

Walks Programme December 2022



Always check the website (www.ramblers-oxon.org.uk) to confirm the status of the walk.

All walks will start promptly at the advertised time. You need to arrive about 15 minutes before this to put on boots etc. Please take a drink and a snack for a refreshment stop.

The website walks listings will show walks that have been added or changed since this report was produced. The on-line version may also show a more-detailed walk description and information of public transport and parking.

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Thu 1st	09:30	SU718886 RG9 6EX	Strenuous	13 miles	HG
Maidensgrove, at right angled bend on road to Five Horseshoes. Strenuous, hilly walk around Maidensgrove featuring some or all of Stonor, Southend, various Turvilles, Pishill, Russell's Water and Park Corner, or vice versa. 1850 ft ascent. Please bring picnic lunch. BOOKING REQUIRED by text please. Leader DH 07720 898714					
Thu 1st	10:00	SP776021 HP27 9PD	Moderate	5.5 miles	TW
Bledlow, west of the church. A walk following some of the Ridgeway and Chiltern way via The Cop, Lodge Hill Princes Risborough Golf Course and Saunderton Church. Leader NC 07904 276243					
Thu 1st	10:30	SU288955 SN7 7HU	Leisurely	6.5 miles	V
Faringdon, Market Place, in front of the Old Crown Coaching Inn. From Faringdon Market Place along the Wantage road, turning left then bearing north-east across the fields towards Barcote Lane and onward to Littleworth, returning via farmland to Faringdon. One of the group's "Vale Mince Pie walks for Christmas". Leader WS 07840 295464					
Fri 2nd	10:30	SP341508 CV35 0JZ	Easy	3 miles	BNO
Kington, Gilks Garage Cafe, Banbury Road. Easy walk in the area with optional lunch/drinks at this popular Cafe on the outskirts of Kington. Pub stop at end. Leader AJ 07875 649735					
Sat 3rd	10:00	SU668873 RG9 5SR	Moderate	6.5 miles	HG
Nuffield, church car park (donations welcome). Circular walk via Grim's Ditch and Hailey. Leader AFR 07749 935721					
Sat 3rd	10:00	SP354126 OX29 9UD	Leisurely	7 miles	BK
Hailey, B4022 end of Church Lane. A circular walk via Crawley and Saint John's Wood, please bring a picnic lunch. Leader CP 01865 375110					
Sat 3rd	10:00	SP474356 OX17 3NE	Strenuous	6 miles	BNO
Adderbury, The Green. Covering over 6 miles in under 2 hours. No refreshment stop but Red Lion pub at the end. NB This walk is intended to be a cardiovascular workout. Leader JT 07772 448409					
Sat 3rd	10:00	SU603987 OX44 7AG	Moderate	6 miles	TW
Stadhampton, village hall at St John's Church. Work up an appetite by walking from Stadhampton to Newington and back by Drayton St Leonard. Please consider car sharing. This is ahead of our Christmas lunch for which pre-booking is essential - deadline 18th November, contact Linda King. Registered Assistance Dogs only. Leader KK 01865 890829 / 07767 158074					
Sat 3rd	10:00	SU457850 OX12 8QU	Moderate	8 miles	V
East Hendred, Ridgeway car park due south of East Hendred. From Scutchamer Knob, down to West Ilsley, then through open countryside back to Ridgeway. Over Bury Down and back to Scutchamer. Bring a picnic or snack. Leader CS 01235 203459 / 07976 791848					

