

Wrexham



Walking Festival June 2025

9 days of FREE walks exploring the beauty and history of NE Wales

Saturday 7th June - Sunday 15th June

MORE DETAILS OF HOW TO FIND THE STARTING POINTS OF WALKS

The easiest way to find the starting point for any of our walks is to use the free phone app – **what3words**. Post codes in rural areas can cover a large amount of ground but what3words is very precise and takes you to the exact place you want to find.

Once you have downloaded the app, type in the what3 words code (eg /// spilled.completed.quietest for Walk 2 on Sat 7th June from Brymbo Enterprise Centre and click on **Navigate**. If you then follow the link to **Google maps**, it will give a suggested route and directions. Press **Start** and it acts as a SatNav telling you exactly where to go.

Saturday 7th June

Walk 2

Brymbo (LL11 5BT Grid Ref SJ 294 537 ///spilled.completed.quietest)

Leave Wrexham on the A525 towards Ruthin. Go straight over the traffic lights at the junction with the A483 then after ¼ mile, turn right on to Heritage Way for 1.5 miles. At the roundabout take the 2nd exit on to Phoenix Drive. Go over 2 roundabouts and at the 3rd, take the 1st exit. After another ¼ mile, turn left at the cross roads on to Gwalia Road then almost immediately turn left again on to Blast Road. The Enterprise Centre is on the left.

Walk 3 (Evening Walk)

Felin Puleston, Wrexham (LL13 7RF Grid Ref SJ 325 494 ///explain.pinks.lawfully)

The car park is at Felin Puleston on the A5152 (Ruabon Road) on the outskirts of Wrexham, on the left about 250 metres past the cemetery and opposite Booker Wholesale.



Sunday 8th June

Walk 1

Ponderosa Café, Horseshoe Pass (LL20 8DR Grid Ref SJ 193 481 ///gala.puddings.plodded)

The Ponderosa Café is on the A542 at the top of the Horseshoe Pass. Use the Ponderosa's car park or there is more parking across the road from the café.

Walk 2 (Afternoon Walk)

Coedpoeth Public Car Park (LL11 3RY Grid Ref SJ 284 511 ///essays.incensed.reclined)

Drive from Wrexham into Coedpoeth on the A525 (Ruthin Road). The public car park is off the A525 (High Street) in the village just beyond The Red Lion (on your right). Turn left into the car park next to Perfect Image Hairdressing (29 High St) and opposite Victoria Road and Active Health, Wrexham.



Monday 9th June

Walk 1

Glyndyfrdwy (nearest postcode LL21 9HT Grid Ref SJ 159 425 ///roofer.shadow.spearhead)

Drive out of Llangollen westwards on the A5. After 4.75 miles, and about 1.2 miles after the Tollgate Café (on your left), turn into the large lay-by on the right just before you enter Glyndyfrdwy.



Walk 2 (Evening Walk)

Gresford (LL12 8PS Grid Ref SJ 348 547 [///sized.pickle.insist](#))

From Wrexham, take the B5445 (Chester Road) northwards. At the crossroads in the centre of the village, turn left into High Street then after 120 metres and just before the Village Pond, turn left into Lakeside Close. The car park is on your right.

Tuesday 10th June

Walk 1

Pontricket (LL20 7HT Grid Ref SJ 187 344 [///private.blink.imply](#))

Take the B4500 west from Chirk, into the Ceiriog Valley. Drive through Pontfadog and Glyn Ceiriog. From here, continue on the B4500 towards Llanarmon DC for approx 2.5 miles and the large lay-by is on your right.



Walk 2

Minera Quarry (LL11 3DE Grid Ref SJ 258 519 [///shunted.typically.toolbar](#))

Drive into Minera village along the B5426 and opposite the primary school and by the bus shelter, turn into Church Road. Go past the Tyn-Y-Capel Inn (on your left), round the S-bend and about 200 metres further on up the hill, turn left into Maes-Y-Ffynnon Road. Drive down this narrow rough road to the Nature Reserve car park at the end.

Walk 3 (Afternoon Walk)

Trevor (LL20 7TY Grid Ref SJ 271 422 [///annoys.marmalade.racked](#))

There is a small P&D car park in Trevor Basin by Pontcysyllte Aqueduct for the disabled and permit holders only. The new P&D car park is on Tower Hill about 350 metres walk away.

For the new large (P&D) car park (LL14 3SG Grid Ref SJ 273 426 [///letters.beak.translated](#)) -

From Wrexham, take the A539 Llangollen road through Acrefair and follow the brown signs for the Pontcysyllte World Heritage Site. Just past the Duke of Wellington (in a lay-by on the right), turn left down Tower Hill and the car park is about 200 m on the right. Then walk about 350 metres to Trevor Basin.

