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**CHESTERFIELD AREA WALKING FESTIVAL**

10<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> May 2025  
[www.visitchesterfield.info](http://www.visitchesterfield.info)

**COMMUNITY RAIL WEEK**

19<sup>th</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> May 2025  
[www.communityrail.org.uk](http://www.communityrail.org.uk)

**NATIONAL FOREST WALKING FESTIVAL**

16<sup>th</sup> - 26<sup>th</sup> May 2025  
[www.thenationalforestwalkingfestival.org.uk](http://www.thenationalforestwalkingfestival.org.uk)

**LINCOLNSHIRE WOLDS OUTDOOR FESTIVAL**

17<sup>th</sup> May - 1<sup>st</sup> June 2025  
A variety of outdoor activities across the delightful  
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[www.woldsoutdoorfestival.com](http://www.woldsoutdoorfestival.com)

**NORTH KESTEVEN WALKING FESTIVAL (Lincs)**

14<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> June 2025  
[www.hillholtwood.co.uk](http://www.hillholtwood.co.uk)

**WALK EAST YORKSHIRE FESTIVAL**

6<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> September 2025  
[www.walkingeastyorkshirefestival.co.uk](http://www.walkingeastyorkshirefestival.co.uk)

**SHEFFIELD WALKING FESTIVAL**

12<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> September 2025  
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You are invited to ‘take the train for a walk!’

Get outdoors for a walk using the train and the public rights of way network. Organised by the Penistone Line Partnership (PLP), these walks are to encourage use of train services to visit some of South and West Yorkshire’s finest countryside.

Walks may also take place in North Nottinghamshire, Derbyshire and Lincolnshire. Join us for an enjoyable day out – *all are welcome!*

Walks are free but fares apply. Bring along a flask and sandwiches. Wearing suitable clothing and footwear is recommended.

Walks are at an easy pace. Take care, **walk safe, beware of traffic**: walks are carefully planned but you are responsible for your own safety.

‘Park & Ride’ – FREE car parking for rail users at: Meadowhall, Elsecar, Wombwell, Barnsley, Dodworth, Silkstone Common, Penistone, Denby Dale, Swinton, Saxilby, Woodhouse. PAY at Huddersfield, Lincoln, Retford & Worksop

**RAIL REPLACEMENT BUS SERVICE  
Huddersfield to & from Lockwood**

The TransPennine Route Upgrade continues through 2025. During periods when Huddersfield station is closed, a rail replacement bus service will depart from Huddersfield to connect with the Penistone Line train at Lockwood station.

[www.thetrupgrade.co.uk/upcomingclosures/](http://www.thetrupgrade.co.uk/upcomingclosures/)

**INDUSTRIAL ACTION:** we regret that we may need to CANCEL walks on days when industrial action is held. Please check on the website or contact Stuart by text.

**NOTE:** occasionally train service cancellations may occur at short notice due to crew shortages, engineering work etc.  
**Always check before you travel - CBYT**

Note: some departure times are omitted for formatting reasons but train services call at all intermediate stations to and from Huddersfield, Barnsley, Sheffield and Lincoln.

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**Summer 2025**

**GUIDED WALKS**

**by TRAIN**

*departing from*

**HUDDERSFIELD PENISTONE  
BARNSELY SHEFFIELD  
MEADOWHALL WORKSOP  
RETFORD GAINSBOROUGH  
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[www.penline.co.uk](http://www.penline.co.uk)

### **Saturday MAY 3<sup>rd</sup> 2025 - Two Halls and A Spa!**

Leaving Penistone, we'll go up to Cat Hill Hall then down to Gunthwaite Spa, which will be ready for Spa Sunday the following day. We'll go up the ancient path to Gunthwaite Hall, onto Upper Denby before dropping down to finish at Denby Dale.

