A family weekend in Southern Oxfordshire

There's plenty of great walking options for those interested in exploring the fabulous South Oxfordshire countryside. With family friendly pubs, historic gardens and wide open spaces, there's an excellent choice of picturesque walking routes available, in and around the delightful town of Henley-on-Thames

Day 1

10:00 AM - Arrive in Henley-on-Thames: River Walk & Play

Start your day with a relaxed stroll along the River Thames in <u>Henley-on-Thames</u>. There are open spaces for children to play, run around, or feed the ducks. It's a perfect spot for family fun while enjoying scenic riverside views.

11:00 AM - Visit the River & Rowing Museum

The River & Rowing Museum offers engaging exhibits for kids, including the Wind in the Willows exhibition. Children can interact with the displays while parents appreciate the cultural insights. There's also a family activity room filled with hands-on fun.

12:30 PM – Lunch at Giggling Squid, Henley-on-Thames

Enjoy a family-friendly lunch at <u>Giggling Squid</u>, known for its tasty Thai dishes and a kids' menu with mini versions of popular dishes. Both kids and parents will find plenty to enjoy here.

1:30 PM – Drive to Wallingford (30 minutes) Head to the town of Wallingford to continue your adventure.

2:00 PM - Wallingford Castle Gardens & Riverside Play Area

Explore the wide-open spaces of <u>Wallingford Castle Gardens</u>, where children can run freely and enjoy the historic surroundings. Afterwards, visit the Riverside Park play area, a perfect spot for children to play while parents relax.

3:30 PM - Visit Cholsey & Wallingford Railway

Hop on the <u>Cholsey & Wallingford Railway</u> for a charming heritage train ride. It's a delightful way to see the countryside and introduces children to the excitement of vintage travel.

5:00 PM - Check-In at Mid-Range Accommodation in Goring-on-Thames

Settle into The Swan at Streatley in Goring-on-Thames, offering family-friendly rooms with beautiful riverside views. The atmosphere is welcoming and casual, perfect for a family stay.

6:30 PM – Dinner at The Swan's Coppa Club Enjoy a relaxed dinner at the <u>Coppa Club</u>, which offers options ranging from pizzas to salads. Their kid-friendly menu ensures that both children and adults find something they love.

Day 2

8:00 AM - Breakfast at The Swan

Start your day with a hearty breakfast, with options catering to all tastes, from traditional English breakfasts to lighter choices for kids.

9:00 AM - Family-Friendly Walk along the Thames Path

Take a gentle family walk along the Thames Path from Goring to Streatley. The path offers easy terrain and lovely views of the river. Kids can explore nature, spot wildlife, and enjoy the outdoors.

10:30 AM - White Horse Hill & Uffington Castle (Vale of White Horse)

Drive to White Horse Hill (about 40 minutes from Goring). Children will be fascinated by the ancient Uffington White Horse, a huge chalk figure carved into the hillside. Explore the nearby Uffington Castle, an ancient hill fort that offers wide, open spaces and stunning views for a family walk.

12:30 PM - Lunch at The White Horse Inn, Woolstone

Stop for lunch at <u>The White Horse Inn</u>, a cozy family-friendly pub located near Uffington. It offers a varied menu with children's options, perfect for a relaxing midday break.

2:00 PM - Departure