

Selby and District u3a – Longer Walking Group

Last Thursday, the 26th, the inaugural walk of our “Longer Walks “ Group took place. This has been considered for a while and despite several members of our group who had indicated their interest not being available on the day, (all for very good reasons!) five members completed an interesting nine miles from Tadcaster.

They walked after a 10:00hrs start using mainly footpaths and bridleways in a northerly direction towards Healaugh. The weather initially somewhat overcast but arrival at Healaugh brought sunshine and drinks break by the very interesting and unlocked church.

A clockwise route using different paths completing nine miles eventually returned to Tadcaster by 14:00hrs after a very enjoyable and longer walk led by John Duffy.

The route was a little muddy in some places but after recent rains this is hardly surprising. A conclusion is that a slightly earlier starting time would be beneficial in future to accommodate member with full diaries and enable them to complete their afternoon activities.

Thanks to all who took part. A further Longer Walk will be advised in due course.

John Richardson – Walking Group Leader.