



# Activity



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## CHAIRMAN'S CHAT

It is with great sadness that I have to open my "Chat" with the news that Malcolm Murray, our Section President, passed away on 9<sup>th</sup> May. I will always remember my first AGM as Chairperson with Malcolm sitting beside me helping me through the complexities and his invaluable guidance during his attendance at our committee meetings. Our condolences go to his family and friends.

Following this sad announcement I would like to thank all the members who attended the National AGM and apologise to those at the back of the room who had difficulty hearing the proceedings. I can shout, but usually when the other half tests my patience somewhat, which brings me to a conversation I was having with a female friend of mine a few weeks ago.

Now this is probably not the role of a chairperson, i.e. to segregate around 50% of the members, but anyhow, here goes, I do apologise to all the gentlemen out there.

"How well is yours trained" was the topic of conversation. By this I mean how well is your husband trained around the house. The reason for this topic was that her husband had been left instructions to put the wheelie bin out and had failed to do so. She had then sent a text to the husband with the words " thanks for putting the bin out" and now of course the husband was totally confused because he had not followed orders and had not put the bin out but had now been thanked for doing so, and so he had clearly not been fully trained.

This brings me onto training which relates to the caravan /motorhome and the question girls is this, how well is yours trained at setting up the unit? My belief is that they should do all the setting up as we have probably done all the shopping and packing. But make no mistake, it does not happen overnight, it takes a lot of work to convince them that they have to set everything up. It has taken me years to convince him that haven't a clue on how to put the wedge under the wheel to level up the axle, you do this by not following basic instructions. Connecting the water barrel pipe, yes I have had to break three connectors over the years to convince him that I don't know what I'm doing. Fetching the water! Once, on a site abroad, on a hill, I had to let the aqua roll go and let the barrel descend downhill heading towards other units like a Barnes Wallace bouncing bomb to convince him I just wasn't up to fetching the water. Then there is the waste water; I found that dropping the container cap down the drain on three occasions did the trick on that one. Also there are things like legs & spirit levels, the only spirit I'm aware of is the ones kept in the drinks cabinet, so just ignore him when he starts talking about this subject. So, come on girls, train yours up fully and we can go off and enjoy a relaxing gin & tonic with friends whilst the legs are wound down

*Regards ,Diane*

PS. Oh and by the way, don't even think of emptying the toilet.

Cover picture - the entrance to the Moreton in Marsh site where we held the AGM.

## SECRETARY'S SCRIBBLE

### **The name says it all – or does it?**

What thoughts go through your friends' minds when you tell them that you are off for a weekend with the Mountain Activity Section? You dressed up in all your climbing gear with a stout rope wrapped around you? Perhaps some incomprehensible ironmongery attached to your belt? Or perhaps, like me, you get the reaction – 'I thought you were a bit old for all that sort of thing!'

What I am almost certain they do not picture is you enjoying a pleasant walk in some of the most beautiful scenery in the country, which you have picked from a programme produced for you and which will suit your interest and your level of ability.

How many of us have spoken to Camping and Caravanning Club members who have dropped into an MAS meet and who have exclaimed that 'they did not think it would be like this and if they had known, they would have come to a meet long ago'?

Like many special interest sections and even some DAs, the MAS is struggling to attract new members, especially young families. Is it our name which is putting them off? Should we change it to something which more accurately reflects the activities we do? If so, to what? During the Open Forum at the AGM the council was asked to look into this and report back to the membership by the 2014 AGM.

The AGM meet at Moreton in Marsh this year was a fantastic event but unfortunately, according to many old hands, attended by not nearly as many people as in 'the good old days'. A suggestion was made that this was again because of the name. AGM meet does not have the same ring to it as 'Festival of Walking'. Should we change back to this former title?

### **Or are we just the last of an old breed?**

An alternative or additional view put forward to me is that people no longer want to camp on greenfield sites without facilities. Many new to caravanning have bought their shiny new vans with all their bells and whistles and want to be able to hook up to electricity. At the other end of the scale many members with young families cannot afford the cost of caravanning and are quite happy to be tent campers. However, they would look for, at least, the basic provision of toilets and washing facilities. When producing our programmes should we be looking at including more sites which provide these facilities along with our much loved farmers' fields?

