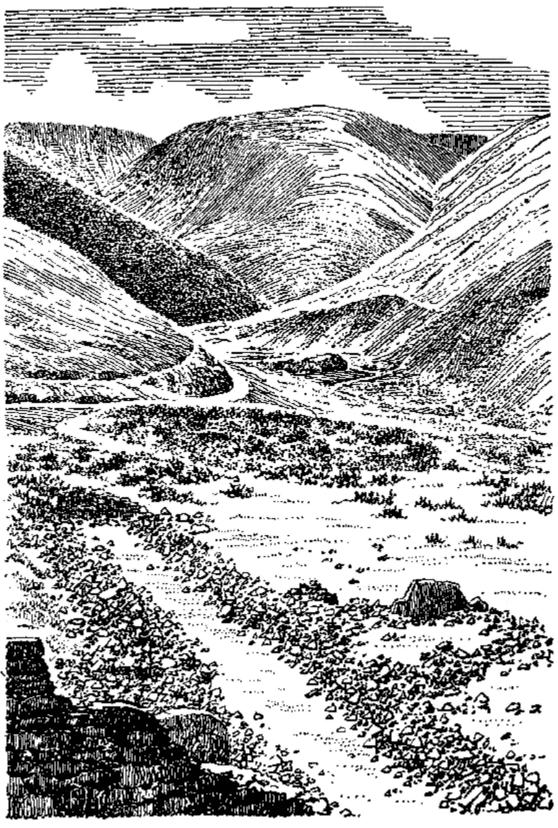
MOUNTAIN ACCIDENTS 2004



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The purpose of the Lake District Search and Mountain Rescue Association is to act as a link between the national Mountain Rescue Council and all other interested bodies. The association speaks out and acts on behalf of the teams on matters relating to Lake District mountain rescue as a whole. It also fosters publicity aimed at the prevention of mountain accidents.

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CHAIRMAN'S REPORT FOR 2004

Incidents in 2004 showed an 11% increase on the previous year, with a total of 390 calls involving 436 individuals. These figures together with the number of people seen on the fells would seem to indicate that walkers have returned to the area somewhere around the numbers we had prior to the Foot and Mouth outbreak.

You will also note from the statistics a significant increase in the number of fatalities. This of course was affected by the tragic incident involving cockle pickers in Morecambe Bay. However on a more positive note, the number of fatal heart attacks has more than halved.

Teams have been involved in a greater number of searches this year, which cannot be put down solely to bad weather. It would appear that a number of groups are inadequately prepared in terms of their experience in navigation and either over estimate their capabilities or under estimate the possibility of changes in the weather. They should consider alternative plans if the situation seems in any way doubtful. The possession of a map and compass, plus the ability to use them, is often more valuable than a mobile ephone that can have limited coverage in the mountains.

There has also been a three-fold increase in the number of non-mountain searches attended, which would seem to suggest that the Police realize the value of our experience. They have often called on our assistance to search for missing persons, sometimes even in urban areas.

As one would expect though, the majority of our calls are to the fells and mainly for ankle and lower leg injuries, possibly exacerbated by the very wet and slippery underfoot conditions experienced throughout much of the year.

At the beginning of the year, another new purpose-built headquarters was opened, this time for the Langdale Ambleside Team. This is on the site of the former base but the new building is large enough to house all their vehicles and provides a number of rooms that can be used for meetings, workshops etc. as well as the main control room from where incidents are monitored.

We were also pleased this year when all the Lakeland teams took delivery in July, of new high-band radios. Though we had had a good operational system before, we had been forced to change due to the Government's reallocation of radio frequencies. Our former low-band frequency was now unavailable to us. The new network has been supplied by Simoco and funded by Cumbria Constabulary. Cumbria Constabulary has assisted Lake District Mountain Rescue Teams with the provision of communication equipment for over thirty years and we are very grateful to them for this. Needless to say though, such a major change has involved the teams in

both financial investment and membersí time to establish the new efficient network.

This time is over and above the time spent training and on call-outs. In fact the time spent on actual incidents alone this year, exceeded twenty thousand hours. With approximately four hundred members in the Lake District teams this is a substantial commitment which not only involves the members but impacts on their partners and on family life.

Although rescue teams operate in as safe and controlled manner as possible, there are occasionally factors out of our control, such as occurred on one call out during the year. The rotor of a helicopter, winching members down to an incident, hit the crag, resulting in a member of the Kendal Team falling and receiving serious injuries. An accident like this is very rare, but families are aware that there is always a risk. So my thanks must go to them, as well as to the Team Members, for their unending commitment and support.

Thanks must also go to all those who have contributed and helped in any way over the year, including the Police Service, The Ambulance Service and helicopter crews, both military and civil. These groups have helped us to continue the excellent rescue service for which we are well known.

Finally a special thank you to the officers of LDSAMRA and in particular Ged Feeney who compiled the statistics for this report.

John Dempster,

Chairman

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type

January

Hill Walking (Winter) 001 01/01/04 12:15 Man(65) Rochdale, G Manchester (Solo)

Location: St Sunday Crag, Grizedale NY377154 12192

Weather, Ground Conditions: Gales snow poor freezing blizzard. Frozen slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject fell 30ft over a crag whilst descending having spent the

night out on the fell in blizzard condtions. He lay injured for some

time before a passing walker heard his whistle

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R femur, 3 fractured ribs and head injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 16, 23/4 hr

002 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 02/01/04 17:15 Man(33), Woman(27) Wimbledon

Location: Garburn Pass. Kentmere SD454044 11983

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh low cloudcold. Hard snow slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Generally poor, Poor

Cause of Accident: Party failed to turn up at agreed rendezvous in Troutbeck. They had

gone to the wrong pub and sat for 3 hours waiting then got a taxi

into Windermere!

Outcome/Injury Details: No injuries reported

003 Hill Walking (9 in Party) 02/01/04 17:45 Woman(19, 25),

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 26, 1½ hr; Langdale Ambleside 1, 1½ hr; SARDA (Lakes)

2, 1hr

Man(24, 51, 48, 23, Loughbourgh

others NR)

Witherington,

Salford, G Manchester,

12193 Location: St Sunday Crag, Grizedale NY382151

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear cold. Icy slippery

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Poor to inadequate, NK

Cause of Accident: Two groups of walkers were benighted and called for help on a

mobile phone. The team located the walkers by asking them to use

the flash on their camara. The group were then led to safety

Outcome/Injury Details: All unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 16, 3³/₄ hr

Hill Walking (Winter) (4 03/01/04 17:18 Woman(40) in Party)

Gloucester

12116

Location: Seat Sandal, Grasmere NY338114

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet foggy cold. Snow ice very slippery

Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r. Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath, falling 100 ft down hillside

Outcome/Injury Details: Head injuries and multiple injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 16, 5hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 2hr; Boulmer

Helicopter

005 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 03/01/04 21:00 Man(32, 28, 29, 28) Wakefield, W Yorkshire 12194 Location: Hart Crag NY366114

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry Clear cold. Snow Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly adequate, NK

Cause of Accident: Party benighted on Hart Craq. The group used a mobile phone to

call for help. The team and a helicopter that was in the area found

the group safe and well and airlifted them to safety

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 15, 2hr; SARDA (Lakes) 3, 1hr; Boulmer Helicopter

006 Hill Walking (Solo) 06/01/04 14:40 Man(55) Manchester

12034 Location: Coniston Old Man, Moss Head Quarry SD279981

Weather, Ground Conditions: Strong dry cold. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Dead body found by fellwalkers in old quarry workings. Recovered

by team for police

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL - identified as person reported missing in Manchester area

but sightings had been reported in

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 13, 41/4 hr

007 Search - Mountain 07/01/04 16:00

12196 Location: Sandwick, Ullswater NY421197

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cold clear. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Member of the public reported flashing lights on the fell

Outcome/Injury Details: The area was searched, nothing was found - false alarm good intent

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 3, 2hr

008 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 10/01/04 13:42 Man(53)

Barrow, Cumbria

12035 Location: Birkfell NY299018

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh drizzle low cloudcold. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped forwards, falling onto his left foot

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 12, 3hr; Boulmer Helicopter

009 Hill Walking (Winter) (2 17/01/04 11:52 Woman(NK) in Party)

Macclesfield, Cheshire

12948 Location: Crummock Water (lakeshore) NY148198 Weather, Ground Conditions: Cold. Frozen

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mainly good, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on frozen ground on lakeshore path

Outcome/Injury Details: Tri-maleolar fracture of R ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 27, 11/2 hr

010 Search - Non-mountain 17/01/04 12:00 Man(NK)

NR

(Solo) 12834

Location: Maryport, Cumbria NY038366

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject (insulin-dependent diabetic) reported missing from home

Outcome/Injury Details: Outcome not reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 7, 4hr; SARDA (Lakes) 11, 4hr; SARDA (England) 2, 4hr; Boulmer Helicopter

011 Hill Walking (Solo) 17/01/04 14:50 Man(64)

Seascale, Cumbria

12364 Location: Dropping Crag NY168078

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh dry clear cold. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 20, 3hr

012 Hill Walking (Winter) (Solo)

17/01/04 15:04 Man(NK)

Hayes, Middlesex

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type

12049 Location: Seat Sandal, Dunmail Raise NY332117

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm clear freezing. Icy slippery

Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, Poor

Cause of Accident: Subject reported cragfast in steep, loose, icy ground

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when escorted to safety

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 17, 21/2 hr

013 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 17/01/04 16:30 Woman(42), Man(35) High Wickham, Bucks.

