



OREAD Newsletter

January 1986

Treasure Hunt

January 1

Chris Birt

A chance to exercise the brain along with the body, the morning after the night before! Starting from the 'Gate' at Brassington, this will be a gentle three mile amble with a few testing questions thrown in.

Leaving the start at around 10.30 am, we should hopefully get back before closing time! Bringing a pencil, map and an intelligent, energetic child could be an advantage.

Little Langdale

January 4/5

Gordon Wright

A Final Reminder! If you have not already booked your place on this popular Meet contact Gordon as soon as possible, either at the Rowing Club or on Burton on Trent 813690. The meeting place on the Friday evening is the Three Shires Hotel in Little Langdale.

Indoor Meet

January 7

Mike Pearce

CHRIS RADCLIFFE - 'AMERICA' An illustrated talk on Chris's rock climbing, mountaineering and skiing over the last few years in America.

Tuesday 7th January 1986 - Royal Oak, Ockbrook, 8.00 pm start.

New Year Party, Heathy Lea

January 11

Pete O'Neill

Pete O'Neill will again be organising the New Year Party at Heathy Lea - Pete will provide the music and makes a special plea for this to be an early start family Party - he does not want a Party which only starts when the Wheatshaeaf eventually throws everybody out. So, all are welcome - old, young, families, friends - if anyone can help Pete by offering to organise some food for the evening, could they please contact him at the Rowing Club or on Ashbourne 43585.

Tan y Wyddfa

January 25/26

Dawn & Richard
Hopkinson

Winter conditions should be good by the time of this Meet if early signs are anything to go by, so book early to avoid disappointment or sleeping on the floor. See me at the Rowing Club or give me a ring on Wirksworth 3392 (evenings) or Matlock 3411 Extn 7597 (daytime). I hope to get to RhydDdu in time for a pint on Friday evening (don't forget it's 10.30 closing).

Have you any spare dinner plates?

Chuck Hooley

Apparently there is a shortage of dinner plates at Tan y Wyddfa - if anyone can help to put this situation to rights, could they please contact Chuck Hooley on Ashbourne 70463.

1. Rock still has a number of the recently published 1984 Journal which have not been collected by Members. If you can collect your Journal or can deliver a Journal to another Member who no longer regularly attends the Club, they will again be available at the January Indoor Meet at Ockbrook. Collecting or delivering Journals does save the Club a considerable sum in postage.
2. Back issues of the Club Journal are also available from Rock - these are mainly the 1981/82 and 1983 Journals with a few earlier issues. These are £1.00 each - if you require additional copies of the 1984 Journal, they are priced at £1.50 each.

B.M.C. Annual Conference

Advance notice to keep the weekend free if you are into this sort of 'do' - the 1986 BMC Annual Conference is fixed for the weekend 21/22nd March.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

January 1	Treasure Hunt - start at the 'Gate' 10.30 am.
January 7	Indoor Meet, Royal Oak, Ockbrook, 8.00 pm.
January 11	New Year Party, Heathy Lea. 8.00 pm Start.
January 22	DMC Winter Lecture - Mark & Rowland Edwards on "Cornish Gold" (Rock climbing audiovisual + much more!). Full details DMC, usual venue Kedleston Road, 7.30pm start.
February 4	Indoor Meet, Royal Oak, Ockbrook, 8.00 pm.
February 19	DMC Winter Lecture - John Barry on "The Great Climbing Adventure". Full details DMC, as above.

February Indoor MeetMike Pearce

Who? ANDY PERKINS - an ex-Nottingham University student now doing research for Troll at Leeds University. His accomplishments include trips to Baffin, Mt. Kenya and Gangotri, as well as three successive forty foot falls from Supersonic and abseiling off the end of Cornwall and his rope into the Atlantic Ocean. How can a man this incompetent do research into safety equipment? Come to the lecture and find out!

What? 'BAFFIN ISLAND CLIMBING' - an epic tale of innocent youth v. aged mountains.

Where? Royal Oak at Ockbrook (can't you just taste that Bass?)

When? Tuesday 4th February 1986. Start time 8.00 pm.

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*Christmas Greetings
and best wishes for
the New Year*