Cambridge University Rambling Club Easter Term 1991

We go rambling every second Sunday in Full Term. New ramblers are welcome at any time—there's no need to sign up beforehand. The rambles explore the villages and countryside around Cambridge. We often stop off briefly in a village pub to sample the atmosphere and eat our lunches—but don't count on it! Between terms we try to arrange holidays further afield. Membership is £1 for the year. Items to bring/wear are: boots or strong shoes; waterproofs and warm clothing; money for the train or bus; liquid refreshment and a packed lunch.

Sunday 5th May

Stort River Walk

12 miles

Along the Stort river towpath from Bishop's Stortford to Roydon, skirting around Sawbridgeworth and Harlow. This is the walk that was snowed off last term. Those wanting a shorter walk may be interested to know that we pass close to three other railway stations en route.

Out: Train at 10:58 to Bishop's Stortford, arriving 11:35

Back: Train at 17:12 from Roydon to Cambridge, arriving 18:10

Sunday 12th May

OXFAM walk for Ethiopia

4/10/20 miles

This year's OXFAM walk is in aid of the re-greening of south eastern Ethiopia. This is a sponsored walk and would be fun to do with a group of friends—see who can raise the most money! Details and sponsorship forms can be obtained from the OXFAM shops, or by ringing (0223) 358758.

Sunday 19th May.

Wicken Fen

8+ miles

Come and see what the Fens used to look like before they were drained! A 'must' for naturalists. Entry is £2, but National Trust members get in free if they bring their membership card.

Out: Cambus 109 at 10:15 to Stretham church, arriving 10:48

Back: Cambus 109 from Stretham at 17:49 to Cambridge, arriving 18:22

Sunday 2nd June

Brandon to Thetford

10 miles

We will walk through Thetford Forest, following the course of the Little Ouse along the Norfolk/Suffolk boundary. This is one of the largest forests in England.

Out: Train at 11:15 to Brandon, arriving 12:03

Back: Train at 17:47 from Thetford to Cambridge, arriving 18:39

Saturday 15th June

To Grantchester by punt

4 miles

Punt out to Grantchester, have dinner in one of the pubs, and float back downstream in the moonlight. What could be more pleasant? Some idea of numbers would be helpful, but don't worry—it takes a lot of people to sink a punt!

Out: Meet at Trinity punts at 19:00

Back: ?

Meeting places: Unless otherwise indicated ...

Train:

Inside the main building.

Bus: Near the refresment kiosk.

Please arrive at least ten minutes early.

If you have enjoyed this year's rambles and would like to help with the society next year, please contact one of us below by pigeon-hole, or on a ramble.

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