

The ISLANDS of GUERNSEY Spring Walking Festival 21 May-5 June 2022





Welcome to the Spring Walking Festival 2022! 21 May – 5 June

One of the best ways to see the scenic delights of Guernsey and its neighbouring islands is on foot, and this is the perfect festival to get out there and discover it all with a local expert.

From peaceful strolls and challenging hikes to themed outings and family friendly options, you are sure to find a guided walk that is both enjoyable and memorable.

Contact details for all walks are provided within this booklet; either call or email the relevant Guide for more information and to reserve your space.

For questions and feedback on the Walking Festival, please email carla.bauer@cwgsy.net, call +44 (0)7781 127422 or go to visitguernsey.com/guernsey-walking-festivals

+11 brand new walks!

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The Guild has more than 60 experienced guides

Each has their own specialities offering tours including coastal, inland and town walks, historical, nature and the arts, private groups, themed nights, corporate functions, educational and excursions. Silver and Gold accreditations are awarded to Guides following a stringent training and assessment programme.







HOW DO I BOOK

Contacting individual guides directly to pre-book and guarantee your place is essential as numbers are limited. See walk listings for contact details.

KEY TO WALKS

- · EASY: Lots of stops to look at interesting things and to hear interesting stories and facts.
- MODERATE: More challenging and may be longer with hills and steps. Appropriate footwear essential.
- · HIKE: A longer walk on more challenging terrain. Appropriate footwear essential.

ACCESSIBILITY: Walks marked with the wheelchair symbol can accommodate users, please advise when booking.

REGULAR TOWN WALKS

Explore St Peter Port, known as the 'Jewel in the Crown' with Accredited Guides departing from the Guernsey Information Centre, Regular town walks are available throughout the season. During the Spring Walking Festival these are available at Saturday 10:30am, Sunday 10:30am, Tuesday 10:30am, Wednesday 5:30pm and Friday 2:30pm. For further information contact townwalks@hotmail.com. Cost: £10pp.

BUSES

All of the meeting points can be reached by bus. Visit buses.gg for routes and timetables.

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What3words is a free destination finding app that can be used to navigate to a specific spot. Visit www.visitauernsev. com/what3words for more information.

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Bryan Pill Silver Accredited Guide

A Jolly Jaunt around Guernsey, Herm and Jethou. The Walking Festival - by Air!

Meet: Guernsey Aero Club E: bryan@pilotsnotebook.gg

T: 07911 735208 Perry's ref: 28, C2

What3Words: ///hunky.coining.magic

Bus routes: Airport routes

Ability: Moderate (getting in and out of the aircraft is similar to getting in and out of a sports car, and you will need to be able to step up and down)

A rare opportunity to fly around Guernsey, Herm and Jethou with an experienced Bush pilot. Seeing Guernsey and perhaps your accommodation from between 1000-2000 feet is a delight and even on a grey day Herm's waters are stunning! Don't forget your camera!

Cost: £120 for up to two people

Duration: 1 hour

21 MAY

Tim Osborne Silver Accredited Guide

The WWII German Occupation of Sark

Meet: Sark Shipping Ticket Office on the

White Rock Start: 8.00am

End: 5.45pm depart Sark **E:** timobeanie@gmail.com

T: 07781 121650 **Perry's ref**: Town, M5

What3Words: ///slogged.molars.protects Bus routes: Any, as this starts in town on

the White Rock Ability: Hike

This all-day walk takes in many interesting

sites on Sark that was occupied by the Germans from 1940 until 1945. We will walk the route of two infamous British commando raids, visit the murder scene of a German Officer, look around the area where the German Headquarters were situated, visit the field where an RAF Lancaster crash-landed and other places connected with the Occupation including two tunnels. Local Sark guide Jan Guy will talk about the general history of Sark before lunch.

Cost: £18 (excludes boat & refreshments) Length: 5-6 miles (We stop for lunch and refreshment breaks)

21 MAY

Korinne Le Page Silver Accredited Guide

Hidden Gems of Guernsey

Meet: Cobo (Iceland Car Park)

Start: 10.00am **End**: 11.30am

E: korinne@guernseytourguide.co.uk

T: 07839 200553 Perry's ref: 8, A3

What3Words: ///pans.earful.attend

Bus routes: 41, 42, 91, 92

Ability: Easy

A captivating tour of Guernsey's hidden Gems, taking in the natural gem stones found here, as well as other hidden gems. You will hear about our volcanic past, how our rocks were formed and see genuine precious and semi-precious gem stones.

Cost: £10 Length: 1 mile



Victoria Robinson Silver Accredited Guide

NEW - Victor Hugo's Vale

Meet: In front of old Quayside building,

St Sampson Start: 2.00pm End: 3.30pm

E: victoria.robinson@cwgsy.net

T: 07781 438092 Perry's ref: 11, F3

What3Words: ///retract.event.welfare

Bus routes: 11 Ability: Moderate

Walk in the footsteps of Victor Hugo in the island's most northerly parish. Hugo drew much inspiration from visiting the Vale, which provided the backdrop for several locations in Toilers of the Sea. Discover these alongside other Hugo related history on this delightful walk.

