

Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	
08.30	<b>Registration opens for the 09.05 walk</b>
08.45	<b>Festival Launch</b> by the Mayor of Whitchurch, Cllr. Andy Hall with the Whitchurch Pirate.
09.05 FW	<b>Bronington by bus</b> ● 09.22 bus 146 to Bronington. Walk back via Fenn's Wood Brickwalls & Alkington finishing at "The Apple Core". Dot Bishop 7m ❖ ☒
09.30 IO	<b>Ins &amp; Outs of Whitchurch</b> An easy walk discovering short-cuts in the town. Sue Garner 3m £2 🍷 <i>This walk can be combined with either afternoon walk.</i>
09.50 PS	<b>Prees &amp; Soulton Circular</b> ● 10.05 bus 511 to Prees & 15.50 back. Walk from Prees to Soulton Hall & back via Lower Heath. Mick Hobson 6.5m ❖
10.30 RR ®	<b>Rail Ramble</b> ● Register at Whitchurch rail station for 10.48 train to Wrenbury. Pub drinks stop near end. Malcolm Monie 6.5m ❖
13.30 WW	<b>Round trip to Whitewell</b> .heading out of town along the canal to Wolvesacre, Kiln Green, Whitewell & Hall Green. David Portch 5-6m 🍷
13.40 HC	<b>Whitchurch Ramblers Wellbeing Walk to Hadley Cafe</b> A leisurely walk with no stiles via Belton, Llangollen Canal, Refreshment stop at Hadley Cafe. Bev Boffey 4m £2 Dogs welcome.
20.00	<b>Folk Session</b> at The Wheatsheaf Hotel, Green End with Jigsmith; bring instruments and voices or just yourself. Admission free.

❖	Packed lunch & drink required
●	Bus or train fare payable
🍷	Bring a drink [& snack]
®	Registration at location indicated
☒	No dogs

Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	
08.20 CB1	<b>Canal boat 1: Lyneal Wharf to Ellesmere, &amp; walk to Welshampton</b> Minibus out and back. Andy Fitton 6m £5/£4 ❖
09.00 HP	<b>Hawkstone Park &amp; Follies</b> Minibus both ways. Baz Fewster & Roger Whitehouse 5m £9/£5 ❖ ☒
09.25 CB2	<b>Canal boat 2: Bronington to Hampton Bank</b> ● 09.43 bus 146 to Bronington. Walk across Fenn's Moss, boat to Hampton Bank and minibus back. Nigel Hart 6.5m £5/£4 ❖
09.35 WC	<b>Whittington area</b> Minibus to Whittington Castle, circular walk ending at the Castle Cafe. Minibus back. Tony Eccleston 6.5m ❖
09.45 TM	<b>Three Meres</b> Blakemere, Oss Mere and the mere with no name. Paul Sears 6.5m 🍷
10.20 CB3	<b>Canal boat 3: Tilstock to Hampton Bank The Mosses</b> Minibus to Ellesmere Tunnel, boat to Bettisfield, walk via Bettisfield & Wem Mosses to Whixall Marina. Minibus back. Malcolm Monie 6m £5/£4 ❖
13.30 RH	<b>Whitchurch's Railway Heritage</b> Walk around the town exploring the railway history of Whitchurch, once a busy junction. Bill Webb 3m 3.5h ☒ 🍷
13.40 NN	<b>North by North-East</b> Explore the high ground and views northeast of Whitchurch Gerald Moss 5m 🍷 ☒
19.30- 22.30 CE	<b>Ceilidh</b> at The Brownlow Centre, Claypit St, SY13 1LF. Local band Jigsmith, raffle & cash bar. Doors open 19.00 £9/£5 incl food.

Day walks	Morning walks	Afternoon walks	Evening activities

All walks should be booked in advance by going to [whitchurchwalkers.co.uk](http://whitchurchwalkers.co.uk) where full details of each walk can be found. Walks have limited places which may vary between walks. Distances in miles. Timings where given are approximate but include travel time. All walks are £3 except where specified otherwise. If you cannot book online, please phone or text Malcolm on 07746 687242 by Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2024. Dogs allowed **except on walks marked ☒**, but must be kept on a **fixed** lead no more than **1.2 metres** [4'] long. Be aware that some walks will have stiles and may go through fields containing livestock..

Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	
09.00 DV	<b>Dee Valley Walk</b> from Churton Village to Eccleston on the Eaton Estate crossing the Dee by the C19 iron bridge. Minibus both ways. John & Judith Gallagher 10.5m ❖
09.00 OG	<b>Oteley Estate Gardens</b> Walk from Welshampton to Ellesmere. Garden tour and refreshments included. Minibus both ways. Dot Bishop 9.5m ❖ ☒ £7/£4 <i>Sponsored by PelliTec Blister Prevention.</i>
10.00 SH	<b>Shire Horse Cream Tea Experience</b> Walk from Audlem visiting the shire horse stables for a talk and cream tea [£10 payable to leader on the day]. Minibus both ways. Bev Boffey 6.5m ❖
10.10 CW	<b>Combermere Woods</b> Minibus to Broad Oak Farm. Walk through Larder Wood for bluebells with a profusion of wild garlic, Oss Mere with views of the mere and then back to Whitchurch. Easy undulating countryside with some stiles. Paul Sears 5.5m 🍷
10.45 MB	<b>Nature &amp; Nourishment</b> A gentle ramble round Melverley Meadows & Brown Moss Nature Reserves. Minibus both ways. Malcolm Monie 4m ❖ or buy from "The Chef in the Woods".
13.45 BB	<b>Broughall &amp; back</b> Walk via fields and lanes with a nice view of Blakemere Janet Murray 5m 🍷
14.00 HW	<b>History Walk around Whitchurch centre</b> looking at some of the interesting buildings. Janice Leyland 1.5m 2h ☒
16.30 - 17.30 GT	<b>Final Get-together</b> at The Archibald Worthington Club; tea or coffee plus complimentary light refreshments; bar.

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