



Walks for October and November 2018



Fareham Walking 4 Health is an accredited health walk scheme. Our walks are led by trained volunteer Walk Leaders.

This booklet includes descriptions of all the walks being offered for the coming 2 months plus a calendar of dates in the middle pages.

Every walk is given a rating to help you choose one that's right for you. A key to the ratings is on the last page.

Walkers walk at their own risk. If you are not sure that you are fit to walk please seek medical advice.

Walks start at 10:30am unless otherwise indicated.



New walkers are asked to complete a Walker Registration Form either on-line at www.walkingforhealth.org.uk or downloaded from www.farehamw4h.org.uk or a paper copy from your Walk Leader.

Please give paper forms to your Walk Leader or post to the address below.

No dogs on walks please unless indicated in the walk description.

Fareham Walking 4 Health
163 West Street, Fareham PO16 0EF
Tel: 01329 231899 Email: w4h.fareham@cfirst.org.uk


Walk Descriptions

W2 - Knowle / Wallington River

Lovely walk to Knowle or to Wallington River area and return. Stiles present.

Duration (mins): 90

Meeting point: Park in Chalk Lane. (Take A32 to Wickham. At Knowle roundabout turn right into Chalk Lane). PO17 5DP.

Boots Rating: 

W4 - Burnt House Lane

Brisk circular walk through woods and farm land around Collingwood followed by a cuppa in Stubbington village.

Duration (mins): 60

Meeting point: Public car park off Burnt House Lane, Stubbington. PO14 2LX.

Boots Rating: 

W5 - Holly Hill Lake

Around the Holly Hill Park, returning to park entrance, with optional extension to River Hamble viewing point.

Duration (mins): 30 or 60

Meeting point: Public car park at entrance of Holly Hill Park, Barnes Lane. SO31 7BJ.

Boots Rating: 

W6 - Portchester Castle

Enjoy the historical atmosphere of the Castle and fresh air of the foreshore. Various routes.

Duration (mins): 60

Meeting point: Main entrance to Portchester Castle, at southern end of Castle Street. Free parking available on right. PO16 9QW.

Boots Rating: 

W7 - Warsash Common

Come & try our convoluted circular walk around Warsash Common

Duration (mins): 60

Meeting point: Lay-by at end of Church Road, Warsash, by St Mary's Church. SO31 9GF.


Boots Rating: 

W10 - Crematorium to Fort Nelson

Through wildflower meadow to Nelson's Monument to small bluebell wood, refreshments at Fort Nelson.

Duration (mins): 90 + break

Meeting point: Gates of Portchester Crematorium. Please park in overflow car park or Seagull pub car park. PO16 8NE.

Boots Rating: 

W11 - Warsash to Solent & Hook

Walk along the coast to Solent Breezes then back through Hook Park. Route may vary.

Duration (mins): 90

Meeting point: outside Rising Sun Pub car park, Shore Road, Warsash. From Warsash clock tower follow signs to the waterfront. SO31 9FT.


Boots Rating: 

W12 - North Fareham

Discover North Fareham - route decided on the day (Stiles present) Along railway track.

Duration (mins): 90

Meeting point: outside Miners Arms - 112 Funtley Road, Funtley (Please park on road and not in pub car park). PO17 5EF.

Boots Rating: 

W13 - Cams Hall Estate

Along shoreline to Cams Hall Estate, stop at Buffet Car for refreshments & back via the woods.

Duration (mins): 60 (+break)

Meeting point: car park at end of Shearwater Ave PO16 8YE.

Boots Rating: 


W14 - Wallington River Walk

A walk along pavements, roads and footpaths near the river.

Stiles present.

Duration (mins): 60

Meeting point: Wallington Village Hall car park. Please park in nearby Sainsburys car park (2 hours free parking). PO16 8SU.

Boots Rating: 

W15 – Solent Way to Titchfield Canal

Pleasant walk along Solent Way to Titchfield Canal. Stiles present, can be muddy.

Duration (mins): 80

Meeting point: Adjacent to public toilets at Meon Shore (from Hill Head, follow Cliff Road, past the Haven, park by sea wall).

PO14 4HL.

Boots Rating: 

W17 - Wickham Train Trail

Walk along disused railway line. Refreshments and toilet available at the Community Centre.