Cost: £10 Length: 1.5 miles

21 MAY

Andy Walker Silver Accredited Guide

Pleinmont Coastal Walk

Meet: Imperial Hotel Bus Stop

Start: 2.15pm **End:** 4.15pm

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 729731 Perry's ref: 32, D2

What3Words: ///leanness.swiftly.talking

Bus routes: 61, 91, 92, 93, 94

Ability: Moderate

Part of the season's Coastal Walk series. A ramble around Pleinmont headland with its tales of shipwrecks, warfare, hermits, regattas and more.

Cost: £10

Length: 2-3 miles

21 MAY

Rosalyne Le Huray Silver Accredited Guide

NEW - Sunset at Rocquaine

Meet: Fort Grey Slipway (please park at

Rocquaine Bay) Start: 6.30pm End: 8.45pm

E: rosalynelehuray@yahoo.co.uk

T: 07781127263 Perry's ref: 20. B5

What3Words: ///monument.cooperates.inkjet

Bus routes: 91, 92, 93, 94

Ability: Hike

Take a walk around the lanes of Rocquaine in the Parish of St Pierre du Bois with stories of farming & fishing. A walk through the back lanes of Rocquaine, through Le Coudre, Les Cambrées, Le Profond Val, & Douit du Moulin. A few rough tracks & inclines, wear appropriate shoes. Plenty of stops and things to see including valleys & sea views. A parish steeped in folklore with tales of witches, superstitions and a mysterious deathor was it murder?

Cost: £10 (includes hot drink & homemade Guernsey Gâche while watching the sunset)

Lenath: 3 miles

22 MAY

Andy Walker Silver Accredited Guide

Castel Clomp

Meet: Saumarez Park Tea Rooms

Start: 9.30am **End**: 12.30pm

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 729731 Perry's ref: 15, G2

What3Words: ///thaws.gracing.chums

Bus routes: 41, 42 Ability: Hike

A walk through Guernsey's largest parish taking in churches, hospitals, milestones, schools, abreveurs, & more.

Cost: £10 Length: 4 miles

Korinne Le Page Silver Accredited Guide

Walking in the Footsteps of Renoir and Victor Hugo

Meet: Old Mill Triangle Bus Stop, St

Martins Start: 2.00pm End: 4.00pm

E: korinne@guernseytourguide.co.uk

T: 07839 200553 Perry's ref: 30, 2D

What3Words: ///quirk.stepladder.

scrabbling

Bus routes: 81, 91, 92, 93

Ability: Hike

This stunning walk takes in Renoir's stay in the Summer of 1883 and Victor Hugo's frequent visits to Moulin Huet. We also visit the cottage Renoir painted in his famous masterpiece and where Hugo picnicked, now privately owned by Korinne's family. We stop for tea (not included).

Cost: £10 Length: 2 miles

22 MAY

Rosalyne Le Huray Silver Accredited Guide

Hiding in Plain Sight

Meet: Odeon Car Park

Start: 2.00pm **End**: 4.45pm

E: rosalynelehuray@yahoo.co.uk

T: 07781 127263 **Perry's ref**: Town H6

What3Words: ///loss.lemons.vanish

Bus routes: 81 Ability: Moderate

A walk around the outskirts of Town, hear stories of the Occupation & see where two brave Guernsey soldiers hid from the enemy. When a Vicar is deported, where do you find a replacement Priest? The new Priest has a secret the Germans must not

find out! This tour also includes a visit to the German Naval Signals HQ.

Cost: £10 (additional £4 entrance fee to German Naval Signals HQ. Guernsey Museum Discovery Pass holders

free entry) **Length:** 2.5 miles

22 MAY

Tim Osborne Silver Accredited Guide

The WWII Secrets of the Mirus Gun Battery

Meet: La Houguette School car park

Start: 4.00pm **End**: 5.45pm

E: timobeanie@gmail.com

T: 07781 121650

Perry's ref: 20, D2 / 21, E2

What3Words: ///tracks.coffeehouse.

extension

Bus routes: 61, 93, 94

Ability: Easy

A tour of one of the four vast German underground bunkers that made up the largest gun battery in the Channel Islands, which was operated by the German Navy. This particular one is the best preserved and shows how much effort went into Hitler's directive of October 1941: making Guernsey into an impregnable fortress. This tour is bought to life with contemporary photographs. Torches helpful.

Cost: £10 (includes school fee)

Length: Half mile

This tour and talk is suitable for children over 13 subject to parent discretion

22 MAY

Soo Wellfair

Silver Accredited Guide

A Spook-tacular Tour of St Peter Port

Meet: Town Church (harbour side)

Start: 6.30pm

End: 8.00pm

E: soowellfair@yahoo.com

T: 07839 202058 **Perry's ref**: Town 5, L7

What3Words: ///postage.flank.deciding

Bus routes: All routes to town

Ability: Easy - moderate (some steps and

slopes)

A spooky and fun walking tour of St Peter Port. Hear real life stories of hauntings, terrifying tales of local folklore and learn about some of the town's most gruesome historical events. Booking is essential.