12197 Location: Boredale Hause NY405154

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh dry hill fog cold. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Generally good, NK

Cause of Accident: A couple and their dog became lost in hill fog

Outcome/Injury Details: They were found and brought to safety unharmed

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 16, 21/2 hr; SARDA (England) 3, 21/2 hr

014 Cave/Mine Exploration 22/01/04 20:48 Man(71) (Solo)

Cockermouth, Cumbria

12050 Location: Carrock Mine, Mosedale NY323330

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry mild. Damp slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject reported overdue. Car found by police at Mosedale. Found

40 ft down shaft, having lowered himself down a knotted rope and

couldn't get back up

Outcome/Injury Details: Assisted to the surface, no injuries reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Cumbria Ore Mines Rescue Unit 10, 3½ hr; Keswick 30, 3¼ hr;

SARDA (Lakes) 11, 2hr

015 Hill Walking (Winter)

25/01/04 20:25 Man(37)

Delph

(Solo) 12949

Location: Haystacks - Red Pike NY194131

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear night. Frozen

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NR, NR

Cause of Accident: Subject reported overdue Outcome/Injury Details: He turned up safe and well

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 8, 1/2 hr

Search - Non-mountain 26/01/04 15:20 Man(70)

Penrith, Cumbria

(Solo)

12534

Location: Penrith, Eamont Bridge NY520287

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry very cold. Damp frosty

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject reported missing from home

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL - found in local river, drowned

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 23, 11hr; SARDA (Lakes) 9, 6¾ hr

017 Hill Walking (Winter) 28/01/04 12:55 Man(50)

Stepney, London

12051

Location: Lodore Falls, Borrowdale NY265188

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light snow overcast cold. Soft snow slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Some good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on new snow and ice on footpath. Requested to

assist the civilian ambulance with transport

Outcome/Injury Details: Dislocated elbow and leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 11, 23/4 hr

12117 Location: River Rothy, Ambleside NY371042

Weather, Ground Conditions: Heavy rain dull. Flooding

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Canoeist reported in difficulty on flooding river

Outcome/Injury Details: On arrival, found all persons safe and well

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 11/2 hr

February

019 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 01/02/04 13:25 Woman(62)

Kendal, Cumbria

12046 Location: The Helm, Kendal SD532894

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate rain overcast cool. Very wet slippery

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, NK

Cause of Accident: Request by Cumbria Ambulance Service to assist crew in lengthy

evacuation over open ground

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle & sprain to R knee

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 12, 11/2 hr

020 Local Incident 03/02/04 09:00

12047 Location: Kendal

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate heavy rain overcast mild. Waterlogged slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Team assisting police during severe weather conditions

Outcome/Injury Details: Areas in and around Kendal on flood alert

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 12, 51/2 hr

021 Local Incident 03/02/04 10:00

12118 Location: Windermere NY390924

Weather, Ground Conditions: Heavy rain dull. Flooding

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Report of motorist stranded in car on flooded road

Outcome/Injury Details: No further contact made with informant. Roads searched without

trace

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 7, 2hr

022 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 05/02/04 19:15 Man(23, 20, 46, 43) Haydock;

Haydock; Wigan; Ashton In Makerfield

12048 Location: Allen Crags, Borrowdale NY241094

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry with showers, windy, hill fog. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mainly adequate, Poor

Cause of Accident: Party reported themselves lost and went to ground some 3k from

where they thought they were

Outcome/Injury Details: All unharmed when located

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 23, 71/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 5, 5hr; SARDA (Lakes) 9,

21/2 hr; Wasdale 21, 71/2 hr

023 Fishing (Large Party) 05/02/04 22:30 23 Men(NK) NR

12052 Location: Morecambe Bay / Arnside Area SD465705

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh passing showers broken cloud cool. Waterlogged

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, Poor

Cause of Accident: Assist coastguard in search for party of Chinese cockle pickers

caught by rising tide

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL - all drowned

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 19, 14hr; Langdale Ambleside 4, 8hr; SARDA (Lakes) 3,

51/2 hr; Duddon & Furness 19, 8hr; Lancashire Police Helicopter

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type Leconfield Helicopter Valley Helicopter 024 Hill Walking (Large 07/02/04 20:30 6 Boys(11, 15, 12, 11, Southport, Lancs. Party) 12, 17), 3 Men(19, 23, 23), Girl(10) Location: Dove Crag, Patterdale NY374110 12198 Weather, Ground Conditions: Gales snow poor very cold blizzard. Soft snow slippery Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Generally good, Inadequate Cause of Accident: Party of 10 scouts became overtaken by forecast bad weather. Objective: to sleep in Priest's Hole on Dove Crag Outcome/Injury Details: All escorted to safety unharmed Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 12, 51/2 hr; Patterdale 14, 51/2 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 5hr; Boulmer Helicopter 025 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 13/02/04 12:48 Woman(54) Wimslow. Bucks 12950 Location: Low Fell. Loweswater NY137226 Weather, Ground Conditions: Light showers. Very wet & slippery Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Adequate, N Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 18, 11/2 hr 026 Hill Walking 15/02/04 12:10 Man(64) Cartmel, Cumbria Location: Levers Water Dam SD282993 12215 Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm clear cool. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good Cause of Accident: Subject taken ill and collapsed after taking medication; reported unconscious for a while Outcome/Injury Details: Angina attack; injured face in fall then unconciousness Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 7, 11/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter 027 Hill Walking 16/02/04 14:32 Woman(75) Location: Fairy Steps Beetham Wood SD489790 12054 Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear mild. Damp Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed with a medical condition Outcome/Injury Details: Heart attack, not reported as fatal Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 11, 3/4 hr; North West Air Ambulance 028 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 17/02/04 12:10 Man(77) Grasmere, Cumbria Location: Hartsop Above How NY398134 12199 Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry broken cloud cool. Damp Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Subject (previous heart problems) became ill whilst walking with a friend. He was treated on the hillside and airlifted to hospital Outcome/Injury Details: Chest pains Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 13, 21/4 hr; Boulmer Helicopter 029 Hill Walking 18/02/04 16:22 Man(60) Rochdale, Lancs Location: Snarker Pike. Ambleside NY388071 12055

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry cool. Wet

Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet grass

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 9, 11/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 12, 3hr

No. Type Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town

030 Search - Non-mountain 18/02/04 23:40

030 Search - Non-mountain 10/02/04 23:40

12474 Location: Rough Hill, Bampton NY498192

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cool overcast fresh. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Report of person missing and 'in distress'

Outcome/Injury Details: Search revealed no trace, no-one reported missing, informant know

substance abuser - false alarm goo

Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 10, 6hr; Penrith 20, 91/2 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 7, 3hr

031 Local Incident 20/02/04 09:30

12157 Location: River Kent, Sedgwick SD506868

Weather, Ground Conditions: NR. NR

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Assist Cheshire Police search river after discovery of body

believed to be that of Asian girl reported missing in Warrington

area for some time

Outcome/Injury Details: Met with detectives at scene and arranged for canoe search of part

of river bank

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 4, 4hr; Kendal 1, 4hr

032 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 20/02/04 16:45 Woman (41) Peterlee, Durham

12200 Location: Gill Crag, Dovedale NY387117

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry cloudy cold. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject tripped on footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured patella Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 13, 23/4 hr

033 Rock Climbing 21/02/04 16:17 Man(21) Penrith, Cumbria

12129 Location: Shepherds Crag, 'Adam' NY262185

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry cold. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Climber fell 50 ft while leading

Outcome/Injury Details: Head, chest and leg - no fractures found!

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 22, 1hr; Gannet Helicopter

034 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 28/02/04 18:05 Man(24) Altringham, G Manchester

12216 Location: Great How Crags SD275999

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fine but very cold. Icy

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Genarally adequate, Inadequate

Cause of Accident: Party reported cragfast in darkness

Outcome/Injury Details: Led to safety, no injuries reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 16, 3hr

035 Hill Walking (6 in Party) 28/02/04 18:25 Man(21)

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Leics

12201 Location: Glenridding Beck NY363172

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear very cold. Frozen

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped from footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L tibia and fibula

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 14, 11/2 hr

March

12366 Location: Whitehaven NX998190

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Call from Whitehaven Police for assistance to search for female

with medical condition who had become unconscious

Outcome/Injury Details: Located unharmed as team assembled

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 8, 1hr; SARDA (Lakes) 2, 1/2 hr

037 Animal Rescue 05/03/04 12:45

12951 Location: Red Pike - High Stile NY164149

Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunny some mist. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Informant reported hearing several shouts for help

Outcome/Injury Details: Found to have been farmers gathering sheep in area - false alarm

good intent

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 5, 1hr

038 Hill Walking (Winter) (2 05/03/04 18:07 Man(40) in Party)

Bolton, G Manchester

12202 Location: Helvellyn NY344151

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light fine clear cold. Icy

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject initially reported separated from companion. Had strayed

from snow-covered main path and fell down face of Helvellyn

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Multiple injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 22, 4hr; Patterdale 14, 5¾ hr; Penrith 15, 5¾ hr; SARDA

(England) 10, 3hr; Boulmer Helicopter

039 Animal Rescue 06/03/04 11:00

13083 Location: Welter Crag, Haweswater NY464134

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cold fair overcast. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Sheep (x2) cragfast on steep, loose crag face

Outcome/Injury Details: Insufficient man-power and equipment to effect recovery as sheep

had move from original location

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 4, 3hr

040 Animal Rescue 06/03/04 13:00

12952 Location: Raven Crag, Fleetwith Pike NY199145

Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunnt. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Sheep (x2) reported stuck on craq

Outcome/Injury Details: Retrieved without loss or injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 2, 2hr

041 Rock Climbing 06/03/04 15:44 Man(53) Ambleside, Cumbria

12120 Location: Raven Crag, Gt Langdale NY286065

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fine clear cool showers. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Lead climber fell 60 ft

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Severe head injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 20, 4hr

042 Search - Non-mountain 06/03/04 15:55 Boy(11) (Solo)

Penrith, Cumbria

12476 Location: Culgaith, Penrith NY597300

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cold showery. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NR, NR

Cause of Accident: Subject reported missing following disagreement with mother.

