# **Up and Coming Walks**

Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> September
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> Sept
Walking weekend 17th -20th September
Cornwall, St Ives
Saturday 1st October

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You are welcome to come and join us. Why not try out a walk or two for free? After that, membership is only £5 per person a year. Locations, timings, distances and contact numbers for walks are published on oakleyramblers.org 6-10 days before each walk. Walks generally meet at Oakley Schools lay-by.

# Reports from July walks

#### Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July

Seven Oakley Ramblers enjoyed an evening walk of just over 3 miles along paths and over fields starting from Steventon Church. Lead by Jenny.

### Saturday 16th July 11 miles

Pat reports - A fantastic day for this walk, through Alice Holt, onto Frensham Common passing the great pond, and stopping for coffee at Farnham Pottery, as 80% of the time was spent walking in the shade. Rarely in sun more than 3-4 minutes before being in shade again.

No one opted to walk today so walked alone. Will certainly use this route for a future walk.

#### Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> July

Six Oakley Ramblers met up at Greenham Common control tower car park to walk a nine-mile route that dropped down to the Kennet and Avon canal and went towards Thatcham before cutting through Chamber House farm to return to the old airfield. We then completed the circuit of the airfield, including the old cruise missile bunkers and the woodlands at the western end, before ending the walk at the control tower cafe. Before leaving, tea and cake was taken in the cafe followed by visiting the very interesting visitor centre. The weather was kind with some sunshine, the threatening clouds did not rain, and there was a reasonable walking temperature. The Leader was Dave

Pauline Haynes