Cost: £10 Length: 2 miles

23 MAY

Yan Marquis Silver Accredited Guide

NEW - In the steps of Denys Corbet – A Poet's Odyssey

Meet: Les Buttes - St. Pierre du Bois

(St. Peter's Church) Start: 10.30am End: 12.30pm

E: janmarquis@suremail.gg

T: 07781 166606 Perry's ref: 27, 1F

What3Words: ///gazer.stairway.emitter

Bus routes: 93, 94, 61, 71 Ability: Moderate

Beginning at the ancient church of St. Peter, holder of the keys in this parish of land & sea, we walk in the steps of a 19th century Guernesiais poet/chronicler who unlocks the stories behind its places, people, folklore & the spirit(ual) worlds.

Cost: £10 Length: 3 miles

23 MAY

Rachel Dovey Silver Accredited Guide

NEW - Time Travellers in the Castel

Meet: Le Fleur de Jardin, Kings Mills

Start: 1.30pm **End:** 3.30pm

E: rdovey59@gmail.com

T: 07911 145103 Perry's ref: 14, 4C

What3Words: ///tonally.admissions.

biotech

Bus routes: 61 Ability: Hike

Walking the country lanes whilst learning of the myths, legends and history of the parish. Experiencing the panoramic views, both coastal and countryside. A physical walk with plenty of high points. To be rewarded with refreshments on return in the hotel

Cost: £15 including refreshments

Length: 5 miles

23 MAY

Korinne Le Page Silver Accredited Guide

Mysterious Streets of St Peter Port

Meet: Elizabeth College Gateway

(the Grange entrance) **Start:** 7.30pm

Start: 7.30pr **End:** 9.00pm

E: korinne@guernseytourguide.co.uk

T: 07839 200553 Perry's ref: 5, 7J

What3Words: ///talents.ranking.hesitate

Bus routes: 41, 42, 61, 71, 81

Ability: Moderate (good walking shoes recommended and some walking uphill

and down steps)

You will hear about various spooky happenings in St Peter Port, including the haunting of a boy who starved to death, a Nazi soldier, various phantoms and beasts, battle ghosts and visit the place where witches were burned at the stake.

Cost: £10 Length: 2 miles

Andy Walker Silver Accredited Guide

The Remains of the Braye

Meet: Grand Havre Car Park

Start: 10.45am End: 2.30pm

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 729731 Perry's ref: 6, B5

What3Words: ///hankies.thanking.

headphones

Bus routes: 13, 21, 91, 92

Ability: Hike

A circuit around the edges where the Braye du Valle used to be before being reclaimed. Looking at ponds, tombs, salterns, kilns, old sea walls, finishing at the Vale Church. A break at Oatlands included for 30 mins: please bring a snack.

Cost: £10 Length: 4-5 miles

24 MAY

Amanda Hibbs Silver Accredited Guide

St Peter Port – A Family Story

Meet: White Rock, opposite the White Rock Café, next to the memorial stone

Start: 3.00pm **End**: 4.30pm

E: amandahibbs@me.com

T: 07781 104137 **Perry's ref**: Town 4, M5

What3Words: ///bridges.applies.facing Bus routes: 31, 32, 51, 52, 21, 11, 12, 13, 41, 42 (10 minute walk from bus terminus)

Ability: Easy

A 1.5 hour easy walk along the front of St Peter Port and up through the Markets, with a family story from the Occupation years told along the way giving an interesting and personal perspective.

Cost: £10

Length: 1 mile
Wheelchair friendly &

24 MAY

Michelle Le Clerc Silver Accredited Guide

My Patch of St Peter Port

Meet: Candie Garden's Victor Hugo Statue

Start: 6.00pm **End**: 8.00pm

E: bloomfm@suremail.gg

T: 07781 103364 Perry's ref: 1, J5

What3Words: ///prompts.partners.reduce Bus routes: 31, 41, 42, 52, 60, 61, 71, 81 Ability: Moderate (some steep hills and

some steps)

A look at some of the magnificent houses in the suburbs of St Peter Port. We will discover the interesting Guernsey residents who lived in them and what they contributed to Guernsey history and find out the Victor Hugo connection with one particular house. Numbers limited, so please book in advance.

Cost: £10

Length: 1.75 miles

25 MAY

Eric Grimsley
Gold Accredited Guide

The 4th Baron's Estate

Meet: Cobo East Car Park,

kiosk below Guet Start: 9.30am End: 1.00pm

E: e.grimsley@cwgsy.net

T: 01481 255229 Perry's ref: 13, H1

What3Words: ///bedroom.grain.rang

Bus routes: 41, 42, 91, 92

Ability: Moderate

A walk around part of the 4th Baron's Estate to Saumarez Park, focusing on the Saumarez family. Tread in his children's footsteps over the bridge from school. Enjoy a stop at the Rink before returning to Cobo and seeing the quarries on his land.

