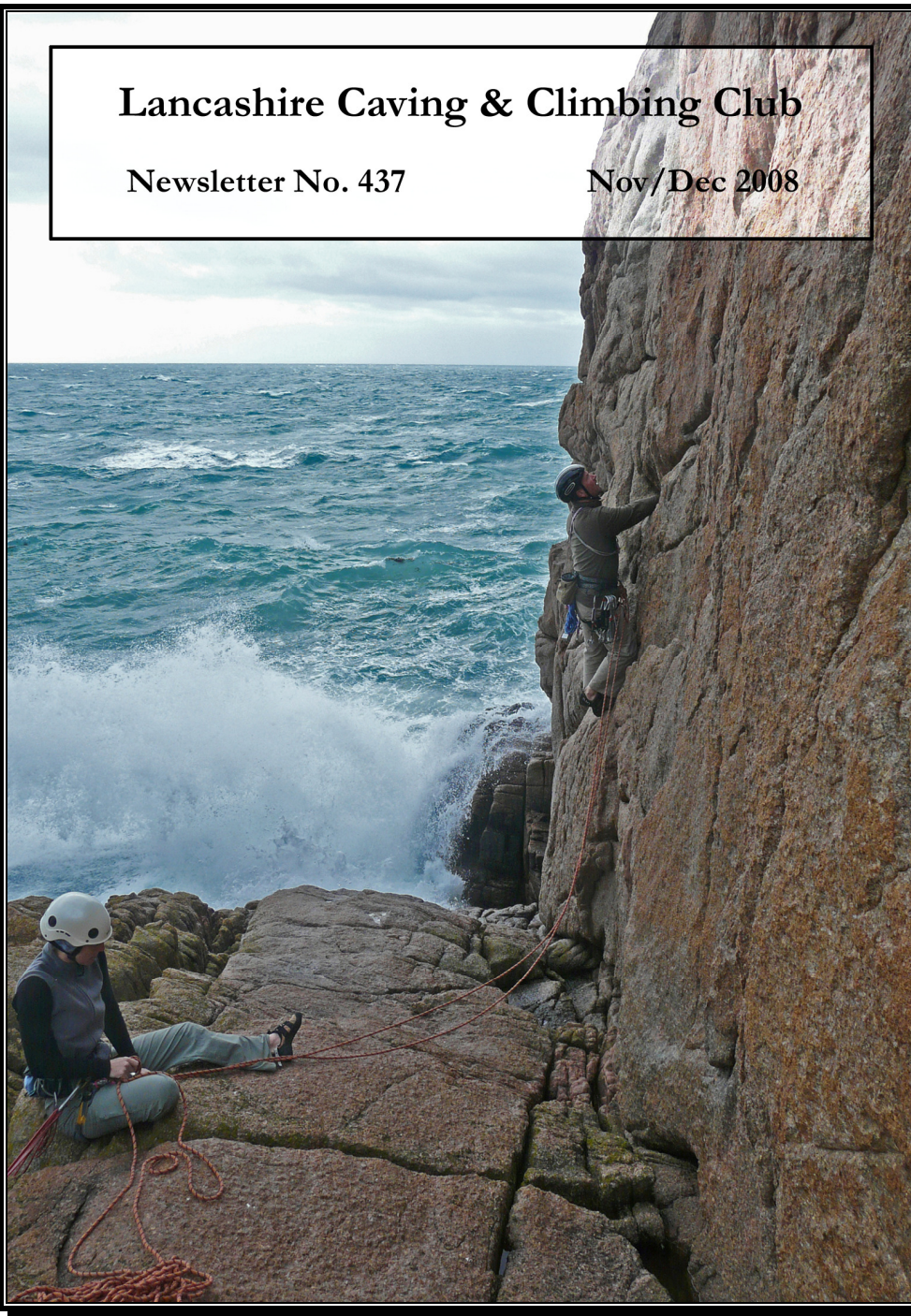


Lancashire Caving & Climbing Club

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Cover Picture: Ian Athroll on Heathcliff, Beauport, Jersey in sub-optimal conditions. (Credit R Wilkinson)

EDITORIAL

It's the social time of the year. Bonfire Night and New Year's Eve up at Traneath, the Annual Dinner at Torver and a second smaller one at Dan-y-Mynydd. Then the AGM on Dec 2nd - you should find the papers enclosed.

