CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY RAMBLING CLUB

Lent Term 1992

We go rambling every second weekend in Full Term. New ramblers are welcome at any time - there's no need to sign up beforehand. The ramblers 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 free. Items to bring/wear are: boots or strong shoes, waterproof and warm clothing; money for the train or bus, liquid refreshment and a packed lunch.

Sunday 26th January

Stort River Walk

12 miles

Along the Stort River towpath from Bishop's Stortford to Roydon, skirting around Sawbridgeworth and Harlow. Those wanting a shorter walk may be interested to know that we pass close to three railway stations en route.

Out:

Train at 9.55 to Bishop's Stortford

Saturday 8th February

Back: Train at 16.12 from Roydon to Cambridge

8 miles

Along the Devil's Ditch, a great Anglo-Saxon defensive earthwork, watching the racehorses exercising on Newmarket Heath, to Woodditton with its lovely woodland setting and church with 15th C font and screen.

Reach to Woodditton

Bus at 11.00 to Reach

Back: Train at 17.28 from Dullingham to Cambridge

Sunday 23rd February

Addenbrookes to Linton

8 miles

Along a stretch of the very straight Roman Road, Via Devana (chariots only!).

Meet at 10.30 at the bus-stop at Addenbrookes Hospital

Back: Bus at 15.26 from Linton to Cambridge

Saturday 7th March

Orwell to Meldreth

6 miles

Through wooded farmland surrounding Wimpole Hall, the largest mansion in Cambridgeshire, with a grand 17th C facade; we hope to be in time for lambing season.

Out:

Bus at 10.45 to Orwell

Back: Train at 16,09 from Meldreth to Cambridge

Meeting places unless otherwise indicated...

Train: Just outside the entrance to the main station building.

Bus: At the corner of Drummer Street and Emmanuel Street near Christ's Pieces.

Please arrive at least ten minutes early as public transport is liable to weekend alterations.

Contact: Gordon Lyon (Trinity)