

Maldon & Dengie Group of the Ramblers

Winter 2025/26 Programme Final

Information for Ramblers

All distances & post codes are approximate. Please check with the leader in adverse conditions to ensure the walk is going ahead. Walk details are correct at the date of publication but subject to change up to and including the day of the walk. Photographs may be taken for possible use on the Group website. Please speak to the walk leader if you would prefer not to be included. Please do not use pub car parks unless you are eating in the pub or the programme states that it is OK to park. **By attending the activity the participant declares themselves fit to participate and agrees they will act responsibly during the activity.** Young people under the age of 18 must be accompanied on the walk by an appropriate adult.

Information for Walk Leaders

Advice for walk leaders is available on our website www.maldonanddengieramblers.org Go to Walk Information / Notes for Leaders

In the event of an incident or accident, it is the responsibility of the walk leader to contact Alison. An incident report form should be downloaded from our website and the completed form should then be returned to Alison, who will forward it to Head Office. (email as below)

Please can walk leaders email walk numbers FAO Alison at maldondengieramblers@gmail.com as soon as possible after the walk.

Once the programme is on the website, changes in walk details should be emailed FAO Alan D at maldondengieramblers@gmail.com

Please check the website for updates to programmes

Thank you



December	Walk Details	Time	Grid	Miles	Leader
Tuesday 2 nd	Ho Ho Ho ! It's Fizz and Mince Pie Time Meet: The Rodney Pub, Little Baddow (please park on Street if not having lunch at the Pub) Lunch: The Rodney	10.00	CM3 4NQ TL778079	am 4 pm 4	Dennis 07874 099186
Tuesday 2 nd TA	West Hanningfield wander Meet: On the road/layby near the Three Compasses Pub (sadly now closed), Church Road, West Hanningfield	10.00	CM2 8UQ TQ726997	5.5	Sue E 07774 553743
Sunday 7 th	Hatfield Peverel Village Hall Meet/park at the village hall car park	10.00	CM3 2HP TL796116	6	John Ma 07542 083347
Tuesday 9 th	Seals and Alpacas Meet: Lawling Playing fields Car Park, Katonia Avenue, Maylandsea Lunch; The Star Inn, Steeple	10.00	CM3 6AD ///surcharge.verifyng.laces	10	Dom 07966 446602
Tuesday 9 th TA	A Walk Back in Time Meet: The Donkey & Buskins, Layer Road, Layer de la Haye, Colchester	10.00	CO2 0HU ///sulk.reply.divisions	6	Janet T 07732 114205
Sunday 14 th	Mince Pie Walk – Must book with Graham Meet: Purleigh Cricket Pavilion, Howe Green Road, Purleigh	13.00	CM3 6QA TL837018 ///prickly.dares.remote	4	Graham 07860 269685
Tuesday 16 th	London Monopoly Board Walk Piccadilly to Liverpool Street Station Meet: Outside Lillywhites Stores, Piccadilly Circus Lunch: Tolpuddle Cafe, Caledonian Park (Please note lunch in the café is now fully booked)	10.45	SW1Y 4GF TQ295806 ///fries.shop.stars	am 6 pm 4	Mike B 07940 820630
Tuesday 16 th TA	Christmas Treats on the Way Meet: Tolleshunt Major Recreation Ground, D'Arcy Road, Tolleshunt Major	10.00	CM9 8LN TL904114	4	Alison 07743 763978
Sunday 21 st	NO WALK				
Tuesday 23 rd	NO WALK				
Tuesday 23 rd TA	NO WALK				
Sunday 28 th	NO WALK				
Tuesday 30 th	A bit of fresh air and exercise – Combined all-day & TA walk (Fig. of 8) Meet: All Saints Church, High Street, Maldon (Park at Plume Academy Car Park , Fambridge Rd, Maldon) Lunch: On Maldon High Street (BYO or eat in the local cafes/pubs)	10.00	CM9 6AB	am 5.5 pm 4	J-P 07977 980920

