



A Guide to Greenwich

Something to do in the Mean Time



Walk 1.5hrs (6km)



Total Ascent 65 m



Highest Point 47 m

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This contains all the handy information: how to get there, points of interest and pubs, taxis etc. Make sure you have plenty of battery!



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Getting There



London Underground

We strongly recommend getting the Thames Clipper to Greenwich pier from your closest pier stop in London.



London Underground

Embankment Pier is just a 1-minute walk from Embankment Station (Bakerloo, Circle, District, and Northern lines). We recommend using Citymapper to plan your route.

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Hike Summary

Our shortest, but most action-packed walk.

Looking for a fun afternoon exploring historic London? Start with a 50-minute Thames cruise from Embankment to Greenwich, where you'll discover stunning views and a cluster of iconic

landmarks. A short, scenic walk through Royal Park will take you to Blackheath then to the Hare & Billet, a charming country pub nestled in the city. Afterward, choose to either head to Blackheath Station or return to Greenwich for more adventures, such as roaming around Greenwich Market.



Points of interest

[Tap here](#) and find the waypoints in the OS map app.



CUTTY SARK

The historic British clipper ship from 1869, now a museum, showcases its role in the tea trade and maritime history.



ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE

This stunning UNESCO World Heritage site was once the British Royal Navy's training centre.



GREENWICH MARKET

A bustling hub of creativity and culture, open every day. Offers a vibrant mix of artisanal crafts, antiques, and diverse street food.



NATIONAL MARITIME MUSEUM

A free peek at a vast collection of naval artefacts and exhibits? Say less!



ROYAL OBSERVATORY

Explore the history of astronomy and enjoy one of London's most iconic views.



PRIME MERIDIAN LINE

Straddle the two hemispheres with a single leap!



RANGER'S HOUSE

Discover one of greatest surviving private art collections ever assembled in Europe, the Wernher Collection.



HARE AND BILLET

This 18th-century coaching inn on ancient Watling Street, is rumoured to be haunted by a tragic ghost.



LONDON MARATHON START LINE

The starting point for countless amazing tales of human achievement, completed by over a million people.



TRAFALGAR TAVERN

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Plan B
tap here!



TAKING IT ALL IN

Sometimes, we can get so caught up in reaching our destination that we forget to take in our surroundings. When in fact, some of the best moments on a walk are the ones spent not walking. It is not until you stop and look a little closer, that you truly see the magic of where you are.

Our hikes are not about how fast you walk, but about how much you take in. We share these beautiful trails with an abundance of wildlife and there's always something to marvel at – so long as you take the time to look around.

Here are a few of our favourite birds to look out for on this walk:



Heron

Herons use their long necks and sharp beaks to spear fish.

Parakeet

With urban legends about their introduction to London, they're a surprising sight!



Cormorant

The UK hosts a significant 9,018 breeding pairs.

Plan B

CALLING IT A DAY?

If you've decided that's quite enough for you, there's absolutely no shame in calling it a day.

If you are feeling weary after you stop at the Hare & Billet pub then this is a good spot to call it a day. We would still recommend checking out the Trafalgar Tavern and the rest of Greenwich which is only a 20mins away by bus.



Thank you

**WE HOPE YOU'VE ENJOYED YOUR WALK.
CREATED BY OUR LOCAL CURATOR, PATRICK.**

What's next?

We hope you enjoyed your walk as much as we've enjoyed bringing it to you. And we've got plenty more where that came from!

Check out the full range of walk available to you on:
[link to their portal](#)

STAY IN TOUCH

We love hearing about your adventures, so please do get in touch with any feedback you have from your walk.

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