



**PROGRAMME: JUNE, JULY & AUGUST 2018**

**WEB SITE: <http://www.verwoodramblers.org.uk>**

***GENTLE EXERCISE FRESH AIR GOOD COMPANY***

Our club, formed in 1972, offers three walks of 3-4 miles, 5-6 miles, and 9-10 miles, each week, enjoying the stunning down land of Cranborne Chase, woodland and heath in the New Forest, and coastal paths of the Purbecks and World Heritage Jurassic Coast.

***“TRY BEFORE YOU BUY” WHY NOT JOIN US FOR A TASTER  
JUST TURN UP AT ANY OF THE WALKS AND INTRODUCE YOURSELF  
OR ENQUIRE ON 01202 824941***



**NB 1: MEETING at THE HUB Car Park, Verwood** is an opportunity for car sharing, but it cannot be guaranteed that anyone will be there. The time given is the latest departure time; please arrive at least a few minutes before.

**NB 2: CANCELLED WALKS:** If you have any doubts, for whatever reason, that a walk may not go ahead as published, **IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO CONFIRM BY CONTACTING THE LEADER** before going to the starting point.

**NB 3: DOGS:** Members are not encouraged to bring dogs, as some members may feel discomfort. Walks invariably pass through areas containing livestock. If brought they should be on a lead at all times and under control. Damage by dogs is not covered by the Club's insurance policy and would be the owner's responsibility.

**All mileages are approximate.**

**JUNE**

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| <b>01 Fri</b>  | HUB CP 09:15 or <b>EBBESBORNE WAKE CP 10:00</b><br>(Limited parking – car share if possible)<br><b>8.0 mls</b> North Hill Farm, Compton Down and Norrington Farm. 2 Hills, stiles and possibly mud.                     | Exp 118 GR <b>ST 990 241</b> |
| <b>03 Sun</b>  | HUB CP 9:50 or <b>THE ALBION VERWOOD 10:00</b><br>Park in the Old Rd to left of Pub Parking.<br><b>5.8 mls</b> Romford to Edmondsham and back via Kings/Boys Woods, Woodlands and Crane Valley golf course some stiles. | Exp 118 GR <b>SU 076 093</b> |
| <b>05 Tues</b> | HUB CP 09:30 or <b>BROAD CHALKE CHURCH CP 10:05</b><br><b>3.5 mls.</b> Field Barn, Watercress Beds, Broad Chalke passing Community Shop/Cafe. 1 long slight incline, one easy stile.                                    | Exp 130 GR <b>SU 042 254</b> |

- 06 Weds** HUB CP 09:40 or **WOODLANDS PLAYING FIELD FIELD 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 051 090**  
**5.0 mls** Bagman's Lane, Chalbury Fm, Horton, Haythorne. Undulating, some stiles.
- 09 Sat** HUB CP 09:30 or **CRANBORNE GARDEN CTR (at top end) 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 056 132**  
**(Consider a coffee or drink on return. Car share if possible)**  
**9.0 mls.** Cranborne and the Allen Valley
- 12 Tues** HUB CP 09:20 or **BROOMY WALK CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU197 099**  
**3.5 mls** circular walk via High Corner Inn
- 13 Weds** HUB CP 09.20 or **MILKHAM CP 10:00** Exp OL 22 GR **SU 217 102**  
**5.3 mls.** Broomy Lodge, Cadman's Pool, Sluffers Inclosure
- 15 Fri** HUB CP 08:45 or **LANGTON HERRING 10:00** Exp OL15 GR **SY 614 825**  
**Meet at Elm Tree Car Park - Paddock area for walkers, adjoining the pub.**  
**9.0 mls** Langton Hive Point, East Fleet, Chickerell, Chickerell Hive Point
- 17 Sun** **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 19 Tues** **NOTE: THE HUB CP VERWOOD** Exp OL22 GR **SU 085 091**  
**3.8 mls** Stephens Castle, Boveridge Heath, Noon Hill. Steady climb at start. No stiles. Coffee/tea in Verwood at finish.
- 20 Weds** HUB CP 09:35 or **WHITE SHEET CP 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 048 036**  
**5.0 mls** Holt Heath circular.
- 23 Sat** HUB CP 09:40 or **EBBLAKE CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU 108 078**  
**9.5 mls** Easy walk Ringwood Forest, Boveridge Heath, Sleep bottom, Nth Plumley Farm/Wood & Harefield Plantation. May be Mud.
- 26 Tues** HUB CP 09:20 or **SILLENS LANE CP (NT) Martin Village 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 058 192**  
**3.5 mls** Tidpit Down, Bokerley Ditch. One gradual incline.
- 27 Weds** HUB CP 9:10 or **ASHLEY WALK CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU186156**  
**5.5 mls** Forest circular via 'Submarine Pen'. Tracks and paths. May be muddy after rain.
- 29 Fri** HUB CP 09:25 or **GORLEY COMMON CP 10:00** Exp OL 22 GR **SU 166 119**  
**7.0 mls** South Gorley, Ibsley Bridge, Avon Valley Path, Bickton

