

DUNFERMLINE RAMBLING CLUB

Sunday outings are on the first and third Sundays of every month meeting at either **8am or 9am** (see programme for details) in the Glen Bridge CP, off Chalmer's Street, Dunfermline. Thursday walks meet usually at **9:30am** in the Leys Park Road CP.

If you accept a lift you should pay the driver as follows:-

Round trips of:

- * under 20 miles....£2.00 each.
- * 20-50 miles.....£5.00 each
- * 50-80 miles..... £7.00 each.
- * over 80 miles....£10.00 each.

Hostel/Hotel Weekends for 2014/2015

1. 28th Feb. – 3rd March (3 nights) : Priory Hotel, Beauly.
£20 pppn B&B plus food. Shorter stays also possible.
Room sharing for singles. Contact Stephen on 01383-722703 or colliball@btinternet.com.

2. 2nd – 5th May (3 nights) : Ullapool SHYA hostel.
Self booking. Tel: 0845 293 7373, or www.syha.org.uk

3. 6th – 9th June (3 nights) : Ratagan SHYA hostel.
Self booking. Tel: 0845 293 7373, or www.syha.org.uk

4. 29th Aug – 1st Sept (3 nights): Blackwater Hostel,
Kinlochleven. Self-book. Tel: 01855-831253 or -831402
or www.blackwaterhostel.co.uk .

5. 3rd – 6th October (3 nights) : BCC Lochness Hostel,
Glen Urquhart. (SYHA affiliated) Self book. Tel: 01456
476296, 07780 603045, or www.bcclochnesshostel.co.uk

6. 2nd – 5th Oct. 2015 (3 nights) : Fife Arms Hotel, Braemar
Self book through David Urquart Travel, tel: 08448 717 717
(ask for Ann, say you are with Dunfermline Ramblers).
£30pppn dinner B&B.

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PROGRAMME

Spring 2014

(Affiliated to The Scottish Rights of Way Society)

Programme is also available on the Club website:

<http://www.dunfermlineramblers.org.uk>

Please note:

1. Make sure you always bring walking boots, waterproof jacket and overtrousers, a map and compass, and food.
2. The walk coordinator will advise whether a walk is suitable for you. Please heed this advice.
3. Walkers take part at their own risk. The Club has no qualified mountain leaders.

Club contacts

Tel: Rob & Margaret Pearson 01383 823486,
or Alison Thompson 01383 737733, or email:
webmaster@dunfermlineramblers.org.uk

Brief description of planned walks

See <http://www.dunfermlineramblers.org.uk> for full details.

28 February - 03 March Beaulieu Hotel weekend

See Hostel/Hotel section above for details.

Thursday 06 March Airth Walk OS65

Meet at 9:30am: Up the creek at Airth plus the Pineapple - Royal Dockyard, historic seaport, castle, kirk and haunted house. 3-4 hours.
Start point: Car park Airth Recreation Grounds, Map Ref 898878.
Coordinator: Eric Simpson

Sunday 16 March A choice of high-level and low-level walks:

High-level option: Talla Cleuch Head & Broad Law (Corbett) OS72

Meet at 8:00am: A circular walk over open countryside, some steep, 15km, 700m ascent, 6 hours. Option to extend over Hunt Law.

Start point: Crook Inn on A701 Map Ref 112265.

Co-ordinator: Rob Pearson

Low-level option: Pitlochry OS43 and 52

Meet at 9:00am: A medium level walk from the Dam, taking in the Black Spout, Edradour, Moulin, Craigower Hill and lower Loch Fascal. Paths and quiet roads. 16km (can be shortened).

Start: At Map Ref 936578 Coordinator: Liz Fischbacher

Sunday 06 April A choice of high-level and low-level walks:

High-level option: Carn an-t-Sagairt Mor (1047m) OS43 & 44

Meet at 8:00am: Ascent of the Munro from Glen Callater, 18km, 680m ascent.

Start point: Auchallater farm, Map Ref 155882 Coord.: Colin Lees

Low-level option: Glen Callater OS43

Meet at 8:00am: Up the glen to Lochcallater Lodge, round Loch Callater, return by same path, 14km.

Start point: Same as above, Achallater farm. Coord. Liz Fischbacher

Thursday 10 April Plean Country Park OS65

Meet at 9:30am: Through Plean Country Park to Torwood Iron Age broch, 65m climb, a mixture of paths (some rough and muddy) and roads. 8-9km.
Coordinator: Sylvia Greenoak

Start point: Plean Country Park at Map Ref 827868.

Sunday 20 April Stob Binnein OS51

Meet at 8:00am: A steep ascent of this popular Munro from the south, 8km round trip 1050m ascent. Coordinator: Ian Smith

Start point: Inverlochlarig at Map Ref NN 446186

02-05 May Ullapool Hostel weekend

See Hostel/Hotel section above for details.

Sunday 04 May Newburgh to Abernethy by Pitmedden forest

Meet at 9:00am: This is a walk on road, forest track and paths, of approx 10km or could be lengthened in forest. Bus return from Abernethy if desired. Coordinator: Dorothy Anderson

Start point: Newburgh at Map Ref 234184, OS58

MONDAY 12 May 7:30pm CLUB MEETING in The Old Inn, Kirkgate, Dunfermline

A social gathering for all Club members, but it is also where we plan our future walks and weekend trips. Come along armed with your (documented, please!) suggestions for future club walks, high level and low level, for our programme for the next three months.

Important note: We need to plan early for future hotel / hostel / bunkhouse trips for 2015, so please bring your **researched proposals** (ie where to?, when?, how much? and availability.)

Sunday 18 May A choice of medium-level and low-level walks:

Medium-level option: Ochils OS58

Meet at 9:00am: A medium level walk from Alva Glen via Silver Glen to Ben Ever and Ben Cleuch and return. 10km.

Start point: Alva Glen CP at Map Ref 885975. Coord: Jim Jarvie

Low-level option: Dollar to Alva OS58

Meet at 9:00am: From Dollar via Tillicoultry to Alva, meeting medium-level walkers at Alva. 10km Coord: Dorothy Anderson
Start point: Dropped off at Dollar by the medium-level walkers.

Thursday 22 May Dalmeny Circular OS 65 & 66

Meet at Bus Station for the 9:20am no. 55 bus (or 9:45 at Ferrytoll) Over Craigie Hill to West Craigie farm, through Dalmeny Estate to Bus Stop at Forth Road Bridge. Coordinator: Alison Thompson
Start point: Dalmeny Bus Stop on A90 at Map Ref 142772.