Lots of meet reports for September, but it appears August and October have been a washout. Did that affect the cavers too? We've taken to the climbing wall much earlier than usual. Perhaps I'll try caving, I notice the Cavers are offering some introductory/easy caves.

Since there was some space I have included the provisional climbing meet list up to August. **PLEASE** look it over and consider whether you want to c-ordinate any of the meets suggested OR run one somewhere else.

Newsletter Editor: Debbie Wilkinson, e-mail

Articles & letters are welcome on old fashioned paper, too.

NEXT ISSUE DUE OUT ABOUT JAN 1, 2009

Please send material for inclusion in good time.

I can add small items until the last minute,

It is editorial policy to correct obvious errors in submitted material but in case of doubt articles are copied as they are received. Errors of spelling and grammar which often occur in e-mails and hastily written articles will be corrected if noticed. If you do not wish this to be done, please add "no editing please" to your contribution.

Have you renewed yet?

SUBSCRIPTIONS 2008/2009 WERE DUE ON OCTOBER 1ST

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Hon Treasurer: Barry Walton,

ALTERNATIVELY

Members who bank on-line can pay directly into the club's A/C. Please contact Barry Walton at for details.

FORTHCOMING MEETS

All contact details are listed at the end. This is because when the Newsletter goes on our web site I remove such information from the 'public section', but it is available on the club section.

Nov 1/2	Bonfire Meet - Tranearth	Geoff Hibbert
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I will be up Friday night and would appreciate help building the bonfire for Saturday night I will arrange sausages burgers and kebabs for non veggies.

And from Sarah Little

As the Friday of the bonfire night is halloween and the kids are going to miss trick or treat it would be fab if they could all bring some dressing up and I'll bring some prizes and stuff. I will be up by Friday lunch time so will have time for organising a few things... if enough children can make it. They are always pretty excited on the Friday, and certainly weren't in bed much before midnight last year!

It would be helpful if you can get in touch with Geoff/Sarah to give some idea of numbers/ number of children etc.

Nov 9	Wildcat	John Banks
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Meet at the small café at the junction of A5012 and A6 in Cromford at 10am or at the crag. Free parking available about 400yds north up the A6. Turn left towards the New Bath Hotel and right just as you reach the hotel down a disused stretch of road. Park at the far end and walk through on to the A6. The footbridge from the Pleasure Gardens opposite leads to the crag, turning right over the bridge. Take the zig-zag path up; where it meets a broken wall go through to the foot of the main crag. PLEASE CHECK WITH ME IF YOU ARE COMING in case of bad weather.

Nov 9	Simpson's Pot	John Stringfellow
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Any climbers who fancy a change, this is a good one to do. It is one of the classic abseil pull through trips of the Yorkshire Dales. You walk up the side of Kingsdale to the entrance and then descend down about eight pitches and through some wonderful passages to emerge almost at the side of the road. Meet at Bernies café, Ingleton, at 9-30am.

Nov 16	Clwyd Limestone	John Roberts
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The meet leader proposes to meet at Trevor Rocks & will be there at 9:30. This area has bolted routes & is possibly ideal for the time of year. However, if the weather gods smile upon us, it is only a short drive to any of the other crags - we can sort it out on the day. To get to Trevor Rocks - turn off the A483 & take the A539 towards Llangollen, passing through the village of Acrefair. Turn R at the Australia Arms & follow the winding road steeply up the hill until the housing is left behind. Turn L (signed to Panorama), then L again & follow this road - it opens up & there are great views of the valley below. The road eventually leads to a large-ish parking space on the

R - I should be parked up there, a Peugeot 307 Estate (LG07 JHE). Should anyone want to make a weekend of it possibly the best & most convenient camp site is Wern Isaf Farm (Tel: 01978 860632) (www.wernisaf.supanet.com) & there are numerous B&Bs dotted about. If anyone decides to stay in the area on Saturday night let me know & I'll more than likely meet up with you."