January		Time	Grid	Miles	Leader
Sunday 4 th	Blue Mill Cat walk Park/Meet: The Cats. LH side of car park, looked at from road or park in road	10.00	814075 ///bead.waving.energy	5.8	Graham 07860 269685
Tuesday 6 th	Totham Circular Meet: St Peter's church, Great Totham. Lunch: The Swan, Little Totham.	10:00	CM9 8NP	6.5/3.5	David D 07340 401335
Tuesday 6 th TA	Happy New TA Year Meet: The Chase, off Church Road, Boreham (bring money in case Papermill Lock cafe is open)	10.00	CM3 3FF TL754096	6	Sue E 07774 553743
Saturday 10 th	Brekkie Walk Meet: Plume Academy Car Park, Fambridge Road, Maldon	08.00	CM9 6AB TL848067 ///august.menswear.embraced	4	Graham 07860 269685
Sunday 11 th	Woodham Walter Meet: The Bell PH, The Street, Woodham Walter	10.00	CM9 6RF TL808068 ///cooks.acheiving.crouches	6.37	Graham 07860 269685
Tuesday 13 th	Blackmore village, a new walk Meet: Blackmore Village Hall, Nine Ashes road. The village hall is sign posted the turning before the Blackmore primary School. Lunch: The windmill cafe at mountnessing village.	10.00	TL 600021 CM4 0QS ///soup.thank.trunk	11	Mike W. 07455124631
Tuesday 13 th TA	Partridges and Pylons Meet: Tolleshunt D'Arcy Recreation Ground, Tollesbury Rd, T, D'Arcy	10.00	CM9 8UB TL 930117	5	Alison 07743 763978
Sunday 18 th	Danbury Meet/park at Mayes Lane car park	10.00	CM3 4NJ TL783049	6.5	John Ma 07542 083347
Tuesday 20 th	Keeping It Local Meet: West Maldon Community Centre Lunch: The Hurdlemakers Inn, Woodham Mortimer	10.00	CM9 6YH TL845056 ///insect.grief.probable	am 6 pm 4	Mike B 07940 820630
Tuesday 20 th TA	Follow the Saints Meet CP North Street, Tillingham	10.00	CM0 7TR 992037 ///fancy.transmit.clenching	5.5	Jackie 07885 319659
Saturday 24 th	NEW YEAR'S LUNCH – Must pre-book. Details on website The Warren Golf Club, Woodham Walter		CM9 6RW		
Sunday 25 th	Tollesbury to Salcott Meet/Park: Woodrolfe Road Car Park, Tollesbury,	10.00	CM9 8RY estuaries.tower.punt	6.2	Terry 0792 8936172
Tuesday 27 th	Ancient trees and woods Meet: Lawling Playing Field Car Park, Katonia Avenue, Maylandsea Lunch: White Horse Inn, Mundon	10.00	CM3 6AD ///deleting.flanks.enacted	9.5	JP 07977 980920
Tuesday 27 th TA	There and back Meet: The Chequers, The Square, Goldhanger.	10.00	CM9 8AY TL 905088	5	Alison 07743 763978

February		Time	Grid	Miles	Leader
Sunday 1 st	Tottering Around Totham Meet: Village Hall CP. Wickham Bishops	10.00	///handrail.shorts.seat TL 843124 CM8 3NQ	6	John Me 07946 885740
Tuesday 3 rd	Pilgrimage to St Peter's Meet: St Peter's on the Wall Car Park, Bradwell Lunch: The Fox & Hounds, Tillingham	10.00	CM0 7PN	10.5	Wendy 07752 448003
Tuesday 3 rd TA	Looping the Hanningfield Loop Meet: Highfields Mead, East Hanningfield	10.00	CM3 8XA TL769015 something.mining.moods	5.5	Sue E 07774 553743
Sunday 8 th	Coffee Stop Meet/Park: Hatfield Peverel Village Hall, Maldon Road, Hatfield Peverel Stopping at Papermill lock tea rooms for coffee	10.00	CM3 2HW ///rugs.chimp.forces TL795116	5.5	Karen 07887 853363
Tuesday 10 th	Revisiting Goldhanger Meet: Plantation Hall, Colchester Road, Heybridge, please park at the far end of the car park in unmarked spaces. Lunch : The Chequers in Goldhanger	10:00	CM9 4PR TL 858083 ///egging.shins.recitals	6/4	JP 07977 980920
Tuesday 10 th TA	Back to the Bakery Meet: 10:00 at Braxted Bakery, Witham Rd, Witham	10.00	CM8 3ET TL 838139	5/6	Alison 07743 763978
Sunday 15 th	No Walk				
Tuesday 17 th	Tally Ho Tillingham (fig of 8) Park/Meet: Tillingham Recreation Ground CP or around the green near the pub Lunch: Fox & Hounds, Tillingham	10.00	CM0 7TP TL 992038	6/4.5	Gill and Tim(Harry) 07443570723 07736372226
Tuesday 17 th TA	A Winter Walk Meet: King George playing field CP, Station Road, Southminster	10.00	CM0 7EW 958997 ///bloodshot.attitudes.relatiing.	5.5	Jackie 07885 319659
Saturday 21st	Brekkie Walk, Early sunrise on the river Crouch Meet: Fambridge Yacht Haven, Church Road.North Fambridge, Please park near to the café. Breakfast; River Breeze Café & Bar	08:00	CM3 6LU TQ 846972 ///pounce.branched.majoring	4	JP 07977 980920
Sunday 22 nd	A meander around South Maldon Park: West Maldon Community Centre, Sunbury Way, Maldon	10:00	CM9 6YH	5	JP 07977 980920
Tuesday 24 th	Great Not, Not, Not Great Meet: Braintree Shopping Village South Car Park (NB 6 hour time limit so only arrive a few minutes before 10am) Lunch: Prince Louis Pub Great Notley	10.00	CM77 8YJ ///armrests.burden.riots TL 770 220	6.2/3.6	Mike B 07940 820630
Tuesday 24 th TA	Round the Creek and over the hill Meet: Compass Gardens, Creekview Road, South Woodham Ferrers	10.00	CM3 5GU ///magnum.novelist.reactions	5-6	Janet T 07732 114205