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Sat 3rd	10:30	SP704142 HP18 0HD	Moderate	9.5 miles	HO
Ashendon, playing fields car park, Lower Road (opposite the church). Scenic walk through pristine Bucks countryside north of the Chilterns. We start on top of the hill in Ashendon and make our way over rolling hills towards Cuddington. There are fine views along the way and we reach the Thame Valley. We cross the river twice before heading off towards the famous Waddesdon Estate. We'll climb the hill adjacent to the hill with Waddesdon Manor and see a Grand Designs award winning house on the estate. Then we follow the route back to the hill in Ashendon. Bring packed lunch. Pub drinks after the walk at The Hundred of Ashendon. Leader DL					
Sun 4th	09:30	SU725955 OX49 5HX	Moderate	12 miles	HG
Christmas Common, Cowleaze Wood (south end of car park). Cowleaze Wood, Wormsley Estate, Northfield, Greenfield, Dumbledore, The Ridgeway, Watlington Hill, Shirburn Wood, Cowleaze Wood. Please bring a picnic lunch. PLEASE NOTE EARLY START. Leader CW 01753 865583					
Sun 4th	09:30	SP357196 OX7 3PQ	Moderate	12 miles	WO
Charlbury, Spendlove Centre car park. To Cleveley and Over Kiddington via Ditchley. Please bring packed lunch. Booking required by email. Leader AC 01608 810283					
Sun 4th	10:00	SP595057 OX33 1NH	Moderate	8 miles	OWW
Meet at car park on Church road, near the bus stop for Wheatley Church, behind the King & Queen pub. Starting from Wheatley, a tour of Shotover Country Park and Bresenose Wood taking in the village of Horspath and depending on conditions, possibly also Garsington. Leader Peter R 07480 048440					
Sun 4th	10:00	SP580380 NN13 6JJ	Moderate	9.5 miles	BNO
Brackley, Leisure Centre, Springfield Way. Good views out to the South and West as we head towards Steane stopping by the fish ponds and on to Hinton airfield and village for a picnic lunch stop with optional pub drinks. Return via St James' Lake in Brackley. Pub stop. Leader ME 07768 032269					
Sun 4th	10:00	SP466316 OX15 0SB	Moderate	11 miles	BK
Deddington, market place (underneath the arches). Either an all-day 11 mile figure of eight walk via Clifton and Hempton or walk in the morning only. Please bring a picnic lunch if walking all day. Leader MG 07939 826412					
Sun 4th	13:00	SP466316 OX15 0SB	Moderate	5.5 miles	BK
Deddington, market place (underneath the arches). Afternoon walk via Hempton. Leader MG 07939 826412					
Mon 5th	10:00	SP451061 OX2 9NS	Leisurely	4 miles	BK
Farmoor Reservoir car park. A circular walk around Farmoor Reservoir where dogs are not allowed. Optional cafe stop at end. Leader CP 01865 375110					
Tue 6th	10:00	SU682902 RG9 6EA	Moderate	7 miles	DW
Swyncombe, the church. This regular walk in the Chiltern foothills, on the first Tuesday in the month, will start this month at Swyncombe. The walk distance will vary between 6 and 8 miles and usually include a few hills. Dogs on short leads. Leader PM 01491 202265 / 07790 202800					

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Tue 6th	10:30	SP487094 OX2 8PG	Moderate	7 miles	V/WO
Wolvercote, Port Meadow car park. To Swinford via the Thames Path returning via the Oxford Greenbelt Way. Picnic lunch. A joint Vale and West Oxon walk on the 1st Tuesday of the month. One of the group's 'Vale Mince Pie walks for Christmas'. Leader PSK 01235 533757 / 07961 122492					
Tue 6th	15:30	TQ290812 W1B 2EL	Leisurely	4.5 miles	BK
London, Oxford Circus underground station, Argyle Street entrance/exit. Annual Christmas lights walk from Oxford Circus. A short walk through the West End to look at lights in the well known streets. We go across the river and end up in the St. James Park area to see the Thames at night. Optional meal at the end of the walk - please contact the leader. Group tickets from Bicester North (meet 13.40). Booking required. Registered Assistance Dogs only. Leader MG 07939 826412					
Wed 7th	09:30	SU760826 RG9 2BG	Moderate	6.5 miles	HG
Henley-on-Thames, Bell Street bus stop outside Starbucks. Catch the 850 bus outside Starbucks at 9.30 to Pound Lane, Marlow. Follow Shakespeare's Way as far as Great Wood then pick up the path through the woods down to Dairy Lane to catch a bus back to Henley. Booking advisable to confirm bus time. Dogs by agreement with walk leader. Leader SA 07462 404011					
Wed 7th	10:00	SU429970 OX13 5HB	Leisurely	4 miles	O
Frilford, Millets Farm Centre. Millets Farm Centre is on the South side of the A415 between Frilford and Kingston Bagpuize and has ample parking. Meet near the entrance to Webbs (no longer Frosts) Garden Centre at Millets Farm Centre. The walk takes us past the animals at Millets before going through Phoebe Wood and on to Garford and beyond. We return to Millets on a permissive path. There are no hills but there are 4 stiles. There are two possibilities for a snack on site after the walk and opportunities for doing a bit of Christmas shopping/retail therapy! Leader WT 01865 558709 / 07485 174720					
Wed 7th	10:30	SU666840 RG8 0TE	Easy	3 miles	HG
Checkendon, The Black Horse PH. Easy walk in the local area. Optional light baguette lunch at the pub afterwards. Booking advised if staying for lunch. Email leader to book. cheerful.tilley@googlemail.com					
Wed 7th	13:30	SP458416 OX16 3JJ	Leisurely	4 miles	BNO
Banbury, Spiceball North car park (free). Anti-clockwise around the reservoir and through the wood to towpath. Towpath to the flood embankment. Anti-clockwise around the borrow pit to the path by the railway. Under the motorway and a loop of the field. Back under the motorway to complete the loop of the borrow pit. Back to complete a loop of the wood and then the reservoir. Leader BHe 07772 474459					
Thu 8th	09:30	SU709935 OX49 5HS	Strenuous	13.5 miles	HG
Watlington Hill NT car park. Plenty of ups and downs. Towards Ibstone and over to Greenfields, Northend and Dame Alice Farm before the final ascent back to the cars. 1850 ft ascent. Please bring picnic lunch. Leader SM 07835 872791					