Cost: £10 Length: 3 miles

25 MAY

Jean Bishop Silver Accredited Guide

Water, Windows & Views

Meet: Reservoir car park, Rue a L'Or

Start: 2.00pm **End**: 5.00pm

E: jb131200@gmail.com

T: 07781 131200 Perry's ref: 21, G1

What3Words: ///oppress.grassy.drillers Bus routes: 61 then a few minutes walk

uphill

Ability: Moderate

In the heart of St Saviours, a lovely walk through pretty countryside, alongside the reservoir, duits, lanes & paths to St Apolline's ancient Chapel and St Saviours Church to see medieval paintings & wonderful stained glass windows and enjoy superb views along the way.

Cost: £10 Length: 4 miles

25 MAY

Bryan Pill Silver Accredited Guide

From Cornfields to Palaces – the Might of Fort George

Meet: Entrance to Fort George at the top of the Val des Terres, St Peter Port

Start: 5.30pm **End**: 7.15pm

E: bryan@pilotsnotebook.gg

T: 07911 735208 Perry's ref: 25, G3

What3Words: ///Copiers.pebbles.snooty

Bus routes: 91, 92, 34, 94, 95

Ability: Moderate

You may think Fort George is just an

expensive housing estate, or a beautiful place to walk your dog. It is far far more, stunning views – yes, but steeped in history and is huge. This remarkable historical site, cries out 'Come, explore me'.

Cost: £10 Length: 2.5 miles

26 MAY

Andy Walker Silver Accredited Guide

The Bailiff's Cross!

Meet: Route Isabelle entrance to

Le Foulon cemetery Start: 9.30am End: 12.30pm

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 729731 Perry's ref: 16, C5

What3Words: ///treaty.legislated.incomes

Bus routes: 41, 42 Ability: Hike

A walk mainly in St Andrew with tales of wartime tragedy, legends of devious Bailiff's, hidden tunnels, thrillers writers, brave medics, & famous actors. A look at the Monnaie Chapel included.

Cost: £10 Length: 4 miles

26 MAY

Soo Wellfair Silver Accredited Guide

Oh My Gache!! A Tasty Walk of St Peter Port

Meet: Liberation Monument

Start: 10.30am **End**: 12.00pm

E: soowellfair@yahoo.com

T: 07839 202058 Perry's ref: 4, M5

What3Words: ///remote.expose.garages

Bus routes: All routes to town

Ability: Easy - moderate (some steps and

slopes)

A real treat for any "foodies" out there. A tour of St Peter Port with a delectable emphasis on food, glorious food. From war time recipes to a secret marmalade factory, there are tasty tales and a few delicious samples along the way. Booking essential.

Cost: £12 to include small food samples

Length: 2 miles

26 MAY

Nev Jehan Silver Accredited Guide

Forest Treasures Trail

Meet: Le Bourg (Forest)

Start: 2.00pm End: 4.30pm

E: nevstours@gmail.com

T: 07839 102142 Perry's ref: 29, E3

What3Words: ///surrounds.visor.refilled

Bus routes: 91, 92 Ability: Hike

A scenic hike through quiet lanes and along a step filled cliff track to explore quirky corners and enjoy stunning seascapes. Taking in a visit to the National Trust Les Caches Farm, a lovingly restored traditional Guernsey Farmhouse.

Cost: £10 Length: 3 miles

27 MAY

Andy Walker Silver Accredited Guide

A Saunter Through the Centre

Meet: The Farmhouse Hotel Car Park

Start: 10.00am **End**: 12.45pm

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 729731 Perry's ref: 22, C5

What3Words: ///pitted.flinching.daisies

Bus routes: 71

Ability: Hike

A walk through the heart of the island taking in chapels & cows, schooling & spectacles, planes & pubs. A visit to the Little Chapel is included.

Cost: £10 Length: 3 miles

27 MAY

Dave Bartram
Silver Accredited Guide

NEW - Cows and Coast

Meet: L'Ancresse - West Coast -

confirm on booking **Start:** 2.00pm **End:** 3.00pm

E: bartyonblue@suremail.gg

T: 07781 168529 Ability: Easy

An opportunity to learn about the Guernsey Conservation Herd where you will be able to see the 6 steers that I manage. They are all pure breed Guernseys. You will be able to get up close with the cattle and see how grazing can help the environment and increase biodiversity.

Cost: £10 Length: 1 mile

27 MAY

Jo May Silver Accredited Guide

NEW - History and mysteries from coast to park

Meet: Mims Kiosk - Cobo Bay

Start: 6.00pm **End**: 8.00pm

E: JoMayTours@outlook.com

T: 07911 716940 **Perry's ref**: 8, A4

What3Words: ///Frost.dollar.caps

Bus routes: 42, 91 & 92. 41 is a 10 min walk.

Ability: Easy

Starting at the Southern end of Cobo bay, we will stroll along the old Church path, country lanes and parkland before returning to the coast. En route we will pass old quarries, country homes and, see beautiful scenery and a whole lot of history. Fish and chips can be purchased (extra cost) to enjoy at the end of the walk whilst (hopefully) taking in the famous Cobo sunset.

