

Walking Routes

- Morrone Birkwood - Mostly level walk amongst birches with views to Cairngorms. Great for families. 1.5 - 2hrs. [Link to Hazelnut Patisserie and Braemar Highland Games Centre.](#)
- Loch Callater - Low level glen walk to Loch Callater. Visit a Scottish bothy near the lochside. Great chance to see red deer and red grouse. 3 - 3.5 hours
- Linn O' Dee - Popular picnic and wild swimming spot beside a rocky gorge. Numerous options for walks. Try the Glen Lui trail for a walk amongst ancient pines including river scenery and a salmon ladder. [Link to Mar Lodge.](#) 1 hour
- Morrone - Hill walk above Braemar with an ascent of 500 metres. The best panoramic view of the Cairngorms, within the National Park, from the summit. Good chance of seeing mountain hare and ptarmigan. [Link To Hazelnut Patisserie and Fife Arms](#) 4- 5 hours
- Cairns Walk - Visit the historic cairns erected by the Royal Family in a beautiful pine wood setting including an iconic granite pyramid. [Link to Balmoral Castle and Tarmachan Cafe.](#) 2- 2.5 hours (Access might be restricted when the Royal Family is in residence).
- Seven Bridges - A circular walk from Ballater including a crossing of one of the famous white suspension bridges over the River Dee. [Link to](#) 2.5 hours
- Craigendarroch - Steep climb through oak woods to the summit of a small hill overlooking Ballater. [Link to.....](#) 1.5 - 2 hours
- Lochnagar - A high mountain walk featuring a steep north facing corrie. A circuit of the mountain includes a plunging waterfall, loch and magnificent views. Good opportunities for viewing red deer, golden eagle, mountain hare and ptarmigan. 6 - 8 hours.
- Loch Muick Circuit - Follow in the footsteps of the Royal Family on this low level circuit of a Highland loch. Good chance to see red deer. 3.5 hours