Reported as dyspraxic and not clothed for conditions

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located sheltering under a bridge

Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 16, ½ hr; Penrith 20, 3¼ hr; SARDA (Lakes) 11, 1¼

hr; North East Police Helicopter

043 Hill Walking 06/03/04 16:27 Woman(50) Birmingham, W Midlands

12121 Location: Dungeon Ghyll, Gt Langdale NY293065

Weather, Ground Conditions: Showers clear. Damp path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 7, 21/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 5, 21/2 hr

044 Hill Walking (6 in Party) 06/03/04 17:43 Woman(27), Girl(10), Southport, Lancs Man(NK)

12203 Location: Helvellyn, Red Tarn NY350155

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry cloudy cold. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: 3 girls separated from group on Striding Edge. Failed to meet up at

Red Tarn. Team alerted but group were found just as search started

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 8, 1hr; SARDA (Lakes) 3, 1/2 hr

045 Search - Mountain 06/03/04 21:06

12277 Location: Raven Crag, Gt Langdale NY285064

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dark cool dry. Dry/wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Campers in valley reported flashing lights on crag

Outcome/Injury Details: Found to be camper on crag face, false alarm good intent

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 6, 11/2 hr

046 Hill Walking 09/03/04 15:28 Man(18) Fakenham, Norfolk

12278 Location: Browny Ghyll, Gt Langdale NY270053

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear dry cold. Dry / wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on steep footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 18, 21/2 hr

047 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 10/03/04 16:10 Three Men(21, 24, 26) Pontefract & Wakefield, S Yorkshire

12367 Location: Low Adam Crag NY157047

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh dry clear cold. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Party wandered from lakeside path and became cragfast

Outcome/Injury Details: Unharmed, assisted down with ropes and transported across lake

by boat

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 14, 31/2 hr

13084 Location: Riggindale, Haweswater NY449144

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh cold overcast drizzle. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Sheep (x1) reported cragfast in gully area

Outcome/Injury Details: Retrieved without loss or injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 1, 5hr

049 Animal Rescue 16/03/04 13:00

12205 Location: Martindale, Ewe Crag NY435176

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm fine clear cold. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Farmer requested team to rescue a sheep which had been cragfast

for fourteen days

Outcome/Injury Details: The sheep was found to be dead

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 4, 1hr

050 Hill Walking (Solo) 17/03/04 01:00 Man(26) NR

12279 Location: Hanging Knotts, Bowfell NY247074

Weather, Ground Conditions: Windy mist wet mild. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject lost between Wasdale and Langdale Outcome/Injury Details: Unharmed, found cragfast, escorted to valley

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 10, 5hr; Langdale Ambleside 7, 8hr; SARDA (Lakes) 7,

6hr; Wasdale 12, 51/2 hr

051 Hill Walking (Solo) 17/03/04 15:55 Man(NK) NR

12369 *Location:* Esk Hause NY233079

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate cloudy cool. Not reported

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject reported himself as exhausted, unable to give accurate

location

Outcome/Injury Details: Found unhurt 1.5 miles away from his believed position after short

search and escorted back to Borro

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 16, 3½ hr; Wasdale 34, 6hr

052 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 19/03/04 13:53 Man(53) Poulton, Lancs

12217 Location: Windy Gap, Coniston Old Man SD285982

Weather, Ground Conditions: Strong Blustery Sghowers. Path

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped and grabbed a rock which sheared, causing the

injury

Outcome/Injury Details: Crushed little finger on R hand

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 8, 1hr

053 Hill Walking (8 in Party) 20/03/04 14:38 Woman(60)

12286 Location: Cautley, Howgills NY691957

Weather, Ground Conditions: Raining windy. Wet slippery path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 12, 21/4 hr; North West Air Ambulance

Newbury, Oxon

12204 Location: Garburn Road, Limefoot Park NY428041

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh hill fog cold. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Group became disorientated in mist on the Knott and came down in

the wrong valley. Team located from compass bearing and

transported back to Patterdale

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 4, 2hr

055 Search - Non-mountain 23/03/04 18:37 Woman(70) (Solo)

Penrith, Cumbria

(Solo

Location: Penrith NY532307

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cold dry overcast. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Vulnerable (DAT) reported overdue from regular walk Outcome/Injury Details: Unharmed when located on another of her regualr walks

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 25, 13/4 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 6, 1hr

056 Hill Walking

25/03/04 14:06 Woman(67)

Chippenham, Wilts

12206

Location: Yewdale Knott NY249183

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear cool. Slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 18, 1hr; North West Air Ambulance

057 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 25/03/04 16:33 Woman(61)

Steeple Aston Bicester,

12953

Location: Scale Force, Buttermere NY151170

Weather, Ground Conditions: Showery. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly adequate, N

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet, greasy ground

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle, airlifted to hospital by Air Ambulance

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 9, 3hr; North West Air Ambulance

058 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 27/03/04 13:44 Man(51)

Whitby, N Yorkshire

12454

Location: Helvellyn, Red Tarn NY352155

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry cloudy cool. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject fell when rock gave way on foot path

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured fibia

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 7, 33/4 hr; Penrith 7, 33/4 hr

059 Animal Rescue

28/03/04 10:15

13085 Location: Welter Crag, Haweswater NY464134

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh dull cool. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Sheep (x2) cragfast high on crag in remote corrie

Outcome/Injury Details: Retrieved without loss or injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 6, 4hr

060 Animal Rescue

28/03/04 16:00

12954 Location: Anglers Crag, Ennerdale NY099150

Weather, Ground Conditions: Drizzle. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Sheep (x2) reported stuck on crag

Outcome/Injury Details: Retrieved without loss or injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 2, 2hr

061 Motor Sport (Large 28/03/04 16:04 Man(31)

12481 Location: Brown Haw SD226935

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light drizzle low cloudcool. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Motocycle rider was apparently travelling at about 30mph when he

went over the handle bars - the bike then ran over his head.

Wigan, Lancs

shoulder and chest

Outcome/Injury Details: Shoulder, chest and back injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 24, 31/2 hr; Valley Helicopter

062 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 28/03/04 18:44 Man(50), Woman(50) Ashton Under Hill, Worcestershire

12213 Location: Broad Crag, Scafell NY224078

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party became lost in cloud; they thought they were on Great End

Outcome/Injury Details: Located safe and well

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 19, 61/2 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 5, 2hr; Wasdale 1, 61/2 hr

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063 Hill Walking 01/04/04 13:04 Woman(68) Keswick, Cumbria

Location: Knotts, Stonethwaite NY267143

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate passing showers clear cool. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet grass

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 14, 3hr; North West Air Ambulance

064 Occupational (Solo) 02/04/04 12:49 Man(NK) NR

12218 Location: Broughton Moor Quarry SD254945

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fine. Level Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Quarryman was drilling into rock when a flake came off hitting him

Outcome/Injury Details: Gash on leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 11, 1hr; North West Air Ambulance

065 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 02/04/04 19:54 Woman(41)

Leeds, W Yorkshire

12208 Location: Garburn Pass NY435044

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry cloudy mild. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject, walking the Kentmere horseshoe, complained of sore feet

on Garburn Pass. Subject found back at vehicle having made their

own way down, breath smelled strongly of alcohol

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 16, 11/2 hr

066 Hill Walking (Large Party)

03/04/04 16:20 Girl(15)

Fife

12258 Location: Greenup Edge, Grasmere SD284103

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet windy dull. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet grass

Outcome/Injury Details: Leg injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 13, 4hr; Langdale Ambleside 17, 6hr

067 Rock Scrambling (2 in 04/04/04 14:22 Party)

12253 Location: Blencathra, Sharp Edge NY326283

Weather, Ground Conditions: Passing showers. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Party of walkers reported two people shouting and making heavy

progress down the steep, narrow and exposed ridge

Outcome/Injury Details: The area was thoroughly checked but nothing was found - false

alarm good intent

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 10, 21/4 hr

068 Local Incident 05/04/04 17:45

12370 Location: Cleator Moor

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear mild. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Search dog reported missing Outcome/Injury Details: Found unhurt in local house

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 29, 1hr

069 Hill Walking 06/04/04 11:50 Woman(52) Brockham, Surrey

12261 Location: Stickle Ghyll, Gt Langdale NY294069

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloudy cold showers. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on a footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Injuries to wrist and arm

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 13, 21/2 hr

070 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 08/04/04 17:00 Man(55) Southport, Lancs

12455 Location: Aira Force, High Force Gorge NY400209

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm fine broken cloud mild. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped into gorge Outcome/Injury Details: Grazes and cuts to hands

Teams. No members, Duration: Patterdale 10, 1hr; Northumbria Air Ambulance

071 Hill Walking (6 in Party) 08/04/04 19:11 Man(71)

Leeds, W Yorkshire

12262 Location: Far Easedale, Grasmere NY312096

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry dull cool. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed, taken ill while walking, unable to continue

Outcome/Injury Details: NR

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 1, 3hr; Gannet Helicopter

072 Hill Walking (Solo) 09/04/04 17:09 Man(79) Croydon

12254 Location: Rosthwaite - Watendlath NY263155

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry cool. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: On his return trip, subject unable to continue

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 20, 1hr

073 Rock Scrambling 10/04/04 13:20 Man(43) Hull, Humberside

12263 Location: Pavey Ark, Jacks Rake NY285079

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light fine dull. Wet in places

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped and fell 70 - 100 ft from scramble Outcome/Injury Details: Multiple injuries to head, body, spine and neck

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 23, 31/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

074 Hill Walking 10/04/04 14:30 Woman(31) Liverpool, Merseyside

12456 Location: Whiteside Bank NY338163

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear warm. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject damaged her knee while walking

Outcome/Injury Details: Torn ligaments. Helicopter assisted on way back from another

incident

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 13, 13/4 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

075 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 10/04/04 20:20 Man(41) NR

12457 Location: Barton Fell, Ullswater NY462211

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry broken cloud cool. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject collasped while out walking with family

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL cause nor reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 14, 4hr; SARDA (Lakes) 3, 3/4 hr

076 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 11/04/04 02:00 Two Men(NK, NK) NR

12371 Location: Scafell Pike NY215073

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party doing the '3 Peaks' reported shouts for help on Scafell Pike.