Cost: £10

Length: 1.5 miles

28 MAY

Eric Grimsley
Gold Accredited Guide

Secrets of Saumarez Park, discover the Walled Garden

Meet: Outside the Residential Home

Start: 10.00am **End**: 12.00pm

E: e.grimsley@cwgsy.net

T: 01481 255229 **Perry's ref**: 15, B1

What3Words: ///dash.decides.gardener

Bus routes: 41, 42

Ability: Easy (some uneven ground)

A walk around Saumarez Park focusing in on the Saumarez family, architecture, gardens and discover the link with oriental culture, why there is a Japanese walk, the lost buildings and secret walled garden. If you have been a regular visitor to the Park, you may discover many things previously unnoticed. Pre-book and get a discount voucher towards a hot drink at the Saumarez Park Cafe.

Cost: £10 donation to the Walled Garden

Length: 1 mile

Wheelchair Friendly (mostly, can make provision)

28 MAY

Olga Mitchell Silver Accredited Guide

From V to A. Victorian Times in Guernsey

Meet: Queen Victoria's Statue at Candie

Gardens Start: 11.00am End: 1.00pm

E: vienna19224@yahoo.co.uk

T: 07781 141737 Perry's ref: 1, H5

What3Words: ///steers.polo.thin **Bus routes:** 41, 42, 51, 52, 61, 62, 71, 81

Ability: Moderate

On this tour we will be talking about Queen Victoria and her beloved husband, Prince Albert, their royal visits to Guernsey, what life was like in Guernsey in Victorian times and how some places you might be familiar with looked back then.

Cost: £10

Length: Approx 1-2 miles

28 MAY

Andy Walker Silver Accredited Guide

Pembroke Coastal Walk

Meet: Pembroke Bay Bus Stop

Start: 2.15pm **End**: 4.15pm

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 729731 **Perry's ref**: 6, C2

What3Words: ///amused.teatime.hostiles

Bus routes: 12, 91, 92 Ability: Moderate

Part of the season's Coastal Walk series. A tour of L'Ancresse, Pembroke, & Chouet

with all its amazing history.

Cost: £10 Length: 2-3 miles

Malcolm Cleal Silver Accredited Guide

Sunset in the Castel

Meet: Saumarez Park children's

playground Car Park

Start: 7.00pm **End:** 9.30pm

E: malcolm_cleal@hotmail.co.uk

T: 07781 115773 **Perry's ref**: 15, G2

What3Words: ///comic.grail.sixpack

Ability: Moderate

A quiet evening amble through the little known and infrequently used byways and green lanes between Saumarez Park and Vazon, taking in the history and botany on the way. Timed to watch the sunset on route and returning during dusk just as the nocturnal wildlife starts to stir.

Cost: £10 Length: 4 miles

29 MAY

Tim Osborne Silver Accredited Guide

Stirling's War - In the Footsteps of an RAF Pilot during WWII

Meet: Car Park at L'Eree Headland by Prosperity Memorial

Start: 11.30am **End**: 2.00pm

E: timobeanie@gmail.com

T: 07781 121650 **Perry's ref**: 1, 3E1

What3Words: ///projectors.lisp.ongoing

Bus routes: 61, 91, 92, 93, 94

Ability: Moderate

We walk the route of RAF fighter pilot Sgt Robert Stirling who took off from Exeter one night in April 1941, and ended up parachuting onto Lihou Island after running out of fuel. After walking through a minefield and along a beach, he finally



knocked on the door of a house at 1.00am where a local couple took him in for the night before he was taken away by the Germans as a prisoner of war.

Cost: £10 Length: 2 miles

29 MAY

Andy Walker Silver Accredited Guide

Look Out – It's the Guet!

Meet: Cobo Car Park below Le Guet

Start: 1.30pm **End**: 4.45pm

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 729731 **Perry's ref**: 13, H1

What3Words: ///magpie.tapers.uproot

Bus routes: 41, 92 Ability: Hike

A tour inland from Le Guet looking at fortifications, quarries, schools, & nature reserves with tales of bravery, seafaring, sport & animal rescues plus some green

lanes & Everland!

Cost: £10 Length: 3-4 miles

29 MAY

Victoria Robinson Silver Accredited Guide

The Occupation: Life Through the Lens

Meet: Liberation Monument

Start: 6.00pm **End**: 7.30pm

E: victoria.robinson@cwgsy.net

T: 07781 438092

Perry's ref: Town, M5

What3Words: ///coiling.fields.firms Bus routes: All (Town Terminus stop)

Ability: Easy

Transport yourself back to the occupation, walking through St Peter Port in the footsteps of the island's wartime residents. Visit the spots where the most recognisable photographs of the period were taken, discovering the history behind them and the major events under occupied rule.

Cost: £10 Length: 1 mile

30 MAY

Eric Grimsley
Gold Accredited Guide

NEW - Fairs, Militia and Mayhem

Meet: Outside the residential Home,

Saumarez Park Start: 10.00am End: 12.00pm

E: e.grimsley@cwgsy.net

T: 01481 255229 Perry's ref: 15, B1

What3Words: ///dash.decides.gardener

Bus routes: 41, 42 Ability: Moderate

This circular walk starting at Saumarez Park around the historic parish of the Castel; Hear about Country Fairs, The Militia, the origins of the country hospital, the discoveries at the Parish Church and a Shipwreck. Many a tale to be told of ghostly events on this walk - back to the future.

