



Loughborough & District Group of the Ramblers

Summer Programme 2018

Date	Meet Time / Location	Start Time / Location	Walk Title / Description	Distance / Grade	Leader	Additional Information
Wed 02/05/2018		10:00 Church Street, north side of Bunny church NG11 6QW, SK583296	Bunny & bluebells walk South of Bunny through woods to see the bluebells	5mi/8km Leisurely	Margaret M 07885 245474	Pub stop after walk
Fri to Mon 4-7/5/2018			Group weekend at Brecon			
Wed 09/05/2018	09:00 NSG LE11 3TN, SK517175	10:00 St Mary's church, Congerstone by war memorial CV13 6LZ, SK367054	Congerstone to Market Bosworth Over fields, using riverside track and canal footpath	7mi/11.3km Leisurely	Sue M 01509 231350 07545 395817	WC, pub stop after walk
Sat 12/05/2018			Coalville Coach Trip <u>Walks and Tissington well dressing</u>			
Wed 16/05/2018		10:00 Kingston-on-Soar village hall CP, Kegworth Road NG11 0LR, SK501277	Soar/Trent river junction Kingston-on-Soar to the river junction taking in Redhill marina	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	Peter 01509 646968 07482 972889	Tearoom
Sat 19/05/2018	09:30 NSG LE11 3TN, SK517175	10:00 Park at Copt Oak church. Entrance at side of Copt Oak pub LE67 9QB, SK483129	Charnwood Forest from Copt Oak Best of Charnwood Forest views from Beacon, Nanpantan & Lubcloud	9mi/14.5km Moderate	John Ha 01664 820485 07913 941252	WC, tearoom National Forest Walking Festival
Thu 24/05/2018		10:00 Outwoods CP, Woodhouse Lane, Nanpantan LE12 8TA, SK514159	High points of Charnwood Forest The Outwoods, Beacon Hill, Buck Hill, Broombriggs and Woodhouse Windmill	7mi/11.3km Moderate	Sue B 01162 547627 07729 885713	Car park charge, WC National Forest Walking Festival
Sat 26/05/2018	08:45 TC/EW LE11 3GE, SK525192	10:00 Sports Pavilion CP, Hallaton Road, Medbourne LE16 8DR, SP797934	Medbourne – Hallaton circular Medbourne and Hallaton via the deserted village of Neville Holt	10mi/16.1km Leisurely	Sue M 01509 231350 07545 395817	Tearoom or pub stop after walk Ramblers Summer Walking Festival
Wed 30/05/2018		10:00 Thornton Reservoir CP LE67 1AR, SK470074	Old & new around Thornton Pleasant walk thru Bagworth Park towards Stanton under Bardon, returning via the reservoir	5mi/8km Leisurely	John Ha 01664 820485 07913 941252	WC, pub stop after walk Nat Forest WF, Ramblers Summer WF, Charnwood walk
Sat 02/06/2018	08:30 TC/EW LE11 3GE, SK525192	10:00 Calver layby by Curbar primary school, Calver bridge S32 3YP, SK247743	Baslow and the Edges Along the gritstone edges of the Peak District around Baslow	12mi/19.3km Moderate	Marie 01332 863165 07947 460877	Tearoom after walk. Ramblers Summer Walking Festival
Wed 06/06/2018		10:00 Ambion Lane CP, Sutton Cheney CV13 0AD, SK410004	Market Bosworth meander From Sutton Cheney around Market Bosworth and return	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	Margaret M 07885 245474	WC, tearoom after walk
Sat 09/06/2018	08:40 TC/EW LE11 3GE, SK525192	10:00 Layby on B6057 between Unstone and Dronfield S18 4AP, SK365777	Dronfield 2000 Rotary Walk Unstone, Monk Wood, Holmesfield, Mickley, Coal Aston, Troway & Unstone	14mi/22.5km Moderate	Dave 01509 560760 07743 669095	
Wed 13/06/2018		19:00 Bradgate Lane CP, off Main Street, Asfordby LE14 3YA, SK708191	Asfordby for fish and chips Circular walk and back for fish and chips supper	5mi/8km Leisurely	Peter 01509 646968 07482 972889	
Sun 17/06/2018	08:15 TC/EW LE11 3GE, SK525192	10:00 Ironbridge CP, Ladywood, south side of river TF8 7JP, SJ672033	Ironbridge and Wrekin Industrial history and a fine hilltop viewpoint	12mi/19.3km Moderate	John S 01509 557689 07740 306497	Car park charge
Wed 20/06/2018		10:00 Car park next to church, Ashby Road, Rempstone SK575245	Rempstone Ramble Circular walk via St Peter in the Rushes & Stanford Hall	5mi/8km Leisurely	John Ha 01664 820485 07913 941252	Pub stop after walk Charnwood walk