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Thu 8th	10:30	SU497970 OX14 3HF	Leisurely	5 miles	V	Sun 11th	10:00	SU759832 RG9 2JA	Moderate	11.5 miles	HG
Abingdon, Market Place outside Java&Co. A walk through many of Abingdon's green spaces. One of the series of regular leisurely walks from Abingdon held on the second Thursday of every month. One of the group's "Vale Mince Pie walks for Christmas". Leader BE 01865 736973						Henley-on-Thames, Dry Leas long stay car park (past Rugby club), charges apply. Undulating walk via Crowsley park to the Lodden Brewery for lunch (or bring your own) then back via Shiplake and Harpsden. Car parking £3.50. Leader IM 07505 733732					
Fri 9th	10:00	SU645820 RG8 0QY	Moderate	4.5 miles	HG	Sun 11th	13:30	SU526882 OX11 9LP	Moderate	6 miles	DW
Woodcote, village hall car park. A circular walk around the edges of Woodcote with mulled wine and mince pie at leaders house. Booking essential. Leader SM 07835 872791						East Hagbourne, Upper Cross near the church. A monthly village ramble that varies from 5 to 7 miles. Booking required by email. Leader PC 01235 816365					
Fri 9th	10:30	SU645820 RG8 0QY	Leisurely	3 miles	HG	Sun 11th	14:00	SP308394 OX15 5AR	Leisurely	4 miles	BNO
Woodcote, village hall car park. A circular walk around the edges of Woodcote with mulled wine and mince pie at leaders house. Booking essential on 07835 872791. Leader JuC 01491 641567 / 07810 662513						Brailes, village hall car park (Parking donations appreciated). A leisurely afternoon walk to Winderton and returning through Lower Brailes. Leader AJ 07875 649735					
Sat 10th	09:00	SU397877 OX12 9BX	Moderate	15 miles	V	Tue 13th	10:00	SU684840 RG9 5QA	Moderate	11.2 miles	HG
Wantage, The Beacon (formerly the Civic Hall), Portway. A Winter walk leaving Wantage to Letcombe Regis, then up to the ancient Segsbury Fort along the Ridgeway, pass Lord Wantage's monument and down to the Church at Farnborough for picnic. We then head back and cross the Ridgeway and descend into Wantage. Leader JK&PR 07418078044						Stoke Row, Chapel. The walk will head north through Bush Wood then west towards Hailey crossing Ipsden Heath. Heading south passing round Checkendon crossing Kingswood Common before returning to Stoke Row. Book via text to leader. Bring a picnic lunch. Leader LB 07904 509027					
Sat 10th	10:00	SP312270 OX7 5LJ	Moderate	11.5 miles	WO	Tue 13th	10:00	SP477116 OX5 1PY	Leisurely	5 miles	BK
Chipping Norton, New Street car park. Hilly in places walk to Long Compton via Salford and Little Rollright. Back via Salford using different paths. Picnic required. Booking required by email. Leader MS 01865 735626						Yarnton, the church. A circular walk via the Oxford Canal and Begbroke. Leader CP 01865 375110					
Sat 10th	10:00	SP566283 OX27 8RU	Leisurely	5 miles	BK	Tue 13th	10:00	SP778021 HP27 9PD	Leisurely	4 miles	TW
Stoke Lyne, the church. From Stoke Lyne to Bainton and Hardwick. Leader RS 01280 702113 / 07967 370206						Bledlow, the church. Level walk across fields and along quiet country lanes, with coffee stop at the Peacock Country Inn. Long views and maybe a Gloucester Old Spot pig to tickle. Just a few stiles to cross on the way. Leader RC 01844 213608 / 07788 190170					
Sat 10th	10:00	SP466316 OX15 0SE	Strenuous	6 miles	BNO	Tue 13th	10:00	SU489859 OX11 0SR	Moderate	8 miles	V
Deddington Market Place, underneath the arches. Covering some 6 miles over undulating ground in under two hours. No refreshment stop. NB This walk is intended to be a cardiovascular workout. Pub stop at end. Leader JT 07772 448409						Chilton, village hall car park. From the downland village of Chilton we go up to the Ridgeway National Trail and head west past Scutchamer Knob then drop down to the spring line village of Ginge. Then we follow the Ginge Brook to the new bridge improved as part of the Icknield Greenway. We follow the Greenway until the Harwell Campus where we head back to Chilton. One of the group's "Vale Mince Pie walks for Christmas". Leader JG 07968 710869					
Sat 10th	10:00	SP708057 OX9 3EX	Moderate	4.5 miles	TW	Wed 14th	10:00	SP525313 OX27 7JB	Leisurely	4.5 miles	BK
Thame, Christchurch opposite Upper High Street car park. A short circular walk via the villages of Kingsey and Towersey. Return on the Phoenix Trail. Registered Assistance Dogs only. Leader WM 01844 215364						Souldern, village hall. A circular walk via Aynho. Leader MG 07939 826412					
Sun 11th	10:00	SP308394 OX15 5AR	Moderate	7.5 miles	BNO	Wed 14th	10:00	SU479840 -	Moderate	8.9 miles	DW
