

January 2011 Cardiff Outdoor Group



walking weekends away back-packing cycling evenings out

- Saturday 8th **Bloreng, Mynydd Garnlochdy Walk ●●●** - 14 quality miles that take in the dramatic Bloreng north face, the eastern ridge of the Llwyd valley and the wooded slopes above the Breconshire canal, returning to Llanfoist. Bring Packed lunch & torch required. Contact Steve B on 07812 586949 or stevebees13@yahoo.co.uk
- Wednesday 12th **Talk** by Luned Jones, Media & PR Manager for Oxfam in Wales. Luned has recently returned from flood-stricken Pakistan. Chapter Arts Centre at 7.30pm – Media Point.
- Sunday 16th **Taffs Trail Riverside Ramble ●** - Walk from Llandaff North to Cardiff (possible as far as the Bay). We will be stopping for refreshments in Bute Park. Meet at Queen Street Station at 9.50am, train leaves at 9.58am for Llandaff North. Train fare cost £2.20. If we walk as far as the bay we will get the train back to Queen Street Station. Contact Katherine T on 029 20881572 for details.
- Wednesday 19th **Skittle Night** - Join Katherine at the Birchgrove Pub in North Cardiff at 8pm for a game of skittles. To end we will have a game of killer at a cost of £1, winner takes all. Please contact Katherine on 029 20881572 for details.
- Sunday 23rd **Wye Valley Walk ●●** - A circular walk of about 7-8 miles from Monmouth to the Boat Inn at Redbrook. There will be an opportunity to buy lunch at the Boat otherwise BPL. Meet Chapter at 9.30 or Monmouth 10.30am Contact Brian on 029 20494645.
- Tuesday 25th **Pudding Evening** – Bring along your favorite homemade pudding and your fellow pudding makers will give marks out of 10. Prize for the person with the highest overall score! Also if you'd prefer not to make anything that's fine, you can come along to taste and score only. Venue will be confirmed at a later date. Please let the organizer, Chris L., know if you will be bringing along a pudding. Contact Chris L on 029 20238576 or email chrislewis2007@fsmail.net.
- Sunday 30th **Clytha Castle Walk ●●** - 6 mile tiptoe through the snowdrops, a Gothic folly, ancient fortifications and one of the finest little churches in Gwent as well as woods and rivers. Starting from the NT Car Park at 10.30am (Grid ref 362085). This is on the road from Bettwys Newydd to Clytha, approx. half a mile south of the junction with the A40. BPL. Meet at Chapter 9.30am. Please contact Liz L 029 20700093 or e-mail law@lizlawrence.wanadoo.co.uk - **See picture above.**

We are looking for ideas/volunteers for the weekends away next year for Easter and the May Bank Holidays, please contact Steve on 07812 586949, if you would like to arrange a weekend away.



For more details, contact:

Jane (Chair) 029 20402571
Bob G. (Membership) 029 20204165

Fancy organizing a walk, a weekend, or an event? Please contact the programme organizers below. Your ideas are very welcome:

Weekends: Steve B & **Tuesdays:** Amanda
E-mail them at the address below:
programmes@cardiffoutdoorgroup.org.uk

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

Meeting point for Sunday walks:

Chapter main entrance, Market Road, Canton, Cardiff, CF5 1QE.

Meeting point for Tuesdays

In the autumn and winter, this is at Chapter Arts Centre, unless otherwise stated.

Walk grading:

- easy
 - moderate
 - strenuous
 - very strenuous
- BPL** = bring a packed lunch

New members always welcome www.cardiffoutdoorgroup.org.uk for details