Duration (mins): 60

Meeting point: Car park at Community Centre, Mill Lane, Wickham. PO17 5AL.

Boots Rating: 

Walk Schedule for October 2018

All Walks Start at 10:30am unless indicated otherwise in bold

Our regular walks

When	Ref	Leader	Walk Title
Every Tues	W51	Judy	Titchfield Tuesdays
Every Weds (except 17th)	W47	Keith E	Westlands Walk
Every Thur 11.15am	W56	Vanessa	Warsash Shoreline
Every Fri	W49	Judy	Holly Hill Leisure Centre

Our Occasional Walks

Date	Ref	Leader	Walk Title
Mon 1 st	W21	Keith E	Wicor Copse
Tue 2 nd	W15	Mike	Solent Way to Titchfield Canal
Wed 3 rd	W27	Maurice	Whiteley
Thur 4 th	W31	Mike	Henry Cort Iron Mill
Fri 5 th	W10	Keith E	Crematorium to Fort Nelson
Fri 5 th 1.30pm	W58	Baz	Broadlaw to the River Meon
Mon 8 th	W5	Mike	Holly Hill Lake
Tue 9 th	W13	Robert	Cams Hall Estate
Thur 11 th	W7	Mike	Warsash Common
Fri 12 th	W2	Maurice	Knowle / Wallington River
Mon 15 th	W4	Dave	Burnt House Lane
Tue 16 th	W28	Dave	Delme Viaduct to Town Quay
Fri 19 th	W48	Malcolm	Portchester to Port Solent
Fri 19 th 1.30pm	W58	Baz	Broadlaw to the River Meon
Sat 20 th 11am	W35	Keith P	Meon Shore to Titchfield
Mon 22 nd	W10	Keith E	Crematorium to Fort Nelson
Tue 23 rd	W6	Robert	Portchester Castle
Thur 25 th	W39	Mike	Stubbington to Salterns Shore
Fri 26 th	W54	Malcolm	Portchester to the Castle
Sat 27 th 10am	W52	Denise	Deviation Line to Titchfield Abbey
Mon 29 th	W28	Keith E	Delme Viaduct to Town Quay
Tue 30 th	W32	Maurice	Thatchers Copse to Brownwich

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W21 – Wicor Copse

Enjoyable walk around Wicor Copse area. (stiles & possibly muddy under foot)

Duration (mins): 60

Meeting point: Huts in free car park at Wicor Recreation Ground, Portchester. Via Cornaway Lane, then Cranleigh Rd and follow to end) PO16 9BY.

Boots Rating: 

W23 – Titchfield Canal North

Along the canal bank by the water meadows and return over farmland (stiles, kissing gates).

Route may vary.

Duration (mins): 90

Meeting point: Public car park adjacent to canal in Bridge Street, Titchfield. PO14 4EA.

Boots Rating: 

W27 - Whiteley

Pleasant walk around the lakes. Wide, flat footpaths that are perfect for easy walking.

(Suitable for wheelchairs and parents with buggies).

Duration (mins): 60

Meeting point: Outside Harvester Restaurant (follow signs to East Car Park). PO15 7LJ.

Boots Rating: 

W28 - Delme Viaduct to Town Quay

Spot a little egret or grebe on this waterside route from the Delme viaduct to town quay.

Duration (mins): 70

Meeting point: Outside the Delme Arms Pub. Parking nearby in Cams Hill road. PO16 8QY.

Boots Rating: 

W31 – Henry Cort Iron Mill

A country walk to the site of the Henry Cort Iron Mill. (stiles en-route)

Duration (mins): 90

Meeting point: Public car park adjacent to the Working Mens' Club in Highlands Road, Fareham. (Please do not park in the club car park). PO15 6JD.

Boots Rating: 

W32 – Thatchers Copse to Brownwich

Walk down Brownwich Lane to Foreshore.

Duration (mins): 90

Meeting point: Thatchers Copse car park. (Take Posbrook Lane south from Titchfield, after 1.3 miles car park is on right, by sign for Chilling Coastal Area). PO14 4HH.

Boots Rating: 

W35 Meon Shore to Titchfield

Every 3rd Saturday of the month (except Christmas Day) **meet at 11am**. Stop midway or at the end for a snack. This is a long walk and sometimes very muddy, please come prepared.