Cost: £10 Length: 1.6 miles

30 MAY

Soo Wellfair Silver Accredited Guide

Family Folklore Tour of Lihou

Meet: Prosperity Monument, L'Eree headland

Start: 12.00pm

End: 1.45pm

E: soowellfair@yahoo.com

T: 07839 202058 Perry's ref: 12, A5

What3Words: ///resold.porpoise.

refinement

Bus routes: 91, 92, 93, 94, 60, 61 to L'Eree Ability: Hike (causeway is very uneven

and wet)

Enjoy some of Guernsey's tales of folklore within the ruins of Lihou's priory and enjoy a picture treasure hunt of the island. You will also have some free time to explore. Booking essential.

Cost: £10 per adult. Children age 15 and under are free but must be accompanied by an adult. Price includes a sweet treat & picture treasure hunt.

Length: 2.5 miles

30 MAY

Keith Pengelley Silver Accredited Guide

My Family At War

Meet: St Martin's Car Park - opposite

Valpy's store Start: 2.15pm End: 4.15pm

E: keith@guernseywalkingtours.com

T: 07781 127810 Perry's ref: 30, D1

What3Words: ///giving.conceivable.decker

Bus routes: 94, 95 Ability: Moderate

Keith Pengelley of Guernsey Walking Tours will guide you through beautiful St Martin's lanes and locations associated with his family's experiences during the run up to World War Two and the rigours of the Nazi Occupation. The walk will include many rare documents and photographs that will chart this period in our shared island experience – Keith's family story also includes a real Potato Peel Pie tale of huge family significance.

Cost: £10 Length: 3 miles

Bryan Pill Silver Accredited Guide

The Golden Ages of Aviation – 100 years of Flying in St Peter Port – our first Airport!

Meet: Liberation Monument at Liberation

sundial

Start: 5.30pm **End:** 7.00pm

E: bryan@pilotsnotebook.gg

T: 07911 735208 **Perry's ref**: Town, M5

What3Words: ///coiling.fields.firms

Ability: Easy

So many tales to be told about flying boats, Zepplins and the Occupation. Saunter along the harbour and discover how St Peter Port bombed St Peters, hosted submarine killers and welcomed Kings!

Cost: £10

Length: 1.75 miles

31 MAY

Jean Bishop
Silver Accredited Guide

Byways, Highways & Beaches

Meet: Vistas Cafe car park, Vazon

Start: 10.00am **End**: 1.00pm

E: jb131200@gmail.com

T: 07781 131200 Perry's ref: 14, B1

What3Words: ///requested.dinosaur.crash

Bus routes: 42, 91, 92 Ability: Moderate

Fortifications, petrified forest, nature reserve, Elizabethan lookout & Napoleonic battery – by grassy tracks, pine forest, lanes and coastal way – enjoy our glorious Island.

Cost: £10 Length: 4 miles

31 MAY

Malcolm Cleal
Silver Accredited Guide

Herm on the Wild Side

Meet: Old crane by Herms Harbour

Start: 11.00am **End:** 3.00pm

E: malcolm_cleal@hotmail.co.uk

T: 07781 115773

What3Words: ///classes.gazette.deduction

Ability: Hike

Join horticulturalist, Malcolm Cleal, exploring the wilder side of Herms environment by observing the Islands flora and fauna and foraging the shoreline and inland and discover what's edible and useful.

Cost: £10 Length: 3 miles

31 MAY

Bryan Pill Silver Accredited Guide

Monks, Camping, Artillery and Ship wrecks – A Lihou Island Adventure

Meet: The MV Propserity monument at

Lihou Headland car park

Start: 12.30am **End:** 3.00pm **T:** 07911 735208 **Perry's ref:** 12, A5

What3Words: ///Parabola.volume.particle Bus routes: Get off by the old L'Eree Hotel and walk up to the headland 5 minutes

Ability: Hike

Lihou Island is a Guernsey treasure only visitable on certain low tides. Having lived on this Island for many weeks in my youth you will see why it was a popular haunt for monks, vraic collectors and ship wrecks and Enid Blyton Adventures! Wear suitable footwear for crossing a slippery causeway, walking poles may be useful.

Cost: £10 Length: 2.5 miles

Jo May Silver Accredited Guide

NEW - Constitution Law and Order

Meet: Guernsey Information Centre, North

Esplanade Start: 6.00pm End: 7.30pm

E: JoMayTours@outlook.com

T: 07911 716940 Perry's ref: Town, L6

What3Words: ///Stunning.embarks.

encoded Bus routes: All Ability: Easy

Guernsey has very unique constitutional arrangements and a fascinating history. Join me for a stroll through central St Peter Port where we will bring just some of that history to life and, take in todays sights and sounds.

Cost: £10 Length: 1 mile

1 JUNE

Yan Marquis Silver Accredited Guide

Torteval with a Twist -Targets & Temples

Meet: The Jubilee Reserve (near the pump and trough below the church) at Torteval

Church

Start: 10.30am **End:** 12.30pm

E: janmarquis@suremail.gg

T: 07781 166606 Perry's ref: 26, D5

What3Words: ///granite.meditation.

instigator

Bus routes: 91, 92, 93, 94

Ability: Moderate

Walking country ways we learn the history of Torteval's religious buildings & associated mysteries. We also hear about

mediaeval archers & ferocious French raids. History is further evoked in the origins of place names. We may also meet a donkey peculiar to Torteval.

