
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Sunday 4 May (Simon)
Bridestones and Hole of Horcum
11.3 miles 1500ft ascent (Moderate+)
Start/Park: 10:00 Saltergate car park on A169 (SE852936, game.outhouse.suiting)
Car park charge £6

Sunday 11 May (David H)
2 Gallops – Easthorpe and Musley Bank
7.6 miles 322ft ascent (Easy)
Start: 10:00 Smithy Arms Swinton(SE761730, inflation.glides.found)
Park: Lay-by on B1257 or bottom of Swinton Lane

Saturday 17 May (Phil)
Kirkby Malzeard circular
7.6 miles 550ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 13:30 Considerate roadside parking in Kirkby Malzeard (SE229743, outgrown.sanded.bulb)
A drink stop on the walk at the Galphay Inn, and a fish and chip shop at the end

Wednesday 21 May (James)
North Landing to Bridlington linear walk
8.0 miles 580ft ascent (Easy+)
Park/Meet: 10:00 Lime Kiln Lane car park, Bridlington. Parking £4.80 TBC (TA193680, freed.cost.choice)
Start: 10:25 No.14 Bus to North Landing. (TA193682 lifted.damage.farm)

Sunday 25 May (Eric)
Snainton and Brompton-by-Sawdon
7.1 miles 518ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:30 Snainton Village Hall and playing field (SE925821, nips.inflame.familiar)

Thursday 29 May (Stuart)
Fryton & Hovingham circuit
5.9 miles 367 ft ascent (Easy)
Start/Park: 10:30 considerate parking at south end of Fryton Lane (SE684737, estate.verb.smoker)

Sunday 1 June (Eric)
Saltergate to Pickering linear
10 miles 700ft ascent /1500ft descent (Moderate)
Park: 10:30 Pickering Eastgate car park or street parking nearby. Catch 840 Coastliner bus towards Whitby at 10:46 on Eastgate, Pickering (SE799838, approach.reinstate.kiosk)
Start: 11:15 Alight bus at Hole of Horcum (SE852937, scarcely.grasp.bikers)

Friday 6 June (David H)
Esk Valley Walk – initial loop
15.9miles 1437ft ascent (Moderate+)
Start/Park: 9:00 Little Blakey car park on Blakey Ridge at junction of road to Church Houses (SE683989, staked.stacks.reporters)

Sunday 8 June (Karen)
Welburn and Whitwell-on-the-Hill
6 miles (Easy)
Park: Welburn church or considerate street parking in Welburn
Start 10:30 Welburn church (SE721678, firming.nurses.bars)

Wednesday 11 June (Chris D)
Huggate
7.25 miles 532ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:00 Huggate Car Park, Driffield Road (SE885550, heckler.composers.respond)

Sunday 15 June (Cath)
Danby and Castleton
7.2 miles 900ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:30 considerate parking on the grass verge at the junction of Station Road and New Road just south of the bridge over the river (NZ684083, donates.keys.headliner)

Saturday 21 June (David J)
Hutton-le-Hole & Gillamoor
9 miles 1600 ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:00 NYMNP car park in Hutton-le-Hole (SE705902, bars.wash.conforms)
Parking £6.00; Parking at Crown pub £3 – free if you eat/drink there)

Saturday 28 June (Chris H)
Fox and Rabbit to Pickering linear
5.4 miles 500ft ascent (Easy+)
Meet: 9:30 Eastgate Square Pickering for 9.34 Coastliner 840 bus towards Whitby (SE799838, approach.reinstate.kiosk)
Start: 9:50 Get off bus at Fox and Rabbit Inn (SE845882, squirts.cringes.magazine)

Saturday 5 July (David J)
Huggate, Frendal Dale & Horse Dale
9 miles 1200 ft. ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:00 Disused quarry entrance on Pocklington Lane approx. ½ mile west of Huggate (SE875550, vandalism.hilltop.ruins)

