



Trinity Church
*Meet at 8pm, First
 Wednesday of the month.*

2009

Programme



We organise a varied programme of weekend outdoor activities and Wednesday evening social events. Since the Group was founded in 1969, we have visited many different youth hostels, and activities have included walks, barbecues, bonfires, quizzes and visits to places of interest.

The group is open to all ages and has a wide age range from the young to the 'young at heart'.

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2008 - 2009 Committee

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 If she is not available, please try one of the other Committee Members.

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For further information on the YHA or to find out about other local groups, please
 call 01629 822074 or visit the web site www.yha.org.uk

Affiliated to:

Youth Hostels Association (England and Wales)

Wednesday Evening Programme

The group meets on the first Wednesday of each month at 8:00 pm in Trinity Church, Stafford (near Wilkinson's and Sainsbury's). Activities are usually held out of the club room on the third Wednesday of the month.

January: 7 th		The Railway Game.	Alan
21 st	*	Ten Pin Bowling. Meet at Stafford MegaBowl.	
February: 4 th		Communal Quiz. <i>Please bring 10 questions.</i>	
18 th	*	Visit to see a Pantomime (details tba).	Alan
March: 4 th		Multimedia Evening.	Ivan
18 th	*	Committee Meeting, Tap & Spile, Stafford.	
April: 1 st		Card Games.	Ivan
15 th	*	Evening Meal (location tba).	
May: 6 th		Slide Show.	Chris
20 th	*	Walking tour of Stone.	Alan
June: 3 rd		Beetle Drive	Ivan
17 th	*	Barbecue. Cannock Chase, 8pm.	Lesley
July: 1 st		Map Treasure Hunt.	Chris
15 th	*	Evening Ramble. Location to be confirmed.	
August: 5 th		Aerospace Engineering.	Lesley
19 th	*	Test Flight. Fly your devices on Milford Common!	
September: 2 nd		Sue's Quiz.	Sue
16 th	*	Evening Meal (location tba).	
October: 7 th		Board Games	Everybody
21 st	*	Visit to Stoke Beer Festival (tbc)	
November: 4 th		The Annual General Meeting.	
18 th	*	Star Gazing / Torchlight Ramble, Milford.	Sue
December: 2 nd		Christmas Party. Bring some snacks for our annual club room party.	Everybody
16 th	*	Pub Crawl around Stafford.	
	*	Denotes events not held in the Clubroom.	

Weekend Programme

If interested in any weekend event, please contact the organiser listed for that event. Payment in full at least a month in advance, after this time, you must contact the hostel and book yourself in. Shared transport may be available.

Friday 30th Jan. The Annual Dinner.

27th - 28th February



Oxford (L) Alan
This immaculately presented, purpose-built Youth Hostel is located in the heart of the city next to the railway station.

Saturday 14th March

National Forest (L)
YHA Affiliated Groups Conference.

24th - 25th April



Woody's Top (L?) Alan
This is one of YHA's quietest hostels, hidden well away from civilisation in the Lincolnshire Wolds.

31st May

Hartington (L)
To witness the marriage of Sue and Alan.

26th - 27th June



Grasmere (L) Chris
From serious hikers to weekend ramblers, history buffs, nature lovers, poets and artists, there's something here for everyone. Hostel tbc.

28th - 30th August



Kings (L) Chris
Bank holiday weekend in southern Snowdonia. Walking and activities suitable for all abilities.

16th - 17th October



Sherwood Forest Ivan
This modern, purpose-built Youth Hostel is set on the edge of Sherwood Forest. Follow in Robin Hood's footsteps through ancient woodland.

4th - 5th December
(to be confirmed)



The Annual Christmas Party Weekend Alan
Wherever we end up, the party starts on Friday evening and we have a special group meal on Saturday (bring plenty of drink). Plenty of time for walking, even if it is only to the pub!