Further call from the Police reporting 2 males overdue on Scafell

Pike

Outcome/Injury Details: Thorough search revealed nothing and missing persons turned up

safe and well

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 9, 51/2 hr

077 Hill Walking (8 in Party) 11/04/04 13:56 Boy(13) Wanstead, Essex

12458 Location: Brotherswater NY402127

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear cool. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject (ATC cadet) slipped from path

Outcome/Injury Details: Back injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 15, 11/2 hr

078 Hill Walking 11/04/04 14:40 Woman(59) Worsley, G Manchester

12264 Location: Silver Howe, Grasmere NY329068

Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunny bright dry. Slightly damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on hillside

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 20, 3hr

(Solo)

12955 Location: Allonby, Cumbria NY082430

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny periods. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject reported missing from home

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 5, 23/4 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 5, 2hr

080 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 12/04/04 14:15 Woman(84)

Newcastle, Tyne & Wear

12459 Location: Aira Force, Ullswater NY398205 Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear mild. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject collasped while walking with husband

Outcome/Injury Details: Collasped with breathing difficulties

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 18, 1hr

081 Rock Climbing 12/04/04 16:50 Man(24) Cambridge

12265 Location: Lower Scout Crag, Gt Langdale NY298067

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear. Dry Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Lead climber fell whilst climbing

Outcome/Injury Details: Multiple injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 20, 1hr; Boulmer Helicopter

082 Hill Walking 12/04/04 21:00 Man(44) Kendal, Cumbria

12266 Location: Angle Tarn, Gt Langdale NY245078

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry cool dark. Dry

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject phoned to report he was exhausted

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 8, 11/2 hr

083 Hill Walking (Solo) 14/04/04 10:00 Man(42) London

12372 Location: Crinkle Crags NY250048

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject failed to return after walk over Crinkle Crags Outcome/Injury Details: Turned up safe and well as search was commencing

NR

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 1, 11/2 hr; Wasdale 20, 11/2 hr

084 Rock Scrambling (Solo) 14/04/04 18:17 Man(29) Brighton, Sussex

12267 Location: Pavey Ark, Jacks Rake NY285078

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry good clear. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject cragfast halfway up the rake

Outcome/Injury Details: Led to safety without injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 15, 31/2 hr

085 Motor Sport (4 in Party) 15/04/04 19:00 Man(50)

12255 Location: Walna Scar Road SD281966

Weather, Ground Conditions: Good. Good Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, NK

Cause of Accident: Vehicles stuck on road and light failing

Outcome/Injury Details: No injuries reported

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 1, 1hr 086 Search - Non-mountain 16/04/04 00:05 Man(81) Workington, Cumbria (Solo) 12968 Location: Barepot, Workington NY016292 Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A Cause of Accident: Requested to assist police search for despondent reported missing from home Outcome/Injury Details: Turned up having travelled to London! Teams, No members, Duration: SARDA (Lakes) 6, 4hr

087 Hill Walking (Large Party)

17/04/04 18:00 Six Men(NK), Five Women(NK)

Whitley Bay, Tyne & Wear

12314 Location: Geltsdale NY568543

Weather, Ground Conditions: Overcast cold breezy. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Adequate, adequate

Cause of Accident: Party reported overdue on walk

Outcome/Injury Details: Taken wrong route and returned to starting point, located soon afetr

deploying searchers

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 2, 1/2 hr

088 Mountain Biking 18/04/04 12:37 Man(26)

Glossop, Derbyshire

12319 Location: Castle Crag, Allerdale Ramble NY247157

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear cool. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Rider fell from his bike while descending the rocky track

Outcome/Injury Details: Injured pelvis

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 20, 21/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter Boulmer Helicopter

089 Local Incident 19/04/04 14:00

12259 Location: Devils Bridge, Kirkby Lonsdale SD616782

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear mild. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Cumbria Ambulance requested assistance in moving casualty from

steep ground at Devil's Bridge, local beauty spot

Outcome/Injury Details: The Team was stood down 10 mins after vehicle deployment

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 13, 1hr

090 Hill Walking

21/04/04 14:02 Man(29)

Gateshead, Tyne & Wear

12460 *Location:* Dove Crag NY376109

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh rain low cloud. Loose

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped and fell on rough ground suffering multiple injuries

Outcome/Injury Details: Back and shoulder injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 4, 4½ hr; Patterdale 11, 4½ hr; Boulmer

Helicopter Valley Helicopter

091 Hill Walking (Large Party)

21/04/04 15:20 Boy(13)

NR

12373 Location: Black Sail NY195124

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject became separated from large party and descended to

Date & Time Home Town Sex & Age Type

wrong valley

Outcome/Injury Details: Team located main party and arranged for the boy to be picked up

and reunited with the rest of the p

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 6, 11/2 hr

092 Hill Walking 23/04/04 17:31 Man(23) London

12379 Location: Taylorgill Force, Borrowdale NY229109

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry. Wet slippery Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on steep grass while off-route

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured leg Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 27, 21/2 hr

093 Mountain Biking 24/04/04 13:32 Man(34) Keswick, Cumbria

12380 Location: Greta Gorge Cycle Track NY282139

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear warm. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Rider found by passing walkers in a collapsed condition

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Heart attack

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 21, 11/2 hr; North East Air Ambulance

094 Rock Climbing 25/04/04 13:40 Woman(NK) NR

12268 Location: Gimmer Crag, Gt Langdale NY277070

Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm sunny clear. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Climber reported having got her leg stuck on rock climb

Outcome/Injury Details: Prior to arrival of team, climber freed her foot without injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 16, 1hr; Langdale Ambleside 17, 2hr

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095 Hill Walking 01/05/04 15:35

Location: Helvellyn, High Spying How NY350149 12461

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear mild. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Member of public reported seeing person fall about 500ft from

Helvellyn

Outcome/Injury Details: Following investigation, it was established as a rucsac that had

fallen

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 11, 2hr; Boulmer Helicopter

096 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 01/05/04 15:38 Woman(36)

Carlisle, Cumbria

Location: Scarth Gap, Buttermere NY189133 12956 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 23, 2hr

097 Rock Scrambling (3 in 02/05/04 14:26 Two Men(31, 57) Carnforth and Morecambe, Lancs

Party)

12280 Location: Kilnshaw Chimney, Red Screes NY398085

Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm sunny dry. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Two of party received minor injuries following rockfall in gully

Outcome/Injury Details: Injuries to shoulder and knee

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 12, 3hr; Langdale Ambleside 13, 3hr

098 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 02/05/04 15:08 Man(NK)

NR

12374 Location: Great Gable NY214196

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate dry clear mild. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject reported to have sustained a tumble - fall Outcome/Injury Details: Evacuated by helicopter but injuries not reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 22, 2hr; Boulmer Helicopter

099 Hill Walking (Solo) 02/05/04 22:10 Man(45) NR

12482 *Location:* Ulpha SD199936

Weather, Ground Conditions:

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Team contacted by Wasdale team leader to carry out search Outcome/Injury Details: Subject turned up safe and well as team being mobilised

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 1, hr; Wasdale 1, hr

100 Motor Sport 03/05/04 15:36 Man(23) Frizington, Cumbria

12957 Location: Frizington NY044167

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject fell off back of motorcycle on track

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 28, 11/2 hr

101 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 03/05/04 18:44 Man(25) York

12462 Location: Grisedale NY381159

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear cool. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject stuck on path following accident

Outcome/Injury Details: ankle injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 15, 1hr

102 Hill Walking (Solo) 05/05/04 19:48 Man(33) Cannington, Somerset

12381 *Location:* Esk Hause NY234083

Weather, Ground Conditions: Showers. Slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject unable to continue due to exhaustion Outcome/Injury Details: He was given assistance and walked down

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 17, 3hr

103 Hill Walking (Solo) 05/05/04 20:20 Woman(NK) London

12281 Location: Mart Crag, Gt Langdale NY266082

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear dull dry. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Poor

Cause of Accident: Subject reported herself lost, poor navigation cited

Outcome/Injury Details: Located and escorted from hills unharmed

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 4, 21/2 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 21/2 hr

Date & Time Home Town No. Rock Climbing (5 in 06/05/04 19:10 Man(40) Cockermouth, Cumbria Party) Location: Shepherds Crag, Borrowdale NY263185 12320 Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear mild. Dry Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good Cause of Accident: Subject fell from 'The Grasp', Shepherds Crag onto boulders Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 21, 11/2 hr 105 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 07/05/04 15:33 Woman(47) Wirral, Cheshire Location: Fleetwith Pike, Buttermere NY203143 12958 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny. Dry Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: More than adequate, N/A Cause of Accident: Subject fell backwards over craggy section on descent Outcome/Injury Details: Head injury Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 25, 3hr; Boulmer Helicopter 106 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 08/05/04 18:10 Man(50), Three Cambridge & Downham Women(50, 50, 23) Mkt, Norfolk Location: Blencathra, Halls Fell NY324271 12321 Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate drizzle clear mild. Loose slippery Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate Cause of Accident: Exhausted walkers found off-route Outcome/Injury Details: All unharmed Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 18, 2hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 31/2 hr 107 Hill Walking (Solo) 09/05/04 19:20 Man(64) Lancs 12506 Location: Mallerstang NY774088 Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunny clear dry. Firm dry paths Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: More than adequate, Good Cause of Accident: Subject reported overdue, separated from large party on ramble Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 15, ½ hr Aircrash - Civil (2 in 10/05/04 14:38 Two Men(NK, NK) NR Party) Location: Mosedale NY336322 12323 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry and clear. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Civilian helicopter crashed after mechanical failure Outcome/Injury Details: After crashing, passengers escaped aircraft prior to helicopter

rolled down hillside. Casualties tak

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 24, 31/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

109 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 11/05/04 15:35 Woman(70)