Wednesday 9 July (James)
Hinderwell, Runswick Bay & Sandsend
7.8 miles 768ft ascent (Moderate)
Park / Meet: 10:00 Sandsend Car Park - £6 for 6hours
TBC (NZ860128, discusses.rival.families) Roadside parking may be possible nearby
Bus: 10:15 X4 Bus from Witsend cafe to Hinderwell war memorial (Bus pass or £3)
Start: 10:29 Hinderwell War Wemorial.
(NZ794165, credit.sugar.worldwide)

Sunday 13 July (Chris H)
Rosedale Abbey, North Dale, Rosedale and Lion Inn
8.25 miles 935ft ascent (Moderate)
Bus: 9:42 Moorsbus M6 from Pickering library to Rosedale Abbey
Start: 10:10 Rosedale Abbey tearoom (SE723958, invested.realm.filer)
Return Bus: 16:33 Moorsbus M3 from Lion Inn to Pickering.
Based on 2024 timetable so details may change. More information nearer the date.
Should be time for a pint at the Lion before the bus comes!

Thursday 17 July (Stuart)
Welburn and Castle Howard
6.9 miles 577ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:00 Considerate street parking in Chanting Hill Close, Welburn (SE724679, scores.loopholes.likely)

Sunday 20 July (Geoff)
Danby and Fryup Dale
6.13 miles 850 ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park 10:00 Danby Visitor Centre car park (NZ717083, thigh.wiggles.refilled)

Thursday 24 July (Chris D)
Ebberston and Snainton
6.3 miles 718ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:30 Grass verge adjacent to cricket ground on Back Lane, Ebberston (SE899820, brink.proposes.villas)

Sunday 27th July (Chris H)
Chop Gate to Helmsley via Bonfield Ghyll & Ankness
16.5 miles 2028 ft ascent (Strenuous)
Catch the M4 Moorsbus from Helmsley market place to Chop Gate at 10:27 (based on 2024 timetable) for an 11:05 start from Chop Gate
Park: Considerate street parking in Helmsley or in the Cleveland Way carpark (charges apply)
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Wednesday 30 July (Phil C)
May Beck, Falling Foss & John Cross
4.75 miles 675ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 13:45 May Beck Car Park (NZ892025, modem.scripted.young)
Tea/cake stop at Falling Foss tearoom

Saturday 2 August (Judith)
Crayke circular
6 miles 470ft ascent (Easy)
Start/Park: 10:00 Church Hill, Crayke (SE561705, sugar.crass.pats)
Lunch at the Durham Ox after the walk if you wish

Thursday 7 August (Chris B)
Thixendale & Kirby Underdale
8.25 miles 935ft ascent (Moderate)
Start: 10:00 near St Mary's Church in Thixendale (SE842610, kinks.fairy.overlaps)
Park: Considerate roadside parking

Sunday 10 August (David H)
Castle Howard
5.2 miles 210ft ascent (Easy)
Start/Park: 10:00 Castle Howard car park, near cricket pitch (SE711698, ground.indeed.pounces)
No packed lunch needed. Castle Howard cafe at end if you wish.

Thursday 14 August (Phil)
Loftus, the Warren & Handale
6.75 miles 600ft ascent (Moderate)
Start: 11:00 Loy Lane Cemetery Car Park Loftus (NZ731179, congested.wounds.blending)
Recommend car share - limited parking & travel time from Pickering 50 mins / 35 miles

Saturday 16 August (Simon)
Chop Gate, Raisdale & Cleveland Hills
13.2 miles 2600ft ascent (Strenuous)
Start/Park: 10:00 Chop Gate village hall car park (SE559993, hobbit.flinches.spell)
Car parking £5.50

Saturday 23 August (Geoff)
Ingleby Greenhow & Ingleby Bank
9.5 miles (moderate)
Park/Start: 10:00 Considerate roadside parking in Ingleby Greenhow (NZ581063, aliens.these.blushes)

Saturday 30 August (Eric)
Bransdale and Sleightholmedale
7.5 miles 1000ft ascent (Moderate)
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WALK PROGRAMME

