

# Battle Ramblers

## FRIDAY WALK PROGRAMME

October 2023 & Winter 2023/24

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Oct-06	MEDIUM	<b>Footland Wood - Sedlescombe Circular</b>	Distance:	5 miles
Friday	MODERATE		Start Grid:	TQ 763 203
Start Location: Footland Wood Car Park (Forestry Commission), off B2089			Post Code:	TN33 ONT
Leader(s): Rowly		Tel:	Battle to Start: 3 miles	Travel time: 8 mins
What3Words: <a href="https://w3w.co/bachelor.calls.perfumed">https://w3w.co/bachelor.calls.perfumed</a>		Walk Start time: 16:00	Drink stop	Fuel: £0.60
Oct-13	MEDIUM	<b>Sedlescombe – Petley Wood circular</b>	Distance:	4.5 miles
Friday	MODERATE		Start Grid:	TQ 782 181
Start Location: Sedlescombe village car park off Brede lane behind doctors surgery			Post Code:	TN33 0PW
Leader(s): June		Tel:	Battle to Start: 4 miles	Travel time: 10 mins
What3Words: <a href="https://w3w.co/portfolio.tagging.ditched">https://w3w.co/portfolio.tagging.ditched</a>		Walk Start time: 16:00	Drink stop	Fuel: £0.80
Oct-20	MEDIUM	<b>Battle Abbey – Catsfield circular</b>	Distance:	4.5 miles
Friday	MODERATE		Start Grid:	TQ 748 157
Start Location: Abbey Gate House, Abbey Green. Use English Heritage car park if member or the choice of Mount Street overflow car park or Watch Oak (both free)			Post Code:	TN33 0AQ
Leader(s): John D		Tel:	Battle to Start: 0 miles	Travel time: 0 mins
What3Words: <a href="https://w3w.co/rolled.senders.fabric">https://w3w.co/rolled.senders.fabric</a>		Walk Start time: 16:00	Drink stop	Fuel: £0.00
Oct-27	SHORT	<b>Mountfield South Side Chestnut Walk</b>	Distance:	3.5 miles
Friday	MODERATE		Start Grid:	TQ 735 203
Start Location: Mountfield Church. Park either at church car park or road adjacent to the village hall.			Post Code:	TN32 5JR
Leader(s): June		Tel:	Battle to Start: 3 miles	Travel time: 7 mins
What3Words: <a href="https://w3w.co/roaming.priced.shepherds">https://w3w.co/roaming.priced.shepherds</a>		Walk Start time: 16:00	Drink stop	Fuel: £0.60

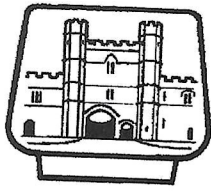
Note: From Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November until the end of March 2024, all Friday walks are on an ad-hoc basis starting from Watch Oak, Chain Lane, Battle, TN33 0YA, at 14:00

**WALKS LENGTH:** SHORT is up to 4 miles (6.4 km); MEDIUM is up to 6 miles (9.6 km); LONG is about 8/9 miles (13/14 km), max.

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## 3 MONTH WALK PROGRAMME (October to December 2023)

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Oct 01	MEDIUM	<b>"River Line Circular"</b> A lovely walk through farmland and woodland with some great views. A few stiles, and a few gentle inclines	Distance: 5.5 miles
Sunday	MODERATE		Start: TQ 744 164
Start Location: Watch Oak, Chain Lane Battle		Walk Start time 10:00	Post Code: TN33 0YA
Leaders: June		Tel:	Battle to Start 0 Miles 0 Mins.
Additional Info.: <a href="https://w3w.co/pulp.prune.paints">https://w3w.co/pulp.prune.paints</a>			DRINK STOP Fuel £0.00

Oct 08	MEDIUM	<b>"Winchelsea Icklesham Circular"</b> A delightful well-trodden walk to Icklesham and back through the Brede valley. Gentle inclines one steep.	Distance: 5 miles
Sunday	MODERATE		Start: TQ 904 172
Start Location: Lay by near toilets Monks Walk Winchelsea		Walk Start time 10:00	Post Code: TN36 4EP
Leaders: Simon		Tel:	Battle to Start 12 Miles 27 Mins.
Additional Info.: <a href="https://w3w.co/choice.shuttled.shelf">https://w3w.co/choice.shuttled.shelf</a>			DRINK STOP Fuel £ 2.40