Whatever your opinion on these questions, I think the time is now appropriate to have a full and frank discussion about the way ahead for the MAS. Over the next year the topic will be the basis of much discussion in Council meetings and, I hope, around the afternoon teas at meets. It is important that everyone's views are known so that informed decisions can be made. What do you think? Let us know by either writing to our editor [REDACTED], or to me at [REDACTED]. We are both looking forward to hearing from you.

Colin Wild, Honorary Secretary

## **MORE VIEWS ON THE SUBJECT**

### **Who are our 'target audience?'**

Discussing a name change for the Mountain Activity Section is nothing new and I'm sure many members will remember it being raised (and dismissed) on several occasions over the last 26 years. However like all branding there comes a time when the branding no longer reflects the target audience and perhaps the MAS has reached that stage. Look at how The Mountaineering Section missed its target audience until the Mountain Activity Section came along.

The club itself now "actively" promotes outdoor activities, in particular regularly featuring walking and cycling articles in the Club magazine, yet the MAS only seems to get a fleeting mention in these articles and sometimes not at all. If such popular pastimes are a part of why members caravan or camp, why is the MAS not reaping the benefits in its membership?

Personally I don't think it's just down to the name Mountain, but other facts such as younger / newer members having different expectations of what they want from their caravanning and camping. The DA and Sections have been hit hard with the poor weather of the last couple of years, the cost of fuel without doubt limits the number of times they get away. Yet caravans continue to sell so there must be a target audience out there for the MAS, as its now more than ever good value.

So if name change is to be considered it has to one that still reflects the objectives of what the MAS was at its inception and still is judging by the number of stalwarts still supporting and enjoying its activities.

Anyway, thanks for allowing me to express my two pennorth!

*Andrew Wood, Vice President*

## Mountain Activity Section, or What?

In the Open Forum session following this year's AGM we had lots of discussion, much of it impassioned, as to whether we should change the name of the Section to something that more accurately reflects what we actually do. A small number expressed the strongly held view that we should *not* change the name but, eventually, the Council was mandated by a large majority to explore changing our name.

I'm putting my thoughts down in writing firstly, because at my age I'll only forget them if I don't, and secondly in the hope that my thoughts will prompt thoughts in others and enable the Council to focus on the task as quickly and effectively as possible.

My first thought is that we don't simply try to find a suitable name, but keep in mind the reason why so many voted for a change; namely, concern that for the last few years our membership has been decreasing and that a name that gives a misleading idea of what we mainly do may be contributing to this decline. (On a personal note, our own experience seems to confirm this – we had belonged to the Club for nearly 30 years before a chance meeting with a couple of MAS stalwarts enabled us to learn what MAS really did. And then, many years too late, we joined. And it was the best decision we'd made for years!)

My second thought is that a change of name may be helpful, but will it on its own be enough? Or do we need to try to identify ways of *actively promoting* the Section rather than simply hope people will approach us?

Thirdly, we have some facts and figures; the number who have joined and the number who have left. But have those figures ever been analysed? Do we know *why* people have left? And are there ways we can find out? I seriously believe we need to know so we can focus upon specific and relevant factors rather than waste time and energy attempting to do things that may have no real bearing on why folk have left.

Fourthly, we need to start doing this *as soon as possible*. Preferably before the next Council meeting mid October, so we don't have to keep saying "we don't yet know".

Fifthly, we are not the only Special Interest Section; we have colleagues in the other Sections and, of course, in DAs. I imagine many of them are also concerned about declining numbers. If so, what may they have done to identify causes and possible remedies? There's no point in trying to reinvent the wheel if others have already done so. We are members of the Special Interest Sections Forum. Is this an issue we need to be addressing jointly through the Forum?

Sixthly, several suggestions have been made about more appropriate names.

MAS Walking and Cycling

Walking and Cycling Section (Formerly MAS)

Multi Activity Section. This keeps MAS, but I'm not sure we really are *multi*; certainly not in the way of Multi-gyms.

An amusing, but not, I think, an altogether serious suggestion came from a Northern humourist; Cycling or Walking Section (Just look at the initials!) Anyway, these are my first thoughts. I have no doubt many of you will have your own – possibly similar, possibly different. But I hope mine will prompt others, especially fellow Council members, to react to them. Would you please do so as quickly as possible so we can use them and our time as constructively as possible.