Middlesbrough, Cleveland

12324 Location: Dollywaggon Pike NY348126

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry and clear. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped backwards, injuring her lower right leg. Attended by

a doctor at scene before arrival of the team. Team evacuated

casualty to Dunmail Raise

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R tibia and fibula

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 29, 31/2 hr 110 Rock Climbing (2 in 11/05/04 18:50 Man(40) Keswick, Cumbria Party) 12325 Location: Quayfoot Buttress, Borrowdale NY253168 Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm and dry. Dry Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate Cause of Accident: Climber took leader fall whilst climbing 'Aberration' falling some 20 ft, pulling out some of his gear and hitting the ground Outcome/Injury Details: Compound fracture of L lower leg, fracture of R leg Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 29, 13/4 hr 111 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 13/05/04 12:40 Woman(54) London Location: Scale Force, Buttermere NY153174 12959 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly inadequate, Inadequate Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on grass near popular waterfall Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L tibia and fibula Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 21, 21/4 hr 112 Local Incident 15/05/04 16:55 Man(75) Barrow, Cumbria 12375 Location: Eskdale NY175002 Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Subject reported to have fallen 8 m from bridge into deep water Outcome/Iniury Details: Brought to bank before team arrived and taken to hospital by ambulance with slight head injuries Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 11, 11/2 hr 113 Hill Walking (D of E) 16/05/04 10:00 Girl(14) Milnthorpe, Cumbria Location: Boredale Hause, Ullswater NY408157 12463 Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear mild. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK Cause of Accident: Subject collasped whilst walking Outcome/Injury Details: Cause not reported Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 6, 1¾ hr; Penrith 10, 1¾ hr; Boulmer Helicopter 114 Fell Running 16/05/04 15:23 Man(37) Llandeilo (Organised Event) 12282 Location: Brock Crags, Ambleside NY375070 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear warm. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK Cause of Accident: Competitor in 'Fairfield Race' collapsed Outcome/Injury Details: Exhaustion Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 9, 3hr; Langdale Ambleside 14, 21/2 hr 115 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 17/05/04 13:06 Man(68) Lowerdtoft, Suffolk 12464 Location: Ullswater, Sandwick NY414192 Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear warm. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL cause not reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 15, 21/4 hr

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed on the Howtown to Patterdale shore path

12283 Location: Pike O Stickle, Gt Langdale NY274073

Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm sunny dry clear. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed ('black out') and fell. During attempt to evacuate,

the helicopter sustained damage and injured a MR member (see

following incident report)

Outcome/Injury Details: Multiple injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 12, 3hr; Kendal 6, 7hr; Langdale Ambleside 17, 7hr;

Gannet Helicopter

117 Aircrash - Military (6 in 17/05/04 15:53 Man(38)

Kendal, Cumbria

Party) 12284

Location: Pike O Stickle, Gt Langdale NY274073

Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunny clear dry. Dry Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r. Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Whilst deploying MR members to previous incident, the rotor blades

struck the cragface. The aircraft maneovered immediately to land in the valley but the MR member on the winch-hoist fell whilst escaping

the strop

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured spine L5, unstable, fractured wrist, neck injuries Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 6, 4hr; Kendal 14, 5hr; Langdale Ambleside 17, 4hr; Boulmer Helicopter

118 Rock Scrambling

18/05/04 13:16 Man(30)

Leeming, N Yorkshire

12285 Location: Pike O Stickle, Gt Langdale NY274073

Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm sunny clear dry. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject fell 100 ft while gathering evidence related to helicopter

accident in previous incident

Outcome/Injury Details: Multiple injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 11, 3hr; Langdale Ambleside 14, 3½ hr; RAF Leeming 1,

31/2 hr; Gannet Helicopter

119 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 21/05/04 14:00 Woman(31)

Bradford, N Yorkshire

12316

6 Location: Dow Crag SD264977 Weather, Ground Conditions: Good. Broken

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

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Cause of Accident: Subject fell about 20 ft scrambling

Outcome/Injury Details: Open fracture of R lower leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 13, 3hr; Boulmer Helicopter

120 Animal Rescue

22/05/04 11:20

13086 Location: Piot Crag, Mardale, Haweswater NY454103

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh overcast cool. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Sheep (x3) reported cragfast in two separate location

Outcome/Injury Details: All retrieved without loss or injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 2, 2hr

121 Hill Walking (Solo)

22/05/04 14:12 Man(53)

Cockermouth, Cumbria

12326

Location: Sleet How, Grisedale Pike NY205227

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry and sunny. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped and fell Outcome/Injury Details: Soft tissue injury to hand

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 8, 21/2 hr

122 Hill Walking (6 in Party) 22/05/04 14:35 Man(76)

Birmingham, Warwickshire

12327 Location: Falcon Crag, Borrowdale NY272204

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry and warm. Dry Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed with breathing difficulties as a result of a medical

problem and was unconscious for a short while

Outcome/Injury Details: Breathing difficulties - due to previous medical history, air

ambulance was used for evacuation

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 9, 2hr; North East Air Ambulance

123 Hill Walking (Ramblers) 23/05/04 14:30 Man(73)

Nelson, Lancs

Wigan, Lancs

12483 *Location:* Rowfold SD204893

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm fine clear warm. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject taken ill whilst walking uphill then feeling unwell (weak and

sick) and sat down to rest. He then 'passed out'

Outcome/Injury Details: Mild heart attack or stroke Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 15, 11/4 hr

124 Hill Walking 27/05/04 16:49 Man(65)

12960 Location: Little Round Howe, Buttermere NY207133

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed on footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL heart attack

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 20, 1hr; Boulmer Helicopter North West Air

Ambulance

125 Hill Walking 27/05/04 23:00 Man(29) Carlisle, Cumbria

12465 Location: Helvellyn NY341152

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh dry clear cool. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject reported overdue when he failed to return from a hill walk

Outcome/Injury Details: Located early morning following day and night in stream bed

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 6, 7½ hr; Patterdale 15, 7½ hr; Penrith 8, 7½ hr; SARDA (Lakes) 5, 4½ hr; Boulmer Helicopter

126 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 30/05/04 11:19 Man(20)

Cirencester, Glos

12961 Location: Haystacks, Ennerdale NY197128

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject tripped and fell 20 ft down craggy ground

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 25, 31/4 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

127 Rock Climbing 30/05/04 14:09 Girl(13) Warminster, Wilts

12487 Location: Pavey Ark, Gt Langdale NY285078

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, NK

Cause of Accident: Climber fell whilst traversing 'Crescent Slabs'

Outcome/Injury Details: She was lowered off and flown to hospital by helicopter suffering

from a fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 12, 2hr; Boulmer Helicopter

128 Hill Walking 31/05/04 10:32 Woman(71) Keswick, Cumbria

12382 Location: Derwentwater - Calfclose Bay NY270215

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear warm. Dry slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject fell over

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured neck of femur

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 15, 1hr

129 Animal Rescue (2 in 31/05/04 13:55

Party)

12466 Location: Birkhouse Moor NY365143

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear hot. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Large dog suffering with heat exhustion

Outcome/Injury Details: Not reported Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 4, 1hr

130 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 31/05/04 14:05 Woman(45) Bath, Avon

12317 Location: Brown Pike SD262963

Weather, Ground Conditions: Good. Good

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 13, 3hr; North West Air Ambulance

131 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 31/05/04 15:30 Man(80)

Nottingham, Notts

12467 Location: Helvellyn, Swirral Edge NY341153

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear hot. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on path injuring his knee

Outcome/Injury Details: Soft tissue injury in L leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 13, 4hr

June

132 Hill Walking 01/06/04 17:41 Woman(54) Dartford, Kent

12479 Location: Gt Langdale NY288058

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Wet

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet fellside

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 13, 2hr

133 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 03/06/04 11:00 Four Men(68, 63, NK, Hebden Bridge & Halifax, NK) W Yorkshire

12383 Location: Steel Fell NY323117

Weather, Ground Conditions: Rain hill fog. Slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Leading walker fell, crashing into three others making them tumble

with him. One person injured trying to arrest the first to fall

Outcome/Injury Details: Bumps and bruises Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 12, 1½ hr

Date & Time Home Town No. 134 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 04/06/04 17:17 Boy(9) NR Location: Esk Hause NY235083 12384 Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: A father and son became separated. Father remained on hill Outcome/Injury Details: Son turned up safe and well at Wasdale Head! Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 22, 1hr; SARDA (Lakes) 2, 1hr; Wasdale 12, 1hr Hill Walking (Large 05/06/04 14:58 Man(71) Derby Party) Location: Far Easedale, Grasmere NY294104 12335 Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear. Dry Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Good, NK Cause of Accident: Subject slipped and then tripped; initial treatment rendered by party Outcome/Injury Details: Twisted knee Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 13, 31/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 17, 5hr; North West Air Ambulance 136 Rock Climbing (2 in 05/06/04 21:34 Two Men(53, 59) Creaton & Kingsthorpe, Party) **Northants** 12962 Location: Pillar Rock, Ennerdale NY172124 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry. Not reported Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A Cause of Accident: Party of climbers reported overdue after difficulties on North climb Outcome/Iniury Details: Turned up safe and well at Black Sail at 23:00 Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 19, 23/4 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 2hr; Boulmer Helicopter North West Air Ambulance 137 Hang-gliding (2 in Party) 06/06/04 13:25 Man(42) **Bothel, Cumbria** Location: Binsey NY224355 12963 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry cloudy. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A Cause of Accident: Hang glider crashed into top of Binsey Outcome/Injury Details: Tension pneumothorax, fractured ribs, head injury Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 20, 1½ hr; Boulmer Helicopter North West Air **Ambulance** 138 Hill Walking (Organised 06/06/04 15:00 Man(55) Slyne, Lancs Event) 12507 Location: Nine Standards Rigg NY824064 Weather, Ground Conditions: Light clear dry. Dry firm grass Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed during walking/running event Outcome/Injury Details: Heat exhaustion Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 20, 11/2 hr 06/06/04 16:25 Man(29) 139 Hill Walking (Solo) NR

