



# EXETER RAMBLING CLUB

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## May - July 2019

**SATURDAY 4<sup>th</sup> May** Leaders: **ANDREW & LESLEY** (01392 757483 or Mob 07582 869603)  
\*Cars **9.00** to **TOTNES** Steamer Quay car park, (SX 808 598), £6 for a day's parking. 13 miles to Dartmouth, along the Dart Valley Trail. Time for fish and chips in Dartmouth before returning to Totnes on the 18.55 bus, cost £3.80. **Please book with Andrew & Lesley by 30 April.**

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**SUNDAY 12<sup>th</sup> May** Leader: **SYLVIA** (01392 252401)  
Cars 9.30 to **BOVEY TRACEY** car park, (SX 814 783). 8 miles via Bovey Tracey and Tottiford Reservoir. The walk takes us through woodland, where at this time of year there may be bluebells.

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**SUNDAY 19<sup>th</sup> May** Leader: **PETE** (01392 860490 or Mob 07896 363246)  
\*Cars **9.00** to **MALBOROUGH** Village Hall car park, (SX 710 397). 9 miles along the coast path via Soar Mill Cove, Bolt Tail and Hope Cove. **Please note that the Exeter Marathon 2019 begins at 9.00 - check road closures.**

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**THURSDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> May** Leader: **HELEN** (01392 464880)  
\***9.25am EXETER BUS STATION** – No. **9A** to the Donkey Sanctuary. Coffee at the Donkey Sanctuary before a 4-mile walk to Sidmouth along footpaths and quiet lanes. Some steep hills. Lunch at The Anchor Inn. To book lunch, please phone Helen **by Tuesday, 21 May.**

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**SUNDAY 26<sup>th</sup> May** (Bank Holiday Weekend)  
**NO OFFICIAL CLUB WALK**

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**SUNDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> June** Leaders: **ANDREW & LESLEY** (01392 767483 or Mob 07582 869603)  
\*Cars **9.00** to **WITHYPOOL**, (SS 844 353). 9.5 miles via Withypool Hill, Tarr Steps and Two Moors Way.

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**SUNDAY 9<sup>th</sup> June** Leader: **CHRISTABEL** (01392 215631)  
Cars **9.00** to **SHIPLEY BRIDGE**, (SX 680 628). 10 miles via Avon Reservoir, Abbot's Way and Two Moors Way.

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**IF YOU HAVE A LONG OR SHORT WALK THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO LEAD ON OUR NEXT PROGRAMME, AUGUST – OCTOBER, PLEASE CONTACT THE WALKS ORGANISER WITH DETAILS OF YOUR WALK BY FRIDAY, 14 JUNE.**

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**SUNDAY 16<sup>th</sup> June** Leader: **ARTHUR** (01837 880030)  
\*Cars **9.00am** to **WOOTTON FITZPAINE**, Wootton Hill car park (SY 355 970). 8.5 miles via Marshwood Vale. Fields and woodland.

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**SUNDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> June** Leaders: **JANET** (Mob 07749 033153) & **RICARDA** (01392 438214)  
\*Cars **9.00** to **STONEBARROW** car park, (SY 382 932), near Charmouth. **Janet** will lead a **12-mile walk** along the coast path, over Golden Cap and beyond Seatown, then inland along tracks and footpaths via Symondsburry, Colmer's Hill, Hell Lane and Chideock. **Ricarda** will lead a **shorter, and more leisurely 8-mile walk** via Golden Cap, Seatown and St Gabriel's. Tea and home-baked cakes at the cars, weather permitting. To help coordinate transport arrangements, please ring Janet or Ricarda **by Friday, 21 June. NT members, please bring card and car sticker.**

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**SUNDAY 30<sup>th</sup> June****Leader: PETE** (01392 860490 or Mob 07896 363246)

\*Cars **9.00** to **WEMBURY BEACH NT** car park (SX 518 484), where charges apply for non-members. 8 miles via Heybrook Bay, Bovisand Park, Staddiscombe and Hollacombe Hill. Coast path and country footpaths, one steep ascent, one steep descent and a flight of steps. **NT Members, please bring card and car sticker.**

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**SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup> July****Leader: RICARDA** (01392 438214)

Cars 9.30 to **WATCOMBE BEACH** car park, (SX 922 674). 7 miles starting out along the coast path towards Labrador Bay, returning on a higher path, overlooking the sea, to Watcombe Beach, where there is the possibility of a swim.

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**THURSDAY 11<sup>th</sup> July****Leader: PETE** (01392 860490 or Mob 07896 363246)

Cars 9.30 to **EAST BUDLEIGH** car park, Hayes Lane, opp. Sir Walter Raleigh Pub. A flat 4.5-mile walk along the R. Otter and footpaths. To book lunch, please ring Pete **by Tuesday, 9 July.**

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**SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup> July****Leader: PETE** (01392 860490 or Mob 07896 363246)

\*Cars **9.00** to **COUNTISBURY**, North Devon, A39 east from Lynmouth. Car park on left, opposite The Blue Ball Inn, (SS 746 495). 10 miles via Countisbury Common, Wyngate Farm, and County Gate, returning along the coast path.

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**SUNDAY 21<sup>st</sup> July****Leader: KATHY** (01363 84097)

\*Cars **9.00** to **MANATON**, (SX 750 812), where the leader will meet the group. 9.5 miles via Hayne Down, Natsworthy, Bonehill Rocks, Emsworthy Mire, Holwell Tor and Smallacombe Rocks.

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**SUNDAY 28<sup>th</sup> July****Leader: CHRISTABEL** (01392 215831)

\*Cars **9.00** to **WHEDDON CROSS**, parking at The Rest and Be Thankful Inn, (SS 924 388), where the leader will meet the group. 12 miles via Lype Hill and Luxborough. Ancient tracks through fields and woodlands, with some expansive views in fine weather.

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**Notes:**

- **Details of the walks on this programme are correct at the time of printing. Very occasionally changes may have to be made and these will be shown on the Club Website. If you do not have internet access and are in any doubt, or in the case of inclement weather, it is advisable to check with the leader that the programmed walk will take place.**
- On car walks it would be appreciated if car owners would be prepared to take passengers.
- Non-drivers should be aware that they **cannot be guaranteed a lift** on all occasions.
- All car walks start from the **Triangle car park, off Heavitree Road**, unless otherwise stated.
- Always carry a packed lunch and plenty to drink.
- Walking boots are preferable, and essential on moorland walks.
- When walking, please stay with the group and let the leader know if you are leaving the walk.
- Dogs are not allowed on any programmed walk.
- Participants are reminded that walks are undertaken at their own risk.
- Anyone wishing to meet the group at the actual start of the walk (rather than the Triangle car park) should let the leader know, in case the walk has to be cancelled for any reason.

**NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING: 7.30pm on Tuesday 2 July 2019 at Pete's.**