Your ideas please to me, [REDACTED]

I look forward to hearing from you.

*Trev Masters, Wessex.*

## **Thanks to everyone**

Those who attended the AGM itself will know I thanked everyone for coming to Moreton-in-Marsh and all from Wessex Area who had helped to plan and run the National Meet.

As not everyone was present at that evening I'd like to thank everyone again and this time give more details of how many people merited our gratitude.

Firstly, it was great, and very reassuring, to see that so many of you had made the journey. And very moving that so many of you said so many kind things about the meet.

Secondly, so many were involved in the planning, and thanks to you all for helping to make sure we didn't leave anything undone that we should have done! Eventually I was able to relax! I obviously cannot name everyone who made a real contribution to the planning and hope those not named will forgive me for naming just a few. But one I must name is John Gerner, who undertook to lead the planning of walks – both for Moreton and for Bibury – thanks, John and all the others who contributed to the schedule. Another person to be named is Rae Williams, our former sites officer, who took the inspired gamble of hiring Eve Evans as caller for the barn dance.

When it came to running the event Brian Martin and his team of stewards did us proud; so gracias to you all. And also to our new editor of Activity, Toni Double-Barrelled!, for bringing along the marquee.

So, again, ta to you all.

*Trev Masters, Wessex.*

# NORTHERN AREA



Due to the severe weather a week before our Easter meet and AGM we were forced to cancel and re-arrange the AGM to a more suitable and accessible area. Thankfully we managed to get the message out to as many members as possible and a successful AGM was held at Bradford instead of Austwick. Our sincere apologies for any inconvenience this may have caused but unfortunately even the best-laid plans can be ruined when you are faced with 10-foot snowdrifts.

The following information may be of interest to members who where not able to attend the AGM.

Northern committee members 2013/14

|               |                                          |
|---------------|------------------------------------------|
| Chairman      | <b>John Bradley</b>                      |
| Vice Chairman | <b>Alastair Richards</b>                 |
| Secretary     | <b>Carole Booth</b>                      |
| Treasurer     | <b>Susan McHugh</b>                      |
| Auditors      | <b>Debbie Austerfield and Dave Lewis</b> |

## Appointments

|                                    |                                          |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Rep to MAS National Council        | <b>Lesley Storey</b>                     |
| Deputy Rep to MAS National Council | <b>Committee</b>                         |
| Rep to Yorkshire Region            | <b>Carole Booth</b>                      |
| Rep to North East Region           | non appointed – to submit written report |
| Rep to North West Region           | non appointed – to submit written report |
| PRO                                | <b>Steve Morris</b>                      |

## Composition of the Executive Committee

Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer, Voting member: Lesley Storey

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Sites Officer           | <b>Alastair Richards</b> |
| Assistant sites officer | <b>Steve Storey</b>      |

The Chairman had prepared a PowerPoint presentation on the viability and possibilities of encouraging more members to come forward to steward meets and Temporary Holiday Meets. After much discussion it was decided that stewards would be entitled to reclaim their site fees for stewarding a meet up to a maximum of £16.00 per meet.

The chairman asked for a vote from the meeting. 28 in favour 2 abstentions. The proposal was accepted and that this is to be reconsidered on a yearly basis. Stewards will complete a claim form and this is to be returned to the treasurer after the meet. This will be included in the steward pack.

**Temporary Holiday Meets.** It was agreed that an expense claim of £8 per night would be accepted.

Christine Stevenson and Tony Gledhill had decided prior to the meeting to retire from office after many years serving on both National and Area



committees. They were congratulated for their dedication to the section and were presented with flowers and a small gift.



There have been problems with information not appearing in Out and About. Hopefully this has been resolved.



## NATIONAL MEET/AGM 2013

Thanks to the Wessex Area for hosting an excellent meet. A good programme of walks and cycle rides of varying lengths were organised each day and the use of the bus for linear walks was well supported. Even after walking or cycling all day everyone who attended the barn dance on the Sunday evening found the energy to dance the night away.

