PROGRAMME: DECEMBER 2014, JANUARY & FEBRUARY 2015

GENTLE EXERCISE FRESH AIR GOOD COMPANY
Our club, formed in 1972, offers three walks of 3-4 miles, 5-6 miles, and 9-10 miles, each week, enjoying the stunning downland of Cranborne Chase, woodland and heath in the New Forest, and coastal paths of the Purbecks and World Heritage Jurassic Coast.

WHY NOT JOIN US FOR A TASTER
JUST TURN UP AT ANY OF THE WALKS AND INTRODUCE YOURSELF
OR ENQUIRE ON 01202 822874

NB 1: MEETING THE HUB Car Park, Verwood is an opportunity for car sharing, but it cannot be guaranteed that anyone will be there. The time given is the latest departure time; please arrive at least a few minutes before.

NB 2: CANCELLED WALKS: If you have any doubts, for whatever reason, that a walk may not go ahead as published, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO CONFIRM BY CONTACTING THE LEADER before going to the starting point.

NB 3: DOGS: Members are not encouraged to bring dogs, as some members may feel discomfort. Walks invariably pass through areas containing livestock. If brought they should be on a lead at all times and under control. Damage by dogs is not covered by the Club’s insurance policy and would be the owner’s responsibility.

All mileages are approximate.

DECEMBER

02 Tues  THE HUB CP 09:15 or BOSCOMBE OVERCLIFF DRIVE 10:00   Exp OL22 GR SZ 119 913
(Park opposite Shelly Park, between Grovely Ave and Chessel Ave) – all free
3.1 mls Boscombe Prom, Southbourne and Boscombe Overcliff. Mostly paths, one slope up, a few steps down, no stiles.

03 Weds  THE HUB CP 09:15 or WILVERLEY MAIN CP 10:00   Exp OL22 GR SU 254 010
5 mls. Wilverley Inclosure, Rail Track, Hinchelsea Wood, Horseshoe Earth
05 Fri  THE HUB CP 09:30 or ROCKFORD COMMON CP 10:00 Exp OL22 GR SU 164 082
8.5 mls Avon Valley Path, Mockbeggar, Linwood, Linford, Highwood and Rockford Common.
Undulating circular forest walk, paths and tracks. Could be muddy.

09 Tues  THE HUB CP 09:15 or THE AMBERWOOD PH CP 10:00 Exp OL22 GR SZ 213 947
(Consider a coffee or drink on return & car share if possible)
3.2 mls Varied walk via Highcliffe and seafront. Mostly Tarmac & Gravel paths.

10 Weds  THE HUB CP 9:30 or ROCKFORD COMMON N.T CP 10:00 Exp OL22 GR SU 164 082
5.0 mls Forest circular. Some hills Expect winter conditions etc.

13 Sat  NOTE: THE HUB CP VERWOOD 10:00 OL 22 GR SU 085 091
9.0 mls Stephens Castle, Pistle Down, around Cripplestyle, Daggons, Cranborne Common
and back to Verwood via Boveridge Heath

16 Tues  THE HUB CP 9:40 or CRANBORNE GARDEN CTR 10:00 Exp118 SU 056 132
(Park at top end. Consider coffee or light lunch after).
3.0 mls Mud if wet 1 long climb, no stiles.

17 Weds  THE HUB CP 10:00 or DRUSILLAS HORTON 10:30 Exp 118 GR SU 039 075
Just 1 shorter XMAS WALK this year Mud possible and stiles. LUNCH 13:00
10:30 Start.  4.0 mls Haythorne. North Fm, Chalbury Fm, Horton Haythorne

19 Fri  THE HUB CP 09:00 or SANDFORD ROAD WAREHAM 10:00 Exp OL15 GR SY 922 885
10.0 mls Gore Heath, Sherford Bridge, Morden Heath, Ferncroft Farm, North walls.
Undulating heathland probably muddy in parts.

23 Tues
24 Weds
27 Sat

**************HAPPY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE**************

Best wishes for a Healthy New Year from your Committee

30 Tues  THE HUB CP 09:30 or BROADCHALKE CHURCH 10:05 Exp 130 GR SU 042 254
3.5 mls Chalkpyt Farm, Watercress beds, Mount Sorrel Farm.

31 Weds  THE HUB CP 09:30 or VERELEY CP 10:00 Exp OL22 GR SU 196 051
5.0 mls Forest Circular usual winter conditions. Leader at Start

JANUARY

02 Fri  NOTE: POTTERNE PARK CP 10:00 Exp 118 GR SU 096 073
9.5 mls Three Legged Cross, Moors Valley, Ebblake Bridge, Stephen’s Castle & Dewlands.

06 Tues  NOTE : POTTERNE PARK ADJ TENNIS COURTS 10:00 Exp OL22 GR SU 095 076
3.0 mls Boundaries and Byways A level walk around the southern end of Verwood.