March		Time	Grid	Miles	Leader
Sunday 1 st	Westcombe Park Circular Park/Meet: Tesco Car Park, Fullbridge, Maldon, - near the steps up to the footpath.	10.00	CM9 4LD ///adults.chapels.childcare TL 849075	6	Terry 0792 8936172
Tuesday 3 rd	March Skies Meet: King George V Memorial Field, Southminster. Pub: Fox & Hounds, Tillingham	10.00	///dusts.intervals.newsstand TQ 960996 CM0 7EW	5.2/4.8	John Me 07946 885740
Tuesday 3 rd TA	Time to spot the birdies Meet: The Generals Arms, The Ridge, Little Baddow	10.00	CM3 4SX TL 780 071 ///lanes.lawns.grafted	5	Janet T 07732 114205
Sunday 8 th	NO LEADER For Sunday walks, please contact Susan	10.00			
Tuesday 10 th	Around Again Meet: Compass Gardens, Creekview Road, South Woodham Ferrers Lunch: Prince of Wales, Stow Maries	10.00	CM3 5GU ///magnum.novelist.reaction s	10.3	Andy 07788 564687
Tuesday 10 th TA	Boots and boats Meet: CP near skate park and Burnham rugby club, Millfields, Burnham on Crouch,	10.00	///asterisk.direct.struck CM0 8PN, TQ945957	5.5	Jackie 07885 319659
Sunday 15 th	In Search of Hyacinthoides non-scripta Meet: Lower National Trust Car Park, Bicknacre Road, Danbury.	10.00	///swooning.gobbles.twirls TL781043 CM3 4JJ	6	John Me 07946 885740
Tuesday 17 th	Ancient trees and woods Meet: Lawling Playing Field Car Park, Katonia Avenue, Maylandsea Lunch: White Horse Inn, Mundon	10.00	CM3 6AD ///deleting.flanks.enacted	9.5	Dom 07966 446602
Tuesday 17 th TA	St Patrick's Day Pootle Meet: Rettendon Bell, Main Road, Rettendon (only park in pub if staying for a drink/lunch; otherwise suggest parking in Salforal Close (CM3 8EJ) off E Hanningfield Road)	10.00	CM3 8JP TQ764982	5.5	Sue E 07774 553743
Sunday 22 nd	A bit up & down – Meet: Lay-by, Purleigh Roundbush,	10.00	///ends.shower.scrub CM9 6NH TL858018	5.5	Jackie 07885 319659
Tuesday 24 th	Layer Marney Tower circular Lunch: The Old Crown, Messing. Meet: Car park of St Mary the Virgin, Layer Marney Tower, via Roundbush Rd.	10.00	CO5 9UR	10	David D 07340 401335
Tuesday 24 th TA	The Purleigh Gates Meet: The Purleigh Playing Fields car park, Howe Green Road, Purleigh	10.00	CM3 6PE TL 837018	5.25	Dennis 07875 099186
Sunday 29 th	Around & About Meet: Plume Academy Car Park, Fambridge Road, Maldon	10.00	CM9 6AB TL848067 ///august.menswear.embrace d	5.06	Graham 07860 269685
Tuesday 31 st	Another Great Little Walk Meet: Sewells Farm, Witham Road, Little Braxted. Lunch: Green Man, Little Braxted	10.00	Grid: CM8 3ET ///proved.left.useful TL 838 139	6.5/3.8	Mike B 07940 820630
Tuesday 31 st TA	Sandon Circular Meet: St Andrew's church CP, Sandon	10.00	///milky.heats.smart CM2 7RQ	6.1	Helen J 07579 824886.