



The Programme

February 2002



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If there is no contact in the programme, please ring one of the above

Sunday 3rd Wye Valley walk. 7 - 8 miles amidst the sylvan splendours of the lower Wye Valley, taking in the ruins of Tintern Abbey and a stretch of Offa's Dyke. Packed lunch required, though there will be a pub / café stop. Meet at Museum 10.00 am. Organisers: Russel H. & Sue (2039 5229)



Tuesday 5th Dr. Hadwen Trust talk. This leading medical research charity advocates that animals should not be used in experiments. Geoffrey Thomas will be talking to us about the of the Trust. He has contributed to media debates, including TV programmes such as 'Heart of the Matter' and 'Esther'. After the talk he welcomes a lively discussion, whatever your opinion.



Friday 8th to Sunday 10th Hostelling Weekend at Trefin, Pems. This is a rent-a-hostel weekend so we have the run of the place. As well as the Pembrokeshire Coast Path, St Davids and Fishguard are all within reach. As is the pub. Names asap to Steve B. (2030 7272)



Tuesday 12th Pancake Night. It's amazing what can be done with eggs and flour. Meet at 8pm in the members' kitchen at Cardiff Youth Hostel, Wedal Road. Bring a non-stick frying pan if you can. Batter will be provided. Later at the Allensbank. Organiser: Chris: L. (2023 8576)



Saturday 16th Black Mountains Walk walk. We return to one of South Wales's premier walking areas with a 15 miler - exact location dependant on access. Packed lunch required. Meet at Museum 9.00 am. Organiser: Nigel F (2031 3532)



Sunday 17th Treasure Hunt. This year's brain-buster will be devised by Malcolm, who has so far given two clues - it will be in Cardiff and there will be a pub lunch. For further details contact Malcolm J. (2038 7243)



Tuesday 19th Ghost tour of Llancaiach Ffawr. Come and see just what haunts this 17th Century Mansion near Nelson. £5.50 per person. Numbers will be limited. Later at Fagins, Taffs Well. Names and money by 8th February to Cath L. (2088 7968)



Friday 22nd to Sunday 24th Working Party at Llanddeusant Youth Hostel. All hands required for a spot of painting, scrubbing, brushing, etc. to get the group's "adopted" hostel up to standard. BBQ Saturday night (weather permitting) with a walk on Sunday. Names asap to Steve B. (20 307272)



Tuesday 26th Southern Africa talk. You've heard the rumours, now see the slides, and possibly the video. Julian and Kevin talk about their trip to the Dark Continent (well it was during the eclipse).



Thursday 28th February to Tuesday 5th March Long weekend in Nice. Take advantage of cheap flights from Bristol Airport with Go. Further details from Kevin H. (2076 2407)



Upcoming events

Friday 28th March to Monday 1st April Easter weekend in Cambridge and Norwich

Organiser: Anne H. (01443 404431)



Saturday 18th May to Saturday 25th Group Holiday in Mallorca

Organiser: Bob H. (2075 6203)



If you would like to bring children or dogs, please check first with the event organiser



Weather wear

It is Winter. It will probably be cold and wet. It's your responsibility to have suitable clothing and footwear.

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The grade of walks is shown below. Wheels may be shown for cycle rides, or other symbols for other events.					
Oddfellows at 8pm	Easy	Moderate	Strenuous	Very strenuous	Trip away