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U3A Interest Group:	Hikers
Walk Name:	Lambley Circular
Distance:	5.62mi 3h
Terrain Type:	Bridleways + country paths
Meeting Time	9.30 am prompt Sherwood Ranger for car sharing
Standard	Moderate
Walk Leader	Robert Taylor

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Lambley Dumbles

Start Point: The Lambley Inn, Main Street, Lambley NG4 4PN

Tel: 0115 931 3085

With the pub behind you turn left along Main Street. At Chapel Lane cross the road and take the footpath indicated by finger post. Follow this path until crossing boards over the ditch then turn right and follow the path until it meets the road. Cross at the sign and go through the gate into a wide field. Go straight ahead to a gate in a gap in the far corner. Climb over the fence.

Continue ahead with hedgerow on your left then over a wide stile. Continue ahead. Go up the steps on a path to the left of a bungalow which takes you past Dumble View nursery where you continue ahead along a very narrow path between gardens on the left and trees on the right.

The path rises to a signpost by a stile indicating a sharp right turn down two fields to a wooded area. Over the stile there to where the path divides. Take the right hand path. After 100 yards take the left path at the marker post. Follow the field edge to a footbridge. The first view of the top Dumble can be seen as you cross the footbridge. Continue around the field edge to the next footbridge on your right.



Cross the bridge and continue ahead through the trees of



Bonney Doles

until reaching school playing field. Bear slightly diagonally left across the playing field, over the stile, heading right on the grassy path to a stile in the corner of the second field. Cross the field and exit onto Catfoot Lane. Turn left for 100 yards where a signpost marks a right turn over a ladder stile. Follow the hedgerow left and right down the path and down steps to a footbridge over the bottom Dumble then up the path on the other side through a gate to a field sloping up to a white gate on the far side. Pass through two further fields with a blackberry hedgerow on your left then on to a corner in the third field where the track bears half left to the road. Exit left onto Lingwood Lane.

Go through a small gate onto a wide track called Hungerhill Lane. In half a mile turn right at a well signed bridleway between trees. Go uphill for two fields to another bridleway sign turning right onto a grassy path then ahead over three fields with the hedgerow on your left. Exit onto Lingwood Lane again.

Turn right down the hill. Turn left at the second finger post and head diagonally uphill towards the power lines then follow them to a gate. Through the gate and turn right. Follow the hedgerow round and up to what is now Green Lane. (A fertiliser silo can be seen on the left skyline). On reaching the road keep straight on and parallel to it inside the hedgerow. The grassy path takes you past a flying club. Onto the road via the gate. A few yards ahead, to the left of the Lambley road sign, find the tiny gap between the hedges. Continue over two stiles to a small ditch by a field entrance. Bear left on a clear path slightly downhill past a grass covered mound on your left. Continue down to houses, passing through a gate into a field. Go straight through the first of two gates and turn left through the second gate into a field with a pond visible on your left. Cross the road to the short wide lane opposite. At the top go through a gate then turn right onto a clear path behind houses. Follow this for about 600 yards. You will soon see the ditch boards that you crossed at the start of the walk. Turn right here and return to the Lambley Inn.