



An Oige Hillwalkers Club February 1997

MEET: Outside the Irish Press Offices, Burgh Quay.
TIME: Sundays 10.00 am. **COST:** £5.00 return, (unless otherwise stated).

NOTE: The leader has the right to refuse anyone who is not adequately equipped. On the day of the hike, the leader may extend, curtail or alter the route in any way from that described in the programme.

The leader sets the pace of the hike and walkers are expected to obey his/her instructions at all times.

NOTE TO LEADERS: THERE IS A FIRST AID KIT ON THE BUS
**WALKIE TALKIES MUST BE USED ON ALL HIKES, PLEASE
BRING THEM WITH YOU.**

SUNDAY 02nd February

Route: Pier Gates, Lugalla, Military Road, Djouce,
Tonduff, Maulin, Crone Wood.

Leader: *Brian Madigan*

SUNDAY 09th February

Route: Circuit of Glendalough

Leader: *Dave Rooney*

SUNDAY 16th February **Introductory Hard Hike**

Route: Rockbrook to Enniskerry

Leaders: *Frankie Comerford*

SUNDAY 23rd February

Route: Camara Hill, Lug, Slievemann, Ballincedan, Keadeen

Leader: *Martin Fagan.*

SUNDAY 02nd March

Route: Wicklow Gap to Sally Gap

Leader: *Pronsiac Mac An Bheatha*

THE YOUNG HILLWALKERS CLUB

Saturday Hikes

Saturday 08th February Glencullen to Curtlestown
Saturday 08th March Dublin Hills

Please note that this is the final programme for any members who have not renewed their club membership, the January programme should have been the last one but, we decided to give people time to get their subscriptions in.

Fancy a trip to the Pyrenees?

Martin Fagan is running a private trip to the Pyrenees from 16th - 30th August '97
This will be limited to 20 people, and a meeting for anybody interested will be held
in the International Youth Hostel, Mountjoy Street on 12th February at 8pm

For the **1997 March programme**, any articles or stories should be sent
to the editor at the address below.

**Ger Walsh,
15 Summerfield Avenue,
Blanchardstown,
Dublin 15.**

Easter trip 1997 - Tipperary

(March 27th - March 31st.)

Accommodation: Ballydavid Wood Youth Hostel
Walking in the Galtees, Comeraghs/Slievenamon
suitable for both moderate and hard walkers.

Organiser: *Jim Barry* **Leaders:** *Jim Barry/Kevin Kelly/Dave Rooney*
Joe Kellegher.

Transport: Private coach (**positively no cars**), departing Custom
House Quay on Thursday 27th at 6:30 pm, return to Dublin on
Monday 31st at approximately 8pm

Cost: £50 Adults £45 (under 18's) + £16 for meals (optional)

Book: An Oige head office by paying a **£25.00 non - refundable** deposit
only. Meals can be paid to Jim Barry on the bus but if required should
be requested at time of booking.

Bring: Sufficient food for at least 1 Breakfast and packed Lunch.
Supermarkets nearby. Also bring An Oige membership card, Winter
clothing, rainwear, Torch.

Programme of walks:

- Thursday 27th March Travel to Ballydavid Wood
- Friday 28th March **Lake Muskry Circuit.**
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Greenane, O'Loughlins Castle, Mountain Lodge
13 km, 760 m **JIM BARRY/DAVE ROONEY**
- Saturday 29th March **Comeraghs - Counshingaun Circuit**
Bridge(350116), Counshingaun, Fascoum and
extended circuit (weather and time permitting).
10km, 700m **KEVIN KELLY/JOE KELLEGHHER**
- Sunday 30th March **Galtees Ridge/Glencush Horseshoe.** Sheet 74
Clydagh Bridge (R872280), Cush Galtybeg, Galtymore
12km, 800 m **JIM BARRY/DAVE ROONEY**
- Monday 31st March **Slievenamon Mountain** 8 km, 500m

MARTIN'S TRIP

TO THE CZECH REPUBLIC & POLAND
16/23 MARCH 1997

Holiday includes the following:

- Return flights from Dublin to Prague
- Hotel accommodation at the Holiday Inn, Prague for 4 nights
- Return train tickets from Prague to Krakow
- Hotel accommodation at Hotel Cracovia, Krakow for 3 nights
- Breakfast included in price
- Insurance and government tax

Flight details are:

16th March 1997	Depart	Dublin	EI 604	10.40
	Arrive	Amsterdam		13.10
	Depart	Amsterdam	KL261	14.25
	Arrive	Prague		15.55
23rd March 1997	Depart	Prague	KL260	12.00
	Arrive	Amsterdam		13.30
	Depart	Amsterdam	EI609	18.55
	Arrive	Dublin		19.30

Please check in at Dublin Airport at **8.30am** on the 16th March, and be sure to have an **up to date passport**..

On Wednesday 19 March, travel by train from Prague to Krakow.

Timetable below: Depart Prague 06.06 Arrive Ostrava 10.54
Depart Ostrava 12.57 Arrive Katowice 14.40
Depart Katowice 15.10 Arrive Krakow 16.30

Hotel accommodation at Hotel Cracovia, Krakow for 3 nights

Saturday 22 March, Depart Krakow 06.50 Arrive Katowice 08.05
Depart Katowice 09.15 Arrive Prague 15.35

- Spending Money in Deutsche Mark IR£200 roughly
- Don't forget to bring Warm Clothes

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Czech Republic



Location: Located in the northern part of Prague, just in front of the tram terminus. 15 minutes from the city centre.

Parking: Private parking available at approx. 150 K/day

Nearest underground: Dejvická (green line) 3 minutes away by tram.

Hotel description: Totally renovated building.

250 spacious newly refurbished rooms with bathroom, hairdryer, color TV, direct phone and minibar. Buffet breakfast.

Other services:

- Service desk
- Currency exchange
- Lifts
- Restaurant
- Lobby bar
- Night club
- Fitness room
- Safety deposit boxes free of charge at reception

Comments: Totally renovated and excellent launching prices this winter.

Any queries, contact **Martin Ph: 8553653.**