

OHIHS *OXFORD HOUSE INDUSTRIAL HISTORY SOCIETY (RISCA)*

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Walks Programme 2002

Meet at the given venue (OS ref given) at 7.00pm prompt, please. Visitors are welcome but participate at their own risk.

Star rating:

* Easy, flat, mostly paved.

** Fairly easy, rougher ground, gentle climbs.

*** Moderate, rough ground, some hills.

**** Tough, steep climbs.

May

10th *** Bedwas Colliery site and tips. Meet Tony at Bedwas Church. (ST171893)

17th * Melingriffith and roundabout. Meet Robin near Radyr weir, after Amersham International, Forest Farm Road. (ST131809)

24th *** Ffos y Fran ironworkers' settlement. Meet Lionel approx. 1 mile along the minor road between the Dowlais slip road and Cwm Bargoed. (SO074061)

31st ** Trellech Furnace. Meet at the standing stones, south of Trellech on the B4293. (SO498052)

June

7th *** Taffs' Well and Gwaelod y Garth. Meet Tony at Taffs' Well school (A4054). (ST119838)

14th * Abergavenny and the museum. Meet Robin at Abergavenny railway station. (SO305137)

21st *** Glamorganshire Canal. Meet near Troedyrhiw railway station. (SO070024)

28th ** Llangattock wharf and tram road. Meet Robin near Llangattock Church. (SO211179)

July

5th *** Exploring Cwm Sychan. Meet Lionel in the car park opposite the Globe Inn, Talywain (SO260043)

12th John Venn's mystery tour. Meet John in Risca Leisure Centre car park. (ST260901)

19th * Llanwern Steelworks visit. Meet at Newport Civic Centre for the coach. (ST305882)

26th * Treforest and the tinplate works. Meet by the old bridge (west side of river) above the Treforest weir. (ST084890)

August

2nd ** A look around Ebbw Vale. Meet above the Big Arch by the former railway station building. (SO169099)

9th *** Some of the Merthyr Patches. Meet Terry in the Baverstocks Hotel car park, on the Heads of the Valleys Road. (SO005073)

16th ** Cwmcelyn Pond, Blaina. Meet Lionel at the pond (signposted off the A467). (SO204086)

23rd ** Barry Sidings Country Park. Meet Tony across the river at Barry Sidings car park, nr Trehafod. (ST054909)

30th *** The Darran Rocks and sites of Risca's Brickworks. Meet Tony at Limekiln Crossing, Risca. (ST234914)