Cost: £10 Length: 3 miles

1 JUNE

Soo Wellfair Silver Accredited Guide

Family Walk to The Fairy Ring and BYO Picnic

Meet: Portelet slipway (next to kiosk)

Start: 11.30am **End**: 1.00pm

E: soowellfair@yahoo.com

T: 07839 202058 Perry's ref: 32, D2

What3Words: ///plaque.herbals.report

Bus routes: 61, 91, 92, 93, 94

Ability: Easy

This fun, family walk starts off at Portelet Kiosk and we will work our way up to the Table Des Pions... or the Fairy Ring. With a picture treasure hunt and painted pebble hunt along the way plus stories about local folklore, the Hanois Lighthouse and a visit to Fort Pezeries, there is something for everyone. You are invited to bring a picnic to enjoy after the walk. Booking essential.

Cost: £10 per adult. Children 15 and under go free with an adult. Includes a small, sweet treat.

Length: 2 miles

1 JUNE

Nev Jehan

Silver Accredited Guide

Vraic and Ruin

Meet: L'Eree Car Park

Start: 2.00pm **End**: 4.00pm

E: nevstours@gmail.com

T: 07839 102142

Perry's ref: 20. B1

What3Words: ///interim.mvthic.washes

Bus routes: 60, 61, 91, 92, 93, 94

Ability: Moderate

A non taxing scenic coastal walk reliving past times. Headlining seaweed (vraic) and some of the many shipwrecks in the area. All of this sprinkled with tales of witches, fairies, folklore and personal anecdotes.

Cost: £10

Length: 1.5 miles

2 JUNE

Rosalyne Le Huray Silver Accredited Guide

Just William

Meet: St Stephen's Church

Start: 10.00am End: 11.30am

E: rosalynelehuray@yahoo.co.uk

T: 07781 127263

Perry's ref: Town Map 0 D6 What3Words: ///recipient.parsing.

gymnastics Bus routes: 41, 42 Ability: Easy

A visit to St Stephen's church to see the famous Pre-Raphaelite William Morris windows which are of international importance. Find out what inspired the artists. These memorials have local family links to "The Lady with the Lamp" and an Academy Award winning film as well as international trade & commerce.

Cost: £10 Length: 0.5 mile

2 JUNE

Andy Walker Silver Accredited Guide

All the Ps

Meet: Port Soif kiosk car park

Start: 9.30am End: 12.30pm

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 729731 Perry's ref: 8, C1

What3Words: ///lines.ferment

Bus routes: 41.92 Ability: Hike

From Port Soif, to Portinfer, to the Pecqueries, to the Pulias Pond, Port Grat. to Pleinheaume, to the Prins – a plethora of Ps! Taking in Les Vardes guarry walk with stories of Victor Hugo, Kelly the walker, the Fairy Rock, & Santa Claus!

Cost: f10 Length: 4.5 miles

2 JUNE

Malcolm Cleal Silver Accredited Guide

Sark on the West Side

Meet: Outside the Bel Air, top of Harbour

Start: 11.15am End: 3.30pm

E: malcolm_cleal@hotmail.co.uk

T: 07781 115773

What3Words: ///catnap.stereotypes.pure

Ability: Hike

Discover the west side of Sark on a hike along some of Sarks seldom used paths and bridleways, taking in iconic views, historic areas not normally accessed by the public and some surprises along the way. Includes a full guided tour of the Seigneurie grounds, gardens and surrounding areas.

Cost: £15 includes admission to gardens

(excludes boat and refreshments)

Length: 4 miles

2 JUNE

Rachel Dovey Silver Accredited Guide

Leisure Pleasure and **Pastimes**

Meet: La Vallette (Aguarium end)

Start: 2.00pm End: 4.00pm

E: rdovey59@gmail.com

T: 07911 145103 Perry's ref: 23, G3

What3Words: ///smug.scarves.thrilled

Bus routes: Town terminus

Ability: Easy

A gentle walk hearing about Victorian influences, local heroes and families and the changing times of our leisure activities over a 150vrs.

Cost: £10 Length: 2 miles

3 JUNE

Nev Jehan Silver Accredited Guide

Fish, Ships and Bangers

Meet: Guernsey Information Centre

Start: 10.00apm **End**: 12.00pm

E: nevstours@gmail.com

T: 07839 102142 Perry's ref: 4, L6

What3Words: ///grand.lower.holidays

Bus routes: Town terminus

Ability: Moderate

A gentle stroll along St Peter Port's stunning sea front and on to a captivating and informative visit of majestic Castle Cornet with the firing of the noon day gun. Featuring snapshots of the Islands rich history.