12377 Location: Great Gable NY214098

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate drizzle cloudy mild. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject became lost while decending Great Gable. Remained on

scree slope in mobile phone contact with MRT

Outcome/Injury Details: Assisted to Styhead and escorted down by Keswick MRT

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 4, 51/2 hr; Wasdale 16, 51/2 hr

140 Mountain Biking 06/06/04 21:00 Man(32)

12468 Location: Thornthwaite Beacon NY431100

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate dry hill fog cool. Dry

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Rider reported lost in hill fog

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 15, 4hr

141 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 07/06/04 15:07 Man(59)

Location: Dent Fell NY038132 12378

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear warm. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed while walking, taken from fellside by air

ambulance before team arrived

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Heart attack

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 20, 1hr; North West Air Ambulance

142 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 08/06/04 14:35 Woman(62) Lancaster, Lancs

12477 Location: Kidsty Pike, Haweswater NY456127

Weather, Ground Conditions: Good hazt sunshine. Good

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject tripped on footpath, had breathing difficulties; colleagues

encouraged her to continue walking

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ribs

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 15, 31/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

143 Search - Mountain 08/06/04 18:00

12478 Location: Barton Fell NY461201

Weather, Ground Conditions: Good hazy sunshine. Good

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Requested by police to locate 25lb WWII shell reportedly found by

walkers

Outcome/Injury Details: Located and cordoned off. Returned following day to guide Bomb

Disposal team to site for safe remova

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 7, 3hr

Mountain Biking (Organised Event) 12/06/04 12:12 Man(49)

Ulverston, Cumbria

Macklesfield, Lancs

NR

Location: Burnmoor NY180046 12439

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear warm. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Mountain biker on organised event went over handlebars sustaining

head injury

Outcome/Injury Details: Met by team while walking down. Treated and assessed by team

doctor and given lift (with bike) back

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 11, 1hr

145 Hill Walking 15/06/04 15:20 Girl(17) Skipton, N Yorkshire

Location: White Moss Common, Rydal NY340059 12488

Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm sunny. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject taken ill whilst walking

Outcome/Injury Details: Asthma attack

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 15, 2hr

146 Hill Walking 15/06/04 17:19 Woman(46) Briston, Norfolk

12508 Location: Dob Gill, Thirlmere NY316136

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear warm. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Inadequate, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 19, 11/2 hr

147 Local Incident 15/06/04 19:29 Woman(44) Stourbridge, W Midlands

12489 Location: Roundhill Farm, Kirkstone NY386050

Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunny warm. Dry Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped whilst walking dog

Outcome/Injury Details: Wrist and knee injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 11/2 hr

148 Local Incident 20/06/04 08:37

12490 Location: Kirkstone Pass, Ambleside NY395070

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Requested by police to search for possible passenger of car that

had ran off the road

Outcome/Injury Details: Nothing found - false alarm good intent

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 10, 31/2 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 4, 1hr

149 Hill Walking (Solo) 20/06/04 22:25 Man(46)

Northwich, Cheshire

12509 Location: Helvellyn NY341152

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear cool. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject left Keswick in a suicidal state. His car was located at

Wythburn with a note inside

Outcome/Injury Details: He was found on the summit waiting for his last sunrise, escorted off

the fells

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 24, 7¾ hr; Langdale Ambleside 10, 1½ hr; Patterdale 13,

2¾ hr; SARDA (Lakes) 7, 4hr

150 Search - Non-mountain 21/06/04 18:30 Woman(56) (Solo)

Broughton, Cumbria

12484 *Location:* East Park, Broughton SD214878

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm warm. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Local lady (with 2 new hips) walked from home (after drinking a lot

to numb the pain)

Outcome/Injury Details: She was found unconscious in a field without injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 13, 3/4 hr

151 Search - Non-mountain 22/06/04 19:45 Boy(5) (Solo)

Millom, Cumbria

12485 Location: Millom Marsh SD176803

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Child (severe autistic) reported missing from home. Last seen

heading in the general direction of Millom marsh. Strong aversion in

coming into contact with people, would hide if approached

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 23, 1hr

152 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 23/06/04 13:47 Man(46)

Beckermet, Cumbria

12529 Location: Scafell Pike, Hollowstones NY207071

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light drizzle hill fog cool. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed while fellwalking. Regained consciousness after

taking glucose but complained of chest pain

Outcome/Injury Details: Diabetic collapse and subsequent MI. Carried to below cloud level

and evacuated by helicopter

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 20, 4hr; Boulmer Helicopter

153 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 23/06/04 19:05 Woman(39)

Leicester

12486 Location: Seathwaite Crags SD240979

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light passing showers mild. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Poor

Cause of Accident: Subject reported missing after leaving the party to head back to the

car. She was not back at the car 8 hours later

Outcome/Injury Details: She was however found in pub in Kirkby (12 miles away)

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 31, 4hr; SARDA (Lakes) 4, 3/4 hr

154 Hill Walking (Solo)

26/06/04 22:00 Man(36)

NR

12527

No.

Location: Scafell Pike NY215074

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate rain poor mild. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject on the '3 Peak Challenge' event reported overdue

Outcome/Injury Details: Subject made own way down to rejoin party in Borrowdale

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 12, 12hr

155 Hill Walking (D of E) (5 26/06/04 22:12 Girl(16), Four in Party) Boys(All 16)

Brampton, Cumbria

12491

Location: Easedale Tarn, Grasmere NY308087

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Party reported overdue on walk

Outcome/Injury Details: When located it appears they walked in a circle, all were safe and

well

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 14, 5hr; Keswick 11, 13/4 hr; Langdale Ambleside 13, 51/2 hr;

SARDA (Lakes) 5, 21/2 hr

156 Hill Walking (Challenge 27/06/04 10:45 Three Men(All NK), NR Event) Woman(NK)

12528 Location: Scafell Pike NY215074

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate dry clear mild. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party of 4 '3 Peak' walkers decided to descend by a different route

because path was slippery

Outcome/Injury Details: Descended into wrong valley but made way to local inn. Rescue

Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town No. Type

team arranged transport

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 14, 11/2 hr

157 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 27/06/04 15:50 Woman(55)

12471 Location: Levers Hause SD275994

Weather, Ground Conditions: Good. Path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on grass

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 16, 2hr

158 Hill Walking 28/06/04 14:56 Man(48) Leeds, W Yorkshire

12492 Location: Stickle Tarn, Gt Langdale NY288075

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear dry turning to rain. Good wet in places

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet rock

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured lower leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 12, 1hr; North West Air Ambulance

159 Hill Walking 28/06/04 15:47 Woman(54) Grimsby, Humberside

12493 Location: Stickle Ghyll, Gt Langdale NY289073

Weather, Ground Conditions: Rain cool. Wet slippery Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly adequate, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet rock

Outcome/Injury Details: Initially helped off the fellside, but later stretchered off with a

sprained ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 18, 21/2 hr

160 Hill Walking 28/06/04 15:53 Woman(61) Derby

12494 Location: Heron Pike, Ambleside NY356089

Weather, Ground Conditions: Rain cool, Wet but good in places

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject tripped on fellside path

Outcome/Injury Details: Dislocated shoulder

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 14, 41/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 8, 31/2 hr; North West Air

Ambulance

161 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 30/06/04 09:35 Man(18)

Bridgemouth, Shropshire

12469 Location: Tranearth SD285955

Weather, Ground Conditions: Very wet. Very wet Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped crossing stream

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 10, 2hr

July

02/07/04 14:15 Woman(64) 162 Hill Walking

Wakefiled, W Yorkshire

Doncaster, S Yorkshire

Location: Torver Common Wood SD301946 12470

Weather, Ground Conditions: Good. Path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on rock on path

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 10, 11/4 hr

12495 Location: Calf Crag, Far Easedale NY298105

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cool windy rain. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet fellside

Outcome/Injury Details: Twisted ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 8, 4½ hr; Kirkby Stephen 9, 4½ hr; Langdale Ambleside 14,

4½ hr

164 Search - Non-mountain 02/07/04 21:30 Man(45) (Solo)

Milnthorpe, Cumbria

12516

Location: Gilpin Bridge, Kent Estuary SD462846

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh passing showers low cloud mild humid. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Local man clinical depression abandoned vehicle, considered

potentially suicidial

Outcome/Injury Details: Subject turned up at The Samaritans in Lancaster the following

morning

Teams, No members, Duration: Bowland- Pennine 15, 7hr; Duddon & Furness 15, 14hr; Kendal 20,

14hr; Kirkby Stephen 13, 6hr; Penrith 10, 7hr; SARDA (England) 1, ½ hr; SARDA (Lakes) 9, 5hr; Duddon & Furness 22, 12hr; Valley

Helicopter

165 Hill Walking

05/07/04 21:00 Man(68)

NR

12496

Location: Bowfell, Gt Langdale NY248063

Weather, Ground Conditions: Thick mist. Wet in places

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Poor to adequate, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject became separated from colleagues in descent after going

ahead and not being at intended rendezvous

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 13, 21/2 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 3, 1/2 hr

166 Local Incident (Solo) 07/0

olo) 07/07/04 18:00

12517 Location: Kirkby Lonsdale SD612789

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear mild bright. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Police apprehended a subject from special school who was

threatning self-harm, namely to throw himself in the river. The team

were asked to assist safeguard him

Outcome/Injury Details: Subject was arrested as team arrived

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 5, 11/2 hr

167 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 09/07/04 08:21 Woman(38)

Berlin, Germany

12497 *Location:* Far Easedale, Grasmere NY291105

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dull cool dry. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject had slipped the previous evening preventing her completing

the walk. She camped overnight with friend who went for help at day

break

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 10, 41/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 13, 41/2 hr; North West Air

Ambulance

12498 Location: Claife Heights, Windermere NY388979

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny warm. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject fell on footpath, reported being dizzy after banging her head