**Start: 9.45am at PENISTONE station.** Finish: DENBY DALE.

Distance: 8 miles. Leader: Janis & Gary Helliwell

**Depart: Huddersfield 0848 BUS, Lockwood 0915, Berry Brow 0918, Honley 0921, Brockholes 0924, Stocksmoor 0928, Shepley 0930, Denby Dale 0935 to arrive PENISTONE 0942.**

**Depart: Lincoln 0643, Saxilby 0652, Gainsborough Lea Road 0703, Retford 0717, Worksop 0729 to Sheffield 0804 then change.**

**Depart: Sheffield 0835, Meadowhall 0840, Chapeltown 0847, Elsecar 0853, Wombwell 0856, Barnsley 0903, Dodworth 0909, Silkstone Common 0912 to arrive PENISTONE at 0919.**

### **Saturday MAY 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025 - Kes, Res & The Rock!**

Welcome to our new leader today, on a route from Honley via Meltham Reservoir, onto Wood Nook, Oldfield and finishing at the Rock Inn at Brockholes.

**Start: 9.45am at HONLEY station.** Finish: BROCKHOLES.

Distance: 8½ miles. Leader: Jane Horner

**Depart: Huddersfield 0912, Lockwood 0915, Berry Brow 0918 to arrive HONLEY 0920.**

**Depart: Lincoln 0643, Saxilby 0652, Gainsborough LR 0703, Retford 0717, Worksop 0729 to Sheffield 0803 then change.**

**Depart: Sheffield 0835, Meadowhall 0840, Chapeltown 0847, Elsecar 0853, Wombwell 0856, Barnsley 0903, Penistone 0919, Denby Dale 0925, Shepley 0930, Stocksmoor 0933, Brockholes 0938 to arrive HONLEY at 0944.**

### **Saturday MAY 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025 - Along the Blue Loop!**

For Community Rail Week, we follow the along a section of the Five Weirs Walk out to Meadowhall, return along the Tinsley canal.

Plenty of places to opt out if a shorter walk preferred.

(Meet at the Supertram stop above Platform 8)

**Start: 9.45am at SHEFFIELD station.**

Finish: SHEFFIELD.

Distance: 8 miles. Leader: Bob Jackson

**Depart: Huddersfield 0812, Shepley 0829, Penistone 0842, Barnsley 0900, Meadowhall 0924 to arrive in SHEFFIELD at 0928.**

**Depart: Lincoln 0724, Saxilby 0733, Gainsborough LR 0745, Retford 0758, Worksop 0808 to arrive in SHEFFIELD at 0842.**

### **Saturday JUNE 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025 - From Old to New!**

Always interesting walking between these 2 places. (with bus options).

**Start: 9.30am at WOMBWELL station.** Finish: ELSECAR.

Distance: 8 - 10 miles. Leader: John Harker (07929-051978)

**Depart: Huddersfield 0812, Honley 0821, Shepley 0829, Denby Dale 0834, Penistone 0842, Barnsley 0900 to arrive WOMBWELL 0905.**

**Depart: Lincoln 0724, Retford 0717, Worksop 0729 to arrive in Sheffield 0804 then change:**

**Depart: Sheffield 0903, Meadowhall 0909, Chapeltown 0915, Elsecar 0921 to arrive WOMBWELL at 0925.**

### **Saturday JUNE 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025 - The Heart of Lincs!**

As part of the North Kesteven Walking Festival, joint with the Poacher Line CRP, a linear walk along public footpaths from Ancaster, via South Rauceby, back into Sleaford.

**Start: 11.25am at ANCASTER station.** Finish: SLEAFORD.

Distance: 7 miles. Leader: Stuart Parker (07908-450444)

**Depart: Doncaster 0947 (EMR), Gainsborough Lea Road 1011, Lincoln 1035 to Sleaford 1104 then change to:**

**Depart SLEAFORD 1113 to arrive ANCASTER at 1122.**

### **Saturday JUNE 21<sup>st</sup> 2025 - To be advised.**

*To be advised - check website for walk details.*

### **Monday JUNE 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025 - Evening Stroll!**

A circular summer evening stroll up to Castle Hill and back!

