



Hello to you all from Calstock Footpath Society

Spring is here the flowers are blooming and the trees coming into leaf. The ideal time for us to do some path monitoring - requests to be sent out soon.

Our next walk is on Saturday April 22nd details below:

Gunnislake Circle. This is a review of Walk Guide 5 found in "[A Series of Walks in the Tamar Valley](#)".

Leader: Claire Dibble

Start: 11:00am Gunnislake Station

Grid reference: SX 428 709

What3Words: goodbyes.shepherds.sunshine

Nearest post code: PL18 9DX

Walk description: A 4-mile circular walk from Gunnislake Train Station through country lanes, riverside footpaths and woods. A beautiful walk with a lot of ups and downs! Allow three hours but more if you want to investigate the old mine workings.

Please bring a packed lunch, drinks and snacks and something to sit on.

Walking shoes or boots recommended. Sorry no dogs, except registered assistant ones kept on a lead. Non members £3.00

I would also like to update you on the disappointing news via the Ramblers society. To quote:

'The UK government has broken its commitment to abolish the 2026 deadline for saving lost paths in England. Instead, pushing it back just five years to 2031. **This move puts tens of thousands of miles of paths under threat.** We should be increasing opportunities for people to walk in nature, not reducing them. **The outdoors belongs to everyone, but this is another attack on our right to access it.'**

More on this at the next meeting which has been booked for Tuesday May 16th, 2pm at the Rifle, details to follow. Also a gentle reminder to please pay your subs if you haven't already done so.

Sunday May 21st walk will take us to `Buckland Monochorum and beyond. Further details on our website.

Thanking you once again for your support .

Claire Dibble.

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