

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 2015

1. **27th Feb. – 2nd March (3 nights) : Priory Hotel, Beauly.**

£20 pppn B&B plus food as/if required. Shorter stays also possible. Room sharing for singles. Book through Stephen on 01383-722703 or colliball@btinternet.com.

2. **01 - 04 May 2015 (3 nights) : Hartfield House Hostel, Applecross** (Affiliated to SHYA)

Self booking. Tel: 01520 744333, email

info@hartfieldhouse.org.uk, or www.syha.org.uk

3. **05 - 08 June 2015 (3 nights) : Broadford SHYA hostel, Skye**

Self booking. Tel: 0845 293 7373, or www.syha.org.uk

4. **28 - 31 August 2015 (3 nights) : Inchnadamph Lodge, Sutherland**

Self booking. Mention 'Dunfermline Rambling Club'. All bookings by email, please, to inch.lodge@mac.com, or see www.inch-lodge.co.uk

5. **02-05 October 2015 (3 nights) : Mackay's Hotel, Strathpeffer**

Self booking through David Urquart Travel, tel: 08448 717 717 (ask for Margaret, mention Dunfermline Ramblers). £30 pppn Dinner B&B. Deposit of £30 due by end March. Note: this is a change. Our previous arrangement with the Fife Arms Hotel, Braemar, has had to be cancelled.

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PROGRAMME

Spring 2015

(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.

27 February - 02 March Beaully Hotel weekend
See Hostel/Hotel section above for details.

Sunday 01 March Medium level walk; The Mell circuit, Glen Finglas OS57
Meet at 9.00am: A 24km walk with 560m ascent from Brig O'Turk along east side of reservoir then circular tract around Meall Cala (The Mell). Low level option from same start point.
Start Point: At Map Ref NN536067 Coordinator: Jack Binnie.

Thursday 05 March A circular walk in Cupar
Meet at 09.35am: A 9km walk on farm tracks and minor roads . Bus from Dairsie back to Dunfermline.
Start point: Meet at Dunfermline Bus station 9.35am for the X24 bus to Dairsie. Coordinator: Alison Thompson.

Thursday 12 March Limekilns circular OS65
Meet at 09.35am: An 8km walk via Douglas Bank, Broomhall and Charlestown.
Start point: Car park at Limekilns pier at Map Ref 075834.
Coordinator: Eric Simpson.

Sunday 15 March Ben An OS57
Meet at 9:00am: A medium-level walk, 7.3km,381m ascent, 4-5 hours
Start point: Map Ref 509071. Coordinator: Stephen Ballinger

Sunday 05 April Carn an Tuirc. Cairn of Claise, Tom Buidhe and Tolmount. OS43 and 44
Meet at 8:00am: Four Munros in the Glenshee area.
Start point: Map Ref 148800 Coordinator: Ian Smith

Thursday 09 April Auchterarder and Coulshill OS58
Meet at bus station 9:35 am for the X24 bus to St Andrews.
A 12km walk SE of Auchterarder
Start point: at Map Ref NN945126
Coordinator: Dorothy Anderson.

Sunday 19 April A choice of high-level and low-level walks:
High-level option: Beinn O'Choichuill and Beinn Eunaich OS50
Meet at 8:00am: Two Munros, 18km, 1200m ascent.
Start point: Glen Strac at Map Ref 137288. Coord: Ian Smith.

Low-level option: Glen Tilt OS43
Meet at 9:00am: A circular walk about 16km(can be shortened) on paths through woodland and farmland in this beautiful glen.
Start point: Car Park at Map Ref873662. Coord: Kath Jones.

01 May - 04 May Applecross weekend
See [News / Events](#) section for details.

Sunday 03 May Braid and Blackford Hills. OS66
Meet at 9:00am: A circular walk about 8km from Blackford pond up Braid hill (675ft) returning via Hermitage to Blackford hill (539ft).
Start point: Map Ref255709 Coordinator: Sylvia Greenoak.

Thursday 07 May Dalmeny Cramond
Meet at Dunfermline Bus Station for 9.55 X55 Bus to Dalmeny.
Walk the John Muir Way to Cramond Inn, bus back. 8km
Coordinator: Eileen Donaldson.

MONDAY 11 May 7:30pm Quarterly Planning Meeting. Venue to be confirmed.

This is a social gathering for all Club members, and 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. If you have never coordinated a walk before why not give it a go?
Important note: We need to plan early for future hotel / hostel / bunkhouse trips for 2015/16, so please bring your **researched** proposals (ie where to?, when?, how much? and availability.)

Sunday 17 May Carleatheran OS57
Meet at 9:00am: Fintry, Gargunnock and Touch hills, 16km.
Start point: Map Ref 652922 Coordinator: Stephen Ballinger.