

New for 2023



Nottingham Canal

A guided walk along the canal from Trent Bridge to Wilford Street lock, looking at canal features, its history, and links to the adjacent cattle market and Boots the Chemist former factory site. Hear about an explosion next to the canal in 1818 that killed 10 people.

Meet at Meadow Lane Old Stone Bridge, London Road.

- Saturday 17 June 2023 10:30am
- Saturday 19 August 2023 10:30am

Old Basford

A walk around Old Basford looking at its buildings and its history and how it developed into the suburb it is today.

Meet at St Leodegarius Church, Church Street, Basford.

Saturday 8 July 2023 - 10:30am

Theatres of Nottingham

A guided tour around the city centre, discovering the sites and history of some of Nottingham's numerous old theatres, music halls and cinemas.

Meet outside the Galleries of Justice, High Pavement.

- Wednesday 26 July 2023 18:30pm
- Wednesday 6 September 2023 10:30am

- No booking is required for any of the walks and, other than in exceptional circumstances, they will go ahead regardless of the weather.
- Dates, starting times and meeting places are different for each walk, so please check the details carefully.
- Walks may be cancelled at short notice if government or other restrictions are introduced.
- Walks average about 1 mile (1.6km) in length and can take up to 2½ hours, but the pace is very steady.
- Private or group tours can be arranged separately. All proceeds from the walks will go to Nottingham Civic Society.
- Please be mindful of traffic when in areas with narrow footpaths and respect private property when on a walk.

Charges:

- Civic Society members Free
- Non-member adults £3.00
- Accompanied children under age 16 yrs and students - Free

Further information

See our website: www.nottinghamcivicsociety.org.uk or contact Graham Woodward - 07721 999 642 (gwoodward@clara.co.uk)

NOTTINGHAM CIVIC SOCIETY HERITAGE WALKS 2023



Adams & Page lace warehouse, Stoney Street, Nottingham (Thomas Chambers Hine, 1855, Grade II listed)

New walks this year:

Nottingham Canal
Old Basford

Theatres of Nottingham

(See inside for details)

It's a Walk in the Park

A guided walk around the prestigious Park Estate looking at the grand houses and how the private estate developed throughout the 19th century.

Meet at Nottingham Castle Gatehouse.

Wednesday 7 June 2023 - 18:30pm

Another Walk in the Park

This walk explores some of the less visited parts of the Park Estate. They still deliver great architecture and we will look also at the origin of the street names.

Meet at Nottingham Castle Gatehouse.

Wednesday 5 July 2023 - 18:30pm

Lace Market

A guided tour around the famous Lace Market looking at how the area developed through the centuries into a national centre of the lace trade.

Meet at Weekday Cross, Fletcher Gate (outside Contemporary).

- Wednesday 14 June 2023 10:30am
- Wednesday 12 July 2023 18:30pm

Reform Riots Walk

This walk traces the steps taken by the Reform Rioters in 1831. Hear how the news from London led to the burning of one of Nottingham's greatest landmarks and why.

Meet at front steps of the Council House.

Wednesday 20 September 2023 - 18:30pm

Mapperley Park

A guided walk that looks at a lesser known part of Nottingham which was developed in the early 20th century to become a desirable suburb.

Meet inside Church (Rock) Cemetery main gates, Mansfield Road.

- Wednesday 16 August 2023 18:30pm
- Saturday 26 August 2023 10:30am

Church (Rock) Cemetery

This walk takes you around the Rock Cemetery and looks at the people buried there and how this quirky cemetery was created.

Meet inside Church Cemetery main gates, Mansfield Road.

- Wednesday 19 July 2023 10:30am
- Saturday 5 August 2023 10:30am

Please note: sensible footwear is recommended for this walk.

The General Cemetery

Looking at the history and the people buried there, some of whom were of national importance.

Meet at the main gates, Canning Circus.

- Saturday 22 July 2023 10:30am
- Wednesday 2 August 2023 10:30am

Please note: sensible footwear is recommended for this walk.

The Nottingham Blitz

This walk takes you around parts of the city centre that were directly affected by the Blitz during World War Two, and discusses what impact it had on Nottingham.

Meet outside the old fire station frontage, Shakespeare Street.

- Wednesday 28 June 2023 18:30am
- Wednesday 23 August 2023 18:30pm

Georgian Nottingham

Concentrating on a period of time that has become much loved for its architecture, this walk looks at our Georgian properties that often get overlooked.

Meet outside the Bell Inn, Angel Row, Nottingham.

- Wednesday 9 August 2023 18:30pm
- Wednesday 30 August 2023 10:30am

Wollaton Village

A guided tour of this historic village, covering several Grade II listed buildings, exploring the links with the Willoughby family who built Wollaton Hall and looking at the development of the village over a 600 year period.

Meet at the village pump, Bramcote Lane, Wollaton.

- Saturday 24 June 2023 10:30am
- Saturday 23 September 2023 10:30am