

AGM Report The following new committee members were elected. Ramble Organisers - Mario Di Bratto & Paul Harvey, General Member - Marie Leeke. The remaining existing committee members were re-elected. The club would like to thank the retiring committee members - Joan Yarwood, Pete Winby & Keith Nowell for their work over many years on the committee. Phil Boulton agreed at a recent committee meeting to continue as Vice-Chairman for 2009/10. **Membership Renewals** - these were due at the AGM. If there are any members who have still not renewed, a renewal form is attached to this newsletter.



From your committee

- (1) We are revising the membership card to bring it in line with current practice.
- (2) At the AGM, concern was raised that e-mail members did not receive a 'printed' walk card. We agree that e-mail members can have a 'printed' walk card, provided they notify the Membership Secretary at their membership renewal (a tick box will be included on the renewal form). As renewals have just passed, we will accept an e-mail request to the e-mail address at the bottom of this newsletter. **We need to know this asap for the printing requirements of the next walk card.**
- (3) **DRAFT** minutes for the 2009 AGM are now published on the Club web site and will be circulated on coach walks

General Information

Nerja 10th - 24th March 2009 - Joan Yarwood -

Our trip to Nerja turned out to be a bit more exciting than expected! We tested airport security (Rocky), hospital emergency services (Gordon), accident procedures (Ken Riley & Kath), and last, but not least, mountain rescue (Sylvia Gregory). In spite of such privations, we managed to have a wonderful two weeks with almost continual sunshine. We explored some magnificent Andalucian countryside, danced 'til the early hours and refreshed ourselves in the pool. We even adopted a donkey. Many thanks to all who led walks and to those good Samaritans who gave up their time to help.

Finally, thanks to Keith Hallows who thought up the idea and did all the preliminary admin work.

Letter from Sylvia 'Peg Leg' Gregory

I would like to say a big 'thank you' to all who were involved with my unfortunate incident while in Spain. I could not have been with a more helpful group of people. Those who rushed down to get help, those who stayed with me and those who helped me afterwards.

And Marie, bless her, had to look after me for the rest of the week - what a friend! Apart from this I had a really wonderful holiday and thanks again to you all.

PS I am staying with my daughter in Wolverhampton until I can put my foot down again.

Walks Activities

Chamois Weekend 18th - 20th September 2009 - A booking form for this year's Chamois is attached, this should be returned to John Fuller no later than 31st July 2009. Please note that a minimum of 10 people are required for the booking.

Notice for Ramble Leaders: To help their drivers the coach company is increasingly asking us for more information about rambles. They require precise start & finish points, coach parking locations, if possible, and a mobile contact number for the Sunday morning (this in the unlikely event of a problem with the coach prior to pick-up). The committee therefore requests all 3 ramble leaders to liaise with each other to agree arrangements and nominate one leader as the main contact. The nominated leader must advise the Ramble Organisers of the above details at least 2 weeks prior to the date of the ramble. This can be done on the coach on the preceding ramble or by telephone.

2009 Summer/Autumn and Evening Walks Programme There are still a number of leaders required. Please look at the proposed programmes on page 2. The Sunday programme needs the minimum of all destinations to be complete by early May to enable coach quotes to be obtained, so members' co-operation is required in completing this task. These dates are also published on the club web site, where the information is updated regularly.

Anyone interested in leading a ramble can either fill in the appropriate board on the coach or contact the Ramble Organisers. Experienced leaders are always available to help new leaders in their tasks, so don't be shy to ask!

'C' Walks - A full 'C' walk programme in the next quarter:

12th Apr	Caergwrle	- Joan Yarwood
26th Apr	Parsley Hay	- Grace Harding
24th May	Bakewell	- Jan & Phil Boulton
7th Jun	Llangollen	- Cindy Johnson
21st Jun	Whalley	- Joe Taylor

Please note that 'C Walks are often added to the programme at short notice and are usually announced on the coach on a previous walk, updates can also be found on the Web Site.

Club Late Spring 2009 Holiday - Patterdale, Lake District - Organised by Grace Harding 10th - 15th May 2009. 38 people have booked for this holiday, joining details will be supplied by Grace nearer the holiday.

Club Late Spring 2010 Holiday - Gilsland, Cumbria - Organised by Grace Harding 10th-14th May 2010. (4 nights) This has just been provisionally booked - details of prices and room availability are yet to be confirmed and will be provided at a later date.

Future Club Weekends/Breaks - we do not have a volunteer to organise an Autumn 2009 holiday/break., therefore the next organised break will be Gilsland in Spring 2010. A number of options for the Autumn 2010 week/weekend break are being reviewed. Other suggestions from members will be welcomed.

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CREWE & NANTWICH RAMBLING CLUB MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM 2009/10
Current subscriptions - Adult £8.00 Senior Citizen £6.00 Junior (u18) £4.00

I/We wish/do not wish to renew my/our membership

Name(s)..... Address.....

Tel Confirm E-mail address.....

As a E-mail subscriber I wish to receive a PRINTED WALK CARD Yes or No - please circle

Signature/s..... I/We enclose £..... cash/cheque

Please return to the Membership Secretary ,Phil Boulton 8 Algreave Close, Middlewich, CW10 0NL

PLEASE MAKE ALL CHEQUES PAYABLE TO: CREWE & NANTWICH RAMBLING CLUB



CHAMOIS WEEKEND 18th, 19th & 20th SEPTEMBER 2009

Please reserve places @ £16 per person. I/We enclose a total of £.....

Names..... Tel No.....

Address.....

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Please return to:
John Fuller, 11 Meadowvale Close, Nantwich. CW5 5YB no later than 31st July 2009.
Please make cheques payable to: 'Crewe & Nantwich Rambling Club'



2009 SUMMER/AUTUMN & EVENING WALK CARDS - LEADERS REQUIRED FOR BLANK SLOTS

2009	PICK-UP	LOCATION	A	B	C
Jul 5	N	BUXTON	C WALKER	H NOTTINGHAM	A & J SIDDONS
Jul 19	C	ABER WALES	J FULLER		
Aug 2	N	ILAM		P VAWDREY	
Aug 16	C	CHURCH STRETTON	M DI BRATTO	H NOTTINGHAM	M HACKLING
Aug 30	C	CERRIGGDRUDION	A MILLS		
Sep 13	N	HAYFIELD	P & M HARVEY		
Sep 27	C	LLANBERIS	P TUDOR	P DAWSON	
Oct 11	N	TO BE DECIDED		D TAYLOR	
Oct 25	N	HARTINGTON - HOT POT		D & L LANGFORD	
Nov 8	?	TO BE DECIDED			
Nov 22	?	TO BE DECIDED			
Dec 6	?	TO BE DECIDED			
Dec 20		NO RAMBLE			
Dec 26		BOXING DAY RAMBLE			

2009	START POINT - EVENING WALKS	LEADER
May 7	THE CROWN - GOOSTREY	PHIL BOULTON
May 21		
Jun 4	PUB NOT NAMED - WOORE	PETER & JOYCE DAWSON
Jun 18	BLEEDING WOLF - SCHOLAR GREEN	BARBARA WATERS
Jul 2	THE WHITE LION - WYBUNBURY	CLIFF WALKER
Jul 16		
Jul 30		
Aug 13	PUB NOT NAMED- AUDLEM	COLIN WALLEY