07 Weds  THE HUB CP 09:15 or MARTIN DOWN CP 10:00 Exp 118 SU 037 201
5.5 mls, Bokerley Dyke, Pentridge, Penbury Knoll.

10 Sat  THE HUB 09:15 or BALMER LAWN, BROCKENHURST 10:00 Exp.OL22 GR SU 303 031
9.0 mls New Forest circular walk. Mainly flat on gravel paths.
13 Tues  THE HUB 9:20 or BROOMY WALK CP. 10:00  3.5 mls  Forest walk, no stiles, mostly gravel paths.

14 Weds  THE HUB CP 9:30 or BURLEY CP 10:00  5.0 mls  Forest circular. Some hills Expect winter conditions etc.

16 Fri  THE HUB CP 09:15 or DOWNTON SPORTS CP WICK LANE 10:00  Exp 130 GR SU 167 217 9.0 mls  Undulating. Wick Down, Charlton Furze, Clearbury Ring, Charlton All Saints, Avon Valley Path

20 Tues  THE HUB CP 09:40 or WHITE SHEET HILL CP 10:00  3.5 mls  Heathland paths

21 Weds  THE HUB CP 9.20 or GUSSAGE ALL SAINTS CHURCH 10:00  5.0 mls. Harley Down, Harley Gap, Tenantry Down.

24 Sat  THE HUB  09:40 or CRANBORNE GARDEN CTR (at top end) 10:00  Exp118 GR SU 056 132 9.5 mls  Cranborne Fm, Penbury Knoll, Pentridge, Salisbury Plantation, Bowldish Pond, Hills

27 Tues  NOTE :THE HUB CP 10:00  3.0 mls  North Boundaries and byways  Undulating

28 Weds  THE HUB CP 9:30 or COY POND ROAD 10:00  Exp OL22  SZ 067 923 5.5 mls  Branksome Chine, Seafront, Bournemouth Gardens. Could be muddy through Chine.

30 Fri  THE HUB CP 09:15 or WILVERLEY MAIN CP 10:00  Exp OL22 GR SU 254 010 8.5 mls. Wilverley Plain, Whitefield Moor, Brockenhurst, South Weirs, Hag Hill. Some roads

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FEBRUARY

03 Tues  HUB CP 09:30 or Post Office CP WIMBORNE -St GILES 10:00  Exp 118 GR SU 032 122 3.5 mls  All Hallows Farm, Monkton up Wimborne, North Barn Farm, Jubilee Trail. One slight incline.

04 Weds  Walk Not submitted

07 Sat  THE HUB CP 09:30 or WIMBORNE St GILES VILLAGE HALL  Exp118 GR SU 030 120 9.5 mls  Circular walk via Guusage All Saints, Harvey Down, Monkton Up Wimborne.

10 Tues  THE HUB CP 09:30 or THE CARTWHEEL WHITSBURY 10:00  Exp OL 22 GR SU 128 187 3.5 mls  Minor roads & tracks one slight incline.


13 Fri  THE HUB CP 09:30 or BREAMORE CHURCH 10:00  Exp OL22 GR SU 154 188 10.0 mls. Outwick, Radnall Wood, Marsh Farm, Rockbourne, North End, Knoll Farm, Rockbourne Church, Whitsbury Church, Lower Farm, Long Steeple Lane, Upper Street
17 Tues  THE HUB 9:30 or ROCKFORD COMMON NT CP 10:00  Exp.OL22 GR SU164 083  
3.0 mls Around Blashford Lakes no stiles or hills. Some road walking. Could be muddy if wet.

18 Weds  THE HUB CP 09:15 or BREAMORE CHURCH 10:00  Exp OL22 GR SU 154 188  
5.5 mls Breamore Pk. North Charford Drove, Long Steeple Lane

21 Sat  THE HUB CP 09:00 or WHITEPARISH VILLAGE HALL CP 10:00  Exp 131 GR SU 246 235  
10.0 mls Whiteparish, Rowdens farm, Dean hill.

24 Tues  THE HUB CP 9:20 or GUSSAGE ALL SAINTS CHURCH 10:00  Exp 118 GR ST 999108  
3.5 mls Harley Lane, Harley Wood

25 Weds  THE HUB CP 09:15 or MARTIN DOWN CP 10:00  Exp 118 SU 037 201  
5.0 mls, Bokerley Dyke, Tidpit Common.

27 Fri  THE HUB CP 09:20 or PAMPHILL GREEN (northern end) 10:00  Exp 118 GR ST 990 008  
10.5 mls King Down, Badbury Rings, Shapwick, White Mill. Minor road alternatives if Stour path is flooded.

DISCLAIMER: Walking is inherently safe but people should be aware of their own fitness levels and ability to complete a walk before they start out. Walkers should be appropriately dressed and prepared for a wide variety of terrain and weather conditions. A third party insurance is held by the Club, which does not cover personal indemnity. The Club or any of its agents acting on behalf of the Club shall not be held responsible for the death, injury, accident or damage, etc to the person or property of any member, guest or any other person, occurring during and arising from participation in any of the activities advertised in the Club’s programme. Third Party Damage or Accidents to any person on a walk should be reported immediately to the Club secretary.