The weather was exceptional, giving folk the opportunity to gather around after the walks for a chat enjoying the sunshine, drinking tea and eating cake!

Many thanks to everyone involved for all your hard work and providing such a warm welcome to everyone who attended this very successful meet.

*Northern Area*

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### Obituary

It is with sadness that I report the death of George Puleston, MAS Vice President on 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan 2013, aged 91, of pneumonia following a 3 month stay in hospital.

He was one of the first members of the Mountain Activity Section, as we know it, and former Chairman of Northern Area. George loved mountain walking, particularly in the Lake District, where he led many memorable walks from Kemplerigg THS and Chapel Stile. On his 70<sup>th</sup> birthday he walked from Austwick to the top of Ingleborough, an achievement of which he was very proud.

It is only a few years since he had to “hang up his boots” and sell his motorhome but he still liked to be kept informed about MAS activities. We will miss him for his knowledge & the contribution that he made to the MAS.

*Chris Stevenson, MAS Northern Area*

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### Name change for the Section

*At the AGM the change of name was discussed. When the section was reformed from the ‘Mountaineering Section’ in 1987 re-naming the section was an important decision, it was felt that the title Mountaineering Section gave a totally wrong impression of the section and it’s activities. Lots of ideas for a new name were received from members, but at a Management meeting the name Mountain Activity Section was agreed.*

I'm sure when you decided to join you looked down the list of Special Interest sections and the Mountain Activity Section looked appealing. The Northern and Peakland Areas are still promoting what the section originally set out to do. "Meets to attract people who enjoy mountains, hill walking, cycling in beautiful places," activities that do not always require the use of "Ice axes and crampons" which is what the original 'Mountaineering Section' stated were essential equipment!

Our late President Malcolm Murray wrote these words in Activity following the 2002 AGM Open Forum: "This was a lively affair. Concern was expressed on the subject of recruiting new members and the image of the section's name by removing the Mountain but this is not a quick fix solution as The Post Office has found when Consignia was dreamed up. A lot of thought should be given to the name of the section, perhaps Mountaineering and Outdoor Pursuits, and suggestions were sought. The result of these deliberations was MAS, not MOP."

The discussions at the AGM prompted a member to submit the following poem, which I printed in the winter edition of Activity 2002/03.

**'Til the next time'**

I live in the busy city where buildings reach for the sky  
With everywhere hustle and bustle and people hurrying by,  
Petrol fumes fill the nostrils while noise assails the ears  
And all that keeps me going is the thought that my holiday nears  
For then I shall head for the mountains  
In the loneliness place I can find, with sheep for my neighbours  
And silence to comfort the mind.

I will climb the timeless hillsides, breathe deep the crystal air  
And lie on the top while peace fills my soul and my heart is free of care,  
With wide blue sky above me, clean turf beneath my feet  
Lakes shimmering in the distance, once again I can feel complete.

So with my soul restored within me, back to the city I go  
Fortified 'til the next time, for I shall return, I know  
Again to the lakes and mountains where birds fly high and free  
Where the wind blows fresh and time stands  
Still and my heart will ever be.

*Carole Booth, Northern Area Secretary*

## **Redmarley D'Abitot with Wessex**

16 units made the trip to Redmarley D'Abitot on the Gloucestershire / Herefordshire border for the mid April meet. With a choice from two walks each day plus quiet roads for cycling there was plenty of interest in the area for all.

On Friday we walked towards Dymock into the Golden Triangle renowned for the display of daffodils. In the 1930's the area was very popular with the Great Western Railway running Daffodils Specials from London so that visitors could admire the flowers. After the war modern agriculture saw the bulbs disappear from the meadows and confined to woodland and hedgerows. Fortunately the Gloucestershire Wildlife Trust have preserved a few special sites and there was a magnificent display on the reserves that we passed. At last a reward from the late spring!

Saturday's walk passed the 16th century Pauntley Court on our way to the sleepy town of Newent. The short walk on Sunday once again passed the country house and the group learned that Dick Whittington was born in an earlier building on the site.