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Sat 23/06/2018		10:00 Uppingham Rd, Houghton on the Hill (use small road parallel to A47 off Deane Gate Drive LE7 9HA, SK677039	Houghton on the Hill & Keyham Circular walk from Houghton via Quenby Hall and Keyham	10mi/16.1km Moderate	Ted & Christine 01162 929732 07462 262404	
Tue 26/06/2018		10:00 Station Road CP, Quorn LE12 8DE, SK562165	Quorn Round and about Quorn and Soar River valley	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	Gill 01509 620701 07870 124039	WC, tearoom after walk
Sun 01/07/2018		10:00 Conkers Discovery Centre, Rawdon Road, Moira DE12 6GA, SK310161	New routes in the National Forest Conkers, Maybury Wood, Boothorpe, Church Gresley and Overseal	10mi/16.1km Moderate	Sue B 01162 547627 07729 885713	Tearoom after walk
Wed 04/07/2018		19:00 Oakley Road CP, north end of Shepshed LE12 9SH, SK479206	Shepshed evening stroll Leisurely walk around historic areas of the Shepshed countryside	5mi/8km Leisurely	Stuart 07775 872535	
Sat 07/07/2018		10:00 Playing fields CP, Main Street Sutton Bonington LE12 5PF, SK504251	Around Sutton Bonington A circular tour around Sutton Bonington	10mi/16.1km Moderate	Betty & Paddy 07719 659929	Tearoom or pub stop after walk
Wed 11/07/2018			Walk to be arranged See web site for details			
Sat 14/07/2018		10:00 Parking in layby on A6 south east of Kibworth Harcourt LE8 0SH, SP686940	Kibworth and beyond North to Burton Overy & Great Glen returning via Grand Union Canal & Saddington Tunnel	10mi/16.1km Moderate	John Ha 01664 820485 07913 941252	Tearoom after walk
Wed 18/07/2018		18:30 Nanpantan Sports Ground LE11 3TN, SK517175	Highlights of SE Loughborough A twilight walk of local highlights including the ancient Outwoods	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	Margaret H 01509 264761 07895 091326	
Sat 21/07/2018	08:30 TC/EW LE11 3GE, SK525192	10:00 Manifold Trail CP, Hulme End on B5054 SK17 0EZ, SK102593	Manifold Valley from Hulme End Hulme End, Revidge, Warslow, Ecton, Wetton Mill Thor's Cave, Wetton & Hulme End	12mi/19.3km Moderate	Dave 01509 560760 07743 669095	Car park charge, WC, tearoom after walk
Wed 25/07/2018		10:00 Roadside parking Church View, off Melbourne Road (A447), Ibstock LE67 6PB, SK403098	Northern route to Shackerstone Station Ibstock, Sence Valley, Shackerstone and Odstone	7mi/11.3km Leisurely	Sue B 01162 547627 07729 885713	WC, tearoom
Sat 28/07/2018		10:00 Ambergate Station CP DE56 2EN, SK349515	Climb to Crich Up thru Crich Chase & village to Crich Stand, returning via National Tramway Museum, Cromford Canal & NT Shining Cliff woods	10mi/16.1km Moderate	John Ha 01664 820485 07913 941252	Car park charge
Thu 02/08/2018		18:30 St Johns Football Club, Ravenstone Road, Heather LE67 2QJ, SK390112	Scarecrows of Heather An evening in Sence Valley, Diamond Jubilee Wood and returning to Heather	5mi/8km Leisurely	Stuart 07775 872535	
Sun 05/08/2018		10:00 (considerate) Roadside parking by church, Rotherby LE14 2LQ, SK675165	Around Rotherby Across the fields to nearby villages	8mi/12.9km Leisurely	Jane 01509 215109 07855 583499	
Wed 08/08/2018		10:00 Roadside parking Woodpecker Hill/Dale Lane junc. east side of Abbey DE7 4PJ, SK443385	Dale Abbey & Locko Park Dale Abbey to Locko Park via Hollies cafe	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	Peter 01509 646968 07482 972889	WC, tearoom
Sun 12/08/2018	08:15 TC/EW LE11 3GE, SK525192	10:00 Castleton CP, north side of Cross St. A6187 S33 8WN, SK149830	Castleton, Ridge, Dale & Abyss Great Ridge, Eldon Hole (cave) & Cave Dale	12mi/19.3km Strenuous	John S 01509 557689 07740 306497	Car park charge, WC, tearoom after walk
Wed 15/08/2018		19:00 The Nook CP, Anstey (avoid short stay bays) LE7 7DU, SK551087	Anstey in the evening Anstey towards Bradgate, Cropston and Castle Hill Country Park	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	Ted & Christine 01162 929732 07462 262404	WC

