## Long Walk 16<sup>th</sup> March 2015 – Ewelme

Our walk on Monday 16th March was 5.5 mile long and was slightly further afield than we normally travel, but was chosen as the snowdrops and aconites are in abundance in the grounds of St. Botolph's Church in Swyncombe.

Our drive over to the starting point at Ewelme was in drizzling rain but despite the forecast a group of 20 set off on a beautiful walk that took us via Ewelme Down Farm and house to the church at Swyncombe where we admired the snowdrops and aconites and stopped for coffee. From there we made our way via a steepish hill onto the Downs, where we had a 360 degree view which was sadly somewhat restricted by cloud and mist! Although the weather was by no means perfect, we had a most enjoyable walk and good company. For fifteen of the group the walk was enhanced by the lunch in The Shepherd's Hut in Ewelme which was most enjoyable.

Anyone wishing to join our walks on the third Monday of the month will be made most welcome as will four legged friends. We walk at a leisurely pace and are a very friendly group.





