

### **Special Events - December 2018 to March 2019**

**HEREFORDSHIRE AREA RAMBLERS WEEK-END AWAY 2019** - Broadhaven (north) YHA hostel on the West Pembrokeshire coast has been booked for our exclusive use from Sun 8 Sept until Tues 10 Sept 2019. There are still places available. For further details contact John Winterfeld, either by e-mail or telephone - [john@cranstone.plus.com](mailto:john@cranstone.plus.com) or 01432 355833.

**HEREFORD GROUP CHRISTMAS MEAL** – will be on Saturday 8 December 2018 at the Aylestone Court Hotel, 2 Aylestone Hill, HR1 1HS. There is an excellent varied menu. 3 courses £25.95 and 2 courses £20.95. For further details and to book ring Lynne 07792 010227 or Mary 07854 068214 before Monday 3 December. Please send your cheque made payable to “Hereford Group of the RA”.

**HEREFORD GROUP “POSH TEA”** – we are having “Posh Tea” on Wednesday 16 January in beautiful surroundings at Foyles of Glasbury, a lovely boutique hotel in the centre of the village. Tea on this special occasion includes a selection of sandwiches, cakes and scones, with tea or coffee. Cost £15.95. Join us for a 7 mile walk at 10.00 or just come for tea at 15.00. Please book and pay with Lynne 07792 010227 or Mary 07854 068214 by Saturday 12 January. Cheques payable to Hereford Group of the RA.

**HEREFORD GROUP – MAP READING COURSES** - We are hoping to run some map reading courses soon, one for beginners covering reading a map and planning a route, and the other more advanced covering compass work and using a GPS. If you would be interested please contact me giving some detail of what you would like to learn. [maryhowcroft@btinternet.com](mailto:maryhowcroft@btinternet.com) or phone 07854 068214.

### ***Regular Events***

- **2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesdays of each month – HEREFORD GROUP PUB QUIZ, CHAT & CURRY** at The Victory pub, St. Owen’s Street, Hereford at 20.00. Members of all groups welcome to come for a drink, chat and the pub quiz, followed by curry, rice and chips. £2.50 per person. No advance booking needed, just turn up and help form a table. Dates are in the programme. Contact: Martin and Anthea 01432 769470 or 07583 048409.
- **1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays in the month at 10.30. HEREFORD GROUP MORNING “WALK and TALK”.** Dates will be shown in the programme. **Map Ref. Exp189/SO 518412.** There will be a variety of walks starting at 10:30 from the reception at the Point4 (part of the Royal National College for the Blind) in Venn’s Lane, Hereford, HR1 1DT). They are fully inclusive to ALL, including Ramblers members, Walking for Health participants, Carers etc. So, come and try our walks and share with us how we can tailor them to meet your needs! Bus users can use the 81A and 77 services. Please check the current timetables to find suitable times and bus stops. Enquiries to Arthur Lee 01432 264374 or Mary Howcroft 01432 357766
- **HEREFORD GROUP - TEA SHOP WALKS**  
The aim of the teashop walks is to put some “pennies” back into the local shops and communities in places where we have enjoyed their countryside and, usually, have been allowed free parking. *If you join in on a Tea Shop Walk, it is expected that you buy cake and tea at the end.* Lynne 01432 271769 and Mary 01432 357766.