

23rd ANNUAL WALKING FESTIVAL WEEKEND

May Holiday Weekend

Day	Name of Walk	Meeting Point	Time	Grade	Distance	Duration	Leader
Sat 29 Apr	Glenafelly/Cumber Hill	Kinnitty Community Centre	10:30	A	13k	4-5 hrs	John Scully
	Kinnitty Woodland	Kinnitty Community Centre	10:45	B	10k	4-5 hrs	Richard Jack
	Pauls Lane Silver River	Kinnitty Community Centre	11:00	C	8k	2-3 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
Sun 30 Apr	Source of River Barrow	Clonaslee Community Centre	10:30	A	13k	5 hrs	John Scully
	Glenbarrow /Capard Woodlands	Clonaslee Community Centre	10:45	B	10k	4 hrs	Martin Broughan
	Brittas Lake	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	C	6 k	2-3 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
Mon 01 May	Clashroe Beagh	Kinnitty Community Centre	11:00	B	10k	4 hrs	Frank Bergin

ECO WEEKEND

8th - 9th July 2017

July

Day	Name of Walk	Meeting Point	Time	Grade	Distance	Duration	Leader
Sat 08 July	Glenbarrow	Glenbarrow Car Park	11:00	B	10k	4 hrs	John Scully
Sun 09 July	Glenafelly	Kinnitty Community Centre	11:00	A	12k	4-5 hrs	John Scully



- See www.slievebloom.ie for more details on accommodation, festival entertainment, etc.
- Festival Walks cost €8 per adult
- Weekend Ticket, including annual membership, for only €20



The Slieve Bloom Mountains - in the Heart of Ireland-

WALKERS PLEASE NOTE

- Registration takes place prior to start of each walk. €5 per walk, or yearly membership €20 single (€30 for family)
- Dogs are not allowed.
- Walkers participate at their own risk.
- Strong waterproof footwear & protective outdoor clothing is advisable.
- Grade A & B walks are only for walkers who walk on a regular basis and have a reasonable level of fitness, are properly equipped and have sufficient food and drink to sustain themselves.
- A & B walks are in remote wilderness areas of the Slieve Blooms, only accessible on foot and rarely frequented by hill walkers.

Further Information on particular walks
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In Association with Coillte, Offaly Tourism, Laois Tourism and Failte Ireland.

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SLIEVE BLOOM WALKING PROGRAMME 2017

- Registration at the start of each walk
- € 5 per walk for non-members

- Dogs are not allowed on walks
- Walkers Participate at their own risk

- Yearly Membership is € 20 (family € 30) - including all Festival Walks
- Including away walks for our Walking Club members