Nov 23	Bruntskar	Tom Towers
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This area near Ribbleshead has several short caves worth exploring, notably Bruntskar and Gatekirk caves. They are relatively easy with no pitches, so are suitable for people with little or no experience. Come along and give it a try. Helmets and lamps can be hired in Ingleton. Meet at Bernies café, Ingleton, at 10:00 am.

Nov 23	West Pennine Moors Biking	Brian Evans
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Meet 10.00am. Park in lane leading from Rivington Barn towards the Hall. The official carpark gets full. Rivington has plenty of options to suit the weather, from sheltered low level to full-on moorland crossings. Look forward to a good ride.

Nov 22/23	Slate/ Deiniolen	John Roberts
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The Gloucester hut in Deiniolen is booked for the w/end & the meet leader will hope to be there for 9pm on the Friday night - either that or in the pub of preference nearby. For those without experience of slate, don't be put off by the high grades that seem to be prevalent. There are at least 2 areas which have been developed over the past few years with a good selection of routes from French 3 to 6a+. (Of course you're welcome to have a go at the 8c's if you like). There are many trad routes too. The beauty of the venue is that slate dries extremely quickly & a sheltered spot can usually be found. And for those who don't fancy climbing on slate, the Pass, etc are not a million miles away. Hope to see you there - any queries, give me a call.

Nov 28/30	Annual Dinner	Ted Fry
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The dinner is booked for 7.30 at The Church House Torver. The Speaker is Dennis Gray, climber and author. Cost £14.95. Please contact Ted for menu details and to book. Tranearth is booked for the weekend.

Dec 7	Windgather	Pete Nugent
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Meet at Car Park beneath Windgather Rocks at 10.30. There will be 3 options (hard, medium and easier) depending on ability, enthusiasm, weather and numbers. All will involve coming back over Shining Tor. The plan would then be to retire to the Stanley Arms for Sunday Lunch. Volunteers for route. Marshalls would be appreciated.

Dec 7	Birkwith Area	Mike Hale
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In the Birkwith area near Horton-in-Ribblesdale, there are numerous short caves and pot holes, suitable for a winter's day, and with only the odd ladder pitch. However these caves are flood prone, so please check with Mike beforehand if the weather looks dodgy. Meet at The Singing Kettle café, Settle, at 9:30am.

Dec 14	Christmas Supper Walk	Barry Walton
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No details ready yet. Barry still has to confirm a booking for the Pub supper. Please phone him for details of the walk, the meeting place and to book a meal.

OR

Look out for a slip enclosed with the details if I get around to it. Ed

Dec 14	Dales	Karl Lunt
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Venue to be decided depending on weather and participants, could be sport or trad. Please get in touch a few days before.

Dec 21	Gavel Pot	John Stringfellow
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Situated on Leck fell, this pot has four pitches up to 30 metres. It will be an SRT trip. "A fine and underrated pot". Also nearby is Short Drop cave, which gives a very pleasant through trip to Gavel, with one short pitch. Meet at Bernies café in Ingleton at 9-30am.

Dec 21	Dan-y-Mynydd	Pete Blackburne
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The last couple of years we been having a Xmas dinner in the hut with a lot of success which I will have to restrict to 10 people max (first come). I will be there Friday night to light the new wood burner & the dinner will be Saturday night with hopefully climbing during the day light.

Dec 28-Jan1	Tranearth	
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There are occasionally members (and friends) up over Christmas and always a gathering over the New Year. Bring some nice evening nibbles and possibly some ideas for games and join the fun. Come equipped for the traditional walk over Coniston Old man on Jan 1st (or we could be climbing or ice climbing - has happened in the past - Dream on) Children welcome.

