

Pooley Bridge 08 June 2014



Today we have two coaches for our trip to the north eastern lakes and the far end of Ullswater. The coaches will meet at Tebay Services on the M6 where we will re-arrange ourselves to travel to the start of our walks.

Special notes for today are:

- Our coaches will be parked in Glenridding for most of the day and only return to Pooley Bridge at about the pick-up time.
- The Blackburn and Burnley coaches are not travelling together after Shap so please get on the coach for your walk [indicated below in red] at Tebay Services.

Today's Walks

A Walk **Harvey Thompson** **Burnley Coach** **15 miles Moderate**

A clutch of Wainwright's (four in all), a view of one of Lakeland's most majestic Lakes and walking along a Roman Road. All this in a largely unfrequented valley. A walk not to be missed!

Starting in Shap Village we 'warm up' by visiting the hamlets of Rosgill, Brampton Grange and Brampton. Then a gradual climb to the summit of Wethergill and onto Load Pot Hill At 2201' our highest point of the day. Bonscale Pike and Arthur's Pike provide us with views to feast on! We stride to The Cockpit and wend our way down to Pooley Bridge.

The walk is 15 miles long on recognised paths with 2395' of ascent.

B Walk **Michael Counter** **Blackburn Coach** **9 miles Moderate**

We alight the coach at Shapbeck Bridge on the A6 which is north of Shap Village and then we follow a bridleway passing Our Scar and onto reach the top of Knipe Scar. The ridge is now followed, eventually dropping down to High Knipe and then onto Hill Plantation. A further bridle way is now followed to Whale Farm and then the hamlet of Helton is passed. The way now leads up onto Askham Fell 1100ft and crosses the old Roman road at Ketley Gate, before dropping down into Polley Bridge.

Great views of the northern Lakeland Fells as we descend (once my wish will come true and the weather [will be] kind and you will believe me).

C Walk **Hannah Rose** **Blackburn Coach** **8 miles Moderate**

Alight the coach at Lowther village. Take the lane through Lowther Newtown and the Alms house into the park at Lowther Castle. We'll pay a visit to the church with its tombs and mausoleums to the Lowthers.

After that it's over the river to the pretty village of Askham before a steepish climb over Askham Fell for hopefully fabulous views of Ullswater and Pooley Bridge.

D Walk **Roger Haythornthwaite** **Burnley Coach** **7 miles Moderate**

Alight at Askham and walk through this pretty hillside village. After a 2-mile ascent (not steep) onto Askham Fell we reach The Cockpit stone circle. From here, good views of Ullswater should be experienced.

After about a mile of levelish walking, we reach Winder Hall Farm, Celleron, Barton Church (14th Century) then paths into Pooley Bridge.

Pick-Up Times and The Return Journey

Today we have two pick-up points.

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| 05:30 PM | Glenridding | Main Car Park / Coach Park |
| 06:00 PM | Pooley Bridge | Village Square |

Walks: A, B, C and D

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.

Our Next Trips

Eyam (06 July), Conwy (03 August) and Reeth (07 September). Ticket cost is the usual £13:00 / £6:50. After today or to book beyond August then contact Robert by email at bookings@coach-rambles.org.uk, telephone on 07795 250502 / 01282 798145 or on-line at www.coach-rambles.org.uk/book.

