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13-14 Sept Gogarth Paul Gardiner

Gogarth is no longer the trendy place it used to be, so come along to the seaside and avoid the anorexic little weirdos on the more fashionable crags. I will be camping at The Valley of the Rocks site at Treader Bay. If you want a lift contact me at the Rowing Club (if you're lucky) or on 558293.

20-21 Sept Eglwyseg Valley George Fowler

Why go all the way to Snowdonia to climb that same old wet rock when you could climb on the real stuff-sun kissed limestone. (in Wales for the traditionalist). Where is this amazing place you ask?

The Eglwyseg Valley is my reply. There is climbing to suit all here and no crowds. If you want to walk the surrounding hills look very inviting.

Now, as you all want to come on this- the meet of the year- here is the current plan:

1). Camp at Tower Farm, Dinbren Rd (Llangollen to the Valley road)

2). Friday night drink in the Jenny Jones, Abbey Rd (Ruthin road out of Llangollen)

I am still checking these arrangements so please confirm them nearer the time at the Rowing Club or on Ambergate 2087.

As for guide books I am sure your local exporium will be only too pleased to supply Clwyd Limestone Guide (perhaps this is why John was so keen on this meet!)

By the way the crag at the end of the Valley is Crag y Forwen (Worlds' End).

27-28 Sept Tan y Myddfa

The main aim of the weekend is to paint the 2 new outside walls and have a general pre winter clear up. There is also some interior emulsions to be done. To book your place for transport to the hut (this is free on working parties) contact Keith Gregson or Chuck Hooley.

4-5 Oct Bryn Hafod John Linney

This is the Stafford Mountain Club Hut at Dinas Mawddwy. Further details next month.

****ANNUAL DINNER ** CALLOW PARK ** 22 NOV 1986 ** CHRIS BIRT**

Full details next newsletter.

FOR SALE

A pair of Scarpa size 41, semi-stiff (ie will take crampons) mountain boots. They were bought about 18 months ago but have hardly been used are almost as new because too small. Yours for £35. Contact Ken Hodge on Derby 7240.

Photo Meet

October 11th

Richard Hopkinson

The entry fee this year is £1 for which you may submit up to four slides in each category.

These are: Action UK
 Aesthetic UK
 Action Abroad
 Aesthetic Abroad
 and Club Interest

Points will be awarded for the best three slides in each of the first four categories, with prizes for the three people who accumulate most points. There are trophies for 1st and 2nd places and also a prize and trophy for the Club Interest section. The only change in the rules this year affects me! and future winners. Following representations from previous winners the Committee have decided that the previous years' winner can enter slides in the next years' competition. Also whilst the Committee would greatly appreciate it if the winner would undertake to organise the next competition this is not to be considered a condition of winning.

Entries can be given to Dawn or myself or in our absence George Fowler at the Rowing Club, or dropped off at our house if your passing by to or from the Peak. It will not be possible to accept entries after
TUESDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER.

Please ensure all slides are clearly marked with your name and section entered, and spot marked in the bottom left hand corner when viewed the right way up.

The venue, as usual Baslow Village Hall with a start time of 7.30pm.

Tan y Myddfai Working Party Report

KEITH GREGSON & FAMILY,
JOHN LINNEY & FAMILY,
BRIAN WEST & FAMILY, CHUCK AND MARGARET HOOLEY

Members staying at the hut between July 14 and August 2 achieved the following :

- 1). Outside walls - scraped, cleaned & weather proofed.
- 2). Drying cubicle completed. Xpelair fan now operational. Drying facilities will cost 20p for 2 hours.
- 3). Dining room painted peach and kitchen green.
- 4). Grass cut and bushes trimmed. Gate hinge repaired.
- 5). The upstairs toilet was painted and curtains washed. Dining room curtains washed.
- 6). New toaster fitted, pans scoured and old stuff disposed of.

Many thanks to all concerned and to those members who dropped in for a day or two but lent a hand for an hour or two, it all helped.

Change of Address

From Sept 5th Robin Sedgewick's address will be 122 Stonehill Road ,Derby. Tel 31958.

Tan y Wyddfa Bookings

All weekends between Sept 5-6 and Nov 28-29 have 16
beds booked (Dread room vacant) except the following

(Working)
Sept 26/27 Dread Party Weekend

Oct 24/25 Dread Family Meet

Nov 14/15 Dread Meet. Ruth Conway

Nov 28/29 No bookings

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