

MDFG Walks Programme June 2025					
Thank you to all the walks leaders for this month. New walks leaders are always needed. If you would like to know what it involves, please talk to any walks leader. If you would like to lead a walk in a future month, please contact the Walks Co-ordinator.					
Dates	Time	Starting Point	Distance	Description	Leader
Sunday 08-Jun-25	10:15 AM (note time)	Ightham Mote NT car park, charge for non-members Meet in main new car park by gate towards house. TQ584537 TN15 0NT what3words: action.pits.gives	3.5-4 miles	Circular walk. Some steep slopes, steps and places with a steep drop at the side of the path. Finish at the cafe if you would like to stay for a drink.	Elizabeth Reeves
Tuesday 10-Jun-25	7:00 PM (note time)	Meopham Green DA13 0QA TQ641652 what3words: winner.helps.poppy	3-3.5 miles	Circular walk via Harvel and Priestwood. A few stiles.	Barbara Matthews
Thursday 12-Jun-25	10:00 AM	Plaxtol Memorial TQ602536 TN15 0QG what3words	4.5 miles	Easy circular walk via Bourne Farm, Yopps Green and Fairlawne Park	Gill Brown
Wednesday 18-Jun-25					
Friday 20-Jun-25	10:00 AM	Entrance to Rochester station in Corporation Street ME1 1NH TQ744685 what3words: random.stars.shaky Parking adjacent to station in what was the market place. Fees payable by cash or contact card.	3 miles	Leisurely circular walk around Rochester taking in its green spaces and gardens, river views, and its historical buildings. One gentle hill. Coffee stop in the cathedral crypt or rose garden. Opportunity to visit Restoration House and Garden after the walk. No dogs please.	Julie Roper
Thursday 26-Jun-25	7:00 PM (note time)	Vigo village shops car park DA13 0TD TQ644617 what3words: rise.intelligible.cliff	3.5-4 miles	Circular walk via Vigo, Culverstone Green, Hodsell Street, Fairseat and Trosley Country Park. Some stiles. No dogs please.	Liz Millard

GENERAL GUIDELINES

Although the group's walks leaders take care with the planning and execution of their walks, anyone taking part in our walks does so at their own risk. Please stay behind the walk leader and in front of the back marker. Leaders must be allowed to follow their planned route and walkers should only intervene if help is requested. Walkers are advised to wear appropriate footwear (walking boots, sturdy trainers or wellingtons) and to bring water and their own basic first aid equipment for every walk.

QUERIES AND CANCELLATIONS

If you have any queries regarding a walk please contact the walk leader beforehand. Non-members should contact the Walks Coordinator on 07947 539635 or info@meopham-walkers.co.uk.
 If the weather is bad, please check with the walk leader that the walk will go ahead. If a walk is cancelled, we will try to update Facebook and our website but this cannot be guaranteed.
 Walks leaders may use the Meopham Walkers WhatsApp group to inform members of last minute cancellations or alterations to their walks, due to bad weather etc. Members of this WhatsApp group are reminded that it is only to be used by walk leaders to post updates about their walks.

DOGS ON WALKS

Unless otherwise stated, dogs on SHORT leads are welcome walks. Please check the details of each individual walk as to whether dogs are allowed on that walk. Please see www.meopham-walkers.co.uk/walks-programme for our full policy regarding dogs.
 Please keep dogs on short leads at all times as long leads can cause a hazard for other walkers. If a dog is badly behaved, the owner will be asked to leave the walk and the dog will not be allowed in future. Many walks include stiles, which may not be accessible by large dogs.