Jan 4	Peak Grit	Lawrence Jordan
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Start the year's campaign on sun kissed (hopefully) gritstone. Ring me on Saturday evening after the weather forecast for venue.

Jan 4	Notts 2	Les Mottram
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A very good cave in which to start the New Year. An entrance shaft which can be free climbed leads to an extensive stream passage, with some good formations. Meet at Bernies café in Ingleton at 9-30am.

MEET CONTACT DETAILS

Caving For caving meets ring the organiser or John Stringfellow or Les Mottram

Contacts have been removed from this version of the Newsletter

FUTURE PLANS / FOREIGN TRIPS

Mallorca sport climbing, November 15th -23rd **Karl Lunt**

Six of us (Ian Athroll, Tony Madden, Simon Holden, Graham Phillips, Ken Tebay and myself) are booked into the Roc Portonova Apartments, Palma Nova from Sat Nov 15th returning on Sun Nov 23rd (yes, that's eight days if you are counting). We have 2 apartments holding three in each so if anyone else is interested then you really need to get at least another person to come with you to be economic. We will be climbing on rocks and watching Tony jump from a height into the Med (hopefully a deep part).

Ecrins Ice Climbing Jan 10th- 18th Phil Tucker

We will be located close to Vallouise in the Ecrins, giving access to a huge range of winter climbing opportunities from road side ice to high gully lines as well as skiing at a number of nearby resorts. Flying from Birmingham to Grenoble (about £100) and

hiring cars, accommodation will be in chalets (about £100 for the week) in the area. Currently 9 people have signed up for this which effectively fills the chalet we have booked but there is scope for additional people in the apartment below our chalet as well as other chalets close by. Get in touch if you're interested. Phil Tucker (07815544070, 01925 822128 (H), 01925 832607 (W))

Ice climbing in Norway Chris Wheatley

Is anyone interested in a winter trip to Hemsedal, Norway round about end of February? Could coincide with 1/2 term if you like?

There's good ice climbing there, we've not been there on a club trip before, and there's the option of really good skiing and winter mountaineering too.

Congratulations!!

to Geoff Hibbert on a successful attempt on the Bob Graham Round. Geoff was comfortably inside the 24 hour time limit a week after the Wasdale meet in June, on a weekend of appalling wind and rain. He's promised me an article for the Journal, so you'll be able to get all the details then, won't they Geoff?

JOURNAL 2008

I hope to start editing the Journal on Jan 1 for publication in the first quarter of the new year. Please submit any items a.s.a.p. At present it looks like being a rather sparse edition, so get writing!

Roger Wilkinson

AGM Tues December 2 nd Black Dog (Belmont) 7.30pm		ANNUAL DINNER Sat Nov 29 th Church House (Torver)
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Any nominations for special awards at the dinner
contact J Roberts.

MEET REPORTS

FAMILIES MEET TRANEARTH AUGUST 23rd-30th

This was the wettest families meet in 13 years so we had time for plenty of games in the hut and lots of chill out (and sleeping) time. We had a good walk on Saturday. It involved exploring the slate quarries near Eddy Scale and crossing swollen streams. The ford near the hut was a shoes-off job. We walked down to Lake Coniston and then into the village and back over Little Arrow. A leaflet guide on low level walks from the hut may be a useful addition to the Tranearth book shelf. Some suggestions in Tracy's walking guides looked interesting.

It was good to be with so many friends and to see people we haven't seen for ages. The hut was warm and cosy and we came home well rested.