The Visitor Centre meeting point is by the canal past the metal foot bridge (LL20 7TY Grid Ref SJ 271 422 [///annoys.marmalade.racked](#)).

Wednesday 11th June

Walk 2 (Evening Walk)

Overton (LL13 0EN Grid Ref SJ 373 418 ///sunbeam.grape.polices)

Driving from Wrexham, through Overton Bridge and into Overton Village on the A528, go round the 90° bend to the right and round the bend to the left. Then about 100 metres further on, turn left into Church Road (B5069) and the (free) car park is on the left just before the church.

Thursday 12th June

Walk 1

Trevor Basin

For the new large (P&D) car park (LL14 3SG Grid Ref SJ 273 426 ///letters.beak.translated)
See details on Tuesday 10th June.

Walk 2 (Afternoon Walk)

Moss Valley (LL11 4UR Grid Ref SJ 312 523 ///topic.afford.strict)

<https://www.wrexham.gov.uk/service/parks-and-countryside/moss-valley-country-park>

Moss Valley Country Park lies between the villages of Gwersyllt and Brynteg, 3 miles north of Wrexham.

Leave Wrexham on the A541 towards Mold and at the large (Mold) roundabout where it crosses the A483 dual carriageway, take the Summerhill Road exit, following the signs for Moss Valley Golf Course. After 0.6 miles and just after the Pendine Park Care Home, turn left into Highfield Road then left again at the T-junction into Poolmouth Road. The car park is down the hill on the left next to the children's play area and between the 2 lakes.

Friday 13th June

Walk 2 (Afternoon Walk)

Erdig Country Park, Wrexham (LL13 7RF Grid Ref SJ 325 494 ///explain.pinks.lawfully)

See directions for Felin Puleston on Saturday 7th June.

Walk 3 (Evening Walk)

Llangollen (LL20 8RY Grid Ref SJ 215 422 ///searcher.perused.spindles)

Coming from Wrexham into Llangollen along the A539, The Bridge End Hotel is opposite the left turn to the bridge over the river and just before the railway station. For parking, go past the large Health Centre on the left as you come into Llangollen and about ¼ mile further along and just before the Ponsonby Arms, turn left into the long-stay (P&D) car park (LL20 8RY Grid Ref SJ 217421 ///movie.craziest.chew). Alternatively, there are other long-stay car parks over the river in East Street and Hall Street.

Saturday 14th June

Walk 1

Llanferres (CH7 5ST Grid Ref SJ 187 598 ///hillsides.encrusted.blackbird)

The large lay-by is on the left of the A494 Mold to Ruthin road, approx 0.5 miles south of Llanferres.



Walk 2 (Afternoon Walk)

Chirk (LL14 5DH Grid Ref SJ 291 378 ///acid.majority.rebounder)

Coming into Chirk from Wrexham along the B5070, drive past the Co-op, Kronospan and Chirk Court. Then just past the Stanton House Inn (on the left) and about 100 metres before the War Memorial and road to the station and Chirk Castle, turn left into Colliery Road (signposted Car Park and Toilets) and then after 100 metres, turn right into Pwll Y Waun and into the car park.

Walk 3 (Evening Walk)

Ruabon to Felin Puleston, Wrexham.

For directions to Felin Puleston car park, see Saturday 8th June.

Sunday 15th June

Walk 1

Cilcain (CH7 5PA Grid Ref SJ 171 652 ///warnings.adapt.rash)

From the cross roads in the centre of the village, follow the road on the right side of the church and then take the second left, after 0.25 miles. Follow the lane for about another 0.25 miles and you will come to the first lay-by. There is another about 200 metres further on.



Walk 2 (Afternoon Walk)

Hope Mountain (LL12 9HE Grid Ref SJ 285 577 ///constants.clash.presume)

Take the A541 (Mold Road) from Wrexham through Cefn-y-bedd and Caergwrle. About 1.5 miles further on, just past Fagl Lane on the right (signposted to Hope and Sports Centre), at the start of the dual carriageway, turn left into Pentre Lane. Follow this narrow winding lane upwards keeping right of the white house near the top where the road forks and right again at the next fork. The car park is almost immediately on your right.

Walk 3 (Evening Walk)

Moss Valley, Gwersyllt (LL11 4UR Grid Ref SJ 312 523 ///topic.afford.strict)

See Thursday 12th June.
