

What's on?... will the editor come back from NZ ?

Hello, I'm Mike Howe and I'm just producing a couple of issues whilst John and June are enjoying an extended holiday in NZ – for those of you still in work this is something to look forward to when you retire !

Hopefully I have posted a copy to all those people who want one but I have also sent an electronic version to all the email addresses I have recently verified.

If they have not already done so recently (and thank you to those who have) can I please encourage as many people as possible to send their current email address to mikehowe50@hotmail.com . Also if you can accept "What's on?" by email you will get the information quicker, save the club money and reduce the number of copies the editor has to stuff in envelopes (plus all the usual "Green" reasons). Just include this in the email to me.

From the Chairman Syllabus

We are now putting together this years 2008-2009 syllabus and the evening walks syllabus. If you have any ideas or if you would like to organize and run a meet please let me know. We need to have this information before 14 March.

It is my sad duty to report the death of Martin Pickup long standing member of the club.

Clive Bell 01772 635306 ring@the3bells.fsnet.co.uk

From the Secretary Annual General Meeting

This was held at the River Wyre on Wednesday 27th February 2008 at 7.30pm.

Officers elected were: Chairman:- Clive Bell; Vice Chairman:- Darren Hartley; Secretary:- Kevan Ebrell; Treasurer:- Mike Howe; Booking Secretary:- Chris Thislethwaite; Membership Secretary:- Martin Dale; Hut Custodian Stair:- Andy Dunhill & Christine Barbier; Hut Custodian Langdale:- Chris Bell; Social Secretary:- vacant; Newsletter Editor:- Tony Mitchell; Webmaster:- Dave Ball; Auditor:- Dave Earle and committee members:- Adam Dunderdale; Sue Denmark; Andy Hird; Jennie Tolley.

Contact Kevan by e-mail:- ebby.clan@tiscali.co.uk

or by post to 47 Victoria Street, Lytham, Lancs FY8 5DB.

From Stair hut custodian

There will be a working weekend at Stair on 1st/2nd March and we will provide some food Andy and Christine 01434 682018 andy.dunhill@unn.ac.uk

Stair Porch – Hopefully a builder has been found for the porch and we are awaiting a breakdown of his quotation. It is hoped that works will commence this summer. Watch this space !!

Contact: Chris Bell 01772 774072
rachnchris@tiscali.co.uk

From Little Langdale hut custodian

Chris Bell 01772 774072 rachnchris@tiscali.co.uk

From the membership secretary

Anyone not had a membership card yet please let me know and I'll mail you one.

Martin Dale 01253772073 nobbydale@yahoo.co.uk

March 2008

1 / 2 Working weekend Stair and after the work is done Andy and Christine will provide you with food Andy Dunhill 01434 682018 andy.dunhill@unn.ac.uk

8 / 9 Mountain Biking Langdale -. Contact Dave Ball 01925 499646 davey_ball@hotmail.com ???

Wednesday 12 March - Photo Competition

A night not to be missed but it does need you to start thinking now and have your entries sorted out. Prints or slides (real or digital). There are Sections for:- Scenic, Action and Humour. 3 entries allowed in each section, Contact Mike Penn michaelpenn@pissednbroke.fsnet.co.uk

12 / 14 CIC hut 15/16 Lagangarbh Contact Darren Hartley 01253 811485 djhartley25@aol.com
CIC meet-12th to 14th March, Fully Booked.
Lagangarbh, Glencoe, Scotland 15th to 16th March, places available.

15 / 16 Stair is available

22 / 23 Little Langdale is available

Wednesday 26 March Pub Meet The County Hotel Lytham with Clive Bell 01772 635306 ring@the3bells.fsnet.co.uk

29 / 30 Stair is available

April 2008

5th Easter....HOT ROCK

Probably Murcia 1st week (5th April onwards) as there are still areas of rock untouched by the FMC, then inland Andalucia 2nd week (12th onwards). Of course unless others come up with a more interesting and / or exciting idea Chris Thistlethwaite 01282 844668 cjtj@talk21.com

5 / 6 Roy Bridge

Get your name down for this years Roy Bridge trip and get some time in Scotland. Blue skies are certain (there may be a layer of cloud between it and us).
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5 / 6 Little Langdale is available

12/13 Stair is available

19 /20 Introductory/Juniors meet Little Langdale -

I am down to lead the intro/juniors meet. Unfortunately it has been announced that the 2008 British Orienteering Championships will be held on this weekend so I will not be able to be in the Lakes, I will be in the north east of Scotland instead. Is there anyone out there willing to take this on? If you can please contact me. Thanks, Sue Denmark"
Tel: 01772 700327 Mobiles JD 07885 470619 SD 07740 099869 John&Sue@denmark.demon.co.uk

Wednesday 23rd April. Pub Meet The Bay Horse Thornton with John Wiseman john.wiseman1@virgin.net 01253 826594

26 / 27 Ladies meet Little Langdale – contact Gill Fenna 01524 771396 gill@gfenna.wanadoo.co.uk

Advance Notices July 2008 in the Ecrins

This trip to Pelvoux in the French Ecrins National Park has now moved back a week so we will be there 19th July 'till 2nd August. You can choose the dates to suit yourselves. Still some time to book on to this magnificent trip of a lifetime.
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Bits and Pieces

The club does meet down the Preston climbing wall, West View leisure centre, Ribbleson every Thursday evening, 8pm ish. All are welcome. We don't all climb hard and there is a good range of grades available from the very easy to the impossible. You're always guaranteed to get someone to climb with.
Martin Dale 01253772073 nobbydale@yahoo.co.uk

If anybody is interested in an out of town evening climbing meet, maybe Liverpool or Manchester, please contact Martin or Darren Hartley 01253 811485 djhartley25@aol.com

From the Editor

Could all those who are due to lead meets in May/June send in an advert (and explanation) for the meet to me by 23 April.

Any other announcements or adverts to go in "What's on?" should also be sent by 23 April or sooner.

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Mike Howe