Bernie Jordan

MAMMOTH CAVE, KENTUCKY, USA AUG 30,31st

After years of thinking about it I finally made an effort and booked all the necessary to go to Nashville USA and visit the longest cave in the world, Mammoth Cave. Reputably with over 500 miles of surveyed passage *the rest of this excellent report on the caves has been snaffled by the Journal editor*

(Slug)

JERSEY 30 AUG - 07 SEPT

Our arrival in Jersey at lunchtime on Saturday was marked by brilliant sunshine and baking heat. It was so hot that the MC opted for a north-facing crag (Nethe Falaise) for our first routes on Saturday afternoon. It came as a shock to find that the cliff was soaking and unbelievably slimy. Alison Athroll backed off *La Fete de Claire*

(*** VS 4c) and eventually squirmed her



Photo: Pete on Rabbit's Edge, VS

way up *Avalanche (HS,4b)*. I joined the Wilkinsons to slither our way up *Green Gully (***, HS)*. We were too dim to take the hint! Roger oozed up the first pitch, but things improved on the second and third pitches and we started to enjoy ourselves.

The story for the rest of the week was of a battle against the elements; torrential rain, huge spring tides (11.4m), strong winds whipped up tumultuous seas and enormous columns of spray. Tuesday was a washout, this can be judged by the fact that Alison dragged Ian off to see *Mama Mia* during the afternoon! Debbie was unable to persuade Roger to do likewise! Despite all this, we were able to climb on most days. By choosing the right crags (mostly!), we could climb for 8 out of the 9 days. Given the weather elsewhere in the UK, this was quite an achievement! Compared with Lundy, the approaches are

more straightforward and you have more options in the event of bad weather.

Overall, we made the most of the conditions and fully enjoyed our week. We climbed some brilliant routes, enjoyed some spectacular coastal scenery and had some marvellous gastronomic experiences. There is something very appealing about life on Jersey and I, for one, am very keen to return next year.

Pete Nugent

Ps. It was good to see John Derbyshire on the rock again. However, perhaps Knee Cap (HVD), a flared chimney/groove was not the best route to do in shorts!

IMPROMPTU GATHERING OF NORTHERNERS IN LANGDALE.

A successful weekend was had in dry windless conditions. D.W, Bedspring and family, Rick Pinches, Nick Bennett, Rog and Deb came along. On Sat after warming up on Upper Scout, we moved over to White Ghyll where *Slip Knot (VS)* *Gordian Knot (VS)* and *Slabs 1 (S)* were climbed. Sunday was spent on Gimmer where *Chimney Buttress (S)*, *Main Wall Climb (VD)*, *Introduction (MVS)* and *Oliverson's (VD)* were climbed.

Dave Wearing.

DAN Y MYNYDD SEPT 13/14

There is something about sunshine over Blaenau Ffestiniog, apart from being rare, that brings out the rugged beauty of the



Photo: Steve Littlewood on Africa Rib
Landscape, even mellowing the ravages of industry, past and present. Well, sunshine we had, so Roger, Debbie, Sparky, Steve Littlewood, Steve Crossley, and I, with Blacky joining us later, went up to Craig y Clipiau where between us ascents were made of *Asahel (s)*, *Africa Rib (VD)*, *Double Chris (VS)*, *Inverted Staircase (VS)*,

Ushers Dilemma (HS) and *Depression Direct (HS)* (something to do with the finishing move I think!).

Meanwhile, back at the hut, a construction team consisting of Ken, Blacky and Phil Griff, made exceptional efforts to fit a flue liner into the chimney and connect up the stove. I believe an ascent of 'The Roof' was made at VS (very steep). Pete Nugent arrived Saturday evening. Some stayed in by the fire and some went to the Pub.



Photo: Ken & Griff on The Roof (VS)

Sunday morning dawned cloudy but dry. The Petes went to Clogwyn y Bustach and climbed *Flake Wall (HVS)* and *In Memoriam (HVS)*, a suitably named climb as Blacky will remember the second pitch for some time! Sparky and Steve Littlewood ascended *Y Gelynen (VD)* at Craig yr Wrysgan. At Clogwyn yr Oen, Roger and Debbie climbed *Slick (VD)* and *Thumbelina (S)* while Ken and Steve climbed *Pinky (VS)* and *Slack. (S)*. The MC and wife walked over Allt Fawr.