Cost: £20 (includes Castle entry)

Length: 1.5 miles

3 JUNE

Yan Marquis Silver Accredited Guide

Folk on Foot, Fairies & Forts

Meet: The Jubilee Reserve (near the pump and trough below the church) at Torteval Church

Start: 10.30am **End:** 12.30pm

E: janmarquis@suremail.gg

T: 07781 166606 Perry's ref: 26, A2



What3Words: ///closing.avatars.scalable

Bus routes: 91, 92, 93, 94, 61

Ability: Hike

Beginning at Portelet, we head to where some say fairies meet, and others say footmen on an ancient prossession feasted. We also visit fortifications, some from WWII, others mediaeval. The area's history is further evoked in the origins of place names and their stories.

Cost: £10 Length: 3 miles

3 JUNE

Andy Walker Silver Accredited Guide

NEW - Montville Mooch

Meet: The Yacht Hotel

Start: 1.30pm **End**: 4.15pm

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 729731 **Perry's ref**: Town, G9

What3Words: ///coordinated.quaver.

lighting Bus routes: All Ability: Hike

A tour of the south of St Peter Port to Les Hubits via Montville Gardens with tales of tunneling, painting, haunting, & sport, with local heroes in the abolition of slavery &

capital punishment.

Cost: £10

Length: 3.25 miles

3 JUNE

Dave Bartram
Silver Accredited Guide

NEW - Cows and Coast

Meet: L'Ancresse - West Coast -

confirm on booking Start: 2.00pm End: 3.00pm

E: bartyonblue@suremail.gg

T: 07781 168529 Ability: Easy

An opportunity to learn about the Guernsey Conservation Herd where you will be able to see the 6 steers that I manage. They are all pure breed Guernseys. You will be able to get up close with the cattle and see how grazing can help the environment and increase biodiversity.

Cost: £10 Length: 1 mile

4 JUNE

Eric Grimsley
Gold Accredited Guide

Secrets of Saumarez Park, discover the Walled Garden

Meet: Outside the Residential Home

Start: 10.00am **End:** 12.00pm

E: e.grimsley@cwgsy.net

T: 01481 255229 Perry's ref: 15, B1

What3Words: ///dash.decides.gardener

Bus routes: 41, 42

Ability: Easy (some uneven ground)

A walk around Saumarez Park focusing in on the Saumarez family, architecture, gardens and discover the link with oriental culture, why there is a Japanese walk, the lost buildings and secret walled garden. If you have been a regular visitor to the Park, you may discover many things previously unnoticed. Pre-book and get a discount voucher towards a hot drink at the Saumarez Park Cafe.

Cost: £10 donation to the Walled Garden

Length: 1 mile

Wheelchair Friendly &

(mostly, can make provision)

4 JUNE

Andy Walker

Silver Accredited Guide

Vazon Coastal Walk

Meet: Vistas Bus Stop

Start: 2.15pm **End**: 4.15pm

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 145103 Perry's ref: 14, B1

What3Words: ///climbing.ember.caveman

Bus routes: 42, 91, 92 Ability: Moderate

Part of the season's Coastal Walk series. Vazon & Fort Hommet's fascinating history over the millennia. The Shell Shrine is open to visit during the walk.

Cost: £10 Length: 2 miles

5 JUNE

Andy Walker

Silver Accredited Guide

NEW - The Den of Iniquity

Meet: Delancey Park Car Park

Start: 10.00am **End**: 11.30am

E: andrewwalker@suremail.gg

T: 07911 729731 Perry's ref: 11, E4

What3Words: ///fail.sketch.awaited Bus routes: 11, 12, 13, 21, 92 with a short

walk to the start Ability: Moderate

A tour of Delancey Park with its fascinating history from Neolithic times up to the present day. The title comes from a Press article of 1915!

Cost: £10 Length: 1 mile

5 JUNE

Rosalyne Le Huray Silver Accredited Guide

Secrets of the Forest

Meet: Forest Church Car Park

Start: 2.00pm **End**: 4.30pm

E: rosalynelehuray@yahoo.co.uk

T: 07781 127263 Perry's ref: 29, E2

What3Words: ///balloon.helpline.lynched

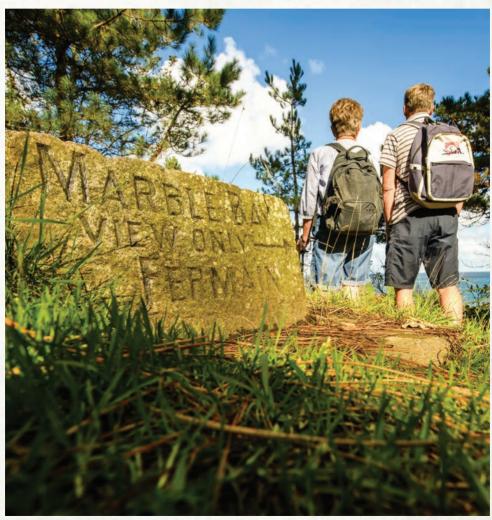
Bus routes: 91. 92

Ability: Moderate

Explore quiet lanes with picturesque views of the Forest Parish. Hear stories famous men & days gone by, some of whom played an important part in international trade. Includes a visit to Les Caches Farm, a fine example of a traditional Guernsey Farmhouse owned by the National Trust of Guernsey.

Cost: £10

Length: 2.5 miles



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