**Depart: Sheffield 1735, Honley 1840 to BERRY BROW 1843.**

**Start: 7.00pm at BERRY BROW station.** Finish: BERRY BROW.

Distance: up to 4 miles. Leader: Sarah Wells PLP & Wired Honley

### **Saturday JULY 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025 - From Den to Dod!**

Across fields, meadows and country lanes to finish at Dodworth Tap.

**Start: 9.40am at DENBY DALE station.** Finish: DODWORTH.

Distance: 7 - 8 miles. Leader: Geoff Ryder (07837-915847).

**Depart: Huddersfield 0912, Lockwood 0915, Berry Brow 0918, Honley 0921, Shepley 0930 to DENBY DALE 0936.**

**Depart: Lincoln 0643, Gainsborough LR 0703, Retford 0717, Worksop 0730 to Sheffield 0804 then change:**

**Depart: Sheffield 0835, Meadowhall 0840, Chapeltown 0847, Elsecar 0853, Wombwell 0856, Barnsley 0903, Dodworth 0909, Silkstone Common 0912, Penistone 0919 to DENBY DALE 0926.**

### **Saturday JULY 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025 - Across the Moss!**

An interesting route crossing through the Moss Valley area south of Sheffield, linking for a tram ride back to the city.

**Start: 9.15am DRONFIELD station.** Finish: WHITE LANE tramstop.

Distance: 8 - 9 miles. Leader: Alan Hawley

**Depart: Huddersfield 0712, Shepley 0730, Penistone 0743, Barnsley 0800 then change for the direct service at Barnsley 0839 Meadowhall 0844, Sheffield 0906 to arrive DRONFIELD at 0915.**

**Depart: Lincoln 0724, Retford 0758, Worksop 0808 to arrive in Sheffield at 0842 then change to the 0906 to DRONFIELD.**

### **Saturday AUGUST 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 - Visit the Coates!**

A pleasant route from Penistone to Silkstone Common

**Start: 9.45am at PENISTONE.** Finish: SILKSTONE COMMON.

Distance: 8 miles. Leader: Judith Parkes

**Depart: Huddersfield 0912, Lockwood 0915, Berry Brow 0918, Honley 0921, Brockholes 0924, Stocksmoor 0928, Shepley 0930, Denby Dale 0935 to arrive PENISTONE 0942.**

**Depart: Lincoln 0643 to Sheffield 0804 then change:**

**Depart: Sheffield 0835, Meadowhall 0840, Chapeltown 0847, Elsecar 0853, Wombwell 0856, Barnsley 0903, Dodworth 0909, Silkstone Common 0912 to arrive PENISTONE at 0919.**

### **Saturday AUGUST 16<sup>th</sup> 2025**

#### **- A Summer Stroll to Town!**

Join us for a stroll along a varied route via Wombwell Woods, on field paths, Worsborough Reservoir, part of TPT and Locke Park.

**Start: 9.10am at WOMBWELL station.** Finish: BARNSELY.

Distance: 8 - 9 miles. Leader: David Cook (07717-497684)

**Depart: Huddersfield 0812, Shepley 0829, Penistone 0842, Barnsley 0900 to arrive WOMBWELL 0905.**

**Depart: Lincoln 0643, Worksop 0729, Sheffield 0804.**

**Depart: Sheffield 0835, Meadowhall 0840, Chapeltown 0847, Elsecar 0853 to arrive WOMBWELL at 0856.**

### **Saturday AUGUST 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

#### **- From Don to Little Don!**

A pleasant route featuring the river.

**Start: 9.15am at SILKSTONE COMMON.** Finish: PENISTONE.

Distance: 8 - 10 miles. Leader: John Harker (07929-051978)

**Depart: Huddersfield 0812, Lockwood 0815, Shepley 0830, Penistone 0842 to arrive SILKSTONE COMMON 0849.**

**Depart: Lincoln 0643 to Sheffield 0804 then change:**

**Depart: Sheffield 0835, Meadowhall 0840, Chapeltown 0847, Elsecar 0853, Wombwell 0856, Barnsley 0903, Dodworth 0909 to arrive SILKSTONE COMMON at 0912.**