



November Programme

MEET	Outside the Irish Press Offices, Burgh Quay.
TIME	Sundays, 10,00am.
BRING	Rainwear, flask, sandwiches, torch, reflective armbands and a change of clothes.
WEAR	Hiking boots. RUNNERS NOT ALLOWED.
TRANSPORT	Private bus – Price £5 (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.

- Sunday 6th Nov.* **INTRODUCTORY HARD HIKE**
Route: *Six Hills from Stone Cross to Glencree.*
Leader: *Martin Fagan.*
- Sunday 13th Nov.* **DUBLIN MOUNTAINS**
Route: *Circuit of Glencullen.*
Leader: *Jim Barry.*
- Sunday 20th Nov.* **LUGNAQUILLIA**
Route: *Zig Zags - Cloghernagh - Lugnaquilla -
Cannow - Camenabologue - Glenmalure.*
Leader: *Geraldine McVey.*
- Sunday 27th Nov.* **MULLAGHCLEEVAVUN**
Route: *Sally Gap - Gravale - Duff Hill - Mullaghcleevaun -
Tonelagee - Wicklow Gap.*
Leader: *Dave Rooney.*
- Sunday 4th Dec.* **GLENDALOUGH**
Route: *Knocknacloghoge - Brown Mtn. - Scarr -
Glendalough.*
Leader: *Deirdre Ni Choileain.s*

NOTICE TO CLUB MEMBERS FROM THE AN OIGE HILLWALKERS COMMITTEE

urs is a friendly club. We try to cater for everybody. Lately, however we have lost two hike leaders because members would not follow the hike leaders instructions while on the hills. If this continues we will have no leaders willing to lead hikes. From now on we must insist that everybody keeps to the rules. This is for safety reasons and also to increase everyones enjoyment of the hikes.

Anyone who is not willing to accept this rule is not welcome on our hikes.

TRAINING

BASIC MAP AND COMPASS COURSE

Evening sessions Date: 8 November 1994 Time: 8.00pm.
Date: 22 November 1994 Time: 8.00pm.

Weekends Date: 12 - 13 November 1994
Date: 26 - 27 November 1994

Evening classes will be held in The An Oige Internaitonal YH, Mountjoy Street.

Cost: £60. This fee includes the evening classes and two weekends.

Deposit: £10 non refundable.

Information: For further information contact; Deirdre Ni Choileain at 842 3656 (H).

You will need: For evening sessions - Pen Paper. Map - sheet no 56 (Wicklow area). Compass
(Silva Type 4 compass and not the army type compass).

MAP AND COMPASS WEEKENDS

Weekend No. 1. Date: 12 - 13 November 1994
Depart: 10.00am. Saturday, Liberty Hall.
Cost: Please pay before weekend in An Oige Head Office. Money will not
be collected at evening classes.
Bring: An Oige membership card. Pen. Paper. Compass. Map - sheet 56.
Hiking gear. 1 breakfast, 2 lunches and one dinner to cook in hostel.
Location: Glendalough.

Weekend No. 2. Date: 26 - 27 November 1994
Depart: Friday 7.00p. Liberty Hall.
Bring: Same as for weekend in Glendalough, except bring 2 breakfasts.
Location: Aughavannagh.
Cost: £30. Book in An Oige head office.

WEEKENDS AWAY

Walking in The English Lake District

New Year Weekend 1995

Depart Dublin Thursday morning 29th December 1994, 11.30am. departure from Larne to Stranraer. Return Monday evening, 2nd January 1995, 7.00pm. departure from Stranraer to Larne.

Cost £110 to include car transport based on 4 people sharing ferry and petrol costs, 4 nights full board in High Close YH (near Grasmere). Breakfast, packed lunch, dinner, New Year party with wine/soft drinks included in the cost.

Three days walking will be organised on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. These walks will be suitable for moderate and hard walkers.

We need an idea of numbers interested to confirm accommodation. Anyone interested should ring Tony Crean at 282 0076 after 7.00pm. as soon as possible.

Full amount should be paid to any member of the Hillwalkers committee before 28th November.

HILLWALKERS SATURDAY CLUB
OCTOBER

This club is for young people aged 13 to 16 years and hikes take place on one Saturday of every month. Transport is by local bus / DART - depending on the area in Wicklow the hike is being organised in.

DATE: Saturday 12th November 1994
MEET: Irish Press Office, Burgh Quay.
TIME: 08.45 - Arrive back in Dublin at 18.00 approx.
HIKE ROUTE: Fern Tunnel - Two Rock - Glendoo - Knocknagun - Enniskerry
WHAT TO BRING: Map and compass (if you have them) as mountain navigation training will be given. Waterproof jacket and pull-ups, hat and gloves, packed lunch, flask with hot drink, torch, change of clothes and a rucksack. More details from Dave Rooney at 834 4811 (h) after 7.00pm.

~~*WEAR: HIKING BOOTS AND A TRACK SUIT - DO NOT WEAR JEANS.*~~

SPECIAL NOTICE TO ANYONE BOOKED ON FOR THE SATURDAY CLUB SPECIAL TRAINING WEEKEND BEING HELD ON 5 - 6 NOVEMBER: THE MEETING TIME ON SATURDAY MORNING IS 8.45am. OUTSIDE THE IRISH PRESS OFFICE ON BURGH QUAY.

AN OIGE SOCAI NEWS

Ceili and set dancing classes will be held in September on Wednesday nights between 7.30pm. and 8.30pm in Na Fianna, Mobhi Road. Anyone interested should leave their names in An Oige head office.

For further information on An Oige social events, contact An Oige head office.

SWIMMING: Every Tuesday evening in the ESB Sports-Co., South Lots Road, Ringsend
Between 9.00pm. and 10.00pm. Price: £1.50

PHOTOGRAPHIC GROUP ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER DANCE

This year the party will take place on Saturday, 3rd December 1994 in the Hollybrook Hotel in Clontarf at 8.00pm.

As usual this promises to be the Social Event of the year with Spot Prizes, Raffles and Live Music.

Tickets which are the same price as last year i.e., £17 are now available in Head Office - tel: 830 4555.

Deposits taken on tickets and payment by credit card is acceptable.

This is an opportunity for all the various groups within An Oige to get together.

Looking forward to meeting you all there.

*Marie McDonald
An Oige Photographic Group.*

P.S. Martin Fagan of the Hillwalkers also has tickets for sale.

NOVEMBER PROGRAMME: Articles or notices for inclusion in the December Hillwalker should be sent to Maggie Greaney, 14 York Road, Rathmines, Dublin 6, by 18 November 1994.

Anything received after this date will not be included.

BACK CHAT - the Hillwalkers social column

DON GLEESON - I believe you were seen on the top of Carrantouhill recently! Keep up the good work. Don.

RAYMOND ROCHE - I hope you still have that nice tan. Ray.

OWEN MORONEY - We hope to see you soon, maybe on one of our weekends away.

SPECIAL AN OIGE NOTICE

Election to Council of An Oige.

Nominations to be in by 6th November 1994. Any member who wishes to go forward for election should contact the committee.

MOUNTAIN SAFETY NOTE

As hill walking can sometimes be a hazardous activity, it is requested that any walkers on medication or with a medical condition, inform the leader of their condition before the hike.

LEADERS URGENTLY WANTED

CONTACT MARTIN FAGAN AT 8743082 (H) AFTER 7PM.

MEETING PLACE AT END OF HIKE: THE PALACE BAR, FLEET ST.