Outcome/Injury Details: Dizzy

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 12, 2hr

169 Hill Walking (Solo) 10/07/04 17:00 Man(NK)

Dewsbury, S Yorkshire

12564 Location: Witherslack SD428855

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear mild bright. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject became lost several times, he eventually phoned police for

MR assistance

Outcome/Injury Details: After long telephone conversations, the person was picked up by

team vehicle & returned to his car

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 2, 11/4 hr

170 Hill Walking 11/07/04 14:53 Man(86) Preston, Lancs

12499 Location: White Moss Common, Rydal NY345060

Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm sunny dry. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject tripped on rough, stony footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Superficial injuries to head, hand, chest

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 13, 11/2 hr; RAF Leeming 4, 11/2 hr

171 Hill Walking 15/07/04 10:45 Man(56) Caerwent

12518 Location: Grainsgill Beck, Mosedale NY315330

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry warm. Dry

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject (diagnosed epileptic) suffered a seizure, followed by a fall

Outcome/Injury Details: Post-seizure unsteadiness, cut lip and grazed knee

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 14, 21/4 hr

172 Hill Walking (Large 15/07/04 12:40 Girl(16) Wigan, Lancs Party)

12512 Location: Tilberthwaite Ghyll NY306010

Weather, Ground Conditions: Rain. Broken beck bed

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Inadequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped in beck and caught ankle between stones

Outcome/Injury Details: R ankle injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 10, 11/4 hr

173 Hill Walking 15/07/04 13:32 Woman(52) Coventry, W Midlands

12519 Location: Skiddaw (summit) NY265280

Weather, Ground Conditions: Broken cloud warm. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on rock and took a tumbling fall

Outcome/Injury Details: Deep gash to scalp, concussion and a cut to her R hand

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 16, 21/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter North West Air Ambulance

174 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 15/07/04 18:07 Man(18), Woman(18) Scunthorpe, Lincs.

12520 Location: Ullock Pike NY243287

Weather, Ground Conditions: Drizzle cool. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, Poor

Cause of Accident: The party strayed from the path into steep ground and became

Date & Time Home Town No. Sex & Age Type

16/07/04 21:33 Woman(42)

cragfast

Outcome/Injury Details: Both unharmed, lead to safety

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 13, 21/2 hr

13021

Party)

175 Local Incident (5 in

Location: Grisebeck, Crooked Birch Farm SD266873 Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear mild. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, NK

Cause of Accident: Family party playing in a river. Mother was returning to the bank.

landing in a shallow part resulting in an injury

Outcome/Injury Details: Fracture - dislocation of ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 19, 2hr

176 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 17/07/04 14:00 Woman(47)

Bolton, Lancs

Subberthwaite, Cumbria

Location: Dow Crag, Easy Gully (top) SD262976 12562

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear. Rough Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on path and leg gave way

Outcome/Injury Details: Cut on R knee cap

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 12, 3hr; Boulmer Helicopter

177 Hill Walking (D of E) (9 17/07/04 21:06 in Party)

12569 Location: Bowfell, Gt Langdale NY245063

Weather, Ground Conditions: Rain low mist. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Party (3 adults and 6 students) reported themselves lost in mist

Outcome/Injury Details: Located and escorted to valley level

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 12, 51/2 hr

178 Rock Climbing 18/07/04 20:00 Man(29) Egremont, Cumbria

12530 Location: Brantrake Craq, Eskdale NY145985

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear mild. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject fell near bottom of climb Outcome/Injury Details: Fracture / dislocation of L ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 19, 21/2 hr

179 Local Incident (5 in 19/07/04 16:30 Boy(10) Keswick, Cumbria Party)

12591 Location: Black Moss Pot, Langstrath NY267114

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm fine clear hot. Rough slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All inadequate, Inadequate

Cause of Accident: Boy playing in river dropped stone on foot

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured foot Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 16, 21/2 hr

12533 Location: Haweswater NY496143

Weather, Ground Conditions: Overcast showers mild. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Inadequate

Cause of Accident: Alerted by hotel guest to person calling for help from far side of lake

Outcome/Injury Details: When located found to be disorientated and exhausted but

uninjuried

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 15, 11/2 hr

181 Hill Walking (Ramblers) 21/07/04 16:09 Woman(30)

Penrith, Cumbria

12592 Location: Hinde Ghyll, Seathwaite, Borrowdale NY235116

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fine warm & dry. Rocky Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Adequate to good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on rocky path

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 15, 3hr; Gannet Helicopter

182 Hill Walking (5 in Party) 22/07/04 00:45 Man(59)

NR

13138 Location: Longcrag, Eskdale NY231049

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject, in party of 5 doing Mountain Leader night navigation

collapsed with stomach pain and was reported to be unconscious

Outcome/Injury Details: Evacuated to hospital by helicopter suffering from stomach pains

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 14, 41/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

183 Hill Walking 22/07/04 16:30

12681 Location: Kailpot Crag NY433204

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear mild. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Subject reported with leg injury

Outcome/Injury Details: Outcome not reported Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 10, ½ hr

184 Hill Walking (Large

24/07/04 12:50 Woman(67)

Spalding, Lincs

Party)

12683 Location: Hatrsop Above How NY398135

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry cool overcast. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on path

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R fibula Teams. No members, Duration: Patterdale 11, 21/4 hr

185 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 24/07/04 13:40 Man(25)

Penrith, Cumbria

12579 Location: Stankirth Gorge, Kirkby Stephen NY772074

Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm dry. Rocky riverbed Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped while walking or jumping over riverbed

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 10, 1hr

186 Hill Walking (Solo) 24/07/04 13:59 Man(58)

Bolton, G Manchester

12570 Location: High Sweden Bridge, Ambleside NY379068

Weather, Ground Conditions: Hot sunny. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject had stopped for refreshments and was seen to collapse;

Date & Time Home Town No. Sex & Age Type

death certfied at scene by MR doctor

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Unspecified medical condition

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 1, 21/2 hr

187 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 25/07/04 14:39 Two Women(40, NK) Wigton, Cumbria

12684 Location: Bonscale Tower, Swarthbeck NY453203

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry cool. Loose

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party lost their way and got on to steep ground. One woman

suffered from vertigo

Outcome/Injury Details: Both unharmed, led to safety

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 14, 21/4 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 3, 3hr

188 Mountain Biking (2 in 26/07/04 20:30 Two Men(47, 34) Leeds, W Yorkshire

Party)

12568 Location: Winder, Sedbergh SD655935

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry broken cloud mild. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Poor

Cause of Accident: Party became separated on descent from hilltop

Outcome/Injury Details: One continued to Dent and called the police. Other had traced route

back to the Calf looking for com

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 11, 21/2 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 1hr

189 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 27/07/04 12:45 Woman(41)

Bladen, Tyne & Wear

Dumbarton, Strathclyde

12567 Location: Blawith Common SD282900

Weather, Ground Conditions: Good. On path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject suffered seizure, sustaining minor injuries from subsequent

Outcome/Injury Details: Epileptic seizure with minor grazing

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 9, 2hr

190 Hill Walking 27/07/04 16:00 Man(74) Galston, Strathclyde

12571 Location: Far Easedale, Grasmere NY313102

Weather, Ground Conditions: Hot humid. Dry hard

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject reported as 'fatigued and in a poor condition'

Outcome/Injury Details: Problems locating subject due to confusion in grid reference, unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 8, 2hr; Langdale Ambleside 13, 3hr

28/07/04 09:30 Girl(16)

Party)

Location: Small Water, Mardale NY460101 12609

Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunny warm. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject injured leg previous day, camped with group overnight but

was unable to continue walk the following day. Rendezvouz with

party and evacuated to roadhead

Outcome/Injury Details: Soft tissue injuries to L knee and ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 10, 2hr

191 Hill Walking (Large

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type Location: Anglers Crag, Ennerdale NY098150 12966 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny. Dry Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Cause of Accident: Report of walker stuck on craq Outcome/Injury Details: Turned out to be safe and well - false alarm good intent Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 2, 1/2 hr 193 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 28/07/04 21:30 Man(NK) Warwickshire Location: Hardknott Crags NY228016 13022 Weather, Ground Conditions: Light drizzle mild. Not reported Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly poor, Inadequate Cause of Accident: Dog went missing, found cragfast. Owner tried to rescue it and also got cragfast Outcome/Injury Details: Dog sedated and both lowered to safety, no injuires Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 13, 9hr 194 Occupational (2 in Party) 29/07/04 20:16 Man(35) Kirkby Stephen, Cumbria 12580 Location: Birkett Common NY780035 Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm dry. Firm steep grassy bank Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate Cause of Accident: Subject fell from quad bike Outcome/Injury Details: Lumbar spinal injury Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 14, 11/2 hr; Leconfield Helicopter 31/07/04 18:51 Man(28) Rock Climbing (2 in Chorleywood, Herts Party) Location: Pillar Rock, Western Gully NY170125 12964 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny. Not reported Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good Cause of Accident: Climber fell into gully Outcome/Injury Details: Head, leg and wrist injuries Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 18, 31/4 hr; Boulmer Helicopter **August** 01/08/04 01:30 Man(NK) 196 Local Incident (Solo) NR 12594 Location: Dixon Heights SD413815 Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear mild humid. Dry Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Police requested assistance in locating a man who was lost walking back from a party Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 5, 21/2 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 1hr 197 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 01/08/04 11:06 Woman(57) Rowrah, Cumbria 12965 Location: Hobcarton Gill, Whinlatter NY191224 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny clear. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on rough path Outcome/Injury Details: Injured L ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 16, 11/4 hr 198 Hill Walking 01/08/04 13:50 Man(57) Ellesmere Port,

Merseyside

12596 Location: Easedale Tarn, Grasmere NY310087

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear hot bright. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped off footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Dislocated ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 4, 31/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 14, 31/2 hr

199 Rock Climbing (2 in

01/08/04 14:35 Woman(NK)

NR

Party)

12595 Location: Raven Crag, Gt Langdale NY285065

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear hot bright. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, NK

