

# Leyburn in Wensleydale 07 July



Today we have two coaches for our trip to this market town in the heart of Wensleydale. The Burnley and Blackburn coaches will rendezvous at Ingleton and then travel to Leyburn via Hawes and Aysgarth.

At Aysgarth we'll redistribute ourselves so that one coach can service the D walk and the other the B and C walk. Our couriers will make sure you get on the correct coach at Aysgarth,

## Today's Walks

- A Walk**      **Robert Eccles**      **13 miles Strenuous**  
Starting from Aysgarth we head east towards Middle and Lower Force waterfalls before turning south to Flanders Hall. On to Morpeth Gate then Morpeth Scar, Black Scar and Penhill Scar before a tough little climb to the top of Pen Hill (526m). Dropping down through Middleham High Moor we join Bay Bolten Avenue to Preston-under-Scar. On the final stretch we head east via Lady Alghitha's Cave and Leyburn Shawl to town.  
  
Overall, 13 miles with a total climb of about 1,900 feet. Classed as strenuous due to time constraints rather than terrain.
- B Walk**      **Michael Counter**      **9 miles Moderate**  
Alight the coach at the parking lay-by on the A6108 by Ellington Wood. The route now follows woodland tracks to emerge onto the road at Masham bank. Field paths are now followed passing close to Jervaulx Abbey (a Cistercian Abbey founded in 1156 AD), and onto the riverside of the River Ure. This river is now followed crossing over to the northern bank at Ulshaw. We now follow field paths close to the villages of Harnby and Spennithorpe, eventually entering the market town of Leyburn from the east side.
- C Walk**      **Paul Brown**      **7.5 miles Fairly Easy**  
We leave the coaches in Leyburn and join footpaths along Leyburn Shawl, then walk along field paths and a good track which we follow west to the village of Preston under Scar (lunch stop near here). Leaving the village we start to descend gradually, crossing the railway, then walking south through the Bolton Hall Estate to reach the lovely village of Wensley. We walk along Low Lane for about ½ mile, then follow a path alongside the River Ure. We then rejoin Low Lane and walk to the A 6108 where a coach will meet us to take us back into Leyburn.  
  
Should be some good views across Wensleydale from the higher points on this walk.
- D Walk**      **Frank Mason**      **6 miles Fairly Easy**  
Starting from Redmire we head to the old church and Wood End Lane. Crossing fields and the Wensleydale Railway we come to Preston-under-Scar. Continuing east to the aerial ropeway, which we'll not be using, and Warren Wood we then follow Leyburn Shawl into town.

## Pick-Up Times and The Return Journey

Today we have just the one official pick-up point.

06:00 PM      Leyburn      Auction Market (northeast of the town)      Walks: A, B, C and D

Blackburn coach is down to drop off at Clitheroe first and the Burnley coach at Barrowford. Any additional stops are at the discretion of our drivers and couriers but need to take into account everyone's desire to get home quickly.

The Blackburn coach has a long journey home, especially for Darwen and Blackburn people; I have you all in mind but I'm just not sure of the solution yet.

## Our Next Trips

Today we'll be taking bookings for Hutton-le-Hole (04 August), The Sandstone Trail (01 September) and Ulverston (06 October). Ticket cost is the usual £13:00 / £6:50. After today then contact Robert by email at [bookings@coach-rambles.org.uk](mailto:bookings@coach-rambles.org.uk), telephone on 07795 250502 / 01282 798145 or on-line at [www.coach-rambles.org.uk/book](http://www.coach-rambles.org.uk/book).

For one trip only, the cancellation deadline for the Sandstone Trail is Monday 26 August. For Hutton-le-Hole and Ulverston it's the usual midday deadline on the Wednesday before the trip.

## Events and Excursions

### 11 August Burnley & Pendle Group Coach Trip to Ness Gardens and Liverpool

Tickets cost £17.50 (includes ferry and entrance to the gardens) and are available today from Brenda Maxwell (Burnley coach). After today contact Margaret Fletcher (01282 457909) or Margaret Clark (01282 616838).

