



**PROGRAMME: SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER & NOVEMBER 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: 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.**

**SEPTEMBER**

<b>01 Sat</b>	HUB CP 09:25 or <b>ABBOTS WELL CP 10:00</b> <b>8.6 mls</b> Hampton Ridge, Pitts Wood, Godshill, and Stucton. Mainly forest tracks, footpaths, stiles, streams to cross. Could be muddy.	Exp OL22 GR <b>SU 177 128</b>
<b>04 Tues</b>	HUB CP 09:15 or <b>MILLYFORD BRIDGE CP 10:00</b> <b>3.0 mls.</b> Holidays Hill, Reptiliary, Warwick Slade, Knightwood Oak. Forest walk on paths and tracks, slopes, no stiles. Could be muddy.	Exp OL22 GR <b>SU 267 078</b>
<b>05 Weds</b>	HUB CP 09:15 or <b>BEACHERN WOOD CP 10:00</b> <b>5.0mls.</b> Level forest walk. Black Knowl and Brockenhurst. No stiles. Could be muddy.	Exp OL22 GR <b>SU 284 026</b>
<b>07 Fri</b>	HUB CP 08:50 or <b>ABBOTSBURY CP 10:15</b> <b>8.5 mls</b> Chesil Beach, West Bexington, Wears Hill. <b>Car park charge £3.50</b>	Exp OL 15 GR <b>SY 578 852</b>

- 09 Sun** HUB CP 09:15 or **EYEWORTH POND CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU 227 145**  
**5.5 mls.** Eyeworth Wood, Telegraph Hill, Ashley Bottom, Fritham  
 Opportunity for a picnic lunch by Eyeworth Pond afterwards.
- 11 Tues** HUB CP 09:00 or **MILFORD on SEA CP Sea Road 10:0** Exp OL22 GR **SZ 276 918**  
**3.0 mls** Coastal Walk with views to IoW and Hurst Castle Teashop and Pub en Route. Some walking on Shingle beach.
- 12 Weds** THE HUB CP 09:20 or **ANDERWOOD CP 10:00** Exp OL 22 GR **SU 248 057**  
**5.0 mls** Forest circular Oakley and Burley Inclosures
- 15 Sat** HUB CP 09:00 or **KNOLL Visitors Centre CP STUDLAND10:00** OL15 GR **SZ 033 835**  
**7.9 mls** Easy walk around Studland beach and heath.
- 18 Tues** HUB CP 09:30 or **CRANBORNE GARDEN CTR (at top end) 10:00** Exp118 GR **SU 056 132**  
**(Consider a coffee or drink on return. Car share if possible)**  
**3.5 mls** Circular walk around Cranborne area.
- 19 Weds** HUB CP 9:10 or **ASHLEY WALK CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU 186 156**  
**5.2 mls** Godshill, Fords Farm, Godshill Wood & Inclosure. Can be muddy after heavy rain
- 21 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.**  
**8.0 mls** Langton Hive Point, East Fleet, Chickerell, Chickerell Hive Point
- 23 Sun** **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 25 Tues** THE HUB CP 09:20 or **ROCKFORD COMMON CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU 162 083**  
**3.2 mls** Blashford Lake, Forest Edge Farm, Bigsburn Hill. One hill towards end.
- 26 Weds** THE HUB CP 09.15 or **HIGH CORNER CP (Not the Inn CP) 10:00** OL22 GR **SU 198 104**  
**6.0 mls** Broomy Inclosure, Holly Hatch Inclosure, Broomy Plain
- 29 Sat** HUB CP 09:00 or **SPEARYWELL WOOD CP 10:00** Exp OL32 (Exp 132) GR **SU 316 277**  
**8.5 mls** Mottisfont Estate, Test Way, Kimbridge, Dunbridge.

## OCTOBER

- 02 Tues** HUB CP 09:50 or **CHASE CP VERWOOD 10:00** Exp OL 22 GR **SU 102 086**  
**3.8 mls** Ringwood Forest, Home Farm, Plumley Wood, Boveridge Heath. Steady climb at start. No stiles.
- 03 Weds** HUB CP 09:25 or **BROAD CHALKE CHURCH CP 10:00** Exp 130 GR **SU 041 254**  
**5.25 mls** Tracks and paths, good views, undulating. Chalk Pit Farm, Little London, Mead End, South Street.
- 05 Fri** **NOTE: POTTERNE PARK CP 10:00 (Tennis Cts)** Exp OL22 GR **SU 095 075**  
**9.0 mls** To Watchmoor Wood and return. May be some mud.
- 07 Sun** HUB CP 09:00 or **EAST KNOYLE CP 10:00** OS 183 GR **ST 880 305**  
**6.6 mls** Circular walk to West Knoyle and back.
- 09 Tues** HUB CP 09:20 or **COY POND BOURNEMOUTH 10:00 (Rd Parking)** Exp OL22 **SZ 067 923**  
**3.5mls** Bournemouth Upper and Lower Gardens, "Coffee" Stop on Bournemouth Square.  
 Good asphalt/gravel paths.
- 10 Weds** HUB CP 09:25 or **BROAD CHALKE CHURCH CP 10:00** Exp 130 GR **SU 041 254**  
**6.3 mls** Stoke Down, Shaston Drove to Cross Dyke, Chalk Pit Farm. Mostly hardcore roads
- 13 Sat** HUB CP 09:10 or **BLANDFORD FORUM 10:00** Exp 118 GR **ST 887 060**  
**Take R-a-B's off A354 for Tesco, Past Tesco to public parking area behind Brewery.**  
**9.5 mls** Quarleston Down, Winterbourne Stickland, The Hanging, Bryanston Park
- 16 Tues** HUB CP 09:30 or **CRANBORNE GARDEN CTR (at top end) 10:00** Exp118 GR **SU 056 132**  
**(Consider a coffee or drink on return. Car share if possible)**  
**4.0 mls** Mainly tracks and paths ,1 stile

