

Merthyr Valley Winter Walks Programme

2018-19

Part of Glamorgan area



Date	Start	Walk	Distance	Difficulty	Contact
Tue 05/02/2019	10:00 Garwnant Forestry Centre off A470 (CF48 2HU, SO003131)	<u>Loops & Links</u> From Garwnant Centre (GPS: 51.808075 - 3.446778) we take an interesting circular walk through the forestry	4.5mi/7.2km	Leisurely	Alan Hancox, 07901576703
Sat 09/02/2019	10:00 Taff's Well Park & Ride (CF15 7YF, ST125832)	<u>Porthkerry Coastal Walk (Rail Ramble)</u> At Taff's Well Station (GPS: 51.541348 - 3.262376) we take a train to Rhoose then walk to Barry Island on the Coastal Path to return by train	8mi/12.9km	Moderate	Andrew Richards, 01443 833719, ajeffreyrichards@yahoo.co.uk
Sat 16/02/2019	10:00 Paddling Pool, off B4273 in Old Ynysybwl (CF37 3LX, ST057948)	<u>Nant Clydach and Llanwonno</u> At the Paddling Pool (GPS: 51.644158 - 3.3639419) we follow a circular route that takes in Nant Clydach, Clydach Reservoir, St Gwynno's Church and Carn y Wiwer.	8mi/12.9km	Moderate	Alistair Sloan, 07484 291136, alistair.sloan654@btinternet.com
Sat 23/02/2019	10:00 Keeper's Pond Car Park, Blaenavon (NP4 9SR, SO254107)	<u>Pwll Du Circular</u> Leaving Keeper's Pond (GPS: 51.790417 - 3.082280) we follow a circular route to Pwll Du and return	7mi/11.3km	Moderate	Rob Jones, 07949950018
Sat 02/03/2019	10:00 Monknash Beach Car Park (CF71 7QQ, SS912700)	<u>Coast & Lighthouse Walk</u> From the Car Park (GPS: 51.418999 - 3.565331) we take a route passing Cwm Nash, Nash Point, Atlantic College, St Donat's Castle and Church	8.5mi/13.7km	Leisurely	Derek Jones, 07901 338989
Sat 09/03/2019	10:00 St Nicholas Church, St Nicholas (CF5 6SQ, ST090743)	<u>Haunted Field Walk</u> From the Church (GPS: 51.460791 - 3.310533) we take a circular route in search of Iron Age Tombs	8mi/12.9km	Moderate	Ian Hammond, 07830 520952

Tue 12/03/2019	10:00 Mayor's Square, Heolgerrig (CF48 1ST, SO029058)	<u>Mayor's Square Heolgerrig to Mountain Ash</u> From Mayor's Square (GPS: 51.742918 - 3.407036) we venture across Aberdare Mountain for lunch at Mountain Ash Bowls Club. Return by bus	5mi/8.1km	Moderate	Colin Davies, 01685 374702, colindavies3@sky.com
Sat 16/03/2019	10:00 Car Park across canal in Talybont on Usk (LD3 7JD, SO114225)	<u>Talybont on Usk Circular</u> From the car park (GPS: 51.894439 - 3.288236) we venture on a circular route	7mi/11.3km	Moderate	Rob Jones, 07949950018
Sat 23/03/2019	10:00 Machen Library (CF83 8NA, ST209891)	<u>Machen Circular</u> From Machen Library (GPS: 51.595627 - 3.142609) we take a circular route via Draethen, Cefn Onn and Rudry. Good views of Bristol Channel	10.5mi/16.9km	Moderate	Derek Jones, 07901 338989
Sat 30/03/2019	10:00 Babbington Centre, Trellech (NP25 4PZ, SO501050)	<u>Trellech Circular</u> From the Babbington Centre (GPS: 51.741923 -3.723381) we pass standing stones, waterfalls and through woodland on this circular walk	8.5mi/13.7km	Leisurely	Alan Hancox, 07901576703

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