

Girlguiding Walking Week 2025 Social Walking



Saturday 18 - Friday 24 October 2025

Compass Christian Centre, Glenshee lodge, By Blairgowrie, Perthshire. PH10 7QD

Would you like to:

- > Enjoy a walk for pleasure in Scotland with like-minded people
- Complete a Logbook walk or Quality Mountain Day towards your walking qualification or renewal
- Extend your existing walking skills and gain experience of walking in your chosen level of countryside with support from other experienced walkers
- > Share walking information and experience with other leaders
- Find out more about the Girlguiding Walking Scheme



If the answer to any of the above is 'Yes', then come and join us for this social walking opportunity in Glenshee. You can choose to enjoy a leisurely lowland ramble or scale a mountain, or do something in between. You can come for just a few days or the whole week, as you prefer.

This event is open to all Girlguiding members and volunteers aged 18 and over.

Venue

We will be staying in the Compass Christian Centre, Glenshee Lodge, PH10 7QD. All meals, bed linen and dormitory accommodation in single beds/bunks will be provided and is included in the costs, but you will need to bring your own mountain outdoor clothing and equipment, towel, slippers or soft indoor shoes. There is a boot/drying room. You will be expected to help with easy chores such as washing up and cleaning.

Transport

Please arrange your own transport. If you are happy to share your contact details, we can put you in touch with other people planning to attend, so that you may be able to arrange shared transport. You may need to use cars during the week to get to walking areas. The nearest train station is Pitlochry. If you are likely to need a lift from Pitlochry station, please let us know on the booking form.

Cost

The fee is £40 per 24hr period to cover the cost of accommodation and food (1 evening meal, breakfast & lunch). You should arrive in time for an evening meal and to agree walking plans for the next day.

Walks

This event is suitable for those with some walking and navigation experience. A Girlguiding walking scheme trainer will be present to help you choose a walk suitable for your experience and walking objectives. Ideas for walk routes will be available. You will be able to get together with other participants to form small walking groups and choose your routes each day, either self-led or led by other participants.



Booking Information

If you are interested in joining us for social walking in Glenshee, please complete the online booking form here https://www.eventbrite.com/e/girlguiding-social-walking-2025-tickets-1365992673859?aff=oddtdtcreator by **Thursday 31 July**.

Payment

Please arrange to pay a non-refundable deposit of £40 with your booking. You agree to pay the full amount by Thursday 31 July. If you cancel your place after Thursday 31 July, any refund of your fees will be at Girlguiding's discretion and will be handled on a case by case basis.

Ways to pay

You can pay by bank transfer (BACS) using the following details: Account Name (Business account): The Guide Association

Sort Code: 51-50-14 Account No: 46915192

Reference: Your name followed by 'Walking 25'

Please email <u>walking@girlguiding.org.uk</u> once you have made this bank transfer, so we can make a note of this on our records.

Alternatively, you can post a cheque made payable to "Girlguiding" or "The Guide Association" to Beverley Akufo-Addo, Learning and Development, Girlguiding, 17-19 Buckingham Palace Road, London SWIW OPT.

If you have any queries, please don't hesitate to email us at walking@girlguiding.org.uk