After a final brew of tea at the hut, all went their separate ways with smiles on their faces, enough said!

Many thanks to all who turned up.

John Weale

VETERANS MEET, TRANEARTH OCT 11/12th

Saturday turned out to be excellent weather and 11 members came out on the walk over Farleton Knott, with its extensive limestone rock pavements, returning via the Lancaster Canal. Sunday 7 members walked from the hut to Levers Water, then on to Weatherlam descending to Prison Band, Swirl How, a certain Old Man and back to Tranearth. On the ridge we had rain and high winds and did our good deed of the day by giving directions to two groups who were lost, due to poor visibility. A good weekend.

Pete Jordan

My apologies: although the meet details were in the last Newsletter, the meet was not listed on the back cover - glad to hear it did not affect the turnout too much. Ed

BIRCHEN EDGE 28th Oct

This weekend it seemed that Saturday might have been the last day of summer. By Sunday morning it looked light drizzle and fog were set in for the day as we headed over the Snake Pass (even those that didn't need to!), but Lawrence was ever optimistic and was sure he could see patches of brightening sky. Fortunately the grey start allowed us to enjoy our pints of tea at Grindleford Station Café without too much pressure to get out on the rocks, although Lawrence continued to chomp at the bit. It was worth the wait as when we did eventually get out we were rewarded with ever increasing blue skies. I think most people felt they had had a good day's climbing, although Sparky and Robbo might have disagreed with that as they counted their bruises. 27 turned up in all, including

FROGGATT SEPT 21st

In Phil's absence (due to sick from foreign food) I was volunteered to write the official meet report for Froggatt, a good turnout on a glorious sunny day Ali & Ian, Geoff Haigh & family, Gerard, Cath, Jonathan (potential new member), Tony Madden, Ken, Matt Gordan, Paul Lewis, Bernard, myself and on only their second day on rock my daughter Liz and her boyfriend Phil (well Liz did a bit about 7yrs ago when she was 15). Many routes climbed incl *Three Pebble Slab (E1)* by Alison (she described it as "scary" and it looked it) *Tody's Wall (HVS)*, *Green Gut (S)*, *Trapeze Direct (VS)*, *Sunset Crack (VS)*, *Diamond Crack (HS)*, *Heather Wall(S)* and many many more.

Mike Hall

and IMPROMPTU GATHERING SOUTHERNERS

Sparky/Steve Littlewood/Darryl & Heather were joined by Paul Burgess for another sunny day avoiding the rock fall & bees nests at Symonds Yat

Blacky

and

a few children. It was good to see some grads out, Lucy and Paul, and others that we hadn't seen for some time. An approximate total of 200 routes were climbed, 111 by Geoff Hibbert, not so closely followed by Blacky who managed 15. Thanks also to Nik and Roger, Judith, Geoff and Kath, Pete Nugent, Mike and Hazel, Gerard, Dave Holmes, and Ian Davenport, Geoff Haigh and Mike Hall all with various sprogs in tow.

Sandra Handcock

Emergency

Lawrence sent this, possibly many of you have met it before but it seems worth spreading around.

Apparently it is a standard procedure all paramedics at an accident (with unconscious person?) to search in mobile phones for possible contacts.

We all carry our mobile phones with names & numbers stored in its memory but nobody, other than ourselves, knows which of these numbers belong to our closest family or friends.

If we were to be involved in an accident or were taken ill, the people attending us would have our mobile phone but wouldn't know who to call. Yes, there are hundreds of numbers stored but which one is the contact person In Case of an Emergency? Just store suitable contacts under ICE, For more than one contact name simply enter ICE1, ICE2 and ICE3 etc.

**ICE will speak for you, when
you are not able to!**



LC&CC
75th Anniversary 2011

IDEAS

Special 75th Dinner

Where should it be? Lakes, Wales, Bolton?
What time of the year?

Special BIG SUMMER MEET.

