

The Geological Society of London: East Midlands Regional Group



The BGS Geological Walk With Steve Parry (mineralogist at BGS)

The Geological Walk celebrates the diverse geology of Britain and Northern Ireland through a display of impressive boulder-scale specimens and natural stone paving. The path sweeps from the main front car park to Reception, past five feature boulders representing the geology of Scotland, England, Wales and Northern Ireland; as well as the three main rock types: igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic.

Overlooking the Geological Walk, the façade of the James Hutton Building incorporates a 'feature wall' that commemorates the work of the 18th century geologist after whom the building is named. This feature wall is a stylized representation of Siccar Point on the Berwickshire Coast — the locality most synonymous with Hutton, having provided him with convincing proof of his 'cyclic processes' theory.





Tuesday 10th September 2013

Cheese & wine available from 6:30pm in the reception area Walk starts at 7:00

This is an outdoor event, so please bring waterproofs and appropriate footwear as necessary. Suitable for disabled visitors.

For more information and to download a guide to the Geological Walk, please visit the BGS website at http://www.bgs.ac.uk/contacts/sites/keyworth/geologicalWalk/home.html

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