



# Walking in & around Denby Dale

## A week of guided walks in our beautiful countryside

**Monday June 21<sup>st</sup>**

**The Scissett Circular Trail (9 miles)**

Contact: Geoff Smith on 01484 868167 or 07527 201162

A 9 mile walk of moderate difficulty, revealing Scissett's fascinating history & the wonderful countryside nearby. Meet 9.45 for 10am start on Cuttlehurst, HD8 9LF. Turn off Wakefield Rd, after 100m cross a small bridge & turn right into makeshift car-park. OS110 241103

[Link: Scissett Circular Trails](#)



**Tuesday June 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**The Lower Cumberworth Circular (3.2 miles)**



Contact: Richard Brook 01484 606275 (walk leader Dave Wilde)

A leisurely walk with no challenging climbs or descents or untoward hazards. One step-over stile – the others are walk through. The walk crosses the A636 main road twice. Meet at The Foresters Arms Lower Cumberworth for a 6.30pm prompt start, aiming to return by 8.30pm for an optional drink/meal at the inn.

**For a meal, please reserve tables by Monday June 21<sup>st</sup> with the inn (Tel: 01484 766090) and order your food before setting off on the walk.**

[Link: Lower Cumberworth Trail](#)

**Wednesday June 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**The Stock-Den Trail train walk (7.5 miles)**

Contact: Terry Rimmer 01484 609626

The route starts off in the sleepy village of Stocksmoor and runs to Denby Dale taking you on some quieter and less well trodden footpaths. Thereafter it goes through Boothroyd woods. Kirkburton is a lovely village with lots to offer everyone. The high point is literally the highest elevation at Roydhouse which has superb views over the area of outstanding natural beauty. Pass through Skelmanthorpe and return to Denby Dale. Catch the 10.23am train from Denby Dale to Stocksmoor or meet at Stocksmoor station at about 10.30 and await arrival of train.

[Link: Stock-Den Trail](#)







### **The High Flatts History Trail (3 miles)**

Contact: David Cook on 01484 606865 or 07510 606668

A leisurely 3 mile walk, centred around the historic Quaker settlement of High Flatts. Toilets and parking available at the Quaker Meeting House.

Meet in the lane off Penistone Road (HD8 6XU) by the Quaker Meeting House brown sign at 6.30pm for a 6.45pm start.

### **Thursday June 24<sup>th</sup>**

#### **Heritage Trail of Upper Denby (2 miles)**

Contact: Dean at The George Inn on 01484 861347

A gentle tour of the village Conservation Area with local Historian & Herbalist John Hislop. A generally easy walk. Mainly paved paths around the village.

Meet 6.45pm at The George, HD8 8UE. Parking available at the pub.

**Homemade Steak or Vegetable Pie + Peas & Gravy available to order (£8 per person – please book by Wednesday June 23<sup>rd</sup>). No public toilets en route.**

### **Saturday June 26<sup>th</sup>**

#### **The 3 Halls Walk (4 miles)**

Contact: Mike Mortimer on 01484 861216 – no booking required.

The leisurely walk is mainly on footpaths & tracks with short sections on country lanes. The terrain is gently undulating with superb views in the direction of Cannon Hall & Cawthorne. Can be a little muddy so stout footwear advisable. A range of stile types are encountered.

Meet 10.30am at The Dunkirk Inn car-park, Dry Hill Lane, Denby Dale HD8 8TX.

Toilets & refreshments available at the inn. **For meals reserve in advance with Mike Mortimer.**

### **Sunday June 27<sup>th</sup>**

#### **The Denby Dawdle - Pie & Pea Walk (5 miles)**

Contact: Dean Wyatt at The George on 01484 861347.

Dept 12 noon from The George car-park. A ramble of appr. 5 miles through fields & woodland around Upper Denby, following the route of the Denby Dash annual race. A leisurely walk, though with some undulations and step-over stone stiles. Dogs under control welcome, but please note there is likely to be livestock in some fields. Parking & toilets at the pub.

**Homemade Steak or Vegetable Pie, peas, potatoes & gravy (£10 per person) available at The George after the walk – please book by Friday June 25<sup>th</sup>.**

[Link:DenbyDawdle](http://www.denbydale-walkersarewelcome.org.uk)



### **Denby Dale Walkers are Welcome**

The above walks have been devised and will be led by members of Denby Dale Walkers are Welcome Group, who aim to promote walking in and around Denby Dale and are affiliated to the national Walkers are Welcome movement.

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