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January	Sun 01	Brittas Lake and Castlecuffe Woodland	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	B	10k	4 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Sat 07	Derryounce Bog and Lake	Hawthorn Inn Portarlington	11:00	B	12k	3 hrs	Martin Broughan
	Sun 08	Two Rivers	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Sun 15	Glenamoon/Arderin	Cattle Mart Mountrath	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 22	Clonaslee to Glenbarrow (Bus €5)	Glenbarrow Car Park	11:00	A	12k	4 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Sun 29	Catholes River Valley	Catholes Car Park Rosenallis	11:00	A	12k	4 hrs	Frans Jansen
February	Sun 05	Glenregan/Glendossaun	Cadamstown Car Park	11:00	A	15k	5 hrs	John Scully
	Sun 12	Crowsfoot/Fearbreague	Kinnitty Community Centre	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Sun 19	Erkina River/Caponnellan Wood	Castle Arms Hotel Durrow	11:00	B	12k	4 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sat 25	Emo Court	Entrance Gate Emo Village	11:00	C	8k	2-3 hrs	Frank Boland
	Sun 26	Glenlahan River Valley	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	A	9k	3-4 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
March	Sun 05	Clonaslee Woods and Brittas Lake	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	B	10k	4 hrs	John Scully
	Sun 12	Cullahill Mountain	Community Centre Cullahill	12:00	B	10k	4 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Fri 17	Glendineoregan Two Rivers	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	Martin Broughan
	Sun 19	Conlawn Hill	Deadmans Inn Ballyfin	11:00	B	8k	3 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Sat 25	Glenbarrow/Cones 'Evensong Walk'	Glenbarrow Car Park	18:00	C	6k	2-3 hrs	Richard Jack
April	Sun 26	Hazel Grove and Pauls Lane	Cadamstown Car Park	11:00	B	10k	3-4 hrs	John Scully
	Sat 01	Knockbarron 'Evensong walk'	Kinnitty Community Centre	18:00	C	6k	2-3 hrs	Richard Jack
	Sun 02	Monicknew to Catholes (Bus €5)	Catholes Car Park Rosenallis	11:00	B	10k	4 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Sat 08	Clear Lake	Cattle Mart Mountrath	14:00	B	8k	3 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 09	Glenafelly	Kinnitty Community Centre	11:00	A	12k	4-5 hrs	John Scully
	Sun 09	Glen of Imaal Circuit via Lugnaquilla	Fentons Pub Glen of Imaal	10:00	A	19k	6 hrs	Albert Lamb
	Sun 16	White Horse Falls/Clear Lake	Cattle Mart Mountrath	11:00	A	12k	4-5 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Mon 17	Ridge of Capard/Stoneyman/Source of Barrow	Ridge of Capard Car Park	11:00	A	12k	4-5 hrs	Martin Broughan
Sun 23	Bocagh Lodge	Cattle Mart Mountrath	13:00	B	10k	3-4 hrs	Susan Lawlor	
2017 Slieve Bloom Festival (29th April - 1st May)								Full Details overleaf
May	Sat 06	Dysart Woodland	Dysart Woodland Car Park	15:00	B	10k	3-4 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 07	Blackstairs Mts Knockroe/Mt Leinster/Clooroges Circuit	O'Sheas Pub Borris	10:00	A	20k	6-7 hrs	Albert Lamb
	Sat 13	Monicknew 'Evensong Walk'	Monicknew Car Park	18:00	C	6k	2-3 hrs	Richard Jack
	Sun 14	'Bluebell Walk' Durrow	Castle Arms Hotel Durrow	13:00	B	12k	3-4 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 21	Clashroe Beagh	Rackett Hall Roscrea	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	Frank Bergin
	Sat 27	Brittas Wood 'Evensong Walk'	Brittas Wood Entrance Clonaslee	18:00	C	8k	2-3 hrs	Richard Jack
June	Sun 28	Glenlahan River Valley	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	A	9k	3-4 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Sun 04	Buailnacaoire Loop	Glenbarrow Car Park	11:00	B	9k	3 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Mon 05	Emo Court	Entrance Gate Emo Village	11:00	C	8k	2-3 hrs	Martin Broughan
	Sat 10	Durrow Leafy Loops	Castle Arms Hotel Durrow	13:00	A	14k	4-5 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 11	Sugarloaf Hill Knockmealdouns	The Vee	11:00	A	14k	4-5 hrs	Martin Broughan
	Sun 18	'Wild Flower Walk'	Cadamstown Car Park	11:00	B	9k	3-4 hrs	J Scully/G Carter
	Sun 25	Source of River Barrow	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	A	13k	5 hrs	John Scully
July	Sun 25	Galtymore via Lough Curra	Glen of Aherlow House Hotel	10:30	A	12k	5-6 hrs	Martin Broughan
	Sun 02	Glenbarrow/Capard/Stoneyman	Glenbarrow Car Park	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Eco Weekend (8th - 9th July)							
Sun 16	Conlawn Hill	Deadmans Inn Ballyfin	11:00	B	8k	3 hrs	Gerry Hanlon	

