

Christchurch Camino Group

Agenda

13 April, 2026

Our next meeting will be held in meeting Rooms 2 & 3 Upper Riccarton library, 71 Main South Road, Sockburn, entry via the library main doors. Walk down the right hand side of the library towards the café and enter Door 3.

Attendees are invited to give a **suggested donation/koha of \$5** to assist with payment of the council's invoice, (our costs have doubled with the new venue as we require adjoining rooms,) and website fees.



6.45 pm

Registration

Please sign in and complete a name tag.

7 pm

Welcome

Apologies.

Introductions; Name and Camino interest for new attendees.

7.05 pm

Returning Pilgrims' Ceremony

For those pilgrims who have returned since our meeting in November. There is also the opportunity for returned pilgrims to **recount a highlight** of their Camino.

7.10 pm

Departing Pilgrims' Ceremony

For those pilgrims departing before our next meeting on 10 April. There is also the opportunity for departing pilgrims to briefly **announce** their Camino. There will be a **Shell Ceremony** for those departing on their first Camino.

7.15 pm

Christchurch Camino Walking Group Report

Cecilia reports on the latest activities of the Christchurch Camino Walking group.



Image: The Packhorse hut

7.20 pm

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Alan reports on our website.

7.25 pm

Journey Presentations

Interested in Stepping Up Your Camino Training? Here are several options

'Three Routes in Canterbury to feel the Camino Spirit.' ~ Alan

Need a longer walk to prepare, or reflect on Camino? Look no further.

Overnight at the Packhorse. ~ Liz and Cecilia

Try out your gear with an overnight stay at a Banks Peninsula hut.

Banks Track – 31 km of self guided hill country walking around the remote and beautiful South Eastern Bays. 2 Day Hikers' Option ~ Philip

(Take the 3 day option with time to explore local tracks.)

7.55 pm

'My Camino del Norte (from Gijon) in Images,' ~ Frances

Thoughts on my solo pilgrimage.

8.25 pm

Small Group Discussion

A time for asking questions, sharing information and reminiscing in a smaller setting. **Smaller groups allow for more interaction** ~ and that is what this session is about.

8.50 pm

Pack Up

Buen Camino

Philip and Deb



Image: Christchurch Camino Walking Group Stage One Achieved. February, 2026.