

Haslemere U3A Dog Walking Group

Safety Checklist

A few reminders to ensure we have a safe and pleasant walk with our dogs

Please provide an emergency name and phone contact number. Can be emailed or taken note of by Walk Leader at the start of the walk.

Ensure you have a collar or body harness plus dog lead for your dog (s).

Our dogs and situations on a walk can be unpredictable and all dog owners should know how to control their dogs if the need arises, for instance when encountering other walkers, other dogs, bicycles, livestock, horse riders, traffic and so on.

Wear suitable footwear for uneven ground and possible muddy wet underfoot conditions.

Wear suitable clothing for weather on the day.

Notify Walk Leader of any relevant medical conditions.

Bring water and dog treats if required.

The Walk Leader will give a brief description of the walk, including its length and difficulty as well as potential hazards at the beginning of the walk.

A back marker will be appointed.

We plan to ending our walk at a café, which is optional. It is likely that we will have to sit outside as dogs are not usually allowed inside cafés.