

## WALK LEADERS

Please check Bus or Train times prior to your walk

Nov 04 BROADWATER  
Meet GVS 12.00 to Moira  
**NB train does not go via Central or Finaghy**  
Leader Felicity McCartney  
Tea Norma & Eileen D  
Evening Scattergories

Nov 11 HAZELBANK  
Meet Upper Queen St 10.47  
Metrobus 2G  
Leader Bebe Enright  
**HALL CLOSED**

Nov 18 SCRABO COUNTRY PARK  
Meet Laganside Bus Centre 11.45  
Ulsterbus 5  
Leader Margaret Murray  
**NB shorter walk (Flood gates) led by Marie**  
Tea Bring your own tea  
Evening: Chat and quizzes

Nov 25 CRAWFORDSBURN COUNTRY PARK  
Meet GVS 13.30, Central 13.40  
Train to Helens Bay  
Leader Marie Croft  
**HALL CLOSED**

Dec 02 COLIN GLEN FOREST PARK  
Meet Queen Street 11.18  
Metrobus 10D  
Leader Gerry Barrett  
**HALL CLOSED**

Dec 09 CUTTERS WHARF TO TITANIC  
Meet Donegall Sq. East 13.05  
Metrobus 8A  
Leader Eric Woods  
Tea Kim, Margaret & Marie  
NB Tea at 17.00 tonight  
Evening: **CAROL SERVICE**  
**Great Victoria St Church 18.00**

Dec 16 MARY PETERS TRACK TO  
SHAWS BRIDGE  
Meet Donegall Sq. East 13.05  
Metrobus 8A  
Leader Felicity McCartney  
Tea Margaret & Marie  
Evening: Your favourite things

Dec 23 **NO WALK**

Dec 30 STORMONT  
Meet Donegall Sq West 12.45  
Metrobus 4A  
Leader Margaret Murray  
Coffee at General Merchants or similar

Jan 06 LAMBEG TO LISBURN  
Meet Central 11.28, GVS 11.38  
Train to Lisburn  
Leader Mary Wilson  
Tea Eileen G & Kay  
Evening: Eric - travels in Africa and Asia

Jan 13 NEWTOWNABBEY WAY  
Meet Upper Queen Street 11.43  
Metrobus 2G  
Leaders Kim Rooney & Muriel Cairns  
**HALL CLOSED**

Jan 20 REDBURN COUNTRY PARK  
Meet Laganside Bus Centre 12.45  
Ulsterbus 2 to Holywood/Bangor  
Leaders Anna Lo & Muriel Cairns  
Tea Maud & Norma  
Evening Quiz

Jan 27 EAST BELFAST PARKS  
Meet Donegall Sq. West 12.42  
Metrobus 20  
Leader Margaret Murray  
**Dinner at Olio's**  
**Peggy to organise**

Feb 03 CAVE HILL  
Meet Queen Street (NOT Upper)  
12.25 Metrobus 61  
Leaders Hazel Patterson & Eileen Griffiths  
Tea Margaret & Anne  
Evening: Margaret – Film Show CHA 2017

Feb 10 **92nd ANNUAL REUNION**  
**DINNER**  
**Ten Square, Belfast City Centre**

Feb 17 CREGAGH GLEN TO CS LEWIS  
SQUARE  
Leader Eileen Griffiths  
Tea Felicity & Mary  
Evening: Literary evening

Feb 24 STRANMILLIS TO BELVOIR  
Meet Donegall Sq. East 12.20  
Metrobus 8A  
Leader Felicity McCartney  
Tea at Felicity's house afterwards  
**HALL CLOSED**

Mar 03 COMBER GREENWAY  
Meet Laganside Bus Centre 12.15  
Ulsterbus 511 to Shrigley Mill  
Leader Kay Johnston  
Tea Marie & Henrietta  
Evening: Who am I?

Mar 10 VICTORIA PARK  
Meet GVS 13.30, Central 13.40  
Train to Sydenham  
Leader Marie Croft  
**HALL CLOSED**

Mar 17 NEWCASTLE  
Meet Europa Bus Centre 10.00  
Ulsterbus 520  
Leader Peggy Hunter  
Tea Out in Newcastle

Mar 24 MINNOWBURN  
Meet Donegall Sq East 11.50  
Metrobus 8B  
Leader Margaret Murray  
Tea Committee  
**HALF YEARLY MEETING**

**PICNIC TEAS COMMENCE**

Mar 31 **EASTER**  
**NO WALK**

Apr 07 SIX MILE WATER  
Meet Laganside Bus Centre  
10.30 Ulsterbus 573  
to Muckamore  
Leader Anne Gamble

**CLUB HOLIDAY**  
**Sun 8<sup>th</sup> – Fri 13<sup>th</sup> April**  
**Republic of Ireland**

Apr 14 PORTAVO TO GROOMSPORT  
Meet GVS 11.34 Central 11.44  
Bangor train  
Bangor 12.55  
Ulsterbus 3 to D'dee  
Leader Lis Selby

Apr 21 LOUGH FOYLE TRAIL  
Meet GVS 9.10, Central 9.20  
Train to Derry  
Leader Hazel Patterson

Apr 28 HOLYWOOD TO BANGOR  
Meet GVS. 11.00 Central 11.12  
Bangor Train  
Leader Una McClean

GVS. – Great Victoria St Railway  
Station

Central – Belfast Central Railway  
Station

## DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

Jan 13 Dublin Club  
New Year Party  
Wynn's Hotel Dublin  
**PLEASE TELL MARGARET MURRAY**  
**BY DEC 9<sup>th</sup> IF YOU WISH**  
**TO ATTEND**

*We hope to offer a shorter  
additional option on most  
walks. Meeting times as above*

## GUIDELINES

1. Walk on the right-hand side of the road when there is no footpath.
2. Close gates except when they are meant to be open.
3. Wear suitable footwear and clothing.
4. Keep in touch with the leader at all times.
5. Carry basic First Aid Kit.
6. Carry sufficient food and water.
7. Take care at all times and follow the Leader's advice.
8. Dogs, except guide dogs, are not permitted on rambles
9. **LEADERS – Please appoint a back marker for your walk.**

## CLUB MEMBERSHIP

Annual Fee ..... £15.00  
Payable in October

### Evening Teas

Members ..... £4.00  
Visitors ..... £4.00

## SOCIAL EVENINGS

All evening functions will be held at 4.30 pm in Gt. Victoria St. Presbyterian Church Hall unless otherwise stated

## OBJECTIVES

To encourage the love of nature, and to provide for the intellectual, physical and social welfare of its members, by rambles and gatherings conducted on CHA principles.

## ORIGINS

The Country-Wide Holiday Association was founded in 1893 by T. Arthur Leonard who pioneered the outdoor movement in Britain.

The Belfast Club was formed in 1926. On almost every Saturday since then members have been out discovering new places of beauty and interest which are so plentiful in the province.

At the end of 2004 the Countrywide Holiday Association and its associated charity the Invited Guests Trust amalgamated and became The Countrywide UK Trust. This is an association with no members and, therefore no affiliated Clubs. For historical reasons and because its objectives remain the same, the Belfast Club decided to retain its original name.

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## COMMITTEE

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Miss Henrietta Finlay

# BELFAST CHA RAMBLING CLUB

Founded in 1926



Open Day participants  
September 2017

Winter / Spring Programme  
November 2017 – April 2018

Member's Name

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