On Sunday a group of walkers could no longer resist the pull of the Malvern Hills in the middle distance and set off to walk the southern tops. Some may have regretted their decision on the final climb of the day up the seldom visited Ragged Stone Hill, but the reward of an all round panoramic view made the effort worthwhile. Although we were unable to pick out Broadway Tower on the horizon the sight of the Cotswold Hills reminded us of the delights of Moreton-in-Marsh to follow at the next meet.

Chartism was a mid 19th century movement for social change. Chartists believed that they could improve the well-being of the lower classes by giving them access to land that they could cultivate. The result was a handful of estates with small cottages set in a 2 to 4 acre plot. Our walks on Monday took us through the Chartist's settlement of Lowbands and we all soon became experts in spotting the cottages with their two wings on either side of a central gabled section.

Although the site was a little soft in places and some motorhomes had to be moved with the expert help of Terry, the consensus was that it was well worth a further visit.

*Polly and John*

*Wessex*

## 2013 AGM Meet

This year the Annual General Meeting for the Mountain Activity Section of the Club was held at Fosseway Farm, Moreton in Marsh in early May, hosted by the Wessex Area. A good deal of thought and planning had gone into it, beginning last year when Wessex accepted the responsibility. Volunteers were sought, planning started and the end result came into being when the Stewards arrived at Moreton early to start site preparations. The members began arriving on schedule on the 2nd of May, being booked in and guided to pitches by the stewards and helpers. With the aid of volunteers, a central information tent was erected, raffle prizes were obtained, and some walks prewalked. The areas' pennons were erected and a recycling centre organised, and the social scene started to build up as old friendships were renewed and new friends made.



As one of the main activities is walking, four walks had been planned for each day with lengths between 6 and 13 miles. A limit of 20 bodies per walk was decided upon to keep the walks to a manageable size for the leaders, so list forms and

route maps were put out each evening for people to make a choice about their activity for the following day. There were also maps with suggestions of routes laid out for those who wished to walk independently. The cyclists got together each day and sorted routes, and for those wanting a day off, there was a footpath from the rear of the site which led into the town itself, where there were plenty of shops, cafes, pubs and a supermarket for supplies. In general there was plenty to do for just about everyone.



Most walks, both long and short, were well attended. Most left from site, but there were several which depended on public transport for a ride out on bus or train, giving a linear walk back. The total mileage walked over the meet was around 1765 miles. This is equivalent to the distance by road from Lands End to John O'Groats and back again, or alternatively it is close to walking the Monarch's Way, which passes through the site, three times. The most popular walk was the 8.5 mile Stow-on-the-Wold Battlefield Walk from site on Saturday, repeated on Monday.



The AGM itself was held on Saturday in St David's Centre in the town, ten minutes walk from the site. Among other things, there was discussion on the possibility of changing the name of the section from MAS – see other articles in this magazine for more information. The meeting was followed by an American Supper, with several people doing sterling service in the kitchen to keep things moving and tidying up afterwards. On Sunday evening, also in St David's Centre, there was a Barn Dance with Eve Evans as caller. This caused people to use lots of energy, both dancing in time to the music and calling, and laughing at the antics of most of us trying to keep up. The raffle was called partway through the evening, with plenty of satisfied ticket holders taking away the many and varied prizes, the collection and co-ordination of which had been done by Jean and Martin. A thoroughly good evening was had by all. The weather (specially ordered by Wessex!) was beautiful sunshine and reasonable temperatures for



the whole of the meet. As people left to go home or to the follow-on meet at Bibury, all agreed that it had been a pretty good few days away, and finally the organisers and staff could relax as they cleared the site to leave it, as always, clean and tidy ready for the next set of visitors.

*Toni B-R, Wessex*



**North West Region  
invite all youth to the  
Autumn Youth Rally  
18th –20th October 2013**



The fantastic  
Mr Andy Wilson  
DJ Friday and  
Saturday  
evenings



Coaches supplied  
to and from the  
Pleasure Beach

to be held at  
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Preston PR3 0TB

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**Youth: £12.50**

**Leader caravans £17.00**

Electricity £3.00pn extra

Contact your Section Youth Liaison Officer for details



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## **Wanderings in Wessex with the MAS**

