

# **OHIHS** *OXFORD HOUSE INDUSTRIAL HISTORY SOCIETY (RISCA)*

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## **Walks Programme 2009**

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

NB: June 24<sup>th</sup> 3.00pm, July 10<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm, July 31<sup>st</sup> 2.00pm.

### May

- 15<sup>th</sup> Industrial growth in the Risca Darren area. Steep climb and rough ground in places. Meet Jim at the Fire Station, New Park Road, Risca. (ST230914)
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Dos Nail Works and environs. Meet Malcolm outside The Royal Mail pub, 31 Mill Street, Newport. (ST310884)
- 29<sup>th</sup> Long bridge, short bridge, brickworks, copper works & coke works. Meet John outside Risca Museum. (ST237908)

### June

- 5<sup>th</sup> North of The British Ironworks. Rough ground. Meet Tony in the car park opposite the Globe Inn, Talywain. (SO259042)
- 12<sup>th</sup> Cardiff Castle. Meet Robin at the main gate. (ST180764)
- 19<sup>th</sup> Old Bute East & West Docks Cardiff and Northwards. Meet John in the car park at Cardiff County Hall, Atlantic Wharf, Cardiff Bay. (ST192752)
- 24<sup>th</sup> (Wed) Uskmouth Power Station. Meet at 3.00pm. For security reasons, those wishing to attend must contact the secretary by 12.00pm 22<sup>nd</sup> June. (ST331837)
- 26<sup>th</sup> Tai Mawr Feeder. Rough ground 1.2 miles. Meet Mike in the old Cefn Coed station car park. (SO031080)

### July

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Clydach Gorge and environs. Rough ground and ¼mile incline. Meet Robin in the car park. (SO230134)
- 10<sup>th</sup> Purton Barge visit. Meet at 6.30pm in the car park opposite Purton church. (SO692042)
- 17<sup>th</sup> The abandoned village of Runston. Rough ground. Meet David 1.3 miles north of Crick on the Shirenewton Road. (ST495915)
- 24<sup>th</sup> Nantyglo Ironworks. Meet Malcolm at the English Wesleyan Chapel. (SO192108)
- 31<sup>st</sup> National Museum Wales Collection Centre, Nantgarw. See items currently not on show in the museums. Meet at 2.00pm at the centre, Heol Crochendy, Parc Nantgarw. (ST114860)

### August

- 7<sup>th</sup> Blaencanaid Iron Furnace. Easy walking 2 miles. Meet key holder of forestry gate at Pitwood Yard House, Upper Abercanaid. (SO051043)
- 14<sup>th</sup> Hetty Engine, Ty Mawr Colliery. Working under compressed air. Meet across the river at Barry Sidings car park, nr Trehafod. (ST054909)
- 21<sup>st</sup> Van and Wernddu Collieries & Brickworks, Caerphilly. Rough ground. Meet Tony at Caerphilly Business Park. (ST167865)
- 28<sup>th</sup> Beaufort Ironworks. Rough ground. Meet Tony at the junction of Beaufort Road and Badminton Grove, Ebbw Vale. (SO168106)