

Event Details

Event Name:	Gartmorn Dam Walk
Location:	Gartmorn Country Park, Gartmorn Rd, Sauchie, Alloa
Postcode:	FK10 3AZ
Date & time:	Saturday 28th and Sunday 29th September, 2019, at 10.30 am and 2.30 pm as part of Doors Open Day.
Link to Event Page / Website	https://www.clacks.gov.uk/culture/gartmorndam/

A guided walk around the perimeter of Gartmorn Dam. The walk is 5km (3 miles) in length on a level, well-made country path and takes about 2 hours. The walk explores the history of the dam as a water supply for powering local coal mine drainage from 1696 to 1898 and as a public water supply for the town of Alloa from 1798 to 2006. The path follows part of a 19th century colliery waggonway past the remains of small pits and a longer section of mineral line with a larger late 19th and early 20th century colliery. The walk is free (but booking is required), aimed at adults with a general interest in industrial history and starts and finishes at the "Dam Good Coffee" shop.