- 17 Weds** HUB CP 9:40 or **RINGWOOD Rd SERVICE Rd, ST IVES 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU 121 037**  
**Park near ramp to footbridge over A31.**  
**5.5 mls** Around Avon Heath Country Park.
- 19 Fri** **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 21 Sun** **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 23 Tues** HUB CP 09:30 or **THE HORNS INN Dean Grove Colehill 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 018 013**  
**2.5 mls** Mainly Flat walk to Bothenwood Farm and Furze Hill.
- 24 Weds** HUB CP 09:15 or **CHARLTON MARSHALL 10:00** Exp 118 GR **ST 901 040**  
**NOTE Layby on A350, South of Church, Limited Parking Car share if Possible**  
**5.0 mls**, Railway Path Spetisbury Rings, Home Plantation, Glebe & Manor Fms. 2 moderate hills.
- 27 Sat** HUB CP 09:20 or **GUSSAGE ALL SAINTS C'CH 10:00 (Roadside)** Exp 118 GR **ST 999 108**  
**7.7 mls** Harley Wood, Ackling Dyke, Down farm, Gussage Hill, Gussage St Michael.
- 30 Tues** THE HUB 09:30 or **MARTIN DOWN CP off A 354 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 037 201**  
**3.7 mls** Woodyates, Chettle Mead Copse, Kits Grave.
- 31 Weds** THE HUB 09:30 or **VERELY CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU 196 051**  
**5.0 mls** Forest circular could be muddy.

## NOVEMBER

- 02 Fri** **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 04 Sun** **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 06 Tues** **NOTE: 1<sup>st</sup> SCHOOL MARGARDS LANE VERWOOD 10:00 In Lane** OL22 GR **SU 082 082**  
**3.2 mls** Bridge & Oakfield Fms, Wedge Hill, Mount Pleasant Fm, CV Golf Course.
- 07 Weds** HUB CP 9:10 or **RIVERLANDS CP, WICK LANE, Christch'ch 10:00** OL22 GR **SZ152 921**  
**5.0 mls** Circular Hengistbury Head and Wick Village. Normally free parking in winter period.
- 10 Sat** **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 13 Tue** **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 14 Weds** HUB CP 09:10 or **FRITHAM/GORLEY BUSHES CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU 229 140**  
**5.3 mls** Ashley Cross, Coopers Hill, The Butts, Picket Corner, Eyeworth Wood. Can be muddy after rain
- 16 Fri** **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 18 Sun** HUB CP 09:15 or **FROGHAM CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SU 177 129**  
**5.5 mls** Frogham, Hyde Common, Hardly Hill, Sloden/Alderholt enclosures, Hampton Ridge, Windmill Hill.
- 20 Tues** HUB 09:25 or **BROAD CHALKE CHURCH CP 10:00** Exp 130 GR **SU 042 254**  
**3.5 mls** Queen's Head PH, Chalk Pit, Stoke Farthing. One long moderate climb. Refreshments available in the village
- 21 Weds** HUB CP 9:20 or **WOOTTON CP 10:00** Exp OL22 GR **SZ 250 998**  
**5.7 mls** Broadley Inclosure, Set Thorns Inclosure, Wootton Coppice Inclosure.
- 24 Sat** **WALK NOT SUBMITTED**
- 27 Tues** HUB CP 09:00 or **VERELY HILL CP 10:00** Exp OL22 **SU 197 057**  
**3.0 to 4.0 mls** Forest Circular, subject to prevailing ground conditions.
- 28 Weds** HUB CP 09:35 or **FERNDOWN LEISURE CTR 10:00** Exp OL 22 **SU 067 037**  
**5.1 mls** To Hampreston Church and return.
- 30 Fri** HUB CP 09:20 or **PRIBDEAN/GARSTON WOOD CP 10:00** Exp 118 GR **SU 003 195**  
**(Limited Parking Car share if possible)**  
**8.2 mls** Longcroft Road, Ox Drove, Shermel Gate, Sessions Gate

**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 other 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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