

15 Short Walks in the Forest of Dean

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Would you like to explore the best of the Forest of Dean? This guidebook covers 15 of the best short walks in the area (between 4 and 9km, all under three hours), including the Dean Sculpture Trail, Tidenham Chase and the Devil's Pulpit, Nagshead Nature Reserve and May Hill.

Why choose this guidebook?

- **Easy to moderate walks** suitable for almost everyone
- Short climbs but **no challenging terrain**
- **Numbered points** which tie OS maps to clear route description
- Facilities, parking and **highlights** for every route
- **Route Summary Table** to help you choose your walk

Cicerone's *Short Walks* guidebooks contain everything you need to get outdoors and discover the best of an area. The routes are perfect if you're new to walking or looking for something you can enjoy with the whole family. Let the adventures begin!

Key marketing points

The guide comes with easy-to-read Ordnance Survey maps, clear route descriptions and lots of images. Also contains information on local beauty spots and refreshment stops. Most walks are under 3 hours in length. No challenging terrain or complicated navigation; all you'll need to enjoy these walks is a waterproof jacket and trainers. Most routes are accessible by public transport.

About the author

Mike Dunn was born and bred in Leicester but has now lived in Penarth in the Vale of Glamorgan for over 30 years. He worked for the Welsh Assembly Government, latterly specialising in environmental and conservation issues, and has also written widely on landscape, walking, pubs and real ale. His books include *The Penguin Guide to Real Draught Beer*, *Walking through the Lake District*, *Walking Ancient Trackways* and *Real Heritage Pubs of Wales* (with Mick Slaughter). He is married and has two daughters, and his interests include playing and organising tennis (he's a former member of the Tennis Wales Board), birdwatching, cricket and real ale. Mike's favourite locations for walking are the Welsh borders, the Hebridean Islands and the Lake District.

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