



WALKS



I do hope we shall see many of you on one or more of these outings.

SUNDAY 28 May College Valley Led by George

Upland birds and plants and Cheviot scenery. Probably c. 5 miles with some uphill!
Meet at 10.30am in the Hethpool carpark. George is able to get permission to take cars further up the valley without the need for £10 permits, but we shall have to share cars beyond Hethpool. **Bring lunch**

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SATURDAY 3 June Alnwick Cemetery Led by David

Gentle exploration of the cemetery with its flora and fauna. Graveyards often provide real wildlife reservoirs in town environments. Time max 2 hours
Meet at 10.00am at the cemetery entrance on South Road. It's best to park in Sainsbury's carpark and walk along to the cemetery gates.

O.S. Landranger 81 O.S. Explorer 332 Grid Ref NU 195 123

SUNDAY 18 June Kylee Quarry Led by Richard

This year AWG is surveying Kylee Quarry for Lord James Joicey at Ford & Etal. This is an introductory visit to this fascinating large quarry that was last worked 40 years ago. Once you know where it is you can visit it independently and build up your own list of sightings to add to the records we shall compile during the year. Time c. 2 hours

Meet at 10.30am at the big layby on the road (B6353) from Lowick due east towards the A1 at Fenwick (or take the Fenwick exit if you are going north on the A1).

O.S. Landranger 75 O.S. Explorer 340 Grid Ref NU 043 407

SATURDAY 15 July A day on Lindisfarne Led by Keith

Plants plus birds and other animals. Bring binoculars, plant field guide and hand lens if you have any of these. Try to wear boots and clothes that won't provide too much attachment for the fruits of the dreaded pirri-pirri-bur or you'll spend half an hour at the end removing the offending burs. Timing c. 10.30 until 3.30. **Bring lunch**

Meet at 10.30am in the car park at the Snook (track on your left about half way between the mainland and the main island - the safe crossing time is from 10.15am).

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SUNDAY 6th August The Ceteran Hole and Ceteran Hill Led by Michael and Richard

A moorland walk with a mysterious cave and, if we can find it, the only North Northumberland site for the little Tunbridge Filmy Fern. Easy moorland walking with a bit of deep heather. Time 2 to 2½ hours. **Bring torch/head-torch for the cave.**

Meet at 10.00am on the grass verge west of Quarry House on the moorland above Hepburn. From the A1 take the North Charlton exit. The moor road is gated in places and has some bits of slightly dodgy surface.

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