## Midweek Walk Programme Summer 2023

To book your place, contact the leader, David Dunn, on 07746 714394. Booking is recommended in case of any changes to the advertised programme. Please note there is no charge for these walks, unless public transport is required.

1. Wednesday, 15th March Douglas Estate Circular 9.5km / 6 Mls approx

Meet at MacKinnon Mills car park at 12 noon.

Mixture of reasonable Tarmac paths and forest tracks for most of the walk. Suitable for walking shoes and stout trainers. The estate is being developed by the Viewpark Conservation Group for the benefit of the local people.

2. Wednesday, 12th April Strathclyde Park to Chatelherailt and Back 14.5km / 9 Mls.

Meet at Strathclyde Park Watersports Centre rear car park at 12 noon.

Good paths for most of the walk, which follows the Avon way to Chatelherailt, then the old mineral tramway to Hoolet row and back to the visitor centre for coffee before returning to Strathclyde Park.

3. Wednesday, 17th May Salsburgh to Caldercruix 12km / 7.5 Mls.

Meet at ALDI store (opposite Airdrie rail station) at 10.45 Prompt

(Transport to Salsburgh and Return from Caldercruix by public transport)

Some good paths with some rough terrain. Boots or good walking shoes recommended, not suitable for soft trainers. Bring a Packed lunch/snack as desired.

4. Wednesday, 14th June Carnbroe and Calderbank Circular 13km / 8 Mls.

Meet at the Tesco car park on Paddock Street Sikeside at 12 noon. (next to Carnbroe Care Home)
Mostly good paths with some muddy parts. The walk goes through Carnbroe to join the Cycle track up to the
Eurocentral, then through Faskin woods to skirt Chapelhall to the Brownsburn nature Reserve before returning to
the start via Cairnhill wood.

5. Wednesday, 19th July Drumpellier to Hogganfield and Back 17.5km / 11 Mls.

Meet at Drumpellier Park Visitor Centre at 11 am. (Please note earlier time)

Good paths throughout the walk. The walk follows the Seven lochs trail. Bring a packed lunch or snack as desired.

6. Wednesday, 9th Aug Moffat Mills to Roughrigg Reservoir and 9.6km / 6 Mls back to Airdrie

Meet at ALDI store (opposite Airdrie rail station) at <u>10.45 Prompt</u>. (Transport to Moffit Mills by public transport). Good paths for most of the walk.

7. Wednesday, 6th Sept Bargeddie Circular via Drumpellier Park 9.6km / 6 Mls.

Meet at Showcase Cinema car park near the footbridge over the A8 at 12 noon.

The walk follows the cycle track to skirt Ballieston then north to Drumpellier and the Canal then south back to the start. Good paths most of the way.

8. Wednesday, 4th Oct Bothwell Bridge to Bothwell Castle 11.3km / 7 Mls

Meet at the small car park on the Hamilton side of Bothwell Bridge (opposite the Animal Welfare Centre) at <u>12 noon</u> Reasonable paths for most of the way with a rough stretch of approx. 300 metres. Boots or good walking shoes recommended. The walk follows the Clyde Walkway to Bothwell Castle.

(Return from Uddingston to car park by public transport.)