DATE Start Time	CAR Share Time	DESCRIPTION AND DETAILS OF WALKS	LEADER(s)
Distance Location	and/or BUS Time	APRIL 2025	CONTACT NUMBERS
Wed 2-Apr		CIRCULAR WALK FROM BOWLEAZE COVE VIA WHITE HORSE HILL	Anton Hack
<b>10:00</b> 7 miles SY 701 819 DT3 6PL		Park on road to meet by entrance to Waterside Holiday Park at Bowleaze Cove. Walk across farmland to Preston, pass through Osmington village and up to the ridge, following path above White Horse Hill and then down to Sutton Poyntz passing the duck pond. Follow path back to Preston and then through caravan site back to Bowleaze.	07800 784697
Sat 5-Apr	Bus No 40 09:00	CORFE CASTLE & EAST CREECH CIRCULAR (PRIMROSE WALK)	Rob Lobley
<b>09:40</b> 6 miles SY 959 824 BH20 5DR		Meet at Corfe Castle NT car park. Head via Knowle Hill and Ridgeway Hill towards Stonehill Down. Return via East Creech and Purbeck Way. Great views across heathland to coast. Fairly steep climb at start and fairly deep mud to be expected on Purbeck Way. Hope to encounter lots of primroses (hopefully in bloom!!) on return to Corfe Castle.	01929 439903 07766 630453
Wed 9-Apr		BERE REGIS TO TURNERS PUDDLE AND BRIANTSPUDDLE	Karen Pratley
<b>10:00</b> 5 Miles SY 846 947 BH20 7LY		Park and start walk in Elder Road (by grassy area), Bere Regis - alternative parking in Manor Farm Rd or in car park by church in Turberville Rd (can be full). Walk up and over Black Hill. A gentle climb through woods to open views. Arrive at Turners Puddle and view outside of old disused church before crossing 2 pretty fords to Briantspuddle then ascend to open fields and slightly more climbing, with open views back into Shitterton and returning to Elder Road. Parts of this walk will be muddy if there has been recent heavy rain.	01929 792497 07773 523060
Sat 12-Apr		CHURCH KNOWLE, CORFE CASTLE, NORDEN FARM & EAST CREECH	Chris Boon
<b>10:00</b> 5.4 Miles SY 940 817 BH20 5NG		Park & meet at Church Knowle Village Hall CP. Circular anti-clockwise walk via Corfe Castle & Norden Farm. Take the valley path east passing Bucknowle House on route to Corfe (toilet stop). Then to Norden Farm and on to East Creech. Short section of road walking, one fairly steep climb up Knowle Hill and back down to Church Knowle. Some stiles. Mud likely if its been wet ! I will collect £1 from each car driver to contribute to Village Hall running costs.	07836 238482
Wed 16-Apr	ALL DAY	HOLT HEATH CIRCULAR	Sean McLean
<b>10:00</b> 7 miles SU 048 036 BH21 7DB	WALK Bring a picnic lunch	Meet and start at White Sheet Car Park. This is approximately 3.75 miles north east of Wimborne. A route through open heathland and woodland. The route is fairly level with a couple of short easy inclines. NB: Postcode is for White Sheet Farm which is within 100m of car park.	07305 999082
Sat 19-Apr		THERE IS NO WALK FOR TODAY - EASTER WEEKEND	
		If you would like to lead a walk on this date please contact Brian Arnold.	
Wed 23-Apr 10:00	Bus No 40	HERSTON TO DURLSTON	Steve Williams
5 miles SZ 016 789 BH19 2NW	5 miles SZ 016 789 Wareham direction	Meet outside Harlee's fish & chip shop, junction of Jubilee Rd & High St, Swanage. Parking in roads nearby. Walk from Herston up to cliffs, and to Durlston Castle. (probably via Tilly Whim) and back via Townsend Nature Reserve. Lovely sea views. Some hills and 1 steep climb. May be muddy & slippery in parts. Stop at Durlston Castle halfway for coffee break in cafe, or bring your own snack.	07766 375151

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<b>Sat 26-Apr</b> <b>10:30</b> 9 miles SY 445 937 DT6 6HG	ALL DAY WALK Bring a picnic lunch	SYMONDSBURY, COLMER'S HILL, GOLDEN CAP AND HELL LANE Park at the free Symondsbury Estate car park in Mill Lane, Symondsbury. Toilets at start of walk. 4 long and/or steep hills, several stiles. Walk via Colmer's Hill, North Chideock, Hardown Hill (lots Bluebells), St Gabriel's Wood, coast path over Golden Cap to Seatown. Return via Chideock, & the spectacular Hell Lane. Long day, allow 6 to 7 hours for the walk. Additional details and directions will be emailed to you before the walk.	<b>Brian Arnold</b> 07740 980056
Tue 29-Apr 18:30 for 19:00		SWWG AGM AT THE MOWLEM, SWANAGE Notice of the meeting and the agenda will be sent by email to all members in due course.	<b>Rob Lobley</b> 01929 439903 07766 630453
Wed 30-Apr 10:00 5.8 miles SY 907 977 DT11 9EW		ALMER TO WINTERBORNE ZELSTON Meet and park at The Worlds End pub car park. A lovely gentle undulating walk around the mid Dorset countryside. Open field views and a ramble through the delightful village of Winterborne Zelston. Option of a drink or lunch at the Worlds End after the walk - a large table will be reserved for walkers who want to stay for coffee /lunch.	Karen Pratley 01929 792497 07773 523060