September to December 2025

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Hovingham, Fryton, and Baxtenhowe
6.6 miles 520ft ascent (Easy+)
Start: 10:00 Hovingham Village Hall car park (SE667756, grove.harmony.craters)
Park: Hovingham Village Hall car park: £1 for half day or considerate street parking

Sunday 7 September (Jos)
Foss River walk part 2 – from Crayke to Strensall
11.7 miles 320ft ascent 570ft descent (Easy)
Start: 10.30 near Crayke primary school (SE559703, assess.radiating.watches)
Park: parking in lay by at the primary school or considerately on street. A lift back from Strensall to the start point will be organised for the **drivers** to collect cars (15 mins) **so car sharing would be helpful.**

Wednesday 10 September (Chris D)
Hanging Stones walk (**only for people pre-booked**)

Thursday 11 September (Chris D)
Huggate area
6.2 miles 1350ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:00 Field House Farm (SE929551, stream.copycat.gentlemen)
No packed lunch required - farm café at end if you wish

Saturday 13 September (David J)
Cropton to Pickering
8.5 miles 650ft ascent 1000ft descent (Easy+)
Catch the M6B Moorsbus service at 09:45 from the bus stop outside Pickering library on The Ropery (SE796840, majors.junction.lifters)
Park: considerate street parking in Pickering, or use the pay & display car parks

Wednesday 17 September (Susan)
Roulston Scar and Hood Hill
6.3 miles 1150ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:00 informal parking areas off Low Town Bank Road approx 200m south of Sutton Bank Gliding Club (YO7 2EY, SE517815, contemplate.circles.gardens)

Saturday 20 September (Chris B)
Stamford Bridge
8.75 miles and very flat! (Easy)
Start/Park: 10:00 Viking Road car park (free) (SE711554, clever.shredding.daydreams)

Wednesday 24 September (Cath)
Osmotherley
8.6 miles 1200ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:00 larger of the car parks at the northern edge of Cod Beck reservoir (SE470994, stand.glows.crackling)

Sunday 28 September (David J)
Goathland, Mallyan Spout, and Wheeldale
8 miles 1250ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:30 Goathland NYM car park on Beck Hole Road (NZ833013, slung.savers.dives)

Thursday 2 October (Phil)
Falcon Inn, Church Farm, Staintondale, and Cloughton Moor
7.5 miles 750ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:30 Off A171 near Falcon Inn (SE971981, hydration.worms.drip)

Sunday 5 October (David H)
EskValley walk: Whitby to Grosmont
9.4 miles 920ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: Grosmont Station NYMR car park (£5.00) (NZ826053, back.garden.recorders)
Catch the 09.53 train to Whitby. Tickets about £2 each **but must book a week in advance**.

Thursday 9 October (Wendy)
Appleton-le-Moors, Spaunton, and Lastingham
7 miles 850ft ascent (Moderate)
Start: 10:00 opposite the Moors Inn (SE735878, abstracts.limitless.wipe)
Park: considerate roadside parking

Saturday 11 October (Eric)
Brown Howe, Needle Point, and Raindale Head
7.2 miles 580ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:30 Brown Howe Road, north west of Stape, approx. 3/4 mile from the Wheeldale road (SE806948, brick.micro.champions)

Thursday 16 October (Judith)
Hambleton and the Cleveland Way
11.7 miles 1320ft ascent (Moderate)
Start: 10:00 in the square outside the Sutton Bank visitor centre near the public toilets
Park: in the Sutton Bank car park (£6)

Saturday 18 October (Michael)
Lockton and the Bridestones
6.3 miles 1080ft ascent (Moderate)
Start: 10:30 square at Lockton next to the YHA building (SE844899, cool.oatmeal.removals)
Park: considerate roadside parking

Sunday 19 October
RWG AGM at Kirkbymoorside Library at 13:00
As usual the AGM will be preceded by a shortish walk led by Chris H. Details of the walk tbc

