

01 June 2026

Dear Angela,

I am pleased to offer the following proposal for your Solihull Ramblers group. The details are as follows:

Walking in Poland – Krakow & Zakopane

Date:	08 th May 2027
Duration:	8 Days/7 nights
Board Basis:	Half Board – breakfast in the hotel and dinner in local restaurants.
Accommodation:	Hotel Wyspianski & Hotel Czarny Potok.
Price:	£1499.00 per person
Single Supplement:	No single supplement
Room Allocation:	15 rooms. Can be single or twin/double

Flight:

Airline:	Ryanair
Outbound:	Birmingham 0800 Krakow 1125
Inbound:	Krakow 1150 Birmingham 1330
Deposit:	25%
Balance Due:	56 days before departure date

Holiday Programme:

Day 1 – Fly to Krakow, on arrival you will be met at the airport and transferred to the Hotel Wyspianski, for 2 nights' accommodation.

This afternoon will include a guided walking tour of Old Krakow, also known as Stare Miasto.

Day 2 – WALK 1:

0900 – Meet your walking guide in reception for your first walk. You travel by coach to the forested Ojcowski National Park, which covers the charming Prądnik Valley, one of the so-called Podkrakowskie Valleys, in the southern part of the Kraków-Częstochowa Upland. A characteristic element of the landscape are limestone rocks of fabulous shapes, among them the most famous one – Maczuga Herkulesa (Hercules' cudgel), which seems to stand against the laws of nature. The sunlit rocks are not only pretty, but also provide a home for many rare plants and animals. Some of the wildlife that can be found include Wild Boar, Red Deer, wild European Bison and Pine Marten's. Today's walk is a guided 5-mile walk, 8 miles north of Krakow.

Day 3 – Transfer to Zakopane

0900 – Depart the hotel for Katy, where at 1200 you shall board the wooden rafts navigated by local people wearing traditional regional costumes, to journey through the stunning scenery of the Dunajec River Gorge. On arrival at Szczawnica, you will have some free time before continuing to Zakopane and the Hotel Czarny Potok, for four nights' accommodation. You will arrive at around 1900 hours approx.

Day 4 – WALK 2

0900 – Meet your guide in reception. You will travel by local bus to walk through the Koscieliska Valley, in the Tatra Mountains considered to be one of the most beautiful tatra vales, full of natural richness and historical memorials. You will travel through the Przyslop Mietusi Pass, a large pass in the lower parts of the Western Tatra mountains, that links Dolina Kościeliska with Malej Laki Valley to the Grzybowiec Pass at a height of 1330m. You then walk down the Strazyska Valley, one of the most stunning and easily accessible valleys to Zakopane. The walk is about 8 miles with ascent of 500m and descent of 400m.

Day 5 – Included excursion to the High Tatras region of Slovakia

0900 - 1700 - You will travel by coach to the town of Stary Smokovec, in the High Tatras region of Slovakia. Stary Smokovec is the oldest Tatra settlement and is the home of the Mountain Rescue Service, shops, banks, restaurants and you can still enjoy the spa waters today – the reason why the settlement was originally formed. It is an important stop on the Tatra Railway, and the starting point for a funicular linking the most visited mountain valleys. Whilst here you can take the included funicular to Hrebienok (about a 5-minute ride), located at an altitude of 1280m, from where you can then take a scenic walk to the pretty waterfalls nearby. (You will need your passport to enter Slovakia & the local currency is Euros not Zloty)

Day 6 – WALK 3

0900 – Meet your walking guide in reception. The day will begin with a short transfer to near the Slovakian border from where you walk back to Zakopane. The walk follows a trail through Hala Gasienicowa the alpine meadow, located in the northern part of the Gąsienicowa Valley in the Tatra Mountains (1500m) and then back to Zakopane. In the olden days it was one of the biggest sheep mountain pastures. It has also been visited by famous highland robbers. Pasturage in this area only ended in 1964. This picturesque place is an interchange of various tourist trails. You will find here massive rocks and dwarf mountain pines, all that surrounded by majestic peaks and numerous ponds. The walk is approximately 8 miles with 550m of ascent and 600m of descent.

Day 7 – Transfer to Krakow & Included visit to Auschwitz-Birkenau

0800 – After breakfast check out and travel to Krakow. On the return journey, you have an Included 3.5 hour visit of Auschwitz-Birkenau.

Day 8 – You have free time until your transfer to the airport for your return flight.



Notes applicable to walks; We reserve the right to alter the described walks depending on local weather conditions.

The above is just a suggestion and can be amended if you feel that it does not suit your group requirements. Please let me know if you feel that the above is of interest, or if you require any further information.

Kind regards,

Hayley Sumner