



# Cardiff Outdoor Group



Nov 2007

Note: New meeting place in Cardiff for Sunday walks - CHAPTER ARTS CENTRE, CANTON

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Bob Hall

## Committee

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## Programme organisers

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**Chapter** (Market Rd, Canton) is our Tuesday night venue. Why not join us in the bar after the meeting.

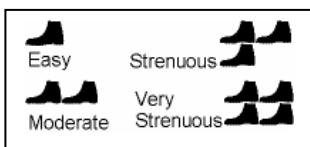
**If you would like to bring children (under 17) or dogs, please check first with the event organiser**

**Fancy arranging any events?** Your ideas are very welcome; please contact the programme organisers.

**BPL** = Bring a packed lunch.

## Walk Grading

The grade key below refers to the terrain, not the distance, which is shown separately for each event.



## Saturday - 3<sup>rd</sup> - Bonfire Night

The biggest fireworks display in Wales, with the added spectacle of Cardiff Castle as a backdrop. At Coopers Field in Bute Park, just behind the castle. Charge on the Gate approx. £5. Meet 6pm at the Pen & Wig. Contact Sian on 01446 719697 for details.

## Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> - Westonbirt walk

About six miles taking in the picturesque village of Leighterton, the long distance Monarch's and MacMillan Ways and of course, hopefully fiery colours around Westonbirt Arboretum. BPL though a café stop is likely. Meeting outside the front of Chapter in Canton at 10am. Contact Julian L on 029 20567013 for details.

## Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> - Vietnam Presentation

In 1997 Stella visited Vietnam, travelling all over from Hanoi to Ho Chi Minh City. From its French colonial past through the American war to the present day, come along and listen to Stella talk about this fascinating country. Chapter 8pm. Room - First Space

## Friday 9<sup>th</sup> - Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November: Brecon weekend.

A glorious weekend of mountains, moorland and woodland, at Brecon YH (Groesffordd) £28 for 2 nights. (Breakfast can be purchased at the hostel). A couple of male & female places still available. Contact Clive 2090 2164.

## Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> - Small COG Walk

For details contact Chris & Sarah on 029 20238576

## Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> - Theatre Night

Join us at the New Theatre to see the musical Joseph & the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat, a production of Tim Rice and Andrew Lloyd Webber's sparkling music. Starts at 7.30pm Cost £8.50. Please contact Katherine T by 10<sup>th</sup> October on 029 20881572, if you like a ticket.

## Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> - Black Mountain Walk

15 mile walk starting from Llanthony Priory. The route will incorporate 'Cat's Back' a great ridge in the east of the Black Mountains. BPL. Meeting outside the front of Chapter in Canton at 9am. Contact Mark B 029 20881568 for details.

## Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> - Quiz Night

A fun night guaranteed with another quiz from Clive, which may (or may not) include categories such as: top TV themes, guess the celebrity, name that hill, Mornington Avenue, and who's the daddy? and there is a prize. Chapter 8pm. Room - Boardroom

## Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> - Brecon Beacons by Moonlight

12 mile walk from Libanus up to Cribyn, Pen-y-Fan and Corn Du by afternoon/evening/night. Hopefully we'll be back for last orders. Food and a torch (with spare batteries) are essential. Names to Steve B before 21st November on - 07812 586949.

## Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> - Allt yr yn Walk

A pleasant walk from along the canal past 14 locks to Allt yr yn. Weather permitting there will be good views across Newport towards Cwmbran. Meeting outside the front of Chapter in Canton at 1.45pm or at the Fourteen Locks, off Junction 27 of the M4 at 2.15pm. Please contact Jeanie on 01633 891508 for details & for numbers.

## Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> - Sustrans Talk

Vinny Mott from Sustrans will be talking about the work of Sustrans with particular reference to Connect2, a lottery bid for 79 bridges and other links across the UK, including a bridge across the River Ely between Cardiff Bay and Penarth. See article in The View (Summer) for more information. This is rescheduled from 18th September. Chapter 8pm. Room - First Space

## Forthcoming events

### Late January - Date to be confirmed Llandeusan Working Party

Roger & Rachel will be organising our annual trip to COG's adopted hostel for a bit of decorating & cleaning (no previous experience required!). Communal meal/drinking on Saturday night and a walk on Sunday morning.

**New Members always welcome**

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