Oct 15	MEDIUM	<b>"Northiam Beckley Circular"</b> Fairly level with a few stiles. Walk through fields, local villages and woods. Lovely country views. Prepare for mud!	Distance: 5.6 miles
Sunday	MODERATE		Start: TQ 829 245
Start Location: Northiam Village car park just off A28. Middle of village past the green		Walk Start time 10:00	Post Code: TN31 6NB (nearest)
Leaders: Audrey		Tel:	Battle to Start 11 Miles 21 Mins.
Additional Info.: <a href="https://w3w.co/zapped.wager.tones">https://w3w.co/zapped.wager.tones</a>			DRINK STOP Fuel £2.20

Oct 22	SHORT	<b>"Walking on the two open "rides" in Great Wood"</b> A short walk before the AGM. The start of a great day out!	Distance: 2 miles
Sunday	EASY		Start: TQ758 157
Start Location: Emmanuel Centre car park Harrier Lane Battle		Walk Start time 13:00	Post Code: TN33 0FL
Leaders: Bev		Tel:	Battle to Start 0 Miles 0 Mins.
Additional Info.: <a href="https://w3w.co/gadget.technical.goad">https://w3w.co/gadget.technical.goad</a>			DRINK STOP Fuel £0

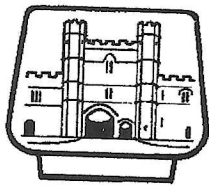
October 22 <sup>nd</sup> 14:30 – 17:00pm	AGM	<b>Emmanuel Centre, Harrier Lane, Battle</b> Some food for the tea after would be most welcome. Raffle prizes also needed. Arrive 14:00-14:15pm.	(TQ 757 156) TN33 0FL
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Oct 29	MEDIUM	<b>"Catsfield Circular"</b> An easy winter walk around Catsfield including the Norman-hurst 1066 path section. You will appreciate what a planned development could do to our glorious countryside.	Distance: 4.5 miles
Sunday	MOD/EASY		Start: TQ 724 137
Start Location: Catsfield Village car park off Church Road		Walk Start time 10:00	Post Code: TN33 9RG
Leaders: John F		Tel:	Battle to Start 3 Miles 7 Mins.
Additional Info.: <a href="https://w3w.co/scrapping.cloak.frog">https://w3w.co/scrapping.cloak.frog</a>			DRINK STOP Fuel £ 0.60

Nov 05	MED-LONG	<b>"Combe Haven/Church Wood Circular "</b> A delightful walk across the nature reserve. 4 stiles and 2 wooden bridges. One steep incline. Could be muddy.	Distance: 6 miles
Sunday	MODERATE		Start: TQ 776 208
Start Location: Bulverhythe Recreation Ground Car Park, Bexhill Road.		Walk Start time 10:00	Post Code: TN38 8AS
Leaders: Eileen		Tel:	Battle to Start 7 Miles 20 Mins.
Additional Info.: <a href="https://w3w.co/sugars.lied.flips">https://w3w.co/sugars.lied.flips</a>			DRINK STOP Fuel £ 1.40

**NOTES:** Walk leaders must nominate a "back-marker" for their walk, who knows the route and can ensure slower walkers complete the walk and road crossings should be supervised. High Viz jackets will be worn by leaders and back markers. First aid kit to be available.  
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Nov 12	<b>MED-LONG</b>	<b>"Goudhurst Circular"</b> A walk in a new area!! Open fields, views. Some inclines.	Distance:	6	miles
Sunday	<b>MODERATE</b>		Start:	TQ 723 377	
Start Location:		Goudhurst public car park off B2079	Walk Start time	10:00	
Leaders:		Mark & Bhabhinder Tel:	Post Code:	15	Miles 24 Mins.
Additional Info.:		<a href="https://w3w.co/retina.typified.fans">https://w3w.co/retina.typified.fans</a>	Battle to Start	15	Miles 24 Mins.
			DRINK STOP	Fuel	£ 3.00

Nov 19	<b>MEDIUM</b>	<b>"Brightling Circular"</b> A great walk through glorious woods and across fields. Great views. Some moderate inclines.	Distance:	5	miles
Sunday	<b>MODERATE</b>		Start:	TQ 695 195	
Start Location:		Darwell Wood car park Battle Road just off B2096 at Darwell Hole	Walk Start time	10:00	
Leaders:		John D Tel:	Post Code:	5	Miles 9 Mins.
Additional Info.:		<a href="https://w3w.co/troll.playback.jeeps">https://w3w.co/troll.playback.jeeps</a>	Battle to Start	5	Miles 9 Mins.
			DRINK STOP	Fuel	£ 1.00

