

Two Folkestone Countryside Walks

For Pavement Pounder's *Dog on the Downs* project



Explore with us the beautiful landscapes and excitingly intertwined natural and human histories on our doorstep.

WALK 1.

The Folkestone Downs: Saturday 27th June 2 pm. Start: end of Holywell Avenue.

We will walk around the bottom of the conical shaped Sugar Loaf Hill, possible burial site of Romano British king Vortimer, often carpeted with primroses and cowslips, around fresh water springs and site of St Thomas' Well in Holywell Combe, over Round Hill Tunnel and on to Castle Hill, once site of an Iron Age Fort and later a Norman motte.

WALK 2.

The Folkestone Warren: Saturday 18th July 2 pm. Start: carpark behind/next to harbour church (pavilion) on East Cliff.

We will walk up to Martello Tower No 3 on Copt Point Hillock, past ROC Post, the Coast watch Lookout and the Roman Villa site up to Little Switzerland cafe with its lizards and beautiful views of the Warren towards Dover over jungly, almost primeval woodlands that stretch along the bottom of the cliffs. Points of interest will include the Eagle's Nest, the two Aprons, the Horses Head, and in the Downland, the cattle and ponds.

Both walks will be led by local historian and keen naturalist, Paul Harris

Come prepared for uneven terrain and some mud.



.These free walks are part of *The Dog on the Downs* project, devised and managed by Pavement Pounders CIC, funded by Up on the Downs Landscape Partnership Scheme.

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