



Herefordshire

Walking

Festival 2015

Saturday 13th -

Sunday 21st

June 2015



Nine days of walking through the beautiful Herefordshire countryside. Thirty seven walks guided among others by a geologist, an archaeologist, farmers, the ornithological club, a historian and a travel photographer. There is even a 'virtual' walk, which you can follow on the internet day by day during the festival. Long walks and short walks, there is something for everyone.

Request your brochure from [walking@walkingfestival.com](mailto:walking@walkingfestival.com) or download it and book your tickets at [www.walkingfestival.com](http://www.walkingfestival.com)

**Walk 1.** From the graceful new Greenway Bridge across the River Wye, walk through Hereford's urban-rural fringe up to the summit of Dinedor Hill, the site of Dinedor Camp an Iron Age hill fort overlooking the city. Great views. Ideas from 'Edgelands' written by Paul Farley & Michael Symmons Roberts will be explored on the way.

**Walk 4.** Join Graham 'Sven' Hassell for an introduction to navigation using a map and compass and then put it into practise orienteering around the beautiful trails, forests & slopes surrounding Symonds Yat Rock.

**Walk 6.** Along the Wye Valley Way, this walk takes you through two nature reserves, a hill for and Brockhampton Church, a beautiful thatched church and unique arts & crafts place of worship. Don't forget to examine the kneelers

**Walks 7 & 8.** Both these Sunday morning walks have cider on their mind in the woods & orchards around Woolhope and Putley. Choose a cider talk perhaps followed by a pub lunch at the Crown Inn or bring a picnic to eat in the orchard of Dragon Orchard, a small traditional fruit farm whose Cropsharer and Sponser a Tree schemes bridge the gap between producers & customers.



**And that's just the first weekend!**