



Kings Lynn and the Norfolk Coast 2/3 day Walking Weekend



Date: Friday 13th – Sunday 15th (2 Nights) or Monday 16th October 2023 (3 nights)

Place: WalkWise and Knights Hill Hotel, Kings Lynn PE30 3HQ

Price 2 nights: £249.00 per person in an ensuite shared twin or double room (2 nights)
£299.00 per person in an ensuite single room (2 nights)

Included: 2 nights' accommodation, 2 breakfasts, 2 picnic lunches, 2 evening meals and 2 days of guided walks with a choice of walk each day

Price 3 nights £369.00 per person in a shared double or twin room
£489.00 per person in a sole occupancy room

Included: 3 nights' accommodation, 3 evening meals, 3 breakfasts, 3 picnic lunches & 3 days of guided walks

Extra: any local transport that may be used, buses and coaches

[To Book your place on the weekend please click here](#)

WalkWise Overview: The Norfolk Coast is always a popular weekend walking destination and this year we have managed to secure a weekend allocation at the Knights Hill Hotel on the outskirts of Kings Lynn. True there are no *real hills* here, but its beauty and wildlife value are well known. Indeed the North Norfolk coast is designated an area of outstanding natural beauty and includes numerous nature reserves of international importance, stunning villages, picturesque seaside towns, regal country estates, stunning beaches, huge expansive saltmarshes and dune complexes which are all networked through a complex maze of footpaths! We will be based in the easy to get to Knights Hill Hotel with pool and Spa *just 95 minutes from Kings Cross-by train!* Here you'll find friendly and professional staff and a hotel with blend of modern, stylish design and a relaxed, welcoming atmosphere. On one day we will head out along the coast visiting Sandringham, Derisingham, Snettisham, Heacham and Hunstanton whilst the other day will see us wandering further along the coast to Holme next the Sea, Thornham and Titchwell. To add flexibility to the walks coastal buses run hourly parallel to our walking routes which creates the ability to tailor the walks to your individual desires. So do you fancy a walking weekend in Norfolk! Then to add further flexibility we will meet on the Friday at lunchtime to do an afternoon walk on the walk up, then for those maximising your weekend we will have a departure day walk on the Monday!

The WalkWise Walking Programme: The North Norfolk Coast Paths is a National Long Distance Trail which follows a mixture of low cliffs, sand dunes, beaches, sea and fresh water marshes. It is great for wildlife, not only birds, but flowers and even seals too. The beaches are huge and the sea goes out a very long way at low tide, which creates the stunning seascapes for which the area is famed. Dotted along the way are small picturesque harbours and inviting villages where we will pause to drink in the views and refreshments too. To make the walks even more interesting and add even more variety, we will occasionally divert inland to take in some of the beautiful parks, market towns and country estates.

On Saturday we will explore the area east of Hunstanton. The walks will include the delightful towns and villages of Holme, Thornham, Titchwell and Brancaster. We will stick close to the coast for the majority of the walk, enjoying the seaside air and following the Peddlars Way and the Norfolk Coastal Path. Along the way we'll pass windmills, amazing nature reserves, enjoy the hustle and bustle of Hunstanton, the peace and solitude of the coastal path, the wildlife of marshes and the hospitality of the local villages and inns. On the Sunday, the plan is to enjoy the coastal areas a little closer to the hotel. We may pass through

Sandringham before making our way down through Dersingham or Wolferton to the coast plains. From here the sea wall can be followed along to Snettisham, home to one of the most amazing sights in the British birding calendar; the 100,000+ knots coming and going into roost! Sadly not in August though, but there will be plenty of other wildlife to see...And we might just have to return again to see that!! Anyway the walk will continue along the coast to Heacham, home to one of the Norfolk lavender Farms, before we'll conclude the day in Hunstanton.

WalkWise UK will provide a professional and knowledgeable walking guide for the weekend. The days' walks are planned to be full day walks of around 12 miles, and as usual we will have the option to curtail the walk at regular intervals creating a flexible program that can be altered to suit your needs. As usual we have more choices than we can fit into the 3 day weekend break and the final choice of walks will be weather dependent.

Nb Own transport may be taken to the start of the walks.

Accommodation: Situated in the heart of the beautiful Norfolk countryside, on the outskirts of Kings Lynn, Knights Hill Hotel & Spa offers the perfect getaway retreat. The hotel and spa provide guests with the ideal location to enjoy a relaxing break in affordable, stylish and comfortable surroundings. Situated in the heart of the beautiful Norfolk countryside, Knights Hill Hotel & Spa offers views over towards the Wash and historic Castle Rising. The central location, large car park and many ground floor rooms provide the ideal destination for touring coach groups and privately organised group visits. In addition to a lovely restaurant and bar lounge, the hotel also has 79 well appointed en-suite bedrooms, indoor pool and gym and ample free parking for cars and coaches

It is ideally located for visiting the Norfolk Broads and Coast and Kings Lynn itself. This comfortable hotel in Kings Lynn offers 50 en-suite bedrooms, with modern facilities including flat screen TV with freeview TV, free WiFi connection, tea and coffee making facilities, trouser press, hairdryer and 24 hour room service. The hotel restaurant and bar offers you something a little special with a modern, stylish design and a relaxed and welcoming atmosphere. Here the restaurant staff will take great pride in serving you a tempting choice of local and international cuisine that will set you up for your walking weekend.

The map(s) for this event are: 1:25 000 O L250 Norfolk West Coast

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What to do around Kings Lynn



The varied history of King's Lynn can be seen throughout the area with the winding streets and alleys of the old town of King's Lynn still intact. More modern developments in King's Lynn include the pedestrianised shopping area and specialist shops. The town also has its bustling markets held by named day on Tuesday and Saturday. An area of outstanding natural beauty, the West Norfolk coastline is an excellent area to explore by foot or by bicycle. Hunstanton, Brancaster and Holkham, in particular, have lovely beaches and boat trips are available from several points along the coast.

Here are some places of interest within a short drive of King's Lynn:

- Town House Museum - 2.5 miles
- The Green Quay - 2.2 miles
- Oxburgh Hall - 17 miles
- Castle Rising - 5.8 miles
- Butterfly Wildlife Park - 14.5 miles
- Extreme Adventure - 16.7 miles
- Hunstanton Sealife Sanctuary - 16 miles
- Sandringham - 16.5 miles