Brailes, village hall car park (Parking donations appreciated). Circular route to the South West, circumnavigating Brailes Hill. Route dependent on weather and ensuring we return in time for lunch and optional leisurely afternoon walk. Leader ME 07768 032269						Bury Down car park. Circular walk along the Ridgeway and East and West Ginge, returning via Lands End. Leader DB 07724 767655					
Sun 11th	10:00	SP410221 OX20 1DB	Leisurely	6 miles	BK	Wed 14th	10:00	SU611894 OX10 8EB	Leisurely	5.5 miles	O
Over Kiddington, New Gate Farm Industrial Estate car park just of A44. A circular walk - the Kiddington Estate loop. Leader Nicola 07881 863360						Wallingford, bridge car park. From the Car Park (max £2) we walk alongside the Thames and take a path to the Ridgeway, then paths and fields to Mongewell and return to Wallingford on the Thames Path. Lunch stop at Wallingford. Booking required. Leader RJ 07488 333456					
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Wed 14th	10:30	SU712797 RG4 9NJ	Easy	3 miles	HG	Sat 17th	10:00	SP527358 OX17 3DR	Strenuous	7 miles	BNO
Sonning Common, Herb Farm. Easy, fairly flat walk to the West of Sonning Common. Optional light lunch at the Cafe afterwards and the Herb Farm always has many Festive things on sale. Please let the leader know if you wish to eat. Leader RJ 01189 722776 / 07786 743681						Charlton, at The Rose and Crown pub. Covering some 7 miles over undulating ground in about two hours. No refreshment stop. NB This walk is intended to be a cardiovascular workout. Pub stop at end. Leader JT 07772 448409					
Wed 14th	13:30	SP395293 OX7 4DB	Moderate	5.7 miles	BNO	Sat 17th	10:00	SP501195 OX5 3HJ	Leisurely	4.5 miles	BK
Great Tew, village car park. To Nether Worton and Ledwell. Terrain: Mainly flat, fields and tracks. Leader DL 01295 788474 / 07544 369361						Kirtlington, village hall car park. A circular walk via Pigeon Lock pausing for a "mince pie" break. Also optional Christmas lunch afterwards at the Oxford Arms which must be booked with the leader. Leader RS 01280 702113 / 07967 370206					
Wed 14th	16:30	TQ285810 W1R 1FE	Leisurely	4 miles	HG	Sun 18th	10:00	SP776021 HP27 9PD	Moderate	8 miles	TW
London, Bond St. Underground Station. Leisurely evening walk round streets of Central London to see Christmas Lights; followed by meal in restaurant in Covent Garden. Advance booking essential (latest by 4th December). Registered Assistance Dogs only. Leader P&JS 01491 412330 / 07747 842023						Bledlow, west of the church. Starting from the Lions of Bledlow we walk to the Ridgeway via Swan's Way, passing the nature reserve, then descend to Bledlow Circular Ride (BCR) and Radnage. There will be a stop for lunch in the churchyard - bring a picnic. We will then go through another nature reserve to Bledlow Ridge to rejoin the BCR skirting Lodge Hill. Registered Assistance Dogs only. Leader J&GE 07900 274415					
Thu 15th	09:30	SU726898 RG9 6HH	Strenuous	13 miles	HG	Sun 18th	10:00	SP395293 OX7 4DB	Leisurely	6.5 miles	BNO
Pishill, the church. Join Jude at Pishill Church to circle near Stonor, Turville Heath, Ibstone and Northend using parts of the Chiltern Way, Oxfordshire Way and Shakespeare's Way. 1800ft ascent. The church would appreciate contributions for car parking. Please car share if possible. Please bring a picnic lunch. Booking required. Leader JSt 07962 426224						Great Tew, village car park. A beautiful 6/7 miles leisurely Sunday saunter in the area. Coffee stop and pub/coffee at the end. Pub stop at end. Leader JT 07772 448409					
Thu 15th	10:00	SP518062 OX1 4AP	Moderate	5.6 miles	TW	Sun 18th	10:00	SP581238 OX26 3HA	Moderate	10 miles	BK
Oxford, High St by Queens Lane Coffee House. Inner city, river, canals and parks. Options to eat at end of walk, and visit Christmas market in Broad street. Bus friendly. Registered Assistance Dogs only. Leader RD 01865 761253 / 07866 570397						Bicester, Bure Park car park near COOP. A circular walk from Bure Park via Trow Pool, Middleton Stony and Chesterton. Please bring a picnic lunch. Leader MG 07939 826412					
Thu 15th	10:30	SU397877 OX12 9BX	Leisurely	6 miles	V	Mon 19th	09:30	SU668873 RG9 5SR	Moderate	5.7 miles	HG
Wantage, The Beacon (formerly the Civic Hall), Portway. Circular walk from Wantage through Letcombe Regis to Letcombe Basset and gently up to The Ridgeway for winter views. Return to Wantage. Most of the route is on firm ground. Pay and Display parking is available at The Beacon, which is a short walk from the Market Square and bus stops. One of the group's "Vale Mince Pie walks for Christmas". Leader PM 01235 868216 / 07975 670553						Nuffield, church car park (donations welcome). A brisk walk via Homer Farm and Hailey, then Woodhouse Farm and the Ridgeway. Followed by our Carol service then lunch at The Maker Space. Leader SM 07835 872791					
