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March 6th Royal Oak, Ockbrook

Steve Bashforth

Paul Layer will be giving a talk about climbing in Jordan.

March 9th-10th Patterdale

Colin Barnard

Contact Colin on Stafford (0785) 664644 in the evenings or 223121 x 6361 at work to book places on this meet.

Sun 18th March Fell Race Fred Phillips + Brian West

This year's Fell Race will start from the Cliff Inn at Crich. Runners should arrive at 10.30 for an 11.00 start. Offers of help to man the check points would be much appreciated - contact Fred or Brian beforehand, or turn up reasonably early on Sunday morning.

NOTE - Fred has arranged a bar extension until 5pm, so bring plenty of beer money!

Sat 24th March AGM Baslow Village Hall Committee

This year's AGM will be held in Baslow Village Hall, at 7.30 for a 7.45 start. Please make every effort to attend - as a member of the Club it is in your own interest to do so.

The committee has put forward the following names for next year's committee:

President - Rock Hudson

Vice President - John Linney

Treasurer - Roger Larkam

Secretary - Steve Bashforth

Assistant Secretary - Richard Hopkinson

Meets Secretary - Rob Tresidder

Hut Custodian - Chuck Hooley

Booking Secretary - Colin Hobday

Editor - Rock Hudson

Ordinary members - Richard Coghlan, Ray College

One more ordinary member is still needed. If anyone is interested, please contact the committee.

April 29th Barn Dance Committee

Details about the Barn Dance appeared in last month's newsletter. As a reminder, this event will be held at the Cavendish Club, Edensor at 7.00pm. Tickets are available from all committee members, price £5.50.

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Subscriptions

Roger Larkam

A few souls have somehow omitted to pay their 1990 subscriptions (payable January 1990). They will not of course have received their outrageously yellow and black 1990 Membership Card and Meets List.

All monies to Roger Larkam, 5 St. John's Terrace, Derby DE1 3LJ.

PS Could the person who paid directly to the Yorkshire Bank on 9 January confess who you are. Your membership card awaits you. Those thinking of jumping on this bandwagon instead of paying need not apply unless you can guess the correct 6 figure bank sort code.

BMC Insurance, Crevasse Resue Video, Huts List

BMC insurance forms are now available from Lisa Welbourn. Lisa also has a copy of the BMC list of huts.

If you are going to the Alps this summer, don't get caught in a crevasse! The BMC video about crevasse rescue is available on loan from Richard Coghlan.

Handbook

The Oread Handbook is now ready! It will be available for collection at the AGM.

Nobby Milward

Members will probably know by now of the sad death of Nobby Milward. Everyone offers their condolences to Judy.

News from Abroad

Mark and Ollic Pearce, who are still living in St Helena, now have a daughter, Kimberley Megan, born on 30th January.

John Theobald, who is now living in Grenoble, has written offering help and advice to any members intending to visit the area. His address is 33 Ave. Jean Jaures, 38600 Fontaine, Grenoble, France.

Llanberis Tourist Development

Llanberis is threatened with a £50 million tourist development, in the 275 acre derelict Glynrhonwy Quarry opposite Llyn Padarn. The majority of local people are against this scheme but Arfon District Council, who own the old quarry, voted by a narrow majority in favour of the development. If you are opposed to the scheme, please write to the secretary of state, asking him to hold a Public Enquiry. The address to write to is

The Rt. Hon. Peter Walker MP, Secretary of State for Wales, Welsh Office, Cardiff.

Doug Scott Slide Lecture

An illustrated slide lecture is being given by Doug Scott about the ascents of East Bhutan and West Rimo II and IV at the Commodore International on Tuesday 13th March at 7.30 pm. Licensed bar and food available. Tickets £3.50 (or £4.00 at the door). Tickets available from the Commodore, Hooleys Garage, Roger Turner Mountain Sports, Victoria Centre Box Office and Blacks Camping and Leisure. All profits to City Hospital Rainbow Appeal.

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Members will be pleased to know that the purple lurex jacket, complete with chalk bag and flexible friend, was returned safely. The culprit pleaded temporary (?) insanity resulting from the bash your brains out/ mash your eyeballs techniques of the 'louder is better' disco jocker! Why do we always end up unable to speak at the OMC dinner these days?

P.S. Does RL know which way is up?

Change of Address

Roger Penlington, 40 South Avenue, Buxton, Derbys. tel. 0298 72338 (work).

Please send all items for the newsletter to Helen Griffiths, 9 Bank Buildings, Chevin Road, Milford, Derbys. (tel. Derby 842293 (evenings) or Derby 247372 (work)). Last date for contributions to the April newsletter - 13th March.

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