



# OREAD Newsletter

## January 1985

PLEASE NOTE: FINAL COPY DATE FOR FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER: JANUARY 15th

### New Year Party, Heathy Lea

January 5/6

Pete O'Neill

The annual party at Heathy Lea will take place on Saturday January 5th - Pete O'Neill will organise the music, etc, the drinking will start in the Wheatsheaf early in the evening and for anyone who feels up to it, the crags will still be there on the Sunday (!). For further information contact Pete at the Rowing Club or on Ashbourne 43585.

### Tan y Wyddfa

January 19/20

Richard Hopkinson

Don't be fooled by the late start to winter - by mid-January Wales will be in pristine winter condition. So make sure you book your bed early because the floor's cold at this time of the year (see me at the Rowing Club or give me a ring on Wirksworth 3392 evenings or on Matlock 3411 Extn 7597 daytime). For those arriving early enough, I hope to be in the Prince Llewellyn on Friday night (Don't forget, it's 10.30 closing time in winter - I think).

### Heathy Lea

January 26/27

Ron Chambers

Really a one-day meet this one, but Ron will be in the Wheatsheaf on Saturday night from about 9.00 pm.. If you want to book space at the Hut get in touch with Ron at the Rowing Club or on Derby 832467. The format will be a long walk on the Sunday (use this Meet as part of your training programme for the Fell Race - see later in this Newsletter). For further details get in touch with Ron.

### Little Langdale

February 2/3

Gordon Wright

Full details next Newsletter, but Gordon is now taking bookings on Burton 813690.

### Joint M.A.M.

February 9/10

Sheelagh Carter

Again, full details in the next Newsletter. In order to help finance their forthcoming Hut re-building programme, the fees to Guests now stand at £2.40 per person per night at Glan Dena. However, this should not deter anyone from booking onto what promises again to be one of the best Meets of the year. Sheelagh is taking bookings now on 0977 - 684861 or on Belper 7194.

- Chris Jonson has asked me to remind Members that they only have 3 months left to get fully fit for the Fell Race. For any advice about training schedules etc, please get in touch with Chris at the Rowing Club.

Fell Race 1985

Trans-Africa Expedition (Mike Wynne & Co.) - Latest news is that despite total alternator failure in darkest Bromley, the channel was successfully crossed and the team have been topping up alcohol levels in the duty free haven of Andorra.

Venues for FEBRUARY Meets as follows (Full details next Newsletter)

February 2/3	LITTLE LANGDALE	Meet Leader: Gordon Wright
February 9/10	JOINT M.A.M.	Meet Leader: Sheelagh Carter
February 16/17	TAN Y WYDDFA	Meet Leader: 'Rock' Hudson
February 23/24	HEATHY LEA	Meet Leaders: Sheelagh & John O'Reilly

Indoor Meets Freek/Larmastone Prods.

All Indoor Meets start at 8 pm at the Royal Oak at Ockbrook unless otherwise stated.

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**** 15th January	Mr. Steve Clegg	"Much travelled, much maligned".
22nd January	Members Slide Evening at the Rowing Club - This is the chance for anyone to bring a dozen or so slides on the subject of their choice.	
5th February	KEN RAWLINSON	An account of the Cumbrian Everest Expedition 1984's attempt on the Whittaker Couloir on the North Face of Mount Everest.
5th March	ROBIN BEADLE	Holiday Snaps from Peru.
2nd April	HOWARD LANCASHIRE	Island Climbing (re-arranged from December).

Subscriptions

Rising Costs of postage, stationary, etc. have had the inevitable effect on Club resources and so the Committee has had to take the decision of raising Membership Fees as follows:-

Single Members	£10.00
Married Couples	£15.00

The new subscription rates will take effect from January 1st 1985 and it is intended that these should remain stable for at least three years. Please note that if you pay by Bankers Order this will need amending accordingly. Consideration will be given to the problems that higher subscriptions may cause to various groups of members e.g. students, retired members, etc.. We would welcome comments from members.

Changes of Address

Mr. & Mrs. R.Squires, 103 Green Lane, Ockbrook, Derby. Tel: unchanged.  
A.Dunham, 14 Whitesmead Close, Disley, Stockport, Cheshire, SK12 2BL.

For Sale

Fire Rock Boots - ready broken in!! but little worn, genuine reason for sale, size 9½/10. Tel: Richard Hopkinson - Wirksworth 3392 evenings, or Matlock 3411 Extn 7597 daytime.

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