

U3A Monday WALKING GROUP – Weeks beginning 8th January – 18th March 2024

On rare occasions a walk may need to be cancelled due to:

- a) The weather forecast conditions that would make it dangerous to proceed with the walk.
- b) Emergency personal situations make it impossible / very difficult to lead the walk.

Make sure you have the contact details of the walk leader in case you are delayed for the start of the walk

- Bring own personal first aid requirements, e.g. sanitizer, sting relief, plasters, sun cream
- Carry details of your preferred emergency contact, either on mobile phone or written on a piece of paper
- Lunch - organised by the walk leader(s) at their discretion

DATE	MEETING PLACE / GRID REFERENCE	DETAILS	DISTANCE
Monday 8th January 10.30	Silbury Hill Car Park, near Beckhampton. SU 097 685.	Walking round the stones at Avebury, down the Avenue, back over Waden Hill to Silbury Hill. Very muddy in places.	~ 4 miles
Monday 15th January 10.30	Car Park near Combe Gibbet. RG17 9EL. SU370 621 What 3 words: ruling,jobs,country. Lunch available at the Downgate, Hungerford common.	East along the Wayfarers way, South and downhill to Combe village, back North and West to Wayfarers way past Combe Gibbet and Westbury Hill. Even terrain no stiles, although a steep climb from Combe to the	4.5 miles
Monday 22nd January 10.30	Roundway Hill White Horse Car Park SU 015 641 What3Words: https://w3w.co/	Starting at the Roundway White Horse Car Park, we'll take a walk around Roundway Down, whilst trying to avoid the worst of the mud and inquisitive cattle!	4 miles
Monday 29th January 10.30	Dumb Post Inn, Bremhill, Calne SU 975 727	Heading north before heading south west, visiting the Maud Heath monument, continuing to Bencroft Hill and back to Bremhill. Lunch at The Dumb Post Inn, which is a lovely pub with fab	4 miles

Monday 5th February 10.30	Knap Hill car park SU 117 637	Walk up to Gophers Wood, with excellent views across the Pewsey Vale, plus woodland.	~ 4 miles
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Monday 12th February 10.30	Salisbury Plain: Meet at tank crossing on A342 between Upavon Camp and Lower Everleigh. Grant's Firs car park area. SU 175 550 What 3 words:	Skies, skies, skies!. Good tracks, no stiles and mostly undulating. Lunch at Upavon Golf Club SU 152 545	4 miles
Monday 19th February 10.30	Elcot Lane (behind The Roebuck) SU 197 692 What 3 words: ///eagles.snow.users	Head up the Railway Path and return via the Og Valley including the new Bay Meadows Nature Reserve and the new mural in Stonebridge Reserve. Mostly level ground with no stiles. Some road walking. Likely to be muddy in parts, so	~ 4 miles
Monday 26th February 10.30	Rockley	Details TBC	
Monday 4th March 10.30	Meet at the Workway Drove car park on the Lockeridge to Alton Barnes road SU 116 637.	Along the Wansdyke Path, Gopher Wood & Knap Hill	4.25 miles
Monday 11th March 10.30	Royal Oak, Bishopstone, SN6 8PP SU245837	Circular route up to the Ridgeway, head north-east and return via Idstone.	4.2 miles

Monday 18th March 10.30	Low Lane, Calne. SU 005 705 A4 into Calne. 2nd Right past the school. At the T Road turn right and bear left into Low Lane. Limited parking on roadside	Town & Country walk around Calne. Gentle incline and no stiles.	~4 miles
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