



LDWA 50th Anniversary

Please see the local group's website for more details of the events below.

Events over the Weekend of Saturday 18th & Sunday 19th June			
<u>THE LDWA 50th ANNIVERSARY BIG WALK</u>			
<u>Both Days incl:</u> Friday Friday 17th, Saturday 18th, Sunday 19th June	East Lancashire	A 3 Day 50-mile walk featuring; <u>Friday</u> – 10 miles plodder walking the Ramsbottom Heritage & Irwell Sculpture Trails <u>Saturday</u> – 20 miles over Winter Hill and across to Darwen Tower <u>Sunday</u> – 20 miles walking the Ramsbottom Round and taking in Peel Tower.	The event aims to be inclusive by being attractive to members who do not walk long distances/ fast paces
	South Manchester	A 50-mile multi-day walk along the Peak District Boundary Walk incl; <u>Friday</u> – 20 miles from Bollington to Buxton <u>Saturday</u> - 20 miles from Buxton to Hayfield <u>Sunday</u> – 10 miles from Hayfield to Glossop.	Shorter stages of the walk are available on all 3 days for those who do not want to do the longer distances
<u>Both days</u> Saturday 18th & Sunday 19th June	Bristol & West	Cotswold's Ring Relay – a 52-mile continuous relay which will be organized in sections. Multiple start & finish points with the main start & finish in Winchcombe.	Opportunity to do as much or as little of the 52-mile route as members feel comfortable with
	London	50 mile walk along the Thames Path on Saturday - starting at dawn & finishing at sunset. 50 themed walk on Sunday – London in 50 squares.	
	South Wales	52-mile Taith Torfaen – figure-of-eight with the Northern Loop being walked on Saturday and the Southern Loop being walked on Sunday. This is a challenging Mountain Walk with approximately 9,700 ft of ascent.	Usually run as an Anytime Challenge. More details are available on the South Wales website.



	Surrey	Founders' Footpaths A series of walks of varying distances visiting places associated with the founding of the LDWA. Celebration party with a celebration cake on Sunday.	The event aims to be inclusive by being attractive to members who do not walk long distances
	Wessex	36 Hour Round the Island (IoW) – 33 or 39-mile options.	
Saturday 18th June	Beds, Bucks & Northants	50th Anniversary Midsummer Meanders – a day of led walks in the popular Woburn area with a choice of distances (between 4 & 10 miles). Features tea/ coffee biscuits at the start, light buffet lunch & coffee & cake to finish.	Aimed at all BBN members - old and new plus family & friends.
	Calderdale	The Aigin Stone LDWA Anniversary Walk – 20-mile circular walk taking in Dobroyd Castle, Trough Edge End & Hollingworth Lake.	
	Cornwall & Devon	19-mile solstice walk from Cornwall's channel to Atlantic coasts and back. Shared transport from Penzance Station can be organized.	
	Cumbria	A 40-mile walk around Carlisle, arranged in convenient sections to allow people to connect with public transport and return to Carlisle.	
	Merseystride	Dawn to Dusk - North Wales Path – set off at sunrise (4.30am) from Bangor and walk until sunset (21.40). Option to walk 39 or 48 miles.	
	Norfolk & Suffolk	Two Counties Big Walk – a 50km walk in both Norfolk & Suffolk taking in a variety of scenery – arable, brekland, river valleys, fens, heathland and forests.	Please book in advance as limited places.
	North Yorkshire	Several walks of between 10-15 miles, totaling 50 miles, which will have a competitive and fun element built in. Starting from Chop Gate in the North Yorkshire Moors & followed by an afternoon tea party in Chop Gate Village Hall.	It is hoped that this event will appeal to our loyal wider membership including those who no longer walk the longer distances which feature as part of our weekly walks.
	South Pennine	A 20-mile walk visiting Rochdale & Oldham	



	Staffordshire	A get-together for afternoon or early evening drinks possibly preceded by a walk.	For further details keep an eye on the website.
	Sussex	16 or 6.5-mile walk followed by afternoon tea in the walk leader's garden.	Option to join us for afternoon tea only.
	West Yorkshire	A 50km social walk starting & finishing in Bingley, West Yorkshire – followed by a celebration drink & meal afterwards.	
	Yorkshire Coast	Mid-Summer's Night Dream. 16- mile night walk to watch the sunrise from Olivers Mount. 6am finish (approx.). Followed by bacon & sausage sandwiches!	
Sunday 19th June	Essex & Herts	A figure of eight walk with a Hertfordshire loop and an Essex Loop starting from Sawbridgeworth.	
	Heart of Scotland	Fife 50km or 32km social walk around the Devilla Forest area in SW Fife starting in Culcross.	
	Kent	Short walk(s) followed by a BYO meal and an enjoyable afternoon at Ryarsh Village Hall.	Keep an eye on the website for further details.
	Lincolnshire	Dave Milne Way – 22-mile social walk. Badges & Certificates for all finishers.	
	North of Scotland	A 14-mile walk being held as part of the Moray Walking & Outdoor Festival.	This is also a new member taster walk.
	South of Scotland	A circular walk taking in the area between St Mary's Loch & Ettrick.	
	Thames Valley	A 50km or 25km social walk from Henley-on-Thames.	
	West Lancashire	Final day of a 4 day 50-mile walk. Chipping to Hurst Green via Longridge Fell, the River Hodder & Stoneyhurst – 11.5 miles. Followed by a buffet meal in the Memorial Hall.	



	Wiltshire	An 18-mile group walk taking in Coln St Aldwyns, Akeman Street, Eastleach Turville, Lechland on Thames & the Cotswolds Water Park.	
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