

Epping Forest Centenary Walk

“Not to be missed “

Sunday, 19th September
Leader: Mike

The Epping Forest Centenary Walk from Manor Park to Epping will this year take place on Sunday, 19th September, celebrating once again the passing of the Epping Forest Act 1878. This has been an important piece of legislation for the area, requiring the Corporation of London to maintain the natural aspect of the Forest, a responsibility they take extremely seriously. We remain indebted to Queen Victoria for the part she played and to the Corporation of London who maintain the Forest to such a high standard.

The walk schedule is roughly as follows.

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09:00 Junction of Forest Drive and Capel Rd, near Manor Park Station.
09:45 Centre of the Green Man roundabout, Leytonstone.
10:45 County Hotel, Oak Hill where we will pause for coffee.
12:15 The Butler's Retreat, by the Royal Forest Hotel, Chingford.
13:20 Robin Hood pub on the Epping New Road and take lunch.
14:05 Restart after about a 45 minute break.
16:30 Bell Common Epping.

The walk is, of course, open to anyone who wishes to take part. It can be joined or left at any point on the walk during the day, and there will be pauses for brief talks on forest management, history and wildlife.

Please join us on 19th September to celebrate our Forest. The walk will be led again this year by Mike, from whom you can get further information.