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## Fylde Mountaineering Club

### Welcome

#### FMC SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE BMC

At the AGM in February a lengthy debate took place concerning the question of when the club paid the BMC.

Subscriptions are due on the 1<sup>st</sup>. January for the year. As a list of member's names and addresses has to accompany the payment and Martin has had to chase up members who had not responded to the reminder letter, we have normally paid in March.

The question was were members covered by BMC insurance between Jan 1<sup>st</sup>. and when our subs were paid?

The committee has decided that as our subs are due by the 1<sup>st</sup>. October anyone who has not paid by the 1<sup>st</sup> December will be removed from our members list for the BMC and may not be covered by BMC insurance from Jan 1<sup>st</sup>.

(Members who do not pay promptly and need a reminder letter create extra work for the membership secretary, and should buy Martin a pint for their trouble.)

### Distribution of this issue.

If you have received this by post but would prefer an e-mail version then let me know by e-mail from the address you want What's on to go to. (This is so I have an accurate e-mail address for you)

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The e-mail version would be in colour, and could be with you slightly earlier.

Hopefully all those who asked, by e-mail, for an e version have got it instead of the printed version. If not let me know again please, as I do get things confused at times, particularly where computers are concerned. So far only 23 members have asked for an e-mail version.

The next one I hope to produce at the end of August so any copy to me please by the 14<sup>th</sup> July 2007.

### Evening Climbing meets

There have been some good evenings so far. If you would like to join in and want more details contact Martin 01253 772073 or text only on 07717481701 or Darren 01253 811485

### July 2007

**Early July. Ecrins.** Those going will already be packed up or are there.

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>.** Evening climbing – Thorn Crag.

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>.** Evening Walk – Reservoir Walk with Mike Howe.

**Weekend 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>.** Family Meet, Stair

**Glorious July weather has been booked (ever the optimists) and we are hoping for the chance to ascend a local hill. Due to the ages of our children the favourites are Cat Bells and Barrow. (To anyone reading this who hasn't tried walking with nearly three stone of toddler in a back pack this may seem very tame, all those who have will understand.) We're also planning on taking our bikes, swim gear, wellies, football etc. We'd like to be able to barbeque on Saturday evening but that will depend on the weather. With children, and the weather, it is difficult to make plans but the main aim of the Meet is for the children, and parents, to enjoy themselves. The more the merrier!**

**Andy & Liz Hird.**

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup>.** Evening climbing – Witches.

**Weekend 14<sup>th</sup>./15<sup>th</sup>.** Working Weekend and Food Langdale.

**Contact Chris for more details-** he needs bodies to help him with the work needed to keep Langdale looking ship- shape.

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup>.** Evening Walk – Hutton Roof with John and June.

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>.** Evening climbing – Widdop.

**Weekend 21<sup>st</sup>./22<sup>nd</sup>.** Netherwasdale .

From:- **Sue Denmark**

'If you are thinking on coming on the Netherwasdale Camping meet on 21st-22nd July, and I hope you are, you need to book individually as they do not take group bookings. The telephone number is 019467 26252. Don't mention that you are coming with an FMC group. There is lots to do in the area so all are welcome' -.

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup>. Evening climbing – Trow Gill.

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>. Boozy Bike Ride 6.30 pm Thatched House.

Weekend 28<sup>th</sup>./29<sup>th</sup>. Biking/Climbing/Walking/Beer.

Bishops Castle. From Martin Dale:-

**“On the meets front, I have an interesting camping meet coming up on 28th/29th July to Bishops Castle in Shropshire. I am going to contact the campsite nearest**

**to the town (5 mins walk)to see if I can book some sites, so could do with some expressions of interest. Its a great spot with two breweries, not to mention some good biking and walking, and theres also some climbing nearby at Nesscliff and Llanymynech with Clwyd limestone just up the road as well. Theres even a Shropshire bouldering guide! “**

## August 2007

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup>. Evening climbing - Troy

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup>. Evening Walk- Langden Castle to Totridge Fell with Barrie Crook.

Weekend 4<sup>th</sup>./5<sup>th</sup>. Derbyshire, camping

Dave Wood is unable to go on this meet but to avoid confusion as his name is on the syllabus he will coordinate the arrangements so give him a ring.

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup>. Evening Climbing- Warton Main/Pinnacle.

Weekend 11<sup>th</sup>./12<sup>th</sup>. Yorkshire Coast (Camping)

### Fantastic Filey

**Come and see some more of the east coast on August 11th & 12th. we have 8 camping spaces booked at Filey. The campsite is on the edge of Filey and from here we can explore Flamborough Head with its cliffs, sea birds etc. or go climbing if you wish. The weather will be incredible. Clive**

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup>. Evening walk with Martin Dale to Darwen Moor. The name of the pub is the Royal - martin has been to check it out.

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup>.. Evening climbing – Wilton.

NB. Note the change of day and date.

Weekend 18<sup>th</sup>./19<sup>th</sup>.

Stair is available for members

Wed 22<sup>th</sup>. Evening climbing – Anglesarke.

Weekend 25<sup>th</sup>./26<sup>th</sup>. Dumfries and Galloway.

An undervisited place, considering how near it is, and the quality of the place. Good walking ,climbing and biking. Contact Martin for details.

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup>. Boozy Bike Ride 6.30 pm Thatched House.

Thursday 30<sup>st</sup>. Evening climbing – Trowbarrow.

## Advance Notices

Corris Weekend (or longer?) 1<sup>st</sup>./2<sup>nd</sup>. September.

Weekend 8<sup>th</sup>./9<sup>th</sup>. **September** - Martin at 50- Stair  
Martin sent this:-

**“ Stair is filling up nicely for my birthday bash in September, so if you are thinking of coming (all welcome!) best book your beds with me, not Chris This. asap.”**

## Bits and Pieces

Chris This will be away for part of July and all of August.

Below are the dates between 8<sup>th</sup> July and 10<sup>th</sup> September when our huts are let out to outside groups and are **NOT** available for use by members All dates are “for the nights of” so the group may still be there for most of the next day. Further details are available from Martin or myself.

### LITTLE LANGDALE

20<sup>th</sup> to 21 July

3<sup>rd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> August

17<sup>th</sup> to 18 August

27<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> August

2<sup>nd</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> September

### STAIR

8<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> July

13<sup>th</sup> to 14 July

27<sup>th</sup> to 31 July

6<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup>. August

14<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> August

24<sup>th</sup> August to 1<sup>st</sup> September

I hope that you find this useful and get the urge to come on some of the events. Any suggestions or feedback will be welcome.

Cheers

John Wiseman

