

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY RAMBLING CLUB

Lent Term 1994

New ramblers are welcome at any time-- there's no need to sign up beforehand and membership is free. We explore the villages and countryside around Cambridge, often stopping off briefly in a village pub to sample the atmosphere. Items to bring are: boots or strong shoes, waterproof clothing, money for the train or bus, liquid refreshment and a packed lunch. This year we are pleased to be sponsored by Open Air, and members can claim a 10% discount on production of the membership card attached to this termcard.

We always welcome new members into the committee. If you are interested in joining our team, please contact any of the committee members.

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Saturday 22nd January **Haslingfield Circular** 8 miles

This walk features a chalk ridge, from which there is a good view of South Cambridgeshire.

Out: Bus¹ at 9.30 to Haslingfield

Back Bus at 16.05 from Haslingfield, arriving Cambridge 16.30.

Saturday 12th February **Papworth Everard to Godmanchester** 8 miles

From Papworth Everard we walk to the attractive villages of Yelling and Graveley, over some hilly country. From Graveley we follow a Roman road to the picturesque town of Godmanchester, notable for its fine period houses of the 17th and 18th centuries.

Out: Bus¹ at 9.50 to Papworth Everard.

Back Bus at 16.30 from Godmanchester, arriving Cambridge 17.26.

Saturday 26th February **Hardwick Circular** 9 miles

This walk provide peaceful stroll in a quite countryside. From Hardwick we walk to the villages of Toft and Coberton, via Hardwick Wood, a deciduous woodland nature reserve. Toft's history dates back to the Danish occupation in the 9th century. We shall visit the fine medieval churches of the 3 villages, notably the parish church at Hardwick with its 14th century tower.

Out: Bus¹ at 10.15 to Hardwick

Back: Bus at 17.07 from Hardwick, arriving Cambridge 17.30.

Sunday 6th March **Shepreth to Foxton via Fowlmere** 6 miles

From Shepreth we will head out to Fowlmere Nature Reserve, a site of special scientific interest. There will be the opportunity to watch its wildlife and explore its 86 acres of marshland and woodland. We will then continue to Fowlmere village for lunch. Here we will examine the square spired church, moated manor house remains and the "Crows Parlour", before proceeding to Foxton for the train home.

Out: Train² at 10.56 to Shepreth.

Back: Train at 16.17 from Foxton, arriving Cambridge 16.29.

17-- 22 March **Easter Ramble**

This year we shall follow the Cornish coast path, visiting Penzance and Lands End amongst other places. If you are interested in coming, please contact George Hau.

¹ Meet at the corner of Drummer Street and Emmanuel Street near Christ's Pieces

² Meet just outside the entrance to the main station building.

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