Nov 26	<b>MEDIUM</b>	<b>"Pett Circular"</b> A delightful walk through woods and across fields. A few stiles and inclines	Distance:	5.5	miles
Sunday	<b>MODERATE</b>		Start:	TQ 748 160	
Start Location:		Guestling Woods car park. Watermill Lane. Turn north off Pett Rd Pett	Walk Start time	10:00	
Leaders:		Peter & Julie Tel:	Post Code:	9	Miles 22 Mins.
Additional Info.:		<a href="https://w3w.co/inefficient.reefs.fans">https://w3w.co/inefficient.reefs.fans</a>	Battle to Start	9	Miles 22 Mins.
			DRINK STOP	Fuel	£ 1.80

Dec 3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>SHORT</b>	<b>"The Christmas meal pre-amble"</b> A delightful short walk across the levels. Wellington boots!!	Distance:	4	miles
Sunday	<b>EASY</b>		Start:	TQ 863 145	
Start Location:		The Star Inn car park. Normans Bay	Walk Start time	10:00	
Leaders:		June Tel:	Post Code:	10	Miles 23 Mins.
Additional Info.:		<a href="https://w3w.co/pointer.inversion.punctured">https://w3w.co/pointer.inversion.punctured</a>	Battle to Start	10	Miles 23 Mins.
			DRINK STOP	Fuel	£2.00

<b>December 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>12:00pm</b>	<b>XMAS LUNCH AT THE STAR INN NORMANS BAY</b> Book place with June asap 01424 772709 / 07837 769192. £12.50 2 course £15.00 3 course. Pay June before day.	TQ 687 061 BN24 6QG
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Dec 10	<b>MEDIUM</b>	<b>"Sedlescombe Circular via Great Sanders &amp; vineyard"</b> A country walk across fields with views and the local wine country!	Distance:	5	miles
Sunday	<b>MODERATE</b>		Start:	TQ 782 181	
Start Location:		Sedlescombe village car park off Brede lane behind doctors surgery.	Walk Start time	10:00	
Leaders:		Brenda & Terry Tel:	Post Code:	4	Miles 9 Mins.
Additional Info.:		<a href="https://w3w.co/portfolio.tagging.ditched">https://w3w.co/portfolio.tagging.ditched</a>	Battle to Start	4	Miles 9 Mins.
			DRINK STOP	Fuel	£0.80

Dec 17	<b>SHORT</b>	<b>"Lake Field and the Old Mill"</b> A short walk taking in Battle Ramblers Heritage Trail walk No.8 No stiles but may be some mud!	Distance:	3	miles
Sunday	<b>EASY</b>		Start:	TQ 743 161	
Start Location:		Battle Recreation Ground car park North Trade Road	Walk Start time	10:45	
Leaders:		Bernard Tel:	Post Code:	0	Miles 0 Mins.
Additional Info.:		<a href="https://w3w.co/pinging.preparing.bride">https://w3w.co/pinging.preparing.bride</a>	Battle to Start	0	Miles 0 Mins.
			DRINK STOP	Fuel	£0

<b>December 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>12:30pm</b>	<b>CHRISTMAS MINCE PIES AT BATTLE GUIDE HUT</b> Guide Hut Battle Recreation Ground. North Trade Road Free Raffle and endless mince pies etc. Non-walkers can arrive at 12:00	TQ 743 162 TN33 OHA
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Dec 31	<b>MEDIUM</b>	<b>"Rye Harbour Nature Reserve"</b> A great flat walk with little mud across the landward side of Rye Nature Reserve. Passing by Camber Castle	Distance:	5.5	miles
Sunday	<b>EASY</b>		Start:	TQ 942 189	
Start Location:		Free car park Rye Harbour Village	Walk Start time	10:00	
Leaders:		Alison Tel:	Post Code:	17	Miles 31 Mins.
Additional Info.:		<a href="https://w3w.co/dusty.triathlon.enabling">https://w3w.co/dusty.triathlon.enabling</a>	Battle to Start	17	Miles 31 Mins.
			DRINK STOP	Fuel	£3.40

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