

## 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 Leys Park Road car park. Thursday walks meet usually at 9:30am, also in the Leys Park Road car park.

When accepting a lift, please pay the driver for 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.

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,  
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### Hostel/Hotel Weekends for 2020-2021

1. 28th Feb – 2nd March 2020 (3 nights) : Priory Hotel, Beaulieu. A return to this popular venue. Contact Stephen on 01383-722703 or email [colliball@btinternet.com](mailto:colliball@btinternet.com).
2. 8th – 11th May 2020 (3 nights): Arle Lodge, Mull. From £62/room. Self booking on 01680 300299.
3. Mon 8th – Fri 12th June 2020 (4 nights) Mar Lodge ('Bynack') near Braemar: 3 double rooms, 4 twin rooms + 1 double-plus-single room. If interested, contact Colin on [colin.j.lees@btinternet.com](mailto:colin.j.lees@btinternet.com).
4. Fri 10th – Thur 16th July 2020 : Cleveland Way – Coastal Highlights. Saltburn-by-the-Sea to Filey, 52ml, 5 days walking, 6 nights B&B with luggage transport. Contact Colin on [colin.j.lees@btinternet.com](mailto:colin.j.lees@btinternet.com).
5. 21st – 24th August 2020 (3 nights): Cote Ghyll Mill hostel, Osmotherly, Yorkshire. The hostel is on the Cleveland Way in the North Yorkshire Park. See <https://www.coteghyll.com/cote-ghyll-mill-yha/>. Accommodation is 2- and 4-bedded with en suite, £23.50pppn room only. All bookings through Fiona Binnie.  
**Balance to Fiona by 1st June 2020.**
6. 2nd – 5th October 2020 (3 nights): Elterwater Hostel, nr Ambleside, Westmorland (independent). Twin-bedded and bunk rooms available. Self Booking on 01539 - 437245 or [webbookings@elterwaterhostel.co.uk](mailto:webbookings@elterwaterhostel.co.uk). Use booking ref. code DunF5.
7. 28th Feb – 7th March 2021 : A week-long trip to Tenerife with Preferred Travel. Self booking. See <https://www.preferredts.com/holiday/tenerife/> for details.

## **Brief description of planned walks**

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

**28 Feb - 02 March 2020 (3 nights):** Priory Hotel, Beaulieu.  
See [News / Events](#) section for details.

**Sunday 01 March** Crossford to Limekilns.  
Meet at 9:00am: For those not going to Beaulieu, a circular walk from Crossford Scout Hall to Limekilns and back via Gallowridge. About 12km. Some tracks and paths may be muddy.  
Start point: Crossford Scout Hall.  
Coordinator: Fiona Binnie.

**Sunday 15 March** Ben Vane OS56.  
Meet at 8:00am: A Munro on the shores of Loch Lomond. Ascent from Inveruglas directly up the SE ridge, 10km, 880m ascent, 5h30-6hrs total.  
Start point: Car park at Loch Sloy power station about 700m north of Inveruglas, at Map Ref 322 099.  
Co-ordinator: Rob Pearson

**Thursday 26 March** Around Stirling  
Meet at 09:30am: A historical walk around Stirling, 8km.  
Start point: Castle Esplanade or Park & Ride.  
Co-ordinator: Kathy Jones

**Sunday 05 April** Beinn an t-Sidhein (Fairy Hill), Strathgryne OS57.  
Meet at 9:00am: A medium level walk along forest tracks and open moorland, 8km with 578m ascent.  
Start point: Car park at Map Ref NN 560 168.  
Coordinator: Carmel Smith

**Thursday 09 April** Dalgety Bay to Cowdenbeath OS367  
Meet at 9:30am at Dunfermline Railway Station for the 9:37 train to Dalgety Bay, changing train and platform at Inverkeithing. Follow the sullom of the old Fordell railway, the re-instated section over the completed open-cast site and footpath to Cowdenbeath 10km. Return to Dunfermline by train.  
Start point: Dalgety Bay railway station at Map Ref NT 149 841.  
Co-ordinator: Jane Richard. Meet Jane at Dalgety Bay.

**Sunday 19 April** West Linton circular OS72  
Meet at 9:00am: A walk around West Linton along good paths and tracks plus a short stretch of road. 11km, 150m ascent. Optional ascent of Mendick Hill (451m). (This walk was previously cancelled in February 2020.)  
Start point: By West Linton golf course at Map ref 140520  
Co-ordinator: Kath Jones

**Sunday 03 May** Lindores Loch OS59  
Meet at 9:00am: A walk around Lindore Loch along paths, minor road and grassy slopes, 12km, 200m ascent.  
Start point: Victory Hall car park, Collessie, at Map Ref GR 287 134.  
Co-ordinator: Alison Thompson

**08 - 11 May (3 nights):** Arle Lodge, Mull.  
See [News / Events](#) section for details.

**Sunday 17 May** Comrie OS61  
Meet at 9:00am: A moderate walk around Comrie following good, well-signed paths and tracks with some bursts of strenuous ascent along the way. 15km, 460m ascent.  
Start point: Public car park, School Road, Comrie, at Map Ref NN 772 220.  
Co-ordinator: Stephen Ballinger

**Wednesday 13 May** 7.30pm CLUB MEETING in the Village Hall, Crossford.  
This is a social gathering for all Club members 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.

**Thursday 21 May** Caputh and Spittalfield OS53  
Meet at 9:30am: A moderate route along good paths and tracks and through farmland with some well-graded ascent. 11.5km, 200m ascent.  
Start point: Caputh Village Hall, opposite Caputh Parish Church at Map Ref NO 088 401.  
Co-ordinator: Alison Thompson.