## JULY

- 01 Sun** HUB CP 09:15 or **BEACHERN WOOD CP 10:00** Exp OL 22 GR **SU 284 026**  
**6.5 mls.** South Weirs, Backhamsley Hill, Wilverley
- 03 Tues** HUB CP 09:30 or **ANGEL INN CP FERNDOWN 10:00** Exp OL 22 & 118 GR **SZ 069 991**  
**(Consider a coffee or drink on return. Car share if possible)**  
**3.7mls** Bell Vue Wood, Dudsbury - Riverside to Longham Lakes.
- 04 Weds** THE HUB CP 09:15 or **CANADIAN MEMORIAL CP 10:00** Exp OL22 **SU 240 093**  
**5.3 mls** Lucas Castle, Puckpits Inclosure, Holmhill Inclosure, Highland Water Inclosure
- 07 Sat** HUB 09:00 or **SHERBORNE 10:15** Exp 129 GR **ST 638 178**  
**VISITOR CP GRYPHON Leisure Centre Bristol Rd (B3145) DT9 4EQ Signed off A30**  
**9.5 mls** Osborne, Pinford, Sherborne Park, Gaisborough Hill, Macmillan Way. Undulating with 2 short but strenuous hills. **7.0 mls Version available. Shop or Tea in Sherborne? Meet after at The Abbey.**
- 10 Tues** HUB CP 09:40 or **WOODLANDS PLAYING FIELD FIELD 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 051 090**  
**3.4 mls** Woodlands Pk, Knobs Crook Woodlands Manor Fm. Undulating, 4 or 5 stiles.
- 11 Weds** HUB CP 09.20 or **WITCHAMPTON VILLAGE HALL 10:00** Exp 118 GR **ST 988 064**  
**6.0 mls.** Didlington, Moor Crichel
- 13 Fri** HUB CP 08:45 or **WORTH MATRAVERS CP 10:00** Exp OL 15 GR **SY 974 777**

**Parking Donation (£2) requested - toilets, overflow CP at rear.**

9.5 mls Worth Matravers CP - Purbeck Way to Corfe Castle, Hardy Way to Kingston, Houns Tout Cliff, Hill Bottom.

- 15 Sun **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 17 Tues **NOTE: EBLAKE SOUTH CP 10:00 (Overflow North CP)** Exp OL22 GR **SU 109 076**  
3.4 mls Potterne Wood, Withy Bed, Moors Valley VC (stop for coffee/tea), Ashley Heath.  
No stiles
- 18 Weds HUB CP 09:30 or **CRANBORNE GARDEN CTR (at top end) 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 056 132**  
(Consider a coffee or drink on return. Car share if possible)  
5.3 mls Castle Hill Cranborne Manor. Some hills.
- 21 Sat HUB CP 09:00 or **EASTON (near WINCHESTER) 10:00.** Exp 132 GY **SU 511 321**  
**Meet outside The Cricketers Inn. Dispersed Parking on nearby roads.**  
8.5 mls Avington, Itchen Abbas, Martyr Worthy, Abbots Worthy. **Optional walk of 7.0 mls** final 0.3 miles self-guided.
- 24 Tues HUB CP 09:15 or **STANPIT RECREATION GROUND CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SZ 172 925**  
2.8 mls. A short walk around Stanpit Marsh Nature Reserve. Bring binoculars. Mostly paths and tracks, no stiles. Could be muddy.
- 25 Weds HUB CP 09:15 or **BEACHERN WOOD CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU 284 026**  
5.0 mls. Level forest walk. Black Knowle and Brockenhurst. No stiles. Could be muddy.
- 27 Fri HUB CP 08:50 or **TYNEHAM VILLAGE CP 10:00** Exp OL 15 GR **SY 881 803**  
8.5 mls. Povington Hill, Steeple Leaze Farm, Kimmeridge Bay, Tyneham Cap. Strenuous in parts
- 29 Sun HUB CP 09:35 or **WHITE SHEET CP 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 048 036**  
6.6 mls Holt Forrest, Holt Wood, Horton Tower, Ferdown Forrest, Holt Heath
- 31 Tues HUB CP 9.20 or **THE DROVERS GUSSAGE ALL SAINTS 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 003 106**  
3.5 mls Knowlton Rings - Temple & Church An easy reasonably flat walk on tracks and quiet lanes.

