

GREENMOUNT VILLAGE COMMUNITY WALKING GROUP

WINTER GUIDED WALKS DECEMBER 2022 to FEBRUARY 2023

All are welcome, no membership required, come regularly or just occasionally on these free guided walks. You are advised to wear appropriate clothing and hiking boots. We will walk even if it is raining! On most of the winter longer walks there is the option of having a café/pub lunch, names and menu are taken at the start and café/pub informed so meal is ready on arrival.

There are plenty of stiles and several steep inclines. Sorry no dogs.

For more information visit our website www.westpennineway.org

MONDAY 5th DECEMBER

This is our special Christmas walk with the option of lunch afterwards at The Miller and Carter, Greenmount. Book at the start of the walk.

Southern Countryside Walk

Meeting Place: Greenmount Old School BL8 4DS

Time Out: 8.40am

Time Back: 12.30pm

Route: Greenmount, Old Kays, Bowstone, Hey Head, Kirklees Trail, Greenmount

Distance 6-7 miles

MON. 12th DECEMBER

Last section of West Pennine Way

Meeting Place: Greenmount Old School BL8 4DS

Time Out: 8.30am

Time Back 3.00pm

Route: Greenmount, Holcombe Ancient Highway, Rossendale Way to Musden Head, West Pennine Way back to Greenmount passing Pilgrims' Cross and Peel Tower

Packed lunch needed

Distance: 11 miles

TUESDAY 27th DECEMBER

Countryside family and friends circular walk

Fresh air and exercise in the Christmas Holidays

Meeting point: outside Greenmount Old School BL8 4DS

Time Out: 10.30am

Time Back: 12.45pm

Route: Kirklees Valley, Brandlesholme Hall, Woodrow, Summerseat, Hazel Hall lane, Greenmount

(Mulled wine and mince pie half way round)

Distance: 4 miles

JANUARY Guided Walks...

MONDAY 9th JANUARY

Sunrise walk over moors to Bull Hill

Meeting Place: Lumb Carr car park BL8 4NN

Time Out: 7am

Time Back: 12pm

Route: Holcombe, Harcles Hill, Pilgrims' Cross, Bull Hill

Back through Ramsbottom and Tagg Wood

Option of breakfast at café in Ramsbottom

Distance: 8 miles

MONDAY 16th JANUARY

Reservoirs circular

Meeting Place: Jumbles Car Park BL2 4JS

Time Out: 8.45am

Time Back: 3.30pm

Route: Jumbles, Wayoh, Entwistle Jumbles

Option: Lunch at a pub.

WEDNESDAY 25th JANUARY

First of 2 walks to complete the Village Link

Meeting Place: Greenmount Old School BL8 4DS

Time Out: 8.40am

Time Back 3.00pm

Route: Greenmount, Kirklees Trail, Walshaw, Ainsworth

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Option: lunch at Ainsworth

Distance: 12 miles

FEBRUARY Guided Walks...

MONDAY 6th FEBRUARY

North Western Countryside walk

Meeting Place: Greenmount Old School BL8 4DS

Time Out: 8.40.am

Time Back: 12.30pm

Route: Greenmount, Two Brooks Valley, Quarlton, Hawkshaw, Greenmount.

Distance: 6 miles

MONDAY 13th FEBRUARY

Eastern hills ramble

Meeting Place: Greenmount Old School

Time Out: 8.40am

Time Back: 3.30pm

Route: Greenmount Burrs, Chesham, Birtle, Buckhurst, Greenmount.

Option: Lunch at a café/pub

Distance: 11 miles

WEDNESDAY 22nd FEBRUARY

Second of 2 walks to complete Village Link

Meeting place: Greenmount Old School

Time Out: 8.30am

Time Back: 3.30pm

Route: Greenmount, Hawkshaw. Holcombe, Ramsbottom,

Grant's Tower, Nangreaves, Summerseat, Greenmount

Option: Lunch at Café/pub

Distance: 12 miles