



Bakewell – 12 May 2024

A/B Walk Details

Leader: Tony Culverhouse
Distance: 10 miles moderate

We leave Bakewell and head south along sections of the River Wye to join the Monsall Trail. We follow an interesting section of the Trail (disused railway) passing three old stations – one of which was built by the Duke of Devonshire to serve Chatsworth House a few miles away. The Monsall Trail takes us to Little Longstone and the dramatic viewpoint of Monsall Head. Paths and tracks then lead us to the pretty village of Ashford in the Water. We then follow sections of the River Wye back to Bakewell.

A fairly level walk with little climbing.

C/D Walk Details

Leader: Michael Brooker-Carey
Distance: 7.5 miles moderate with a shorter 3.5-mile option available

This walk will give excellent views, some woodlands and the pretty village of Ashford in the Water.

We leave Bakewell along the River Wye and then have a short climb before walking through woodland to Rowdale House. We then walk to the Monsall Trail (the old Midland main line railway from Manchester to London) where we will take a break. Those wishing to do the shorter walk will then leave us to return to Bakewell.

The walk will then continue along the Trail through Headstone Tunnel towards Monsall Head with its famous views. We will then head to Ashford on the Water where we will take a look at the Old Pack Horse Bridge on the River Wye before heading back to Bakewell.

A few stiles and may be muddy in places.

Michael is a very experienced walk leader and has been coming on our trips for a while, but this is his first leading experience for the Coach Rambles!

Self-guided walkers:

Please let Lynn or Elaine know your general route and take a contact number card in case of emergency.

Return Journey:

The coach will be parked on the Agricultural Business Centre Car Park, Agricultural Way, Bakewell, DE45 1AH - W3W ///inhales.pushed.unusable - and will leave at 5:30pm prompt. Please be back at the coach at least 10 minutes before this time.

Our Next Trip:

Bookings open today for the next coach trip to Hawes on 2nd June 2024. Tickets are £20 per person for this trip. You can pay by cheque or cash on the coach, or by card through Ticket Tailor (booking fee applies):

<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/northeastlancscoachrambles>

Telephone bookings (cheque/cash payments) will be available from **Monday 13th May 2024**. Jane Cordingley is our volunteer for telephone bookings. Her number is 01254 773913 and she will take bookings from 8am-9am and 6pm-8pm, Monday to Friday only. If Jane is

unavailable, please ring Lynn and leave a message (07895760045) and she will get back to you.

2024 Coach Rambles

Our coach trips in 2024 will take us to the following destinations:

Date	Destination	Price
4/2/24	Grassington	£19
3/3/24	Ilkley	£19
7/4/24	Kendal	£20
12/5/24	Bakewell	£21
2/6/24	Hawes	£20
7/7/24	Keswick	£23
4/8/24	Frodsham	£20
1/9/24	Appleby	£23
6/10/24	Holmfirth	£20
3/11/24	Saltaire	£19
8/12/24	Knaresborough (Christmas Market)	£20

Could you lead a walk for us?

We are desperately in need of walk leaders for our coach trips! Leaders must be a member of Ramblers and must have previous walk-leading experience.

Walk leaders receive a free coach seat on the trip that they are leading for and £20 towards expenses for completing the recce of the route. Support is available with planning a route and travelling to the destination for the recce.

If you are interested, or if you have any questions, please email Lynn at nelcoachrambles@gmail.com with details of your experience.



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