



MOBBERLEY RAIL TRAIL WALK

Saturday 2nd September 2017

We recently had a talk from Sally Buttifant about the Mid-Cheshire Community Rail Partnership. One of their projects is a collection of walks beginning and ending at stations on the line.

On the first Saturday in September you can join a group to experience one of these, the **Mobberley** walk from the *Rail Walks in Knutsford and Surrounding Villages* booklet. This is also available to download on the Mid-Cheshire Line web site.

The walk is four miles in length with eighteen stiles. It is described as,

'....mostly flat.... There are some wet and boggy areas and walking boots are a necessity'

It is a rural walk, although it passes very near to the runway of Manchester Airport. We will also pass St Wilfrid's Church dating from 1245. We will have a short half hour break here for us to eat picnic lunches or to call in at the *Church Inn*.

We will meet at **Chester station**, on the platform from where the Mid-Cheshire Railway trains leave at **9.45 am**. You will need a return ticket to **Mobberley** and possibly a picnic lunch.

Please wear suitable walking clothes.

After this there will be an element of unpredictability, if not adventure!

This walk has been chosen, because next to Mobberley station is *The Railway Inn*. We can rest here should we have a long wait for the return train to Chester.

Please note that we do not have a guide, but are doing it together. The route has been checked out by a member.

Family and friends of members are welcome.

We should like contact details in case of changes necessitated by rail problems.

Chester Civic Trust – Mobberley Rail Trail Walk

To book please complete and return this slip:

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