The Alps, which part? or further afield??

ANY OTHER IDEAS

PLEASE send to Secretary or discuss with members
of the Committee or come to AGM

CLUB BUSINESS

Notes from Committee Meeting 9/9/08

- There was a brief discussion on the progress of the new web site which has been delayed by business demands.
- Ken Tebay is hoping to get more pennants and a big flag printed for display at camp sites. More T-shirts are to be ordered.
- The First Aid Courses organised by Steve Crossley was to have been underwritten by the club but is now making a profit. Excess funds will be returned to participants.

HUTS

- Progress and technical problems for the new flue at Dany-y-Mynydd were discussed (*the new flue is now fitted and the fire burns well*).
- Measurements have been taken for new windows at Dan-y-Mynydd

- Hut fees for commercial groups using Tranearth have been raised to £8ppn as from 1st Oct. Other fees are unchanged.

NEW FULL MEMBERS

Roger Brown,
Nicola Bassnett

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Thomas Towers
John Stringfellow and Tony Madden have new e-mail addresses:

NEW GRADUATE MEMBERS

Caroline Byrne
Victoria Crabtree
Glynne Atkinson

TRANEARTH BOOKINGS

Tranearth is often booked at short notice by commercial groups (especially mid-week). Please do not assume Tranearth will be empty. Bookings can easily be checked on the club web site.

Oct 28-30	Impact	Nov 28-30	LC&CC
Nov 1-3	Bonfire Night LC&CC	Dec 5-7	Barts & RLAC
Nov 7-8	LC&CC	Dec 12-14	Scarlett Walking group
Nov 9	Brathay	Dec15-18	Lancashire Outdoor Ed
Nov 14-16	J Griffith	Dec 23-	LC&CC
Nov 21-23	Cambridge Uni	-Jan 4	Christmas & New Year

DAN-Y-MYNYDD BOOKINGS

Dan-y-Mynydd has limited space and no members' room, so the hut is not available for members when there is an outside booking

Nov 14-16	Griff	Dec 19-21	LC&CC
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LC&CC CONTACTS

Chairman : John Shaw

Hut Booking Sec.: Phil Tucker,

Hon Sec: Alison Athroll

Climbing Meets Secretary: Pete Blackburne,

Offers to co-ordinate meets and ideas about future meets are welcome at any time

Caving Meets Secretary: John Stringfellow,

THURSDAY EVENING CLIMBING WALL

Simon Holden has sent this list of venues for club members to socialise as well as climb

There was a good turn out during the last winter and we picked up some new members

Nov 6 th	Boulder UK Blackburn	Dec 11 th	Manchester Climbing Centre
Nov 13 th	Blackpool Sports Centre	Dec 18 th	Inglesport Climbing Barn
Nov 20 th	Awesome walls Liverpool	Jan 8 th	Preston West View
Nov 27 th	Warrington	Jan 15 th	Awesome Walls Stockport
Dec 4 th	Broughton Recreational centre	Jan 22 nd	North West Face Warrington

TUESDAY EVENING INDOOR MEETS

Please Note We have moved to the END of each month

Tues 28 Oct *Black Dog (Belmont)* 8pm

Brian Evans will present an evening of pictures from the Alps 'Dolomites to Chamonix'

Tues 2nd Dec *Black Dog (Belmont)* 7.

AGM Papers enclosed

Tues 27th Jan *Black Dog (Belmont)* 8pm

Pete Nugent will present 'Gneiss Granite' climbing on Pabay and Jeresy

Tues 24th Feb *Black Dog (Belmont)* 8pm

Members' pictures, Please bring along a selection of pictures from club meets and other occasions.

AWESOME WALLS (Liverpool and Stockport)

Following the successful club promotion last year concessionary rates have been arranged for all LC&CC Members.

THURS NIGHT 50P DISCOUNT

Just show your membership card. Any problems please contact John Shaw

PROVISIONAL MEETS LIST

Spring/Summer 2009

(caving to be added)

Some of these Meet leaders have been 'volunteered', venues are just proposed.