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July	Sun 16	The Maamturks	Oughtarard Boat Inn	11:00	A	10k	5 hrs	S Cadogan/M Broughan
	Sun 23	Crowsfoot/Fearbreague	Kinnitty Community Centre	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Sun 23	Scar and Kanturk	Roundwood Coach House	11:00	A	14k	4-5hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Sun 30	Knockastumpa	Glenbarrow Car Park	11:00	A	12k	4-5 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Tue 01	Glenbarrow	Glenbarrow Car Park	19:00	B	9k	3 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Thu 03	Durrow Leafy Loops	Castle Arms Hotel Durrow	19:00	B	10k	3 hrs	Susan Lawlor
August	Sun 06	Glendine East/Clear Lake	Cattle Mart Mountrath	13:00	A	10k	4-5 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Tue 08	Brittas Lake and Woodlands	Clonaslee Community Centre	19:00	C	8k	2-3 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Thu 10	Durrow Leafy Loops	Castle Arms Hotel Durrow	19:00	B	10k	3 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 13	Glenafelly/Cumber Hill	Kinnitty Community Centre	11:00	A	12k	5 hrs	John Scully
	Sun 13	Slieve Donard Circuit	Newcastle Donard Car Park	11:00	A	14k	4-5 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Tue 15	Paul's Lane/Silver River	Cadamstown Car Park	19:00	C	8k	2 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Thu 17	Durrow Leafy Loops	Castle Arms Hotel Durrow	19:00	B	10k	3 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 20	Clashroe Beagh	Rackett Hall Roscrea	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	Frank Bergin
	Sun 20	Slievenamon	Ninemilehouse, Tipperary	11:00	A	15k	5 hrs	Martin Broughan
	Tue 22	Glenbarrow	Glenbarrow Car Park	19:00	B	9k	3 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Thu 24	Durrow Leafy Loops	Castle Arms Hotel Durrow	19:00	B	10k	3 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 27	Glenbarrow Circuit	Glenbarrow Car Park	11:00	A	12k	4-5 hrs	Frans Jansen
	Tue 29	Ridge of Capard Loop	Ridge of Capard Car Park	19:00	B	9k	2-3 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Thu 31	Durrow Leafy Loops	Castle Arms Hotel Durrow	19:00	B	10k	3 hrs	Susan Lawlor
September	Sat 02	Valencia Cliff Walk	Portmagee Car Park	15:00	B	10k	3-4 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 03	Beentree Hills	Spar Express Cahirciveen	10:00	A	14k	5 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 03	Knockbarron Woodlands Eco Walk	Kinnitty Community Centre	11:00	B	8k	3-4 hrs	John Scully
	Sun 10	Capard Woodland	Glenbarrow Car Park	11:00	B	10k	4 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Sat 16	Abbeyleix Bog Walk	Manor Hotel Abbeyleix	13:00	B	9k	3 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 17	Glenafelly	Kinnitty Community Centre	11:00	B	9k	3-4 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Sun 24	Paul's Lane/Spink Mountain/Silver River	Cadamstown Car Park	11:00	B	10k	4 hrs	Martin Broughan
	Sun 01	Autumn Fungi Walk	Glenbarrow Car Park	11:00	B	10k	4 hrs	J Scully/G Carter
	Sun 08	Brittas Lake and Castlecuffe Woodland	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	B	10k	4 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Sun 15	Stag Rut Walk' Wicklow	Visitors Centre Glendalough	11:00	A	14k	5 hrs	Susan Lawlor
October	Sun 15	Glenregan/Glendossaun	Cadamstown Car Park	11:00	A	15k	5 hrs	John Scully
	Sat 21	Clear Lake	Cattle Mart Mountrath	13:00	B	8k	3 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 22	Paul's Lane/Spink Mountain/Silver River	Cadamstown Car Park	11:00	B	10k	4 hrs	Martin Broughan
	Sun 29	Catholes/Ridge of Capard	Catholes Car Park Rosenallis	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	Frans Jansen
	Mon 30	Dysart Woodland Loop	Dysart Woodland Car Park	11:00	B	9k	3 hrs	Sonja Cadogan
	Nov	Sun 05	The Barge Walk	O'Briens Bridge Killaloe	11:00	B	16k	4 hrs
Sun 05		White Horse Falls/Clear Lake	Cattle Mart Mountrath	11:00	A	12k	4-5 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
Sun 12		Devil's Bit	Square, Templemore	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	John Feehan
Sun 19		'Lost Village' Loop	Ridge of Capard Car Park	11:00	B	6k	2-3 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
Sun 26		Two Rivers	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	A	10k	4 hrs	Martin Broughan
Dec	Sun 03	Brittas Lake and Castlecuffe Woodland	Clonaslee Community Centre	11:00	B	10k	3-4 hrs	Gerry Hanlon
	Sun 10	Arderin	Cattle Mart Mountrath	11:00	A	12k	4 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 17	Emo Court	Entrance Gate Emo Village	11:00	C	8k	2-3 hrs	Frank Boland
	Tue 26	Durrow Leafy Loops	Castle Arms Hotel Durrow	11:00	B	14k	4 hrs	Susan Lawlor
	Sun 31	Lough Boora and Tunduff Loop	Boora Car Park	11:00	B	14k	4 hrs	John Scully