

## **Stratton Audley Walk Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> June**

A circular walk this month starting from the centre of Stratton Audley, around a wood called 'Poodle Gorse' and back to the village. A group of ten of us set out across fields passing the remains of a saxon moated feature and along footpaths through numerous well-grown bean fields until we reached the wood.

It was quite a relief to walk through the shade of the young oak trees as it was a very warm day. After walking around the other side of the wood we emerged into open fields, three of which contained cattle but they weren't interested in us, I think they were probably too hot to be bothered!

There were a few challenging stiles on this walk, we'll try and make the next walk stile-free.

Leaving the fields we returned via an overgrown path to the village and made our way to The Barn where we had lunch and some of us treated ourselves to their delicious ice cream.