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Sat 18/08/2018	09:00 Meet at 9 for breakfast LE15 7QB, SK811099	10:00 Gates Nursery CP Cold Overton LE15 7QB, SK811099	Breakfast walk from Cold Overton After breakfast through Somerby, Owston, Somerby & Knossington	10mi/16.1km Moderate	Ted & Christine 01162 929732 07462 262404	WC
Thu 23/08/2018		19:00 Council CP, The Green (opp Ruby's fish and chip shop) LE67 8NR, SK427171	Thringstone and Charnwood Forest Canal Evening walk from Thringstone and Charnwood Forest Canal using the Ivanhoe Way	5mi/8km Leisurely	Stuart 07775 872535	
Sat 25/08/2018	08:40 TC/EW LE11 3GE, SK525192	10:00 CP adjacent to playing fields, near Fountain tea rooms, Clatterway, Bonsall DE4 2AD, SK280579	3 Towd Men from Bonsall Bonsall, Upper Town, Ible, Brassington, Carsington, Wirksworth, Middleton, Bonsall	13mi/20.9km Moderate	Dave 01509 560760 07743 669095	WC, tearoom after walk
Wed 29/08/2018		10:00 CP by Cossington church, accessed by war memorial LE7 4UU, SK603137	Wreake Valley from Cossington Pleasant walk along Wreake before passing Ratcliffe and its famous College	7mi/11.3km Leisurely	John Ha 01664 820485 07913 941252	Tearoom after walk
Sun 02/09/2018		10:30 The Green, Walton on the Wolds LE12 8HR, SK592198	Area walk - The Larry Ball memorial walk (1) Walton on the Wolds, Big Ling Spinney, Prestwold Hall, Burton on the Wolds	6mi/9.7km Moderate	Brian 01162 778452	
Sun 02/09/2018		14:30 The Green, Walton on the Wolds LE12 8HR, SK592198	Area walk - The Larry Ball memorial walk (2) Walton on the Wolds, Quorn Park, Seagrave	6mi/9.7km Moderate	Brian 01162 778452	
Wed 05/09/2018		10:00 Melbourne Parish Church, by Melbourne Hall (parking in Castle Square) DE73 8EH, SK386253	Melbourne meander From Melbourne thru 2 woods and a park	7mi/11.3km Leisurely	Sally 01332 863201 07968 280743	Tearoom after walk
Sat 08/09/2018		10:00 Outwoods CP, Woodhouse Lane, Nanpantan LE12 8TA, SK514159	Highlights & high points of Charnwood Outwoods, Buck Hill, Beacon Hill, Broombriggs, Old John & return via Swithland Woods	14mi/22.5km Strenuous	Ted & Christine 01162 929732 07462 262404	Car park charge WC, tearoom after walk
Sun 09/09/2018		Please let the Programme Secretary, Sue Bicknell, have details of walks for the winter programme	Email: walks@loughboroughramblers.org.uk			
Wed 12/09/2018		10:00 by The Linford, Main Street Newtown Linford (may be using Club CP) LE6 0AD, SK518100	Newtown Linford Historic Bradgate Park and surrounding countryside	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	Gill 01509 620701 07870 124039	Tearoom after walk
Sun 16/09/2018	08:15 TC/EW LE11 3GE, SK525192	10:00 Cutthroat Bridge CP, on A57, Manchester Road SK215874	Bamford and Stanage Edges Scenic walking on high edges and access moorland	11mi/17.7km Moderate	John S 01509 557689 07740 306497	
Tue 18/09/2018		10:00 Woodhouse Eaves Village Hall CP, Main Street LE12 8RZ, SK530144	Woodhouse circular From Woodhouse Eaves over the Charnwood Hills	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	John Ho 01509 416195 07884 951608	WC
Sat 22/09/2018	08:15 TC/EW LE11 3GE, SK525192	10:00 Biddulph Grange Country Park CP, Grange Road (not Biddulph Gardens NT) ST8 7SB, SJ893594	Biddulph & Knypersley Biddulph Grange Country Park, Knypersley Reservoir, Cheshire's Close, Congleton Edge	12mi/19.3km Moderate	Dave 01509 560760 07743 669095	WC, tearoom after walk
Wed 26/09/2018		10:00 New Lount Nature Reserve CP LE67 8JH, SK401185	New Lount NR, 2 towns and Gelsmoor New Lount Nature Reserve, Farm Town, Church Town & Gelsmoor	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	Sue B 01162 547627 07729 885713	Pub stop after walk
Sun 30/09/2018		10:00 Quarry Reserve CP, Morley Lane, Shepshed (south side of A512) LE12 9EU, SK474180	Shepshed to Whitwick Shepshed via Blackbrook Reservoir, Mount St Bernard Abbey & High Cademan	10mi/16.1km Leisurely	Peter 01509 646968 07482 972889	WC, tearoom
Wed 03/10/2018		10:00 Ticknall Village Hall CP, Ingleby Lane (signed from A514) DE73 7JW, SK352240	Circle of Calke Park Through woodlands progressing to Calke Abbey for elevenses and return to Ticknall	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	Betty 01159 225793 07747 765284	WC, tearoom

