



Crewe and Nantwich Rambling Club

(Founded in 1946)



Newsletter January 2024

<https://creweandnantwichramblingclub.org.uk>

Welcome to the spring newsletter. In addition to reporting on our recent committee meeting, we focus on our forthcoming AGM and supply an updated calendar of walks and events for the first half of 2024.

Please email me with suggestions and improvements; see you on the next walk.

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Committee Meeting News 18th Jan

The current membership stands at 120; this excludes 8 guests who are yet to join the club.

Whilst coach losses continue to mount, the attendance of 50 ramblers on the Marple Bridge yielded a long overdue profit of £ 74. A review of club actions arising when coach capacity is exceeded highlighted the need for volunteer car drivers at Nantwich and Crewe prepared to transport ramblers. Bryan Clydesdale offered to provide additional transport at Nantwich; John Moreton is seeking out a Crewe pickup volunteer car driver.

Agreement was reached to continue outbound segregation of "A" walker's rucksacks in the forward luggage compartment. Other "A" walker expediting measures involve their walk leader providing advanced notification of pending destination arrival. The need to corral "A" walkers in forward coach seating is no longer necessary.

The Boxing Day walk at Ash was attended by 12 members; all deemed the event very successful.

Agreement on the forthcoming AGM Agenda was achieved. The agenda has been emailed to members and published on the website. This will be revised in February to include additional member sponsored items.

Since our last publication we have witnessed the sad passing away of two former club members: Margaret Harvey and Brian Wrench.

Twelve members have expressed an interest in attending a walking weekend at the Elan Valley Lodge. A list of available dates will shortly be distributed to interested members.

Whilst the narrow boat cruise through the Harecastle Tunnel Canal was discussed, the trip has since been confirmed and added to the club events diary. Indeed, Marilyn now has a waiting list!

Kath Conroy has secured a 10% discount on merchandise purchased from Craghoppers (Bridgemere Garden Centre) upon presentation of a club membership card.

The 2024 Club Holiday at Eastbourne & South Downs National Park now has 38 guests. Final payments are now due.

Crewe and Nantwich Rambling Club 2024 AGM

The forthcoming AGM takes place on 13th February (7pm) at the Brittles Pavilion (Wistaston Sports and Leisure Association, Church Lane, Crewe, CW2 8EZ). All members are welcome to attend.

The AGM agenda includes:

1. Receiving a report from the Chair on the Clubs activities over the year.
2. Receiving a report from the Treasurer on the finances of the Club.
3. Electing a new Club Committee.
4. AOB

The full AGM Agenda can be found at:

<http://tinyurl.com/CNRC-AGMAgenda2024> and the minutes from the 2023 AGM are located at: <http://tinyurl.com/CNRC-AGMmins2023>

Club Membership

New members can register their interest in the club by contacting Brenda Farrall (07818 495915) or via email to CNRC.Membership@gmail.com.

For further information about the Crewe and Nantwich Rambling Club, please email

CNRC.Information@gmail.com

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Club Events Diary

Date	Event
13 Feb 24	Club AGM – The Brittles.
4 Mar 24	Reminisce Lunch Coach & Horses at Bradfield Green. Meet at 12.00 to order for 1pm. Please phone Marilyn 01270 661640 to confirm attendance.
14 Mar 24	Committee Meeting. Please submit meeting agenda items to Bryan Clydesdale at cnrcchairman@gmail.com .
14-20 Apr 24	Club Holiday - Eastbourne & South Downs National Park
7 May 24	Harecastle Tunnel Narrow Boat Trip: Meeting at the Heritage Narrow Boat Yard, in Scholar Green ST7 3JZ by 12.00 in time to be bussed into Etruria prior to a canal cruise back.
30 May 24	Bowls (Peter Winby)
19 Sep 2024	Skittles (Peter Winby)

Sunday Coach Walk Calendar

(See <https://creweandnantwichramblingclub.org.uk/wp/walks/sunday-coach-walks/> for latest updates)

Date	Location	A Leader	B Leader	C Leader
04/02/24	Whaley Bridge	Phil Mellor	Mike Leydon	Bryan Clydesdale
18/02/24	Willaston the Wirral	Leader Required	Bryan Roe	John chambers
03/03/24	Hartington	Leader required	Ruth Beach	Tony Whiffen
17/03/24	Holywell	Leader required	John Moreton	Leader required
31/03/24 (BST Starts)	Additional walk destinations and leaders are most welcome. Please contact John Moreton.			
14/04/24	Frodsham (Car Walk)	Ruth Beach		
28/04/24	Ashbourne	Phil Mellor	Leader Required	Leader Required
12/05/24	Additional walk destinations and leaders are most welcome. Please contact John Moreton.			
26/05/24	Hathersage	Leader required	Esther Williams	Leader required
09/06/24	Additional walk destinations and leaders are most welcome. Please contact John Moreton.			
23/06/24	Long Distant Walk: Malham and Skipton	Leader required	Michael Taylor	Marilyn Norbury & Kath Conroy

Thursday Morning Walks – Approx. 4 miles

(See <https://creweandnantwichramblingclub.org.uk/wp/walks/thursday-walks/> for latest updates)

Contact Peter Johnson (01270 664365 / 07818 840714 for further information)

Date	Destination	Leader
08.02.24	Nantwich the Globe CW5 7EA	Carol Brown
07.03.24	The Broughton arms Rode Heath ST7 3RU	John Moreton
04.04.24	Calveley Mill Cafe CW6 9JW	Graham Grocott
02.05.24	Wrenbury	Bill Pearson
30.05.24	Bowls	Peter Winby
27.06.24	TBC	Howard Gibson
19.09.24	Skittles	Peter Winby

