

# SKIBBEREEN WALKING GROUP

## Walks Calendar:- January - June, 2025 R1

Sunday	Type	Where	Walk Leader/s	Start Time	Meeting Place
5th Jan	IW	Carrigfadda Hill etc.	Donal O'Donovan	10.00 am	Car Park, Carrigfadda RC Church (P85 RW74)
12th Jan	EW	Kilcoe Area	Ian Hardy	1.45 pm	Off N71 in Car Park, Ilen Rovers GAA Pitch, Church Cross.
19th Jan	IW	Farranamanagh Loop	Jack O'Sullivan	10.00 am	Car Park, Air India Memorial, just East of Ahakista on the L4704
26th Jan	RW	Tragumna & Toe Head Area	Siobhan Donnelly	1.45 pm	Car Park, "The Skibbereen Eagle" pub (P81 C935)
2nd Feb	IW	"Puc an Tairb" loop walk	Ian Hardy	10.00 am	Car Park at Carriganass Castle, turn left off the R584 at Kealkill
9th Feb	EW	Skeagh Area	Donie Duggan	1.45 pm	Meet at the disused Abbey N.S. (P81 H012) Abbeystrowry
16th Feb	IW	Peakeen Ridge	Paul O'Callaghan	10.00 am	Meet opposite Durrus RC Church on L4704 for car share to walk
23rd Feb	RW	Lough Ine Area	Margaret Ennis	1.45 pm	Car Park at Main Pier, Lough Ine, Skibbereen.
2nd Mar	IW	Nowen Hill	David O'Hea	10.00 am	Supervalu Car Park, Dunmanway (P47 X314)
9th Mar	EW	Stouke Area	Bernie Wilcox	1.45 pm	Meet at Rossbrin Pier
16th Mar	HW	The Paps of Anu	Jack O'Sullivan	10.00 am	Meet outside the the "Mills Inn" (P12 FF86) Ballyvourney
23rd Mar	RW	Connonagh Area	John Garvey	1.45 pm	Car Park, Dromillihy Woods, off N71 just before Connonagh.
30th Mar	IW	The "city" of Shrone, (Cathair Crobh Dearg)	Jim O'Donnell	10.00 am	Meet outside the the "Mills Inn" (P12 FF86) Ballyvourney
6th Apr	EW	Castlehaven Area	Paul Perry	1.45 pm	Car Park, Castlehaven GAA (P81 ET78) off the R596
11-13th Apr		<i>Dingle Week-End</i>	<i>Info to follow</i>		<i>Walks on Saturday 12th &amp; Sunday 13th.</i>
20th Apr	RW	Courtmacksherry area	Eamonn Murphy	1.45 pm	Meet at parking area at the far end of the village
27th Apr	IW	Knockaphuca	Siobhan Donnelly	10.00 am	Meet outside cafe in Goleen village (near P81 V025)
4th May	EW	Burgatia, Rosscarbery	Richard Kingston	1.45 pm	Meet at Ardagh East Burial Grounds, Ballyoughtea, off the N71
11th May	HW	Sugarloaf	Jack O'Sullivan	10.00 am	Meet on N71 outside Quills, Glengarriff for car share to walk.
18th May	RW	Butter Road & looped walk near Schull	Cormac Leggett	1.45 pm	Meet in car park near Cadogan Strand on R592, East of Schull.
25th May	IW	Sherkin Island	Charlie Crowley	10.00 pm	Meet at ferry point in Baltimore pier, <i>at a time to be confirmed</i>
1st Jun	EW	Sams Cross Area	Richard Kingston	1.45 pm	Car Park at Woodfield, Lissavard, Michael Collins's birthplace
8th Jun	HW	Boughill	Desmond Barry	10.00 am	Meet at the Café car park at Molls Gap (V93 CA46)
15th Jun	RW	Altar & Lowertown Area	Paul & Sandra Ryrie	1.45 pm	Within the area, location to be confirmed
22nd Jun	IW	The Yew Tree Walk, Beaghagaha, Dunmanway.	John Beamish	10.00 am	Supervalu Car Park, Dunmanway (P47 X314) for car share to walk.
29th Jun	EW	Ballyingurteen Area	Kieran Higgins	1.45 pm	At Tot's Pub (P85 C658) Ballingurteen Cross, Rossmore.

- EW** EASY WALKS: 1.5-2hrs approx, up to **6km**, easy pace on roads, paths, beaches etc. N.B. Wear Hi-Vis jacket
- RW** ROAD WALKS: 2.5-3hrs approx, up to **10km**, faster pace on roads, paths, beaches etc. N.B. Wear Hi-Vis jacket
- IW** INTERMEDIATE WALKS: Hill & Road walking, 3-4 hrs, up to **10km**, < 300m ascent
- HW** HILL WALKS: SWG Members only, **Grade B** = Hill & Road walking, 4-5 hrs, moderate, < 600m ascent & **Grade A** = challenging, > 6hrs, > 600m ascent

**NOTE** 1. All walks are weather premitting & a reminder and/or change of time & location will be issued on WhatsApp prior to each walk.  
 2. Walkers (i.e. over 18's only) should wear suitable clothing & footwear. The wearing of jeans & runners are not allowed. No dogs on walks.