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Sat 06/10/2018			Walk to be arranged See web site for details			
Wed 10/10/2018	09:00 NSG LE11 3TN, SK517175	10:00 Main Street west of St Andrew's church CV13 0BZ, SK396050	Carlton, Ashby Canal circular walk From Carlton via fields and the Ashby Canal	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	Sue M 01509 231350 07545 395817	Pub stop after walk
Sat 13/10/2018		10:00 Fosse Meadows CP, Sharnford (follow brown signs) SP488908	Around the boundary of Warwickshire Sharnford, Smockington, Copston Magna, Wibtoft, Claybrook Parva & Fosse Meadows CP	11mi/17.7km Moderate	Sue B 01162 547627 07729 885713	
Wed 17/10/2018		10:00 King Street CP, Sileby (near railway station) LE12 7LZ, SK601151	Two old mills from Sileby Across meadows to River Soar, then south, returning through Cossington Meadows	5mi/8km Leisurely	Margaret M 07885 245474	Pub stop after walk
Sun 21/10/2018		10:00 Britannia Street CP (behind Catholic school) Shepshed LE12 9AE, SK477195	Shepshed, Belton & Osgathorpe Leisurely walk around local villages including Belton & Osgathorpe	10mi/16.1km Leisurely	Peter 01509 646968 07482 972889	Car park charge, WC, tearoom
Thu 25/10/2018		10:00 The Nook CP village centre LE7 7DU, SK551087	Anstey circular Around Anstey to see the autumnal colours	6mi/9.7km Leisurely	John Ho 01509 416195 07884 951608	WC
Sat 27/10/2018		10:00 Moat Road CP Loughborough LE11 3PN, SK524175	The big red bus walk A circular tour around Charnwood	12mi/19.3km Moderate	Jan 07518 858261	WC, tearoom
Wed 31/10/2018		10:00 Roadside by PO/village store, Main Street, Long Whatton LE12 5DG, SK480234	Long Whatton Loop Tracks and fields south of Long Whatton	5mi/8km Leisurely	Margaret M 07885 245474	Tearoom or pub stop after walk

Notes:

1. Please meet leader at start of walk where no Meet Time / Location is given.
2. Where no post code is given it is because it sends users to the wrong location.
3. NSG – Nanpantan Sports Ground. TC/EW – Technology Centre, Epinal Way.
4. Leisurely – generally easy paths, Moderate – rough ground, some hills, Strenuous – steep terrain.
5. If you do not have your own transport, or would like to share a lift, please telephone the walk leader so they can arrange transport to the start of the walk. You are expected to share costs with others in the car including the driver.
6. If you are intending to go directly to the start of the walk, or in case of inclement weather, please telephone the leader beforehand.
7. Please see <http://www.loughboroughramblers.org.uk> for our policy on clothing, packed lunches, dogs, etc.
8. Ramblers is registered as a charity in England and Wales No:1093577. Ramblers website is www.ramblers.org.uk

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