



Blairgowrie & District Hillwalking Club

Web site: www.bdhc.org.uk

Glendevon to Dollar.

3rd. January 2010

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Bus start: **Blairgowrie** (Wellmeadow): 7.30 am.

Alyth (Square): 7.15 am

2010 Happy New Year 2010

A Walk – Glendevon - Ben Cleuch - Dollar.

Start in Glendevon 949053 near Glenhead Farm and head west to Upper Glendevon Reservoir. Cross the Broich Burn at Backhills, climb SW to Ben Buck, SE to Ben Cleuch, descend over Andrew Gannel Hill, King's Seat Hill and Bank Hill into Dollar Glen and Dollar.

Approx. distance: 17.5km.

Total ascent: 790m.

Min. **walking** time: 6hrs.

B Walk – Glendevon - Maddy Moss - Dollar.

Start as the "A" walk to Upper Glendevon Reservoir then follow the Broich Burn South to Maddy Moss. Rise to the summit of King's Seat Hill and descend as the "A" walk to Dollar.

Approx. distance: 14.5km.

Total ascent: 565m.

Min. **walking** time: 5hrs.

C Walk – Glendevon – Glenquey - Dollar.

Start in Glendevon at Borland, 984045, and cross the River Devon. Head West up Glen Quey passing the Reservoir and Maiden's Well, continue West into Dollar Glen and on to Dollar.

Approx. distance: 7.5km.

Total ascent: 140m.

Min. **walking** time: 4hrs.

Please note that the Minimum walking times are based on reasonably fast walkers and assuming good conditions. The times do not include stops or breaks.

In poor weather conditions or if members are not comfortable walking at 4km/hour then alternative or shorter routes should be considered.

The next club walk is on the 24th.January to Glen Clova/Glen Doll starting at 8.00 am (Blairgowrie) and 8.15 am (Alyth).

Other information/events: REMEMBER the Club Ceilidh on the 20th February, book tickets now, to avoid disappointment.

IMPORTANT: YOUR SAFETY IN THE HILLS

The Committee reminds members and guests of the following important points:

- You are responsible for your own safety
- Club officials are not trained mountain leaders
- Are you fit enough to complete your chosen walk in the available time?
- Know where you are going on the walk and follow the route on your map.
- Know how many are in your party and stay together
- Ensure you have enough food plus emergency rations
- Carry a map & compass, survival bag, torch, whistle and small first aid kit. Know how to use them.
- In winter conditions you must carry an ice axe on high level walks (club rule). You are also recommended to carry crampons.
- **Learn** how to use your equipment.

Club officials will be happy to give advice on any of these points if requested.