## Our Group Walks from Leyburn to Hutton-le-Hole

Date	Group	Time	Destination
Tue 09 Jul	Burnley and Pendle Ramblers	10:30	Local impromptu
Tue 09 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	13:00	Mellor for Ramsgreave
Tue 09 Jul	Pendle Walkers	10:00	Leathley (C)
Tue 09 Jul	Spring Vale Rambling Group	19:00	Wheelton (L)
Wed 10 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	19:00	Urban Orienteering
Sat 13 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	09:30	Silverdale
Sat 13 Jul	Pendle Walkers	09:00	Heart of Bowland from Langden Intake (A)
Sat 13 Jul	Pendle Walkers	10:00	Leeming-Warley Reservoirs (B)
Sun 14 Jul	Burnley and Pendle Ramblers	10:00	Hollingworth Lake
Sun 14 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	13:00	Cuerden Valley
Sun 14 Jul	Hyndburn Ramblers	09:00	Blubberhouses (C)
Tue 16 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	10:00	Goosnargh for Ladywell
Tue 16 Jul	Pendle Walkers	10:00	Top Withens (C)
Wed 17 Jul	Burnley and Pendle Ramblers	18:45	Pendle Heritage Centre. GR864398, PHC CP
Wed 17 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	19:00	Whalley
Wed 17 Jul	Rossendale Ramblers	09:00	Last of the Summer Wine (M)
Sat 20 Jul	Burnley and Pendle Ramblers	10:00	Lumb Falls & Heptonstall
Sat 20 Jul	Hyndburn Ramblers	08:00	Great Burney & Blawith Gawthwaite (A)
Sat 20 Jul	Pendle Walkers	09:00	Ingleborough from Austwick (A)
Sat 20 Jul	Pendle Walkers	10:00	Langcliffe (B)
Sat 20 Jul	Spring Vale Rambling Group	11:00	Clitheroe (L)
Sun 21 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	09:30	Extwistle Moor
Sun 21 Jul	OXO Ramblers	08:45	Aysegarth vix Buckden (A+B)
Tue 23 Jul	Burnley and Pendle Ramblers	10:30	Local impromptu
Tue 23 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	13:00	Bay Horse, Osbaldeston
Tue 23 Jul	Pendle Walkers	10:00	Barley Area (C)
Tue 23 Jul	Spring Vale Rambling Group	19:00	Witton (L)
Wed 24 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	19:00	Salesbury School CP
Wed 24 Jul	Rossendale Ramblers	09:00	Dunnockshaw (M)
Sat 27 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	08:30	Keld
Sat 27 Jul	Pendle Walkers	09:00	Grassington and Kettlewell (A)
Sat 27 Jul	Pendle Walkers	10:00	Local Walk (B)
Sun 28 Jul	Burnley and Pendle Ramblers	10:00	Whalley & Brockhall
Sun 28 Jul	Hyndburn Ramblers	08:00	Youlgreave - New Route! (B)
Sun 28 Jul	Rossendale Ramblers	08:00	Scafell (Lakes) (M)
Tue 30 Jul	Pendle Walkers	10:00	Clapham (C)
Wed 31 Jul	Burnley and Pendle Ramblers	18:45	Greenberfield GR888482, locks car park
Wed 31 Jul	Clitheroe Ramblers	19:00	West Bradford
Wed 31 Jul	Rossendale Ramblers	09:00	Settle Loop (M)
Sat 03 Aug	Clitheroe Ramblers	09:30	Barley for Pendle Hill
Sat 03 Aug	Pendle Walkers	09:00	Great Knoutberry (A)
Sat 03 Aug	Pendle Walkers	10:00	Stocks Reservoir (B)
Sat 03 Aug	Spring Vale Rambling Group	11:00	Famine Road round (M)

Burnley and Pendle Ramblers

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