Fri 16th	10:30	SP474356 OX17 3NE	Easy	2.9 miles	BNO	Mon 19th	09:30	SU668873 RG9 5SR	Moderate	5.7 miles	HG
Adderbury, The Green. A figure of eight walk around the lakes and village with only one stile. Please wear something Christmassy for this walk. Pub stop at end. Leader Roy Clements 01295 710143 / 07549 069854						Nuffield, church car park (donations welcome). A moderate walk, initially along the Ridgeway, then Woodhouse Farm, Hailey, and Ridgeway Farmhouse. Followed by our Carol service then lunch at The Maker Space. Leader AFr 07749 935721					
Sat 17th	09:30	SU825840 SL6 5NB	Moderate	12 miles	HG	Mon 19th	10:00	SP595057 OX33 1XT	Moderate	5.2 miles	TW
Hurley, village car park. Most of the route follows the Hurley and the Berkshire Munros walk as per 50 Great walks in the Chilterns book. We will walk up to the first top at the start of the walk and stay high up. Coffee & cakes at the Cake Studio at Crazies Hill. We then walk down to Remenham Church for lunch and walk back along the Thames. Bring packed lunch. Leader AH 07894 580413						Wheatley, public car park off Church Road, behind King and Queen PH. Undulating walk to Cuddesdon and back. Some steady ups and downs with the reward of great views. Leader APa 01865 423555 / 07919 046330					
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						Nuffield, church car park (donations welcome). Little Common, Hayden Farm, towards Nuffield Golf Course. Followed by our Carol service then lunch at The Maker Space. Leader JuC 01491 641567 / 07810 662513					
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Tue 20th	10:00	SU668873 RG9 5SR	Leisurely	5.5 miles	DW
Nuffield, church car park (donations welcome). To Nettlebed via Howberrywood, returning via Groveridge Wood and Park Wood. Registered Assistance Dogs only. Leader RB 07719 692355					
Tue 20th	10:00	SP395293 OX7 4DB	Leisurely	4 miles	BK
Great Tew, village car park. A circular walk in the Great Tew area. Leader MG 07939 826412					
Tue 20th	10:30	SP431094 OX29 4QP	Leisurely	5 miles	WO/V
Eynsham, Back Lane, Clover Place car park. Please email valeramblers@gmail.com (see link below) to book a place on this walk. A circular walk around Eynsham with Mince Pies provided free of charge. Joint West Oxfordshire and Vale Groups walk. Leader RC 01865 880105 / 07539 794759					
Wed 21st	10:00	SU525855 OX11 9HF	Leisurely	5 miles	O
Blewbury, the recreation ground car park, Boham's Road off the A417. From Blewbury we go to East Hagbourne Church to see the decorations, on to Upton and back to Blewbury. Booking required. Leader RoW 07899 716838					
Wed 21st	11:00	SU741815 RG9 4PR	Moderate	4 miles	HG
Henley-on-Thames, Highlands Lane. Short walk towards Rotherfield Peppard and back. Leader IM 07505 733732					
Wed 21st	13:30	SP413417 OX15 6PT	Leisurely	4 miles	BNO
Wroxton, duck pond. Initially heading towards Horley we will cross the Sor Brook and return through Drayton and visit the Obelisk. Leader MCP 07505 023246					
Thu 22nd	09:30	SU785865 RG9 6RP	Strenuous	13 miles	HG
Hambleton, public car park. Strenuous, hilly walk around Hambleton valley, visiting Pheasants, Little Frieth, Fingest, several Turvilles (including windmill), Southend. 1800 ft ascent. Please bring picnic lunch. Note that the Stag and Huntsman car park costs £5.00 per day. BOOKING REQUIRED by text please. Leader DH 07720 898714					
Thu 22nd	10:30	SU497970 OX14 3HF	Moderate	8 miles	V
Abingdon, Market Place outside Java&Co. To Sutton Courtenay via the Thames Path. Return via Sutton Wick, New Cut Mill and the Ock Valley. One of the series of regular moderate walks from Abingdon held on the fourth Thursday of every month. One of the group's "Vale Mince Pie walks for Christmas". Leader PL 07521 333430					
Sun 25th	11:00	SU759832 RG9 2JA	Moderate	6 miles	HG
Henley-on-Thames, Dry Leas long stay car park (past Rugby club), charges apply. Christmas walk in Lambridge wood and rounds Greys Court. Mulled Wine and Mince Pies afterwards. Booking required. £3.50 car parking fee. Leader IM 07505 733732					
Mon 26th	10:00	SP312270 OX7 5LJ	Leisurely	6 miles	BK
Chipping Norton, New Street car park. A Chipping Norton and Over Norton loop. Leader Nicola 07881 863360					

