



Cardiff Outdoor Group

A Happy Christmas & A Happy New Year



Note: New meeting place in Cardiff for Sunday walks - CHAPTER ARTS CENTRE, CANTON

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Chapter (Market Rd, Canton) is our Tuesday night venue. Why not join us in the bar after the meeting.

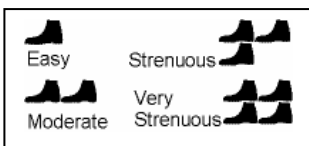
If you would like to bring children (under 17) or dogs, please check first with the event organiser

Fancy arranging any events? Your ideas are very welcome; please contact the programme organisers.

BPL = Bring a packed lunch.

Walk Grading

The grade key below refers to the terrain, not the distance, which is shown separately for each event.



Sunday 2nd - Bryn Arw Walk

Not the best known hilltop in the Black mountains but offering glorious views of its better known neighbours: Sugar Loaf, Ysgryd Fawr (Skirrid) and Bloreng. A chance to refuel at the Crown pub in Pantygelli at lunchtime before returning via the Deri ridge. 8 miles. Meeting outside the front of Chapter in Canton at 9.30am. Contact Jane O on 029 20402571



Tuesday 4th - Talk on Cardiff Bay Wetlands Reserve.

Vaughan Grantham Cardiff County Council's Environment Conservation Officer will give a talk on Cardiff Bay Wetlands Reserve. Chapter 8pm. Room - First Space.

Friday 7th - Party Time

Get into the Christmas spirit! All welcome to a party at Bob's bungalow from 7.30 p.m. Ring Bob H on 029 20756203 for directions. Please bring a bottle and a small plate of food to share.

Saturday 8th - Little Skirrid Walk

An easy 4mile walk over the Little Skirrid, followed by a leisurely afternoon in Abergavenny. Train departs Cardiff Central at 09.20, calls Newport at 09.34 arriving Abergavenny at 09.57 Packed lunch optional. Contact Bob on 029 2002 0500 (voicemail) or 07886 261792.



Sunday 9th - Barry Walk

An easy 6 mile walk taking in Porthkerry Park, Barry Castle and a Roman Villa. BPL. Meeting outside the front of Chapter in Canton at 10.00am Contact Rhona on 029 20860181



Sunday 9th - Small COG Walk

For details contact Wayne & Mary on 01633 894809



Tuesday 11th - Town planning in Cardiff

Peter Kingsbury will give a talk on town planning in Cardiff. Chapter 8pm. Room - First Space.

New Members always welcome

Sunday 16th - Llantwit Major Walk

8 mile circular walk along the beach and Glamorgan Heritage Coast path with dramatic views of coast. BPL. Meet outside Chapter at 9.30am or Llantwit Major Beach Car Park at 10.15am. Contact Alan B on 029 20530879 for details



Tuesday 18th - Christmas Curry

Juboraj, Heol Y Deri, Rhiwbina. Meet at 7.30pm in the restaurant. Names in advance to Katherine by the 14th December Contact Katherine T on 029 2088 1572

Sunday 23rd - Brecon Walk

A seasonal 4 mile informative walk around the historic town of Brecon, decked out in its Christmas finery. Throughout our visit we will stop to take in sites of interest. BPL. Meet at Chapter at 10am. Contact Sian 01446 719697 on for details.



Christmas Party

Ceri & Caroline are arranging a Christmas Party. Date & Venue to be advised soon by e-mail. Contact Ceri on 029 20756801.

Friday 28th Dec - Tuesday 1st January - New Year at NT Exmoor Base Camp

1 mile east of Lynton & Lynmouth a lovely stone building in Countisbury, with all usual mod cons for a bunkhouse. A pub is within walk distance of the bunkhouse. Plans are for at 3 walks and a pub meal Sunday evening & a New Year's Eve Party. Only a few places left, book now to avoid disappointment. Contact Katherine T for details on 029 20881572

Forthcoming events

Thursday 20th to Sunday 23rd March - Easter at Kettlewell YHA

Sue has decided to take the plunge and organise The Cog Easter weekend next year. She has booked the Y.H. in Kettlewell in the Yorkshire Dales. Kettlewell is a pretty little village in the heart of the Yorkshire Dales. The possibilities for walking are endless. Demanding walks such as Great Whernside or Ingleborough are within easy reach. Also gentler walks in the dales or to see the impressive waterfalls at Ingleton. For further details contact Sue on 029 20747192

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