

St Basils Walk 2012

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The St Basils Walk Challenge 2012 is taking place on **Saturday 9th June** in the Malverns. Two circular walks are on offer (26 miles) and (13 miles), both start and finish in Great Malvern and both include walking over the Malvern Hills. Team entry is £125 for a team of 3 to 6 people and for this you get, map section with the route, a walk guide booklet, After Walk meals & Badges of Honour for every walker, plus a team photograph Certificate. Please see below for more details about the **St Basils Walk Challenge 2012**.

[down load your Team Registration Payment Form here](#)

Last day for Team Registration payments is **Friday 25th May 2012**.

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To view a video and team times from last years walk please click on the following link: [St Basils Walk 2011 - Barmouth, Wales](#).

Walk 2012 details: The St Basils annual summer walk challenge takes place in a different part of the UK every year. This is to keep it fresh and challenging for every walker. Anyone can go into the countryside and walk for a day, but to take part in the St Basils walk challenge is a very special experience.

The highest elevation on the walk is 397 meters and this is in the first section of the walk.

The walk is designed to be challenging but achievable for anyone who doesn't do much walking, if any at all. So the shorter walk is suitable for all. The longer walk is obviously a little more challenging.

Cost: Team entry fee is £125 per team of 3 to 6 people.

Team numbers: Teams must contain between 3 to 6 members. Less than 3 walkers constitutes a Health & Safety risk. If there are 7 or more of you then you would have to form 2 or more teams.

Starting time: All team are expected to start between **7am and 9am** on the morning of the walk. It is up to you what time before 9am you set off, but we recommend the earlier you start the better chance you have of completing the route.

Duration: The short walk should take about **5/6 hours**. The long walk should take about **10/11 hours**. This time includes short stops at the various Check Points and a short lunch break.

Travel: The Malverns are about a 45 minute drive from central Birmingham and there is a list of over night accommodations at the bottom of this page. There is also a train from Birmingham Snowhill at 6.27 am that goes directly to Great Malvern station for 7.44am.

Equipment: The weather may be changeable so we advise walkers to bring clothing suitable for wet weather. We also recommended a rucksack, a water bottle, a compass and a light change of clothes for the end.

Guide and map: We provide every team with a walk guide, which gives you full directions of the route and an Ordnance Survey map section which shows the route after they have registered.

Country Code: If you are bringing a dog, it must be kept on a lease at all times whilst crossing farm or rural land. Please close all gates behind you. Please do not drop any litter on your walk. When walking on roads please walk in single file and on the right hand side of the road. A copy of the country code will be issued to every team with their Walk Guide.

Check Points: We provide emergency water and chocolate at the Check Points. There are also toilets indicated in the walk guide.

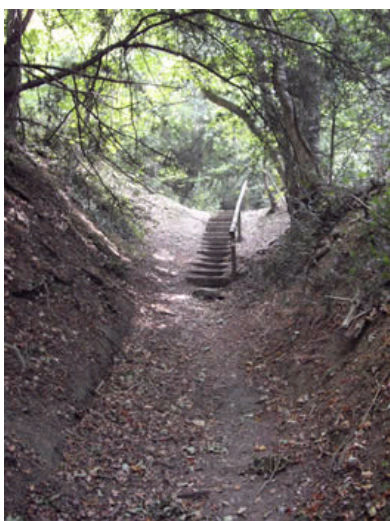
Food: Breakfasts are served from 6.30am until 8.45am and must be purchased with the team entry payment. Baguettes are also available to be picked up at Breakfast and must also be purchased with the team entry payment. Breakfast is £3.50 and consists of Egg, Bacon (or Veg Sausage) Beans, Mushrooms, Toast, Tea/Coffe or Squash. Baguettes are £2.50 each and consist of Ham Salad, Cheese Salad, or Plain Salad.

A free post walk meal is available for every walker at the finishing point from 1pm until 8.30pm. The choices are Vegatable Lasagne, Spaghetti Bolognese and Chicken Curry.

