THE AN OIGE HILLWALKERS CLUB

HARD HIKE PROGRAMME FOR FEBRUARY 1993

FOR HIKES LISTED BELOW

Meet:

Outside the Irish Press Office, Burgh Quay.

Time:

10.00a.m. Bus leaves at 10.15am sharp.

Bring:

Rainwear, flask, Sandwiches, Torch and Reflective Armbands.

Wear:

Hiking Bootsonly RUNNERS NOT ALLOWED

Transport:

Private Bus @ £4.00 per head - no commuter - no dogs.

NOTE

Leaders have the right to refuse to take anyone who is not adequately equipped. Our Liaison Officers, David Rooney (H) 311844 or Pat Heffernan (H) 8471287 will be glad to answer any queries.

Sunday 7th February 1993

Circuit of Glenbride - 12 miles

Leader: Liam Reinhardt

Sunday 14th February 1993

The Six Hills - Glendoo - Pine Forest

14 miles

Leader: Gerry Brady

Sunday 21st February 1993

Keadeen-Slieve Mann - Lug - Cannow - Camenabologue - Table Track -

Stranahealy Wood - 14 miles introductory hard hike for moderate walkers

Leader: Martin Fagan

Sunday 28th February 1993

Laragh - Paddock Hill - Scar - Glenmacnass - Mall Hill -Brockagh - Laragh

10 miles

Leader: Joe Gilvarry

A TRAINING COURSE IN MAP AND COMPASS

Tuesday 16th February 1993 and

Tuesday 23rd February 1993 - Meet at 8.00pm. at An Oige, Mountjoy Street.

For those booked on course please bring Notebook, Pen, Sheet 56 Wicklow Map and Silva Type 4 Compass.

February 26th-28th 1993 MAP AND COMPASS TRAINING WEEKEND

Staying in Glendalough Hostel.

Depart Liberty Hall 8.00p.m. Transport by Mini-bus

Only those booked on course should attend this weekend

TOTAL COST OF COURSE - £40.00 Includes Transport and Overnights For Weekend.

Contact Deirdre Ni Choileain to book on course - Tel: 8423656

WALKING WEEKEND IN THE GALTEE MOUNTAINS

February 12th - 14th 1993

Centred at Ballydavid Wood Y.H.

Leader: Tommy Grainger

If interested ring the leader Tel: 8472943 (H)

VALENTINES SOCIAL

13th February 1993 - Valentine's Eve Fund Raising Event
Tickets £10.00 may be bought in An Oige, Mountjoy Street, by Visa, Cheque or Cash.

WALKING WEEKEND IN THE MOURNE MOUNTAINS

19-21st March 1993

Centred at Newcastle Y.H. £20.00 non-refundable Deposit to be paid when booking in the An Oige Office, Mountjoy Street. Approx. Cost of Weekend - £40.00 to include Transport and 2 Overnights.

Leader: Martin Fagan

WALKING WEEKEND IN KILLARNEY - EASTER WEEKEND

April 8th-13th 1993

Weekend suitable to all moderate and hard walkers. Further details available in the March Programme.

Leaders: Tony Crean 2920076 (home) or 7043510 (work) Joe Gilvarry 574636 (home)

Total Cost: £105.00 to include Transport, 5 Overnights and Meals Deposit £30.00, Non-refundable. Book at Head Office.

WALKING TRIP TO THE LAKE DISTRICT - EASTER WEEKEND

April 8th-13th

Staying at Patterdale, Grasmere and Longthwaite hostels.

Leaders: Ita O'Hanlon Tel. (H) 310571 and Margaret D'Arcy Tel (H) 305929 Cost: £220.00 (Depending on the rate of exchange of sterling this price may be lowered). Deposit: £75.00 - non returnable and Balance to be paid on or before 8th March

Cost includes: Transport, accommodation-4 overnights in Hostels, breakfast and evening meal in Youth Hostels and meal on return journey from Lake District to H.Head.

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WALKING WEEKEND TO KERRY - EASTER 1993

The organised walks will be targeted at experienced moderate and hard walkers. Participants will be expected to walk at a moderate pace for about 6 hours/12 miles duration over mainly trackless terrain. The trip is particularly suitable for experienced walkers based in Limerick or Cork.

Walks planned to include:

- Ridge of the Reeks,
- Mangerton and the Devils Punchbowl,
- Brandon ridge,
- Purple and Toomies ridge,
- Paps.

The walks planned include all the Irish Munroes excluding Galtymore and Lugnaquilla. These walks are subject to suitable weather conditions. Alternative low level walks along the Kerry Way will be organised should weather conditions make it unsafe to do the proposed high level walks.

What to bring:

- An Oige membership card,
- Walking boots (no wellingtons/runners allowed),
- Change of clothes and hiking socks,
- Waterproof jacket and overtrousers,
- Warm clothing (no jeans on the hills),
- Gloves and balaclava/woolen hat,
- Suntan lotion/nivea,
- Flask, teabags/coffee and dried milk,
- Sheet sleeping bag.

Cost:

There will be two costs depending upon whether or not you wish to be supplied with meals in Killarney.

Cost (excluding meals)

£55

This includes all transport from Dublin to Killarney return as well as to the start of and collection from the end of the walks each day. It also includes **five overnights** at Killarney International Hostel (Aghadoe House).

Cost (including meals & packed lunches)

€105

This includes all transport from Dublin to Killarney return as well as to the start of and collection from the end of the walks each day. It also includes **five overnights** as well as full Irish breakfast, packed lunch and evening meal each day at Killarney International Hostel (Aghadoe House).

Booking

£30 non refundable booking deposit. Balance to be paid to An Oige head office no later than Thursday, 1st April 1993. Payment may be made by credit card. Please indicate at time of booking whether you require meals or not. Also, if taking meals, whether you require vegetarian/standard.

Please leave your home/office phone no with office when booking.

Departure and return

Bus will depart Liberty Hall, Dublin on **Thursday**, 8th April 1993 at 6.00 pm sharp. The bus will collect interested people at Limerick Youth Hostel at 8.30 pm. The bus will arrive back in Dublin at 10.00 pm approx on Tuesday, 13th April 1993.

Leaders

Home phone n., 2820076

Tony Crean Joe Gilvary Dave Rooney