**AUGUST**

- 01 Weds HUB CP 09:20 or **CADMAN POOL CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU 229 123**  
5.0 mls Rakes Brakes Bottom, Sloden Inclosure, Splash Bridge, Broomy Lodge.
- 04 Sat THE HUB CP 09:00 or **OLD SARUM CASTLE CP Salisbury 10:00** Exp130 GR **SU 139 326**  
8.5 mls Keepers Cottage, Netton, Woodford Bridge, Mid & Lower Woodford, Little Durnford.  
Undulating a few stiles and Quiet Lanes. (We May see a Camel or 2 .....Honest ! )
- 06 MON' Evening HUB CP 18:00 or **SMUGGLERS ROAD CP 18:30 NB Evening Walk** Exp OL22 GR **SU 188 040**  
3.5 mls Forest Circular with optional visit to Pub after.
- 07 Tues HUB CP 09:30 or **WHITE SHEET HILL 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 046 037**  
3.5 mls Higher Road, Broad Lawn, Bowering Water.
- 08 Weds HUB CP 09:30 or **LAYBY - Hurn Sports Ctr Avon Causeway 10:00** OL22 GR **SZ 127 972**  
5.5 mls Figure of 8 via Sopley Common Reserve, 1slight incline, then Ramsdown Plantation.
- 10 Fri **NOTE: HIDEAWAY CP (Moorlands Rd, Verwood) 10:00** Exp OL 22 GR **SU 087 093**  
8.4 mls Stephen's Castle, Cranborne Common, Lopshill Common, Rushmore Farm, Cow Bridge, Pistle Hill, Burrows lane.
- 12 Sun **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 14 Tues HUB CP 9:10 or **ANDERWOOD CP 10:00** Exp OL 22 GR **SU 249 058**  
3.5 mls forest circular on paths and tracks. Mud possible after rain.
- 15 Weds HUB CP 09.25 **FROGHAM CP 10.00** Exp OL 22 GR **SU 178 128**  
5.0 mls Hampton Ridge, Alderhill Inclosure, Hasley Hill, Ogden's Farm. Good mix of New Forest environments mostly on gravel tracks so should be good in all-weather conditions



18 Sat WALK NOT SUBMITTED

**20 MON' Evening** HUB CP 18:00 or **BURLEY MAIN CP 18:30 NB Evening Walk** Exp OL22 GR SU 212 031  
3.5 mls Forest Circular with optional visit to Pub after.

21 Tues HUB CP 09:20 or **WITCHAMPTON VILLAGE HALL 10:00** Exp 118 GR ST 988 064  
3.0mls. Didlington, New Town

22 Weds THE HUB CP 09:15 or **CANADIAN MEMORIAL CP 10:00** Exp OL22 SU 240 093  
5.8 mls Ocknell Pond, Cadman's Pond, Sluffers Inclosure

24 Fri HUB CP 09:20 or **GARSTON/PRIBDEAN WOOD CP 10:00** Exp 118 GR SU 003 195  
(Limited Parking Car share if possible)  
10.0 mls Shermel Gate, Ox Drove, Case Wood

26 Sun WALK NOT SUBMITTED

28 Tues **NOTE : POTTERNE PARK 10:00 Nr.Tennis Courts.** Exp OL22 GR SU 095 075  
3.5 mls Circular Walk to include coffee at visitor Centre.

29 Weds HUB CP 09:15 or **THE MOOT CP DOWNTON 10:00** Exp 130 GR SU 182 214  
5.5 mls Barford Down, Standlynch, Trafalgar Park Avon Valley Path. Some styles & mud.

**FIND THE WALK START POINT:** Use <http://www.streetmap.co.uk> Enter the Grid Ref e.g. SU962032 in the "GO" box and the map location will appear. To convert to Post Code or another ref. for SAT NAV click on "here" below white arrow below the Map.

**DISCLAIMER:** Walking is inherently safe, but people should be aware of their own fitness levels and ability to complete a walk before they start out. Walkers should be appropriately dressed and prepared for a wide variety of terrain and weather conditions. A third party Insurance is held by the Club, which does not cover personal indemnity. The Club or any of its agents acting on behalf of the Club shall not be held responsible for the death, injury, accident or damage, etc to the person or property of any member, guest or any other person, occurring during and arising from participation in any of the activities advertised in the Club's programme. **Third Party Damage or Accidents to any person on a walk should be reported immediately to the Club secretary.**

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