

**Hawkshead,
Sunday 22nd April 2018
(Leaving @6.00pm)**

Transport Information: Coach leaves Toby Carvery, Arrowe Park, at 8.30am. Cost: £13.00 (£15 for non-members)
Coach Stop: Burton Services 15mins. Coach will be available from 4.30pm and leave at 6.00pm
(During the day the coach mobile number will be: 07895 152449)

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A Walk Leader – PC

Starting from Hawkshead, we head NW to Knipe Fold and Iron Keld, ascending Black Crag, continuing to Holling Bank. It's then up and over Great How and then S on to Hodge Close via The Duds. From here, it's NW through Elterwater Caves to Slater Bridge, along Greenburn, and over Birk Fell to Low Tiberthwaite. Our return to Hawkshead is then via Holme Fell, Tarn How's and Hawkshead Hill.

Distance: 25kms (15.5mls); Ascent: 991m (3,250ft); Walk Points: 22

B Plus Walk Leader – MD

We leave Hawkshead in a NW direction to Tarn Hows which we circumnavigate in an anticlockwise direction. Holm Fell is then crossed to Hodge Close and then eastwards over High Oxen Fell. There is than a rough and trackless but short ascent to Park Fell followed by easy walking to Black Fell. We then descend to Knipe Fold. It is then SE across fields and along lanes back to Hawkshead. Gaiters recommended.

Distance: 19.5kms (12mls); Ascent: 775m (2,500ft); Walk Points: 17

B Minus Walk Leader – BG

Leaving the CP at Hawkshead, we head NW to Hawkshead Hill then turn S and head to Grizedale Forrest. We stay in the forrest following tracks to Grizedale Moor and the Forest Park to the trig point at Carrpn Crag. We then turn NW crossing Grizedale and on to Furness, Furness Fells and back to Hawkshead via Roger Ground.

Distance: 13.8kms (8.6mls); Ascent: 488m (1,600ft); Walk Points: 11

C Walk Leader – SD

From Hawkshead we walk a short distance by road to the Colthouse Plantation, from where we ascend (slowly!) to Latterbarrow, our high point at 803 feet. Descending via Base Camp and Wray Beck, we make our way to Lake Windermere and Wray Castle, before skirting Balham Tarn and returning to Hawkshead.

Distance: 11.6kms (7.24mls); Ascent: 485m (1,591ft); Walk Points: 10.5

D Walk Leader – SA

Starting from the pretty village of Hawkshead, we cross Black Beck and take field paths, back lanes and Bridleways to go up through forestry plantations to reach the Monument on Latterbarrow, with some amazing views over Windermere. We then descend towards Colthouse and back via field paths to Hawkshead.

Distance: 6kms (5mls); Ascent: 198m (650ft); Walk Points: 6

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13 th May	Rhyd Ddu, Snowdonia	20 th May	Coniston, Lake District

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