

OREAD MOUNTAIN WALKING CLUB

MEETS CIRCULAR

October 6th/7th

DOW CRAG

F. Allen

This meet needs no introduction to members who have been on it before as it appears to be becoming an annual event. We shall be using the L.C. AND C.C. hut at Traneath, Torver, Coniston. (Traneath is named on the O.S. map.) I am looking forward to a good turn-out on this meet; climbs on Dow Crag range from Diff. to Hard V.S. and good walks around in the surrounding hills. Milk and eggs can be obtained at Crook Farm Torver, and orders for these and hut bookings should be forwarded to the meet leader. Cars should be parked at the rear of the pub yard in the village; early arrivals please contact publican.

October 20th/21st

Marsden-Rowsley

L. Caris

Well, we come round to this glorious outing once again, and it appears I have been chosen to lead the (I hope) large party of stalwart walkers.

Remembering the epics we had last year with Dr. Beeching's railway when we almost had to charter a private train for Marsden, the following times ought to be correct:

Leave Derby Midland - 6.47 pm

Leave Manchester Exchange - 9.05 pm

This gives time in Manchester for a few drinks, or the more usual fish and chips. I personally am hoping someone comes along who knows Manchester or we might all end up going to Blackpool.

Last year the walk was extended to Matlock, the eventful goal being a certain training college; Brian Housley, I think, will be able to give us all its name. However, the last few miles were done over hard tarmac which all of us found rather cruel, so I intend to finish at the traditional Rowsley.

Anyone foolish enough to be further curious about this annual epic can contact me either at the 'Bell' on any Tuesday night, or at No. 4 North Avenue, Mickleover, Derby.

CHRISTMAS MEET

C. Hobday

As in previous years the meet will be held at the hut, but this year there will be no special Christmas dinner laid on at the hut. However, a small party will be going to one of the hotels in Caernarvan for Dinner, but no details are known at present.

Accommodation at the hut will be strictly kept to 22 people. Bookings to: C. Hobday, 6 Findern Close, Allestree, Derby.

INDOOR MEETS

The following indoor meets will be held in the Louis Room, St. James Hotel, Derby.

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| Tuesday October 23rd | - Nuptse | - D. Davis |
| Tuesday November 6th | - Alpine Reminiscences | - R. Colledge |

Both lecturers are well known to the Oread and there should be a good turn-out. Please be there for 7.30 pm however, as the lecturers both have a long journey home.

D. Burgess
Meets Sec.