Wednesday 22 October (Susan)
Arden Hall and Thorodale
8 miles 950ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:00 Sneck Yate informal parking area (SE509877, mining.meanders.victory)

Sunday 26 October (James)
Harland Moor, Stonely Woods, and Penny Holme
6.56 miles 825ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:30 Parking area in the disused quarry on left side of Daleside Road about 1.5 miles north-west of Lowna (SE675927, narrates.revived.building)

Thursday 30 October (Stuart)
Yearsley Woods and Gilling East Circuit
7.5 miles 728ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:00 parking area just NE off Yearsley Moor Bank (SE583752, aquatics.wanting.newsprint)

Saturday 1 November (Simon)
Hawnby
8.7 miles 1400ft ascent (Moderate+)
Start/Park: 10:00 Ellers Wood grassy parking area (SE529927, scanty.crossings.quail)

Thursday 6 November (Chris D)
Scampston and Wintringham
7 miles 440ft ascent (Easy)
Start/Park: 10:30 Layby on Sands Lane – the road between Rillington and Scampston (SE858749, drift.flickers.cello)

Sunday 9 November (Geoff)
Egton Bridge and Grosmont
5.7 miles 871ft ascent (Easy++)
Start/Park: 10:30 free parking area near the railway (NZ804053, pulps.scaffold.funky)

Wednesday 12 November (Chris H)
Scar House and Nidderdale Way
9.6 miles 1460ft ascent (Moderate+)
Start/Park: 10:00 Scar House Reservoir car park (SE070766, whisk.chops.body)

Sunday 16 November (Eric)
Helmsley, Riccal Dale, and Ash Dale
8 miles 900ft ascent (Moderate)
Start: 10:30 Helmsley at the junction of Carlton Road and Carlton Lane (SE615840, tucked.speaks.beaker)
Park: considerate roadside parking or the pay and display car parks

Thursday 20 November (Chris B)
Rosedale
7.5 miles 500ft ascent (Easy+)
Start: 10:30 the green in the centre of Rosedale Abbey (SE724959, viewers.possible.footballers)
Park: considerate roadside parking

Sunday 23 November (Geoff)
Rusty waterfall
4.2 miles 823ft ascent (Easy+)
Other details tbc

Sunday 30 November (Phil)
High Street (Ampleforth), Beacon Bank, Pry Rigg
6 miles 850ft ascent (Moderate)
Start/Park: 10:30 High Street on the grass verge (SE583800, folders.agreeable.valued)
Please use Car Share - limited parking 7 cars max

Thursday 4 December (Simon)
Hovingham
9.3 miles 490ft ascent (Easy)
Start: 10:00 on Church Street near the church (SE667757, mealtime.minute.speared)
Park: considerate roadside parking near the church

Sunday 7 December (Eric)
Linear walk: Falsgrave, Seamer Beacon and West Ayton
6.2 miles 700ft ascent (Easy +)
Park/Bus: West Ayton - layby next to bus stop opposite Forge Valley Inn or in front of the Inn, for the 128 bus towards Scarborough at 10:50 (SE986847, jots.sectors.takeover)
Start: 11:12 Get off bus at Falsgrave Road for the start of the walk (TA033879, latest.grants.trees)

Thursday 11 December (Wendy)
Helmsley and Rievaulx
6.75 miles 830ft ascent (Easy+)
Start: 10:00 near the toilet block in the Helmsley Cleveland Way car park (SE610838, sofas.beanbag.sands)
Park: considerate roadside parking or in the pay and display car parks

Saturday 13 December (ChrisH)
Pre-Christmas lunch walk
Details tbc

Thursday 18 December (David H)
Hole of Horcum, Saltergate, Skelton Tower, and Levisham Moor
6.3 miles 430ft ascent (Easy+)
Start/Park: 10:00 Saltergate car park (£6) (SE852936, distorts.paintings.stiffly)

Sunday 28 December (Jos)
Foss River walk part 3 – from Strensall to York (final leg!)
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