

Walking Itinerary

Day 1:

The Wrekin

The Wrekin is a legendary hill, volcanic in origin; probably Shropshire's most acclaimed landmark, sits at 1335ft tall, and was also the inspiration for Tolkien's Middle-Earth in the Lord of The Rings books.

The view from the summit of this great walk spans over not only the Shropshire hills but in total fifteen counties.

http://www.walkingbritain.co.uk/walks/walks/walk_a/1009/

Day 2:

Hawstone Park Follies

These 18th Century gardens provide stunning woodlands, cliff edge walks, bridges, ravines and tunnels before discovering the caves set way up in the hill. From the top of the hill you can take in the breath taking views which look out over the Shropshire and Chester plains through to the welsh mountains.

www.hawkstone.co.uk

Day 3:

The Long Mynd

The Long Mynd – meaning long mountain – is an area that spans 8.5 square miles, dominated by heathland. It is renowned as a favourite among walkers from all over the UK due to its stunning views and fantastic shape.

<http://www.churchstretton.co.uk/visitors/index.php?page=the-stretton-hills->

Day 4:

Ironbridge

Walking in Ironbridge is not something to be overlooked; many of the trails follow the old rail systems, the trails of local traders heading to market and the old workers footpaths to the factories. These walks are very interesting because along the way you will see flashes of a time come and gone. Ironbridge itself has a total of 11 different walks along routes of special interest running through the industrial areas of the gorge, the main routes being: Ironbridge Way, Silkin Way and Severn Valley Way.

www.Ironbridge.org.uk

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