

Easter Term 2004:

Sunday 25th April: Linton to Audley End (10 miles) [[Laura](#)]

Starting from Linton on the River Granta, we head south to the King's Head in Hadstock, where we'll stop for lunch. Continuing south, we join the Harcamlow Way, which leads us into the historic market town of Saffron Walden, featuring the largest turf maze in Britain! We return by train from Audley End station.

Meet: 11:10 at the bus station for the 11:25 bus to Linton

Return: 18:05 train from Audley End, arriving in Cambridge at 18:28

Cost: Approx £2 for bus and £4.20 for train (£2.80 with railcard)

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Wednesday 28th April: Pub Meet (The Castle Inn, Castle Hill, 8pm)

Come and join us for a drink and a ramble of the conversational variety.

Saturday 1st May: Grafham Water Circular (11 miles) [[Simon](#)]

A walk around scenic Grafham Water, taking in woodland and open countryside. Starting from Buckden, we walk to the village of West Perry for lunch, then continue around Grafham water, passing through Grafham village on our way back to Buckden. Whilst the travelling time is longer than usual, the different scenery will hopefully make up for this.

Meet: 09:05 at the bus station for the 09:15 bus to Buckden (via St Neots)

Return: 16:50 bus from Buckden (via St Neots), arriving in Cambridge at 18:12

Cost: Approx £5-10 for bus fare.

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Sunday 9th May: St Ives Circular (7 miles) [\[Ben\]](#)

We follow the Ouse Valley Way west out of St Ives towards Houghton and then leave the path to walk through the beautiful Houghton meadow. We cross the river at Hemingford Abbots and head back through Hemingford meadow to St Ives for the bus. This was many people's favourite walk from last year, so be sure to come and find out why!

Meet: 12:50 at the bus station for the 13:05 bus to St Ives

Return: 17:35 bus from St Ives, arriving in Cambridge at 17:59

Cost: Approx £4 for bus fare.

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Tuesday 11th May: Pub Meet (The Granta, 8pm)

Come and join us for a drink and a ramble of the conversational variety.

Saturday 15th May: Horseheath Circular (8 miles) [\[Richard\]](#)

Postponed from last term, this walk explores the countryside East of Cambridge. Starting from Horseheath, we walk north-west to the village of Balsham. We then head eastwards to West Wrating, before returning south to Horseheath through the fields and wooded countryside around West Wickham.

Meet: 13:05 at the bus station for the 13:20 bus to Horseheath

Return: 17:29 bus from Horseheath, arriving in Cambridge at 18:06

Cost: Approx £4 for bus fare.

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Wednesday 19th May: Meal at the Red Lion, Grantchester [\[Ben\]](#)

Come and join us for a meal out in Grantchester. We'll be meeting in Cambridge beforehand for a leisurely stroll down the river to the pub. If you'd like to go, please let Ben know by email before Wednesday 12th May.

Sunday 23rd May: Stow cum Quy to Bottisham (6 miles) [\[Helen\]](#)

We walk out west from Stow cum Quy, passing an old water mill, before joining the river. We will then follow Quy Water and later Little Wilbraham River eastwards across the fens towards the small village of Little Wilbraham, before heading north to Bottisham.

Meet: 13:55 at the bus station for the 14:10 bus to Stow cum Quy

Return: 17:14 bus from Bottisham, arriving in Cambridge at 17:34

Cost: Approx £4 for bus fare.

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Saturday 29th May: Toft to Gamlingay (12 miles) [\[Geoffrey\]](#)

Starting at the pretty village of Toft, we walk south towards Wimpole Hall. After crossing Wimpole Hall estate, we head west towards Croydon, our lunch stop. After lunch, we walk along the Clopten Way, and north towards Hatley St George through rolling countryside. We finally arrive in the village of Gamlingay for the return journey home.

Meet: 09:45 at the bus station for the 10:00 bus to Toft

Return: 17:55 bus from Gamlingay, arriving in Cambridge at 18:43

Cost: Approx £4-7 for bus fare.

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Sunday 6th June: St Neots Circular (7 miles) [\[Alan\]](#)

We head east out of St. Neots past Monks Hardwick and Fox Holes and then walk north towards Toseland. From here we turn west again to Great Paxton before heading back into St. Neots down the Great Ouse river.

Meet: 12:50 at the bus station for the 13:05 bus to St Neots

Return: 17:25 bus from St Neots, arriving in Cambridge at 17:55

Cost: Approx £4 for bus fare.

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Thursday 10th June: Midnight punting trip to Grantchester [\[Richard\]](#)

Starting in the early evening, we'll head down to Grantchester by punt, stopping in the meadows for a picnic on the way. A unique Cambridge experience! More details to follow soon...

Saturday 12th June: Ely to Waterbeach / Cambridge (12/19 miles) [\[Laurence\]](#)

And now for something completely different.... From Ely we'll follow the river through the fens for 12 miles to the village of Waterbeach (PICNIC LUNCH REQUIRED). There, you will have the option of taking the train home or staying for an evening meal at a pub in Waterbeach. The more adventurous souls can then follow Laurence the remaining 7 miles to Cambridge, whilst the rest get a train back. An ideal warm up for the Varsity March!

Meet: 10:50 at the train station for the 11:04 train to Ely

Return: Back in Cambridge any time between 17:15 and 23:15

Cost: £3.70 for return train ticket (£2.45 with railcard)

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Weekend of 19th / 20th June: Varsity March 2004 (81 miles) [\[Laurence\]](#)

The annual Varsity March is a mammoth 2-day sponsored charity walk between Oxford and Cambridge, completed in under 48 hours. There are also options to join us for a part of the distance. [Click here for more details...](#)