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Mon 26th	10:00	SP519037 OX1 4XG	Moderate	9 miles	WO
Oxford, Redbridge Park & Ride. Very pleasant walk to Chilswell Valley via Bagley Wood and Bayworth. Back via South Hinksey, Iflley and the Thames Path. Picnic required. Booking required by email. Leader MS 01865 735626					
Mon 26th	10:30	SU647911 OX10 6PG	Leisurely	6 miles	DW
Ewelme, Cow Common car park. A 6-mile leisurely circular walk in the Chilterns. Registered Assistance Dogs only. Leader KH 07966 756770					
Tue 27th	10:00	SP603287 OX27 8DS	Leisurely	4.5 miles	BK
Fringford, the green near village hall. A circular walk via Cottisford and Hethe. Leader MG 07939 826412					
Wed 28th	10:00	SU492811 RG20 7LF	Leisurely	5 miles	O
East Ilsley, The Swan PH car park. Please park in the car park of the Swan Hotel, East Ilsley if wishing to eat at the pub after the walk, otherwise park in the road. A walk on the Downs passing over the Ridgeway to Compton Down and returning. Booking required. Leader JC 01235 835618 / 07497 754404					
Wed 28th	10:00	SP501042 OX1 5AB	Leisurely	5 miles	V
Hinksey Heights car park. A circular history walk, with pauses, to explore the evolving landscape of North and South Hinksey. One of the group's "Vale Mince Pie walks for Christmas". Leader BE 01865 736973					
Wed 28th	10:00	SU525855 OX11 9HF	Moderate	8.7 miles	DW
Blewbury, the recreation ground car park, Boham's Road off the A417. Circular walk to East Ilsley via East Ilsley Down and Compton Downs. Leader DB 07724 767655					
Wed 28th	10:30	SU745815 RG9 1QX	Easy	2.5 miles	HG
Henley-on-Thames, Greys Road layby. Walk in local area. Coffee and mince pies in leader's garden at end if weather is fine. Booking required. Leader HC 01491 575727 / 07738 760360					
Wed 28th	13:30	SP459382 OX16 9PF	Leisurely	3.5 miles	BNO
Bodicote, car park off White Post Road near the new development by David Wilson Homes. The Bodicote Circular Walk, including old mills over the Sor. The walk is in association with the new 'Pavilions' development by David Wilson Homes. Leader SC 07952 547125					
Thu 29th	09:30	SU702868 RG9 5AX	Strenuous	13.9 miles	HG
Nettlebed, The Old Kiln. Most of the hills in the early part of the walk, via Maidensgrove, Pishill and Russell's Water; later we pass Swyncombe House and Swyncombe Down and up to Ewelme Park. 1700 ft ascent. Please bring picnic lunch. Leader SM 07835 872791					
Fri 30th	10:00	SP395293 OX7 4DB	Leisurely	6.5 miles	BNO
Great Tew, village car park. Day 1 of our 10x10@10 post Xmas walks, about 10Km starting at 10am. A beautiful 6/7 miles leisurely walk in the area. Coffee stop. Pub stop at end. Leader JT 07772 448409					
Fri 30th	10:00	SP447168 OX20 1JQ	Leisurely	5 miles	BK
Woodstock, Hensington Road car park. Woodstock to Long Meadow Nature Reserve and back via Hill Rise and the A44. Leader PR 07308 023477					