Badge of Honour: All walkers will receive their 'Badge of Honour' at the end of the walk.

Certificate: All teams will receive their Team Certificate as soon after the event as we can manage.

Team Times: Team walk times are posted onto this webpage the week after the event.



Over night/Weekend accommodation: There are plenty of hotels, B&B's and camp sites around the area. For more details check out the following websites.

[The Abbey](#)

Abbey Road, Great Malvern • [Show map](#)

The Abbey is situated at the foot of the Malvern Hills in the Worcester countryside and is convenient for many attractions. [More](#)

[Henwick House Bed & Breakfast](#)

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This Victorian house offers bed and breakfast accommodation with views of the Malvern Hills, a short walk from Malvern town centre. Wi-Fi and parking are free. [More](#)

[Mount Pleasant Hotel](#)

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Set in a Queen Anne-style building, Mount Pleasant is located at the backdrop of green hills in Great Malvern. It offers accommodation with charm and a chance to visit many picturesque towns. [More](#)

[Great Malvern Hotel](#)

Graham Road, Great Malvern • [Show map](#)

This family-run town centre hotel was originally built in 1842 and has many historical features. Rooms are all of a high quality with en suite bathrooms, free Wi-fi and flat-screen TVs. [More](#)

[The Malvern Hills Hotel](#)

Jubilee Drive, Wynds Point, Great Malvern • [Show map](#)

With superb local food and an 18th century oak bar, The Malvern Hills Hotel is located in the heart of an area of outstanding natural beauty. The hotel is close to the Iron Age hill fort, British... [More](#)

[Colwall Park Hotel, Bar & Restaurant](#)

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With fabulous food, peaceful surroundings, friendly staff, roaring log fires and a quiet village location, this gourmet hotel boasts the well-known Seasons Restaurant. [More](#)

[Sevenside Bed & Breakfast](#)

Clevelode, Great Malvern • [Show map](#)

Set within beautiful Worcestershire countryside on the banks of the river Severn, Sevenside Guest House offers rooms with private bathrooms, LCD TVs, and idyllic views. [More](#)

[The Old Stables B&B](#)

The Old Stables, Coles Green Leigh Sinton, Great Malvern • [Show map](#)

Set in Worcestershire countryside, The Old Stables offers wonderful views of the Malvern Hills. The hotel also features free Wi-Fi, free parking and traditional full English breakfasts. [More](#)

[Cotford Hotel](#)

51 Graham Rd, Great Malvern • [Show map](#)

This beautiful family-run Victorian hotel was built in 1851, retaining its original charm and character with the added luxury of modern amenities. [More](#)

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A design as spectacular as its surroundings, the luxurious MalvernSpa has been designed for adults as a place of well-being and relaxation, amid the beautiful Malvern landscape. [More](#)

[Chirkenhill Farm B&B](#)

Sherridge Road, Leigh Sinton, Great Malvern • [Show map](#)

Chirkenhill Farm B&B is situated between the beautiful Malvern Hills and the historic city of Worcester. The period farmhouse offers hearty breakfasts and cosy rooms with free Wi-Fi. [More](#)

[Gilberts End Farm](#)

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Nestled amid mature grounds in the rural hamlet of Gilberts End, just outside the beautiful Riverside Town of Upton-upon-Severn, this charming farm house is set within a splendid Grade II listed... [More](#)

[The Railway Inn](#)

78 Wells Road, **Malvern Wells** (2.3 miles from Great Malvern) • [Show map](#)

With a traditional restaurant, The Railway Inn offers elegant rooms with free Wi-Fi. The hotel is on the slopes of the Malvern Hills, offering views across the Three Counties Show Ground. [More](#)

[Cottage In The Wood](#)

Holywell Rd, Malvern Wells, **Malvern Wells** (2.5 miles from Great Malvern) • [Show map](#)

Set in 7 acres of wooded slopes, Cottage in The Wood offers an award-winning wine list, homemade biscuits and free parking and Wi-Fi, with direct access to the Malvern Hills.



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