



# **Best Foot Forward**

Walks are FREE and everyone is welcome!

# Mondays

## **Bestwood Walk**

A walk offering a variety of routes around the Bestwood area. All the walks are in the Green Flag areas of Bestwood including some in Southglade Park.

**Meeting place:** Southglade Access Centre, Southglade Road, Bestwood Estate at 1.15pm

Grade: Easy to moderate

Walk length: 1 and 3 miles

**Duration:** 40-60 minutes **Terrain:** Relatively flat

## Woodthorpe Grange Park Walk

The Grange is a 19<sup>th</sup> century Grade II listed manor which sits amidst a mix of landscapes and includes formal gardens. There is also an innovative train sculpture and 'sunken garden' with water feature.

**Meeting place:** Sherwood Community Centre on Mansfield Road at 10.30am

Grade: Easy to moderate

Walk length: 1.5 - 2 miles

Duration: 60 minutes

Terrain: Varied inclines and some steep steps

## Tuesdays

#### **Wollaton Park and Martin's Pond Walk**

Varied walks around Wollaton Park or Martin's Pond. Both routes provide interesting sights and wildlife to observe. We often feed the ducks!

**Meeting place:** The Wheelhouse Pub, Russell Drive, at 10am

Grade: Easy to moderate

Walk length: 1.5 - 3 miles

Duration: 60 minutes

Terrain: Wollaton Park is hilly, Martin's Pond is flat

## The Park & Lenton Walk

The Park is one of the most remarkable Victorian residential estates in the country and is an area of national architectural importance as well as a conservation area.

**Meeting place:** Nottingham Castle Entrance at 10.30am

Grade: Moderate

Walk length: 1.5 - 2 miles (can be extended)

Duration: 60 minutes

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Terrain: Some steep inclines and steps
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## Nuthall Railway Walk

Part of the old Great Northern Line, this is a new footpath which passes fields of barley, rape seed and corn. Stop halfway for a coffee at Three Ponds Pub at Nuthall.

**Meeting place:** Snapewood Community Centre at 10.30am

Grade: Moderate

Walk length: 3 miles

Duration: 2 hours with a stop

**Terrain:** Includes a walk through fields or woods if it is dry



# Wednesdays

#### St. Ann's & Sneinton Walk

A walk along the boundaries, passing through Victoria Park Conservation Area, King Edward Park and Stonebridge City Farm.

**Meeting place:** Victoria Swimming Baths, Bath Street at 10.30am **Grade:** Easy to moderate

Walk length: 1 and 2 miles

**Duration:** 40 minutes **Terrain:** Mostly flat

### **Strelley Woodland & Countryside Walk**

Taking in the stones of Monks Way, Strelley Hall and All Saints Church. A path through Oldmoor Wood takes us into open fields, before continuing up Catstone Hill to the underground reservoir.

**Meeting place:** Broad Oak Public House, Strelley Village at 10am

Grade: Moderate to hard

Walk length: 4 miles

**Duration:** 90 minutes **Terrain:** Open fields and hilly at times

This walk runs on the 1st Weds of each month

# Thursdays

#### **Mary Potter Walk**

A varied walk around "The Forest" following established pathways, with extensive views of the City from lovely wooded areas.

**Meeting place:** Inside Mary Potter Health Centre (North entrance), Gregory Boulevard at 10.30am

Grade: Easy to moderate

Walk length: 1.5 and 3 miles Duration: 40 - 90 minutes Terrain: Wooded areas

# Fridays

#### **Wollaton Park Walk**

A number of pleasant walking routes in Wollaton Park, with its 16<sup>th</sup> Century Hall, lake and deer park.

**Meeting place:** Wollaton Park, first car park, Wollaton Road entrance at 10am

Grade: Easy to moderate

Walk length: 1.5 and 3 miles

Duration: 60 minutes

Terrain: Gentle incline at times

#### Victoria Embankment Walk

This is a steady walk along the beautiful tree lined Victoria Embankment and gardens. Refreshments available.

**Meeting place:** The gate entrance of Trent Bridge, London Road at 10.30am

Grade: Easy

Walk length: 2 and 3 miles

Duration: 60 - 90 minutes

Terrain: Flat



#### **Old Basford Walk**

A flat walk with benches at intervals. Lots of interesting wildlife can be found along the way.

**Meeting place:** The Garage on Mill Street at 10.30am. We park our cars at The Mill on Bagnall Road and return there for refreshments after.

**Grade:** Easy **Walk length:** 2 miles **Duration:** 40 - 60 minutes **Terrain:** Flat

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