If you would like to co-ordinate a meet during 2009 Please Volunteer contact Blackie

DATE	TITLE/VENUE	Accom	ACTIVITY	MC
Mar 15	Rivelin		Climb	Simon Holding
Mar 15	Jean Pot		Cave	Geoff Dawson
Mar 21/22 ?	Borrowdale	Camp ?	Climb	Steve Crossley
Mar 28??	Deaths/Big Meanie		Cave	John Stringfellow
Mar 29	Dovedale		Climb	Pete Blackburne
April 5	Millstone		Climb	Pete Nugent
April 10-13	Cornwall (Easter)	Camp	Climb	Ken Tebay
April 19	Curbar		Climb	Murray Gallagher
April 26	Willersley /Cratcliff		Climb	Mark Adams
May 2-4	Isle of Arron (B Hol)	Camp	Climb	Pete Nugent
May 9/10	Norththumberland		Climb	Karl Lund
May 17	Wallowbarrow	?Hut	Climb	Simon Fife
May 23-25	Skye/Neist (B Hol)	Camp	Climb	Roger Brown
May 31	Wye Valley		Climb	Steve Martin
June 7	Peak		Climb	Sarah Little
June 14			Climb	
June 21	Wasdale		Climb	John Shaw
June 28	Ogwen/Transnowdonia		Climb	Pete Blackburne
July 5	Borrowdale		Climb	Dave Wearing
July 12			Climb	Ali Sharman
July 19	Yorkshire		Climb	Gieff Haigh
July 26	Midwales TannatVal		Climb	Pete Blackburne
Aug 2	Winberry		Climb	Gerard Conway
Aug9	Gogarth		Climb	Mark Adams

MEETS LIST

Meet venues may be changed in the event of bad weather. Please ring meet co-ordinators to let them know that you are going on a meet.

DATE	TITLE/VENUE	Accom	ACTIVITY	MC
Nov 1/2	Tranearth Bonfire	Hut	Climb	Geoff Hibbert(?)
Nov 9	Wildcat		Climb	John Banks
Nov 9	Simpson's Pot		Cave	John Stringfellow
Nov 16	Clwyd		Climb	John Roberts
Nov 23	West Pennine Moors OR Slate		M Bike Climb	Brian Evans John Roberts
Nov 23	Bruntscar		Cave	Tom Towers
Nov 29/30 Nov 30	Tranearth Dinner OR Wye Valley	Hut	Eat/ Walk Climb	Ted Fry Pete Blackburne
Dec 7	Windgather		Climb	Pete Nugent
Dec 7	Birkwith Area		Cave	Mike Hale
Dec 14	Christmas Supper Walk		Walk/eat	Barry Walton
Dec 21	Dan y Mynydd	Hut	Climb	Pete Blackburne
Dec 21	Gavel Pot		Cave	John Stringfellow
Dec 28- J 1	Tranearth New Year	Hut	social	
Jan 4	Peak Grit		Climb	Lawrence Jordan
Jan 4	Notts 2		Cave	Les Mottram
Jan 11	Stanage		Climb	John Banks
Jan 18	Great Close Scar		Climb	Alison Athroll
Jan 18	Ibbeth Peril Caves		Cave	Nick Bennett
Jan 25	Silverdale		Climb or ?	Roger Wilkinson
Feb 1	Burbage North		Climb	Ken Tebay
Feb 1	Top Sink		Cave	Mike Hale
Feb 8	Wildcat		Climb	Phil Tucker
Feb 14/15	Deniolen	Hut	Climb	Geoff Haigh
Feb 15	Giant's Pot		Cave	Tom Towers
Feb 22	Beeston		Climb	Bernie Jordan
Feb 28	Caver's Dinner		Cave	Les Mottram
Mar 1	Frogatt		Climb	Ali Sharman
Mar 7/8	Tranearth WP	Hut	Work	Working Party

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