### **Cabin Fever CURED at Corfe Castle**

It was the first meet of 2013 for Wessex and we were all desperate to get 'out and about' again after such a horrid long winter. The weather was not quite on our side but the days were dry if windy and the rain very kindly arrived late afternoons and at night. It was also rather chilly, however a well-known couple recently returned from New Zealand, obviously enjoy the fresh air so much that they spent the first night with their cab window wide open! Was it intentional or did the driver forget to shut it after reversing into the pitch? We had some lovely walks although the mud was a major obstacle in many places. The Saturday was particularly enjoyable when we caught the steam train from Corfe station to Swanage and walked back to site along the Purbeck Ridge. The views were lovely and we did not encounter too much mud on the higher ground. The Club site at Corfe where we stayed was well laid out, the wardens very helpful and it is in a superb location, only a short walk to Corfe and the castle.

*Peter and Jenny, 14-19 March*





## MAS NORTHERN 2013

Sites normally open 4pm, please contact stewards if you wish to arrive earlier  
Please note: WE MAY HAVE TO CHANGE these SITES. Please CHECK in the current month's 'Out and About' or with the stewards before travelling.

### Some dates for your diary

**05/07–14/07: 9 nights Chipping Showground, Chipping, Lancs.** (102/SD624426).

*Our first Holiday Site at this good, level and spacious site in The Forest of Bowland. Excellent for walking and cy-cling. Local village shops within walking distance. Site opens at 12 noon.*

**Contact: Steve and Leslie 01142 884752**

**25/07–30/07: 5 nights. Greylands Farm, Hinderwell, North Yorkshire.** (94/ NZ 794172).

*Popular summer site with good walking along the coastal paths, cycling and walks in the hills behind. Also come and see the Scarecrow Festival in the village. 5 night back to back.*

**Stewards: Colin & Chris 01274 423808 or 07968226598**

**30/07–04/08: 5 nights. Ings Farm, Cowesby, North Yorkshire.** (100/SE 462898).

*Follow on from Hinderwell. Good for walking and cy-cling.*

**Stewards : Keith & Wendy 01757 708934**

**08/08–13/08: 5 nights. Gebdykes Farm, Masham N. Yorkshire** (SE 226823). *Great site for walking and cycling and to visit Masham with its famous brewery—only a 10 minute walk away. 5 night back to back.*

**Stewards : Geoff & Carole 01484 684739 or 07788197649**

**13/08–18/08: 5 nights. Wensleydale RUFC, Leyburn, N.Yorkshire.** (97/SE101902).

*Good walking & cycling—walking distance to market town of Leyburn. Invite from Lindum DA. 5 night back to back with Masham.*

**Stewards: Lindum DA**

**22/08-27/08: 5 nights. Kirkby Lonsdale Rugby Club, Kirkby Lonsdale, N. York-shire. (97/SD607793)**

*5 night back to back. Invite to NELDA*

**Stewards: to be arranged**

**27/08–01/09: 5 nights. Lowther Hill, High Bentham, N. Yorkshire.(98/SD696696).**

*5 night back to back*

**Stewards: John & Frances 01274 573946 or 07810267481**

**08/09–15/09: 7 nights. Keswick C & C Club site. (89/NY258234)**

*Site on edge of Derwentwater with facilities in Keswick with its millions of outdoor shops! Great walking and cycling.14 days Min Advance Bkg.*

**Required.**

**Stewards : Alastair & Jean 01274 566412 or 07742722010**

**26/09-29/09: 3 nights. Clothholme Farm, Ripon, N.Yorkshire. (99/SE285723).**

*Good site for cycling or visiting historic Ripon.*

**Stewards: Tony & Tricia 01274 533313 or 07748747741**

**10/10-14/10: 4 nights. Studfold Farm, Nidderdale, N. York-shire (99/SE099733).**

*Invite to NYBCC*

**Stewards: Mike & Sue 01132 578698 or 07929717333**

**24/10–28/10: 4 nights. Knight Stainforth Hall, Little Stainforth, Settle.(98/SD815761).**

*Great walking & cycling in limestone country.*

**Stewards: Peter & Christine 01200 427289**

Please come along and join us on our meets, we try to offer something for everyone.

