

Devon Area Members' Day, Saturday 17 October 2026

Location/meeting point

Station House Hotel, Station Road, South Brent TQ10 9BE. Tel. 07581 654321. Facilities: Meeting room, café, toilets, accommodation. Website: <https://stationhousesouthbrent.co.uk/>
On arrival, make your way through the main café to the 'First Class Lounge' at the back of the building where coffee and biscuits will be available. There is always a selection of wonderful cakes in the café at extra cost. This room is ours for the day.

Debbie or Alan will greet you from 9:30 on the day, and Debbie will stay in South Brent all day to manage stragglers or walkers who choose the shorter walks, and to manage the optional treasure hunt.

Transport access

By car:

From the A38, take an exit to South Brent (B3372) from either the north (Marley Cross junction) or the south (Woodpecker junction). There is a free car park nearby in Station Road and kerbside parking in Station Approach on the opposite side of the railway line.

By train/bus:

From Plymouth or Ivybridge stations, catch the 38 or 80 Stagecoach bus to Pool Park, South Brent. If travelling from Ivybridge railway station, the nearest bus stop is at Palace Lane; walk down through the P&R car park to the main road, then turn left and walk a short distance to the corner of Palace Lane.

From Totnes station catch the 80 bus to South Brent.

<https://www.cartogold.co.uk/Devon/map.html#devon>

It is a half mile walk from Pool Park bus stop to the Station House Hotel. From the bus stop, head north on the Totnes Road, past the primary school and into the village centre. Go straight on when Totnes Road meets Fore Street, and then immediately right into Station Road. Station House Hotel is about 100 metres along on the left.

Unfortunately, although the main line railway goes through South Brent trains haven't stopped there for a very long time.



Walks

Three walks are on offer, as shown below. All walks start at 10:30

Decription/route	Start time	End time (estimated)	Grading	Distance	Leader	Leader contact
South Hams Way Section 3 (part), Spurrells Cross, Ball Gate, Shipley Bridge, Didworthy, Lutton, South Brent	10:30	16:00	S	11	Alan M	07968 793875
Brent Hill, Lutton, Didworthy, Shipley Bridge, Ball Gate, Aish Ridge, Lydia Bridge	10:30	14:30	M	7.5	Jill F	07868 727971
Lydia Bridge, Aish Ridge, Ball Gate, Didworthy, Lutton	10:30	14:00	M	5.5	Linda S	07511 349061

There will be an optional written 20-question **quiz/treasure hunt** around the centre of the village for anyone that would like to spend some time in South Brent or who is waiting for walking companions to return from longer walks.

Register your interest

Please register your interest so we have an idea of numbers by emailing Debbie (Walks Programme Coordinator): walks.shamsramblers@gmail.com or phoning 07974 952890

If you have any questions, please contact either the walks leaders (see above) or Debbie (Walks Programme Coordinator) on 07974 952890 or Alan (Chair) on 07968 793875.