



An Oige Hillwalkers Club September 1996

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 01st September

Route: Ballynultagh Gap, Black Hill, Mullaghcleevaughan, East Top
Duff Hill, Gravale, Carrigvore, Sally Gap.
Leaders: Dave Rooney

SUNDAY 08th September

Route: Camaderry, Turlough Hill, Lough Firrib, Lugduff, The Spinx
Leaders: Kevin Kelly

SUNDAY 15th September

Route: Scarr, Brown Mtn., Glenmacnass, Lough Ouler, Tonelagee,
The Brockaghs, Laragh.
Leader: Kieran Egan

SUNDAY 22nd September **Special Hike (cost of bus £7.00)**

First come first served ticket basis will operate for this trip.

Route: Slieve Gullion in South Armagh.
Leader: Martin Fagan

SUNDAY 06th October **Introductory Hard Hike**

Route: Maulin, Tonduff, Djouce, War Hill.
Leader: John Guy

AN ÓIGE YOUNG HILLWALKERS CLUB
AUTUMN 1996 MIDTERM BREAK
WILD ADVENTURE WEEKEND TO KNOCKREE

Friday 1st to Sunday 3rd November 1996

On the Friday night the weekend kicks off with an awesome *night hike* from Stepside to Knockree. Heavy packs will be brought by car to the Hostel. Bring a small day bag to carry your torch, flask, wet gear and emergency food. This hike will be led by Dave Rooney. Anybody 13-16 years of age can join this weekend. The leader's main concern will be the safety and well being of the young people. The leader's instructions must be followed at all times to ensure safe arrival at the Hostel.

Torches will be checked at the start.

Remember - No Torch - No Hike

Arrive at Hostel at approximately midnight.

Saturday Hike in Djouce area.
Sunday Hike in Knockree area

Meet: Hawkins Street Friday 1st November 1996 at 18:00 hours
to catch 18:10 number 44 bus to Stepside
Arrive back in Dublin on Sunday 3rd November at 15:00

Wear: Hiking boots and track suit or trousers. Waterproof coat
and leggings. Wear plenty of warm clothes.

Bring:

- Sheet bag or Sleeping bag
- Plenty of warm clothes to change into
Sheetbag or sleeping bag
- Shoes for indoor use
- Flask & Torch
- Food for - 2 x breakfasts, 2 x packed lunches,
1 x evening meal

Cost: £7 plus bus fares (£1.50 approx.)
Book now at An Óige Head Office on 830 4555.

Leader: Dave Rooney on 834 4811 (H) for more information.

Walking in Kerry

October 25th - October 28th 1996

This is a bus trip to the beautiful Kerry region, staying in Killarney Youth Hostel. Walks will be for experienced moderate/hard hikers, who will be expected to walk at a steady pace over trackless ground for about 6/7 hours. **However, shorter alternative routes will be available to suit the standard of those participating in the walks.**

Depart Friday 25th October from Custom House Quay at 6.00 pm

Return Monday 28th, arriving in Dublin at approx. 9.30 pm

Cost: £45 pounds, £40 pounds for under 18's.

Evening meals provided at the hostel, cost £11 payable on the bus.

but please indicate when booking if meals are required. Also

there is self catering facilities in the Hostel, with shops/supermarkets nearby.

Book: An Oige Head Office by non refundable deposit of £20

Final balance payable on the bus.

Bring: Winter clothes, boots, sheet bag, spare clothing, An Oige membership card, receipts of deposit paid, food for Saturday breakfast and drum up, (Please support the hostels delicatessen)

Leader: Jim Barry + various helpers on each walk.

Saturday 26th:

Horses Glen: (Mangerton Horseshoe)

O.S. Maps sheets 78 + 79

Route: Grid ref: W005855 (start/finish)

Lough Garagarry track, Stompa, Mangerton, Devils Punch Bowl

Lough garagarry track. Dist: 15km Ascent: 1040 m.

Sunday 27th:

Brandon Ridge (weather permutting) - Dingle Penninsula

O.S. Map sheet 70

Route: Grid ref. Q511114

Cloghane Church, Pilgrim Route, Mt. Brandon, Brandon Peak,

Gearane, Road and finish in Cloghane Village.

Dist: 18.5 km Ascent 1210 m.

Alternative (Dingle Penninsula)

Derrymore Glen, Baurtrelaum/Caherconree (start/finish Grid ref. Q742108)

Dist: 12km Ascent 800 m.

Monday 28th:

Cruach Mhor (Gap of Dunloe)

O.S. Map sheet 78

Route: Grid ref. V881887)

Kate Kearneys Cottage, Struicín, Cnoc an Bhraca, Cruach Mhor (3062ft)

grid ref. V841848 - Finish. Dist: 14km Ascent 950 m

Czech Republic and Poland.

(16th - 22nd March 1997)

Have you ever wondered what these countries are like? The beautiful city of Prague?, or the historical cities of Krakow and Warsaw?

Well now's your chance to accompany Martin Fagan on a weeks holiday to the above places. The cost of £510 per person to include all flights, the use of a luxury coach throughout, 6 nights in 3 star hotel accomodation on a B&B basis, guided tours, insurance and U.K. airport tax. Also included are three evening meals.

Anyone interested should attend the preliminary meeting in An Oige Head Office, Mountjoy Street, on **Tuesday 15th October at 8pm.** A **non refundable deposit of £100** will be required at this stage to secure a place.

Navigation Training - Map and Compass course.

Dates: 3 evening sessions 08 + 15 October, 05th November.
2 weekends 12 to 13th October - Glendalough
09 to 10th November - Aghavannagh

Cost: £45.00 (non refundable deposit of £10)
Total amount payable before first weekend

Book: An Oige head office

Weekend 1: 12th + 13th October 1996 - Glendalough

Depart 10.00 am from Liberty Hall on Sat. 12th

Bring: An Oige membership card, 1 Dinner, 2 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, also bring pen and paper, Map (sheet 56 Wicklow) silva type 4 compass (not the army type).

Weekend 2: 09th + 10th November 1996 - Aghavannagh

Depart 10.00 am from Liberty Hall on Sat. 09th

Bring: as for Weekend 1.

This course is ideal as a refresher course, but is particularly aimed at encouraging budding leaders to improve their skills.

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NEW YEAR TRIP TO BUXTON YOUTH HOSTEL
IN THE SCENIC PEAK DISTRICT

DEPART AT 9.00am December 28th 1996

ARRIVE HOME 7.00pm January 1st 1997

HIKES TO INCLUDE:

Monsal Trail from Bakewell to Buxton
Pennine Way; Edale Area
The Staffordshire Moors

COST £130.00

INCLUDES:

All transport by coach & boat, all meals
(breakfast, substantial packed lunch, evening
meal) Gala meal on New Year's Eve.

All bed linen provided.

BOOK NOW AT AN ÓIGE HEAD OFFICE - 830-4555

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