## MAS WESSEX 2013

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|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| June 6-11<br>5 nights                 | Brow Farm Camp Site<br>Ratlinghope, Shropshire,<br>SY15 OSR 137/402969            | Peakland MAS<br>c/o Colin Wilde<br>01623 796843            |
| June 20 – 25<br>5 nights              | Lower Grange Farm, Feltham,<br>Frome BA11 5LL<br>183/51 183/795457                | Terry Bishop<br>07900640876                                |
| July 4 – 9<br>5 nights                | Smithers Cross Farm, Ruardean<br>GL17 9TT 162/310 162/616168                      | Rae Williams<br>01295 267463 0<br>7773 953434              |
| July 11 – 15<br>4 nights              | SW Reg. Summer Meet, West Wood-<br>lands Showground, Frome BA11 2AH<br>183/781485 | See Out & About                                            |
| July 25 -30<br>5 nights               | Greenacres Farm, Compton Martin<br>BS40 6NQ 172/38 172/554579                     | Deirdre & Maurice Spratt<br>01432 860572<br>07792 151683   |
| Aug 8 – 13<br>5 nights                | Paddocks Farm, Broadoak,<br>DT6 5NR 193/47 193/429977                             | Anne & Jon Hart<br>07961 198814                            |
| Aug 22 – 27<br>(Bank Hol) 5<br>nights | Brailes Village Hall, Oxon<br>OX15 5AS 151/308395                                 | Bernard Nason<br>01295 720591<br>07970 581875              |
| Sept 5 – 10<br>5 nights               | Summerlands, Coombe Bisset<br>SP5 4LP 184/31 184/109235                           | Moira & Barry Carlisle<br>01483 811508<br>07552 349273     |
| Sept 19 – 24<br>5 nights              | Bampton's Farm, Lymington<br>SO41 5SH 196/339956                                  | Deb & Trev Masters<br>02392 381220<br>07765 040211         |
| Oct 3 – 8<br>5 nights                 | Cherry Tree Farm,<br>Woodford Halse NN11 3SB 152/120<br>152/557517                | Sue & Bob Holdcroft<br>01252 328913<br>07980 451142        |
| Oct 17 – 22<br>5 nights               | Devizes Club Site SN12 6RN<br>(booked meet) TBC 173/951619                        | Jean Dewey & Martin Baker<br>02380 485928 0<br>7743 235662 |

## MAS PEAKLAND 2013

Please note: WE MAY HAVE TO CHANGE these SITES. Please CHECK in the current month's 'Out and About' or with the stewards before travelling.

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| June 6-11<br>5 nights      | Brow Farm, Ratlinghope, Shrops.<br>137/402969              | Colin/Sandra<br>07788 706049          |
| June 14-16<br>2 nights     | Onecote Grange, Onecote<br>119/049552                      | Colin/Yvonne<br>07919 944532          |
| June 27-July 2<br>5 nights | Forest View, Cannock Chase (BBQ)<br>128/174005             | Les/Jean Robin/Elaine<br>07967 900225 |
| July 12-14<br>2 nights     | Peak Rail, Rowsley Station<br>119/262643                   | Terry<br>07941 363283                 |
| July 18-23<br>5 nights     | East Kirkby, Lincs Wolds<br>122/122337                     | Mick/Sue Roger/Sandra<br>07960 267211 |
| August 1-6<br>5 nights     | Stocking Farm, Calver<br>119/247747                        | Colin/Yvonne<br>07919 944532          |
| August 22-27<br>5 nights   | Burythorpe, Malton, N Yorks<br>100/785653                  | Ted/Ann<br>07587 247406               |
| Sept 5-10<br>5 nights      | Caerwys, North Wales<br>116/126727                         | Andy/Hazel<br>07785 746857            |
| Sept 20-22<br>2 nights     | Church Farm, Gt. Longstone<br>119/202722                   | Margaret/Rod<br>07983 454076          |
| Sept 26-Oct 1<br>5 nights  | Marsden C. C., Huddersfield<br>110/044105                  | Robin/Elaine Les/Jean<br>07962 107983 |
| Oct 10-15<br>5 nights      | Four Acres, Thornhill<br>119/196827                        | Robin/Elaine Les/Jean<br>07962 107983 |
| Oct 25-27<br>2 nights      | Ashover Showground<br>(End of season social)<br>119/351632 | Terry<br>07941 363283                 |