Walking from Ullswater: Our Group Walks between Now and Eyam

| Date | Group | Time | Destination |
|------------|-----------------------------|-------|---|
| Tue 10 Jun | Clitheroe Ramblers | 13:00 | Billington |
| Tue 10 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 10:00 | Cliviger and Beyond (B) |
| Tue 10 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 10:00 | Marles Wood to Copster Green (C) |
| Wed 11 Jun | Clitheroe Ramblers | 19:00 | Higher Hodder Bridge |
| Wed 11 Jun | Rossendale Ramblers | 09:00 | Abbey Village (M) |
| Sat 14 Jun | Clitheroe Ramblers | 09:30 | Parlick |
| Sat 14 Jun | Hyndburn Ramblers | 08:00 | Lakeland Saturday to Haverthwaite for Lakeside (C) |
| Sat 14 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 07:30 | Great Gable group from Seatoller. (A+) |
| Sat 14 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 10:00 | Around Sabden (B) |
| Sat 14 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 10:00 | Otterburn (C) |
| Sat 14 Jun | Spring Vale Rambling Group | 11:00 | Longeidge Fell (M) |
| Sun 15 Jun | Burnley and Pendle Ramblers | 10:30 | Brockhall from Spring Wood |
| Sun 15 Jun | Hyndburn Ramblers | 09:30 | Hebden Bridge (B) |
| Tue 17 Jun | Burnley and Pendle Ramblers | 10:30 | Burnley Way 3 of 6. Meet Worsthorne; finish Portsmouth. |
| Tue 17 Jun | Clitheroe Ramblers | 10:00 | Embsay |
| Tue 17 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 10:00 | Widdop to Heptonstall (B) |
| Tue 17 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 10:00 | Deerplay from Water Village (C) |
| Tue 17 Jun | Spring Vale Rambling Group | 19:00 | Mellor (L) |
| Wed 18 Jun | Burnley and Pendle Ramblers | 18:45 | Hapton - Mill Hill car park. GR 786308. |
| Wed 18 Jun | Clitheroe Ramblers | 19:00 | Salesbury School CP |
| Wed 18 Jun | Rossendale Ramblers | 09:00 | Bronte and Worth Way (M) |
| Sat 21 Jun | Burnley and Pendle Ramblers | 10:00 | Molly Mullarkey Meander Gargrave / Airton |
| Sat 21 Jun | Clitheroe Ramblers | 09:30 | Morecambe Bay crossing |
| Sat 21 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 08:30 | The Millennium Walkway (A) |
| Sat 21 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 10:00 | Ilkley to Nesfield (C) |
| Sun 22 Jun | Hyndburn Ramblers | 09:00 | Stanbury near Haworth (B) |
| Sun 22 Jun | Rossendale Ramblers | 09:00 | Ingleborough (M) |
| Tue 24 Jun | Clitheroe Ramblers | 13:00 | Witton Park |
| Tue 24 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 10:00 | Grassington (C) |
| Wed 25 Jun | Clitheroe Ramblers | 19:00 | West Bradford village hall |
| Wed 25 Jun | Rossendale Ramblers | 09:00 | Downham (M) |
| Sat 28 Jun | Clitheroe Ramblers | 09:30 | Pendle Hill |
| Sat 28 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 08:30 | Edale (A) |
| Sat 28 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 10:00 | Top Withins from Haworth (B) |
| Sat 28 Jun | Pendle Walkers | 10:00 | Chipping (C) |
| Sat 28 Jun | Spring Vale Rambling Group | 11:00 | Simon's Seat (M) |
| Sun 29 Jun | Hyndburn Ramblers | 09:00 | Addingham for Crookrise Crag (B) |
| Sun 29 Jun | Hyndburn Ramblers | 12:00 | Ribchester (C) |
| Sun 29 Jun | Rossendale Ramblers | 09:00 | Hayfield (M) |
| Tue 01 Jul | Clitheroe Ramblers | 10:00 | Whernside |
| Tue 01 Jul | Spring Vale Rambling Group | 19:00 | Clough Head (L) |
| Wed 02 Jul | Burnley and Pendle Ramblers | 18:45 | Nelson Victoria Park. GR 852382 |
| Wed 02 Jul | Clitheroe Ramblers | 19:00 | Whitewell |
| Wed 02 Jul | Rossendale Ramblers | 09:00 | Parbold (M) |
| Sat 05 Jul | Clitheroe Ramblers | 09:30 | Cottontree |
| Sat 05 Jul | Hyndburn Ramblers | 09:15 | Accrington Train Station for Rail Ramble to Lytham (C) |