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Fri 30th	10:30	SU702868 RG9 5AX	Moderate	5.5 miles	HG
Nettlebed, The Green. Undulating walk in the local area followed by Christmas Cake, mince pies and mulled wine. Booking required. Leader JuC 01491 641567 / 07810 662513					
Sat 31st	10:00	SP455283 OX25 6JS	Strenuous	7 miles	BNO
Duns Tew, near White Horse PH. Day 2 of our 10x10@10 post Xmas walks. Covering some 7 miles over undulating ground in about two hours. No refreshment stop. NB This walk is intended to be a cardiovascular workout. Pub stop at end. Leader JT 07772 448409					
Sat 31st	10:00	SP434260 OX7 7EE	Leisurely	8.5 miles	BK
Middle Barton, sports field car park, Worton Road. A circular walk via Radford and Sandford St. Martin, please bring a picnic lunch. Leader CP 01865 375110					

Oxfordshire Ramblers AGM

Saturday 21 January 2023 at 14:00

Wootton & Dry Sandford Community Village Hall (SP474010, OX13 6DA)

The meeting will include a guest speaker provided by Ramblers central office.

This year's AGM will be hosted by Vale of White Horse Group. There will be a 4-mile Leisurely walk beforehand starting at 10:00 - A short walk around Boar's Hill exploring the local history.

You may eat your own picnic lunch in the hall or there is a pub, The Bystander nearby. (This is a Greene King pub so it will have some real ale and a large menu including light bites and a seniors menu.) Tea, coffee and cakes will be available after the AGM.

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