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The following guide outlines a progressive programme designed to prepare you for the 14-mile route. Feel free to adapt this to suit your specific needs, targets and limitations.

When we suggest a slow pace we mean one that you are comfortable with for a long duration. A moderate pace is a little quicker but you should still be able to maintain a conversation. A fast past is quicker still and it would be difficult to maintain this for extended periods.

The days you train on aren't vital, though we recommended you take your recovery days following tough sessions, particularly the long session (Sunday on our schedule). On this walk, try to pick a more interesting route – maybe off road with varying terrain. For route planning visit

www.realbuzz.com/maps

We cannot take any responsibility for injuries/illnesses/accidents that may occur when following this guide. If unsure/unwell, stop and seek professional help immediately.

Training plan

Intermediate guide

14-Mile Walkers

Follow this guide if walking non-stop at a moderate pace for an hour is currently achievable:

Week 1 and 2

Tuesday 45mins slow

Thursday 45mins moderate pace

Sunday 4 miles slow

Week 3

Tuesday 15mins moderate pace, 5mins fast, repeat x3

(60mins total)

Thursday 1 hour moderate pace

Sunday 5 miles slow

Week 4 and 5

Tuesday 20mins moderate pace, 5mins fast, repeat x3

(75mins total)

Thursday 1 hour 15mins moderate pace

Sunday 6miles slow

Week 6

Tuesday 10mins fast pace, 5mins moderate, repeat x5

(75mins total)

Thursday 1 hour 30mins moderate pace

Sunday 8miles slow

Week 7

Tuesday 15mins fast pace, 5mins moderate, repeat x4

(80mins total)

Thursday 1 hour 45mins moderate pace

Sunday 10 miles slow

Week before

Tuesday 30mins moderate pace

Thursday 45mins slow

Sunday 4th March 2018 – The Marsden March