Meeting point: Meon Shore Road (by the toilets and private chalets at Western end). PO14 4HL

Duration: (mins): 120

Boots rating: +

W39 - Stubbington to Salterns Shore

Circular route from the village to the shore returning via Hill Head

Duration: (mins) 70 + break

Meeting point: Crofton

Community Centre, Stubbington PO14 2PP

Boots rating: 

W47 Westlands Wednesdays

A gentle walk in Portchester to the shore at Wicor with a break at Salt café. Route varied to suit walkers on the day.

Duration (mins) 45 inc. break

Meeting point: Westlands Medical Centre PO16 9AE

Boot rating:  to 

W48 - Portchester to Port Solent

Along the foreshore to Port Solent with a half-way break before returning to Portchester.

Duration (mins): 90 (+ break)

Meeting point: The Portchester Hub, 38 West Street, Portchester, PO16 9UY. Free parking available on right.

Boots Rating: 

W49 Holly Hill Leisure Centre

A choice of walks around local footpaths (1Boot) or through Holly Hill Park (2 Boots) – varied to suit walkers on the day.

Duration (mins): 60 (+break)

Meeting Point: Holly Hill leisure centre Barnes Lane, Sarisbury Green SO31 7BH. Free parking.


Boot rating:  to 

W51 Titchfield Tuesdays

A gentle walk through the village of Titchfield and up to the Abbey with a refreshment break half way. Route varied to suit walkers on the day.

Duration: 50mins plus coffee.

Meeting point: Jubilee Surgery PO14 4EH.


Boot rating: 

W52 Deviation Line to Titchfield Abbey

A hearty walk along the old railway line in North Fareham to the site of the 13th century Abbey. Take a break at the nearby nurseries. Path can be muddy and uneven in places.

Duration: 90mins plus break

Meeting point: Public car park adjacent to the Working Mens' Club in Highlands Road, Fareham. (Please do not park in the club car park). PO15 6JD

Boot rating: 

W54 Portchester to the Castle

A pleasant route from the Community Centre to the Castle taking in the coastal path. Includes refreshment break.

Duration: 60 mins

Meeting point: Portchester Community Centre, Westlands Grove, Portchester PO16 9AD

Boot rating: 

W56 Warsash Shoreline

A level walk along the shore that's a treat for all the senses: Feel the breeze, smell the sea, see the boats, hear the halyards tapping on the masts and the rustling of the reeds.

The causeway path is exposed, so dress for the elements.

Uneven in places.

Duration 60mins

Meeting Point: Passage Lane Car Park SO31 9FR

Boot rating: 

W58 *NEW* Broadlaw to the River Meon

An energetic afternoon walk from Fareham's West End to the River Meon taking in Oxley's Coppice, farmland and the riverbank. No hills. Can be muddy in places.

Duration 90mins

Meeting point: Bus stop adjacent to Mitre Court, Bishopsfield Rd PO14 1LN

Boot rating: 

Gosport Walking 4 Health launches in October!


Welcome to Carole – an experienced Gosport Heritage Walk Leader with a wealth of historical knowledge about the town.

Leesland Park Circular

Every Tuesday 10am

Meet: Forton Medical Centre, Whites Pl, Gosport PO12 3JP

Duration: 45mins


Boot rating: 

Priddy's Hard

Sunday 14th October 10am






Meet: Gosport Conservative Club, Walpole Rd, Gosport PO12 1NG

Duration: 90mins inc. refreshment stop.

Boot rating: 

Walk Level Boots Rating Guide

Our boots rating guide (below) helps new walkers to gauge which walks are right for them. Your Walk Leader will give additional information before the walk begins and be aware during the walk of any walkers who are in difficulty.

	Terrain suitable for wheelchair and mobility scooter users and people with buggies
	Mostly flat with some slight inclines and footpaths. Distance 1 to 2 miles. No stiles
	Moderate inclines, footpaths and grassland. Distance 2 to 3 miles. May include stiles.
	Some steeper inclines, footpaths and grassland. Distance 3 to 5 miles. Includes stiles
	Progression Walk. Walks over the Health Walk maximum of 90 minutes are for walkers ready to move on to more strenuous exercise

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