

Ceunant News - May 2006

With the; Ice, Snow & Ski season now well behind us and successful meets in Mid Wales, Pembroke and Yorkshire this update on our forthcoming meets might stir some more of us out into the mountains and onto the Rock.

Forthcoming meets:

27-29th May

Skye

Probably the best mountain climbing area in the UK, with late May often providing some of the most reliable weather. – Mark Eddy for details.

10 /11th June

Wild camping Cwm Bochlwyd

A 30min trogg up to the lake from Ogwen Cottage, camp round to the right past the outflow. Ref: 654592. Some of the finest mountain routes in the whole of Snowdonia are within easy reach of this site. The rock is invariably rough, clean and accessible. A selection of excellent routes is enclosed; otherwise see the Ogwen and Carneddau Guidebook. – Joe Brennan for more details.

Saturday 24th June

50th Anniversary Celebration

An ascent of Snowdon by as many routes as we can think of followed by a party in the garden of Tyn-Lon. Food & several barrels of ale, cider & wine have been organised and we will be entertained by a live band the BALOO-S. A bargain @ £10 per head, each ticket also doubles up as a raffle ticket.

Note: For obvious reasons: No camping in the garden this weekend!

Wednesday 12th July

River Severn Canoe Trip

Meet by the riverside at Hampton Loade at 7:00 pm. Canoes provided for the trip downstream to Arley. £9:00 each for hire of the canoes. – Lisa Levick for details.

Lundy 2007 (NOTE 2007)

18 to 25th August 2007

Places for 14 have been booked in the "Old Barn" The cost (subject to inflation) will be £82. Boat travel to the island will be either from Ilfracombe or Bideford (depending on the tide) and will cost an additional £50 return. To secure your place we need a deposit of £25. Please forward you cheque to Adrian Casey ASAP.

Tyn Ion Bookings

June 16th Cardiff Police

June 30th Carlisle M/C

10/14 July Rawlins College

17/21 July Rawlins College

22/25 July D of E. Group

New Members

A welcome to: Helen Richards & Nathaniel Billany who have joined us over the past few months.

50th Anniversary Magazine

For those of you who would rather receive their Magazine in an electronic format (saving the club both printing & postage) please forward your e-mail address to Mike Tolston.

Good Climbing

Ceunant 50th Anniversary Meet

Wild Camping in Cwm Bochlwyd

10th June 2006

From Ogwen Cottage follow the path first towards Idwall and then SSW towards Llyn Bochlwyd. The path climbs fairly steeply alongside Nant Bochlwyd to reach the outflow of the Llyn. Once you reach the lake follow the shore well round to your right, west then south. Camp at Grid Ref: SH654592. Approximately 45 mins from the road.

Excellent Rock climbing, Scrambling and Ridge walking all within easy reach of the campsite.

Follow this link for a map: -

www.multimap.com/map/browse.cgi?lat=53.1111&lon=-4.0183&scale=25000&icon=x

A Selection of some of the best climbs

Great Tower Buttress 470ft S *

Grooved Arête 560ft VD ***

Bell View Bastion 160ft VS **

Munich Climb 250ft VS **

Gashed Crag 550ft VD ***

Superdirect 250ft HVS ***

Marble Slab 60ft S *

Bochlwyd Eliminate 120ft HVS **

Direct on Glyder Fawr 260ft HS ***

Kaya 60ft E7 **

Lots Wife 120ft VS ***

Lots Groove 110 HVS ***

Hawk's Nest Arêtes 130ft VS ***

Route II 150ft D**

Frost's Climb 180ft D **

Monolith Crack 130ft S *

Sub-Cneifion Rib 410ft VD **

Hebenwi 250ft **

Manx Wall 180ft HS **

East Wall Girdle 530ft VS ***

Suicide Groove 150ft E1

Suicide Wall Route I 100ft E2 ***

Grey Slab/Lost Boot 270ft VS ***

Grey Arete 270ft HVS ***

Devil's Staircase 295ft S **

Devil's Bastion 295ft S **

Devil's Delight 220ft E1 *

Javelin Blade 120ft E1 **

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