

Eugene Haddon Peet

Recently we mourned the passing of Eugene, just short of his 80th birthday, a long standing member of the club. His funeral at St Mary's Catholic Church, Crewe on 17th June was well attended by both members of this club and PALLGO as well as many friends and well wishers.



From your committee

- (1) Update of the membership card (not the walk card!) to bring it in line with current practice is almost complete.
- (2) A reminder to all members that they **should not board the coach with 'dirty' footwear (boots, shoes etc)**.
- (3) Notice to walk leaders - if you incur parking charges during 'reccying' of a walk, they will be refunded on production of the car park ticket (once only though!!)

General Information

Skittles Evening - 17th April 2009 - Jan Boulton -

On the 17th April at the Bickerton Poacher, 32 members came along to enjoy a night of a carvery and old fashioned traditional skittles. Eight teams of 4 battled it out, the overall winners were Frodsham led by Dave Langford. The best player overall with a score of 22 was Donald Mills.

Hopefully this will become an annual event, so if you missed the fun this time, make sure you come along to the next one. Watch this space.

Sponsorship of London Marathon - thanks to all members who supported Joanne Cox (Beryl Warrington's daughter), who completed the run in 5hrs 23 mins & 1 sec! Club members will have contributed around £250 towards Jo's target of £1800 for Macmillan Cancer Support in memory of her late father Mike.

Spring Holiday - 10th -15th May 2009 - Patterdale, Lake District - Grace Harding . 38 people enjoyed this holiday.

The weather was very good and the Hotel was very helpful and people also enjoyed good food!

Monday - Keswick - 'B' party led by Harry & Grace did Latrigg Fell via the old railway track and Brundholme and winding their way back to Keswick.

Tuesday - from the Hotel - 'A' party led by John did Striding Edge to Helvellyn returning to the hotel via Squirrel Edge. 'B' party led by Harry & Grace did Brotherswater and Hartsop to Side Farm and back to Patterdale.

Wednesday - Ambleside - 'A' party led by John walked from Kirkstone Inn up Storey Cove Pike & Thornthwaite Beacon onto High Street and back to Patterdale. 'B' party - led by Peter & Mavis did Loughrigg Terrace & Fell.

Thursday - Most people took the coach trip to Windermere, Bowness & Grasmere, a few doing their own walks.

There were various 'C' party walks on most days managed by Sybil, Phil & Jan. Thanks are due to all leaders and anyone who helped make the holiday a success.

Club Late Spring 2010 Holiday - Gilsland, Brampton, Cumbria - Organised by Grace Harding 10th-14th May 2010. (4 nights Dinner, bed & breakfast)

By special request, we have booked this hotel again being suitable for 'A', 'B' & 'C' walks, as well as non-walkers. From the hotel there are excellent views of the village of Gilsland and the surrounding countryside, including Hadrian's Wall. All bedrooms are en-suite with colour TV. There is entertainment every evening, including some dancing - also there is Croquet, a Putting Green and a Bowling Green. The hotel is set in 140 acres of Park & Woodland. The cost is £240 per person in twin/double rooms & £260 per person in single rooms, all coach travel by Happy Days Executive coach is included. Our allocation is 11 twin, 11 double & 6 single rooms on a first come first served basis. The price includes 2 trips by coach to facilitate walks further afield and provide non-walkers with other opportunities. The driver will have 1 day off, we may use the local bus service that day.

A non-returnable deposit of £25 per person plus £12 per person optional travel insurance is required . The balance will be due 3 months before the date of travel. Please complete the attached form and return to Grace Harding by 28th August 2009

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.

Hot Pot Ramble 25th October 2009 - This must be pre-booked A booking form is attached which should be returned to Dave Langford as soon as possible. Members wishing to attend just the Hot Pot should discuss this with Dave Langford..

Summer/Autumn 2009 Walk Programme - there are still some gaps for leaders, see bottom of page 2.

Winter/Spring 2010 Walk Programme - this is now circulating on coach walks awaiting offers from members to lead walks. If you would like to lead a walk, but need help in planning etc, there are plenty of experienced members who would be glad to help.

'C' Walks in the next quarter:

19th Jul Aber - Ken Elkins

16th Aug Church Stretton - Maurice Hackling

30th Aug Cerrigdruidon - Keith Nowell

27th Sep Llanberris - Joan Yarwood

11th Oct Hathersage - Pete Winby

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.

Future Club Weekends/Breaks - The next organised break will be Gilsland in Spring 2010 - see above. A number of options for the Autumn 2010 break are being reviewed. The committee would also welcome any suggestions from members for future breaks.

Newsletter - July 2009

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'

CLUB HOLIDAY - GILSLAND, CUMBRIA - MON 10TH - FRI 14TH MAY 2010

Please reserve places @ £25 Deposit per person. Room requirements - Double/Twin/Single

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

Address.....

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Optional Travel insurance required @ £12 per person YES/NO I/We enclose a total of £.....

Please return by 28th August 2009 to:

Miss Grace Harding, 'Towyn' 333 Crewe Road, Gresty, Crewe, Cheshire CW2 5AD

Please make cheques payable to: 'Crewe & Nantwich Rambling Club'

IMPORTANT - If not taking the optional travel insurance, please supply the following information:

Your Travel Insurance Company:.....Policy Number.....

Contact Name/Next of Kin..... Contact Tel no

HOT POT WALK - HARTINGTON 25th OCTOBER 2009

Please reserve places @ £15 per person (incl coach fare). I/We enclose a total of £.....

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

Address.....

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Please return to:

David Langford, 26 Greenfield Avenue, Shavington, CW2 5HQ as soon as possible

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
Aug 2	N	LLANGOLLEN	B WARRINGTON	K RILEY	
Aug 30	C	CERRIGGDRUDION	A MILLS		K NOWELL
Sep 13	N	HAYFIELD	P & M HARVEY		
Nov 8	N	COOMBES EDGE	P & M HARVEY	P BOULTON	
Nov 22	C	WENLOCK	M PARR	M NORBURY	
Dec 6	N	HARTINGTON MINCE PIE WALK		P BOULTON & P THORPE	J BOULTON & M THORPE
Dec 26		BOXING DAY RAMBLE		N/A	N/A