

ANNAN WALKING GROUP
WALK 100 [almost]
SUNDAY 9th DECEMBER 2007
ANNAN to POWFOOT & BACK

Distance	7 – 8 miles / 11 - 13 km.
Walk Time	5.0 hours approx. including stops.
The Walk	<p>If the weather is good we will walk from Annan to Newbie then follow the path past Newbie Mains Farm to Newbie Cottages. There we have to go on to the shore and walk on coarse shingle to Powfoot. That is nearly 4 miles then we walk back.</p> <p>Alternatively if the weather is wet or very windy then a shore walk becomes an ordeal. In that case we will leave Powfoot for another time and head from Newbie to a lane known as Picadilly past the Howes Small Holdings to the A75 and back to Annan via Spittalriddinghill and the river.</p> <p>On a good day the Powfoot walk is one all local walkers should do. There is a shortage of toilet facilities but we may be able to arrange something at Powfoot.</p>
Walk Description	There are no hills. The only heavy going is on the beach shingle and boots should be worn. We intend to have a car at Powfoot to enable toilet visit or return to Annan should anyone require that service. (If we take the alternative route this will not apply of course.)
Walk Starting Point	Murray Street car park at 9.30 a.m. No bus required only Shank's Pony!
Walkers Dogs	Dogs allowed strictly on lead at all times (for the safety of other walkers and livestock).
Refreshments	Bring snacks and drinks.
Equipment	Walking boots, waterproof jacket and trousers.

Everyone is welcome. You can turn up on the day but advance notice is always helpful. For further information please phone the walk leader, Archie Smith, on (01461) 203250.