

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING INFORMATION**

Wednesday 1st February 2016 at 7.30 pm, St Luke's Church Hall, Coppice Road, Willaston, please make every effort to attend and support the club.

**Complimentary cheese & wine & other refreshments will be provided after the close of the AGM, enabling members to socialise & relax. Please note that there is ample car parking behind the Church Hall - beware of muddy ground - as well as on the roadside.**



**Conduct of AGM** This is run on a strict agenda without any open AOB. However, members can submit items/issues for the agenda, provided they are with the Minute Secretary - Stuart Watkinson - **at least one week** before the AGM. Please be in your place before 7.30 pm to ensure a prompt start. The AGM agenda will be pre-circulated to members - e-mail, coach etc.

**2015 AGM Minutes** - A copy of these minutes is on the club web site. Copies will also be circulated on coach walks prior to the AGM. Members without Internet access can contact Stuart Watkinson for a printed copy of both the minutes and the AGM Agenda

**Committee member nomination form** Members considering roles on the Committee should complete the form below and secure the signature of a current member agreeing to nominate them. The form must be returned to the Correspondence Secretary - Kath Conroy - **at least one week** before the AGM.

**Committee matters** - All Committee posts are open, some Committee Members may wish to continue, the Chairman, Correspondence Secretary and a Ramble Organiser post are

definitely vacant. Thanks to those people who have fulfilled these roles in recent years. Please ensure that you get a nomination signature for any post for which you want to apply - see attached form. Even Members wanting to carry on in their existing posts should do this. We are always looking for fresh blood on the Committee and there are some vacant minor posts - a good opportunity to learn The tasks are not onerous and there is plenty of help and advice available.

**Membership Renewals** - due at the AGM. The committee has agreed a **standard fee of £9 for all Adult members & £4 for Junior members (u18), Life Membership costs £90.** All current members are encouraged to submit their renewals to Ruth Beach using the attached form before the AGM. Membership renewals can now be made by Bank Transfer/Standing Order Sort Code 20-24-09 A/C No 43880524, please quote your name as reference.

Renewals will be accepted at the AGM, but only prior to the start of the AGM - receipts being issued at a later date.

**Members not using Bank Transfer/Standing Order must use the attached form for audit purposes.**

**Items from recent Committee Meeting & General Information**

**First Aid Course** - this is taking place on 30th January at Jubilee House, ASDA Car Park, from 0900 to 1600. 12 members are confirmed to attend this event, there are 3 more available places, if you are interested please in one of these places, please contact Kath Conroy asap.

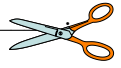
**Map & Compass Event** - we plan to hold this in the summer months - more information in a later newsletter

**Xmas Dinner 2016** - this event was well attended and enjoyed by all, Thanks to Bryan & Joyce Clydesdale & others for all the background work.

**Reminiscence** - Grace Harding has organised this for 9th February 2017 12.00 for 12.30 at The Rising Sun, Middlewich Road.

**Ilfracombe Holiday** - The balance due for this holiday must be paid by 20th February 2017 - make your cheques payable to "Star Travel". A walk planning meeting at The Hawk in Haslington has been arranged for 2nd February 2017 at 1930 in an upper room at no charge. Please call at the bar to buy a drink on your way to the room. There is a clash of dates between this holiday and the Sunday Walking Programme, so the Walk at Bollington on 30th April 2017 will be a Car Ramble with only one walk, details to be announced at a later date

**CREWE & NANTWICH RAMBLING CLUB - COMMITTEE NOMINATION FORM - 2016/17**  
Please return to the Correspondence Secretary **at least one week prior to the AGM**



Chairman	.....	Ramble Organiser 2	.....
Vice-Chairman	.....	General Committee 1	.....
Treasurer	.....	General Committee 2	.....
Correspondence Sec	.....	General Committee 3	.....
Minutes Sec	.....	General Committee 4	.....
Membership Sec	.....	General Committee 5	.....
Newsletter Editor	.....	Auditor	.....
Ramble Organiser 1	.....		

Signature of member making nomination(s).....Date.....



**CREWE & NANTWICH RAMBLING CLUB MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM 2017/18**  
**Current subscriptions - Adult £9.00 Junior (u18) £4.00**



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

Tel ..... Confirm E-mail address.....  
 I/We wish/do not wish to renew my/our membership

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

Please return to the Treasurer - Ruth Beach, 5 Heathfield Close, Nantwich, Cheshire CW5 6ER

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

**To pay by Bank Transfer/Standing Order - Use Sort Code 20-24-09 A/C No 4388053 and include your name as a reference**



**APPEAL FOR WALK LEADERS**

The current programme is still short of 12 leaders, see below, please come forward and help your club.  
 Ask not what this club can do for me, ask what you can do for this club! Apologies to JFK!

2017 WINTER – SPRING SUNDAY WALK PROGRAM								
WALK LEADERS WILL RECEIVE AN EXPENSES PAYMENT FOR LEADING A WALK AND WILL NOT HAVE TO PAY THE COACH FARE FOR THE WALK THEY LEAD.								
DATE	PICK-UP	WALK START LOCATION	AREA	GRADE	C ORL	WALK LEADERS	TIME	DST
08-01-17	N	ALDERLEY EDGE	N	A		# RUTH BEACH	0.42	28.0
				B		RICHARD FARRALL		
				C		GRAHAM GROCOTT		
22-01-17	C	CHIRK	S	A		PHIL MELLOR	1.05	39.0
				B		KEITH SHAW		
				C		CAROL DAVENPORT		
05-02-17	C	CHURCH STRETTON	S	A		YVONNE MASON & RUTH BEACH	1.24	50.0
				B				
				C		#STUART WATKINSON		
19-02-17	N	CANNOCK CHASE	S	A			1.11	47.0
				B				
				C		# CAROL DAVENPORT		
05-03-17	C	LLANGOLLEN	S	A		# PHIL MELLOR	1.11	41.0
				B				
				C		BARBARA WATERS		
19-03-17	C	LICHFIELD	S	A	L	# BRYAN ROE	1.17	62.0
				B	C	RICHARD FARRALL		
				C		MARILYN NORBURY		
02-04-17	C	LLANYMYNECH	S	A			1.26	45.0
				B	C	# KEITH SHAW		
				C	C	HOWARD GIBSON		
16-04-17	N	MACCLESFIELD FOREST	E	A		YVONNE MASON	0.57	58.0
				B		# MAURICE DRAKE		
				C		GRAHAM GROCOTT		
30-04-17	N	BOLLINGTON	E	A		# PHIL MELLOR	1.00	33.0
				B				
				C		STUART WATKINSON		
14-05-17	N	DERBYSHIRE DALES	E	A		# RUTH BEACH	1.39	50.0
				B				
				C				
28-05-17	N	SHUTLINGSLOE TEGGS NOSE COUNTRY PARK MACCLESFIELD SK11 0AP	E	A		MARIO DIBRATTO	1.00	32.0
				B				
				C		# JOHN CHAMBERS		
11-06-17	N	WHALLEY	N	A			1.34	75.0
				B		# PETER WINBY		
				C		M.JACKSON		
25-06-17	N	HEBDEN BRIDGE	N	A			1.54	73.0
				B				
				C	C	# MARILYN NORBURY		