Cause of Accident: Climber fell from route (Bilberry Buttress) and was lowered to base

of crag by climbing group

Outcome/Injury Details: Head, spine injuries and shock

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 4, 31/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 13, 31/2 hr; Boulmer

Helicopter

200 Hill Walking

02/08/04 14:00 Woman(65)

Richmond, Surrey

12601

Location: Loughrigg Fell, Ambleside NY356054

Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm dry. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on hillside; evacuated from the hill and made own

way to hospital

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 17, 21/2 hr

201 Local Incident (2 in

03/08/04 17:45

Party)

12967 Location: Bleech Green, Ennerdale NY110151

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloudy showery. Wet

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Requested to assist Cumbria Ambulance Service dealing with

subject on the lakeshore

Outcome/Injury Details: Evacuate woman with knee injury to ambulance

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 4, 1/4 hr

202 Rock Scrambling (Large Party)

03/08/04 20:48 Girl(15)

Howden, Co Durham

(Large Party)

Location: Stoneycroft Ghyll NY228211

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light drizzle dull mild. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Poor

Cause of Accident: Subject stumbled backwards while gill scrambling and fell with right

foot trapped under rock

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 19, 1¾ hr

203 Animal Rescue

04/08/04 10:00

12610 Location: Piot Crag, Mardale NY454103

Weather, Ground Conditions: Overcast mild. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Sheep reported stuck on crag, there for about 8 days

Outcome/Injury Details: Retrieved without loss or injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 4, 2hr

204 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 05/08/04 17:30 Two Men(both 55) Cambridge

12588 Location: Yewdale Fells SD305988

Weather, Ground Conditions: Thunderstorm and heavy rain. Steep and wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Party lost way between Tilberthwaite and Coniston

Outcome/Injury Details: Both reported unharmed when located

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 2, 1hr

205 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 07/08/04 17:25 Woman(71)

Barrow -in- Furness, Cumbria

13023 Location: Fickle Steps SD228975

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear hot. Dry

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, NK

Cause of Accident: Elderly lady stumbled

Outcome/Injury Details: Lateral malleolus fracture

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 13, 11/2 hr

206 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 07/08/04 18:27 Woman(69) Stockport, Cheshire

12969 Location: Pillar Rock, Ennerdale NY172126

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear sunny hot. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, Good

Cause of Accident: Cause not reported, but subject winched by helicopter from below

Pillar Rock

Outcome/Injury Details: Tri-malleolar fracture of L ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 24, 31/2 hr; Gannet Helicopter

207 Hill Walking (5 in Party) 08/08/04 16:42 Man(52)

Harrogate, N Yorkshire

12597 Location: Green Lane, Deepdale, Dent SD706830

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate dry clear hot. Waterlogged

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Adequate, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject trapped foot in boggy ground and twisted over on it

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 11, 31/2 hr; North West Air Ambulance

208 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 09/08/04 13:05 Man(58)

Nottingham

12636 Location: High Spy (summit) NY235165

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet, very mild. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet ground

Outcome/Injury Details: Fracture/dislocation of ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 20, 5hr; North West Air Ambulance

209 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 09/08/04 16:15 Woman(59)

Wide Open, Tyne & Wear

Location: Beacon Fell SD275910

Weather, Ground Conditions: Showers. Path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped in bog and went over on ankle

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 18, 2hr

210 Hill Walking (Coast -to- 09/08/04 21:02 Coast)

12972 Location: Ennerdale NY195124

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Family party on Coast-to-Coast reported overdue

Outcome/Injury Details: Turned up safe and well at Black Sail YH

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 8, 1hr

211 Search - Non-mountain 11/08/04 01:30 Man(78)

Penrith, Cumbria

12598 *Location:* Kendal SD519941

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry hazy hot humid. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Youngster seperated from family at superstore car park 16:30

Tuesday 10th August. Reported missing 19:20

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 13, 2hr; SARDA (Lakes) 2, 2hr

212 Hill Walking 11/08/04 12:19 Man(63)

12611 Location: Riggindale, Haweswater NY464117

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fine sunny. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject collpased while walking near RSPB hide

Outcome/Injury Details: Heart attack, not fatal

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 13, 2hr; North East Air Ambulance

213 Hill Walking 11/08/04 14:35 Woman(42)

Lytham St Annes, Lancs

Warrington, Merseyside

12602 Location: High Sweden Bridge, Ambleside NY379067

Weather, Ground Conditions: Overcast thunder. Wet boggy

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, Poor

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped and tumbled down the hillside

Outcome/Injury Details: Head injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 21/2 hr

214 Search - Mountain 11/08/04 18:25

12603 Location: Deer Bield, Far Easedale NY310098

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fine good. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Dog reported seen on its own, requested search for owner

Outcome/Injury Details: Team stood down when it appeared animal was a trail hound

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 12, 1hr

215 Hill Walking (5 in Party) 13/08/04 18:54 Man(40)

12973 Location: Black Sail, Ennerdale NY195123

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny. Wet in places

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped while descending from Black Sail pass

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R wrist Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 5, 1hr

216 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 14/08/04 13:05 Man(50)

Secstom, Notts

Bulkington

Location: Catbell, Hause Gate NY245192

Weather, Ground Conditions: Warm, dry sunny. Dry, stable

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject taken ill, reported with breathing difficulties, suspected

heart attack

Outcome/Injury Details: Breathing difficulties

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 18, 11/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

217 Parapenting (3 in Party) 14/08/04 14:00 Man(53)

Leeds, S Yorkshire

12631 Location: Brant Side Dent SD778864

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear warm bright. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: A paraglider collided with a stone wall whilst taking off

Outcome/Injury Details: Dislocated finger, bruising to eye and possible back injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 15, 41/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

218 Mountain Biking (2 in 14/08/04 15:00 Boy(12)

Richmond, Surrey

Party)

12685 Location: Dowthwaite Head NY355277

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Rider slipped off his bike

Outcome/Injury Details: Groin injury, plus minor abrasions

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 7, 1/2 hr

219 Hill Walking

15/08/04 13:00 Woman(43)

Colne, Lancs

12657 Location: Consiton Water (shore) Torver Jetty SD297940

Weather, Ground Conditions: Good. Path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on rocks

Outcome/Injury Details: Right ankle injury Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 15, 11/4 hr

220 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 15/08/04 14:30 Man(65)

Keswick, Cumbria

12600 Location: Small Water, Mardale Head NY461104

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear mild. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed while walking; CPR attempted but without

success. Evacuated from the site and handed over to the coroner's

officer

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Heart attack Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 14, 3¾ hr

221 Hill Walking (7 in Party) 15/08/04 15:00 Woman(46)

Exeter, Devon

12686

Location: Angle Tarn, Hartsop NY417145

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry dull warm. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 12, 5hr; Patterdale 7, 21/4 hr

222 Search - Non-mountain 16/08/04 13:08 (Solo)

Location: Nealhouse, Thursby, Carlisle NY336512

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Subject (63 yr old man) reported missing from home in unusual

circumstances. Extensive search mounted by police over two days

found nothing

Outcome/Injury Details: His body was found out of the search area one week later

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 6, 8hr; SARDA (Lakes) 5, 8hr

223 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 17/08/04 12:09 Man(NK)

Location: Blancathra, Sharp Edge NY327284

Weather, Ground Conditions: Overcast, showers - clearing to sunny. Very slippery, loose

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on loose slippery surface - fell into gully, in trying to

stop fall sustained injury

Outcome/Injury Details: Dislocated shoulder

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 15, 3¾ hr; Boulmer Helicopter

224 Hill Walking (Solo) 17/08/04 22:20 Man(NK)

NR

Durham

12687 Location: Horrocks Wood, Ullswater NY443218

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

12638

Cause of Accident: Subject reported himself lost in woods

Outcome/Injury Details: Subject found own way out as search beginning, unharmed

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 6, 1hr

225 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 18/08/04 11:00 Woman(37) Dorking

12975 *Location:* Scale Force, Buttermere NY150172

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Cause not reported but subject was stretchered down to Buttermere

Outcome/Injury Details: Tri-malleolar fracture of ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 15, 21/2 hr

226 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 18/08/04 18:30 Man(NK) London

13139 Location: Rough Crag, Scafell Pike NY217069

Weather, Ground Conditions: Strong heavy rain poor cool lightning. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party of 2 reported themselves lost, wet and cold on Scafell Pike.

Contact maintained by mobile phone assisted final location of

casualties

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt and escoretd off the fells

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 22, 6hr; Keswick 17, 3½ hr; Langdale Ambleside 6, 6hr;

SARDA (Lakes) 4, 1hr

227 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 18/08/04 21:00 Man(35), Woman(32) Keswick, Cumbria

Location: Great Gable NY210103

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Party reported as missing persons whilst concluding previous

incident. Team diverted to check routes

Outcome/Injury Details: Mispers turned up safe and well having been seen earlier in

evening by team members

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 17, 1hr

228 Hill Walking 19/08/04 16:40 Man(26), Woman(NK) Wickford, Essex

12688 Location: Clough Head NY333225

Weather, Ground Conditions: Thick mist low cloud rain. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Party reported lost in mist; contact made by phone and team

located them

Outcome/Injury Details: No injuires reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 9, 2hr

Date & Time Home Town No. Sex & Age Type 229 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 20/08/04 18:31 Man(40) Tonbridge, Kent Location: Rossett Ghyll, Gt. Langdale SD250072 12632 Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh fine broken cloud mild. Damp Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Subject stumbled on Scafell Pike and managed to walk half way down Rossett Ghyll Outcome/Injury Details: Sprained ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 11, 2hr; Langdale Ambleside 10, 3hr Search - Non-mountain 21/08/04 00:20 Man(52) 230 Windermere, Cumbria (Solo) 12644 Location: Shap Pink Quarry A6 NY559078 Weather, Ground Conditions: Fine overcast mild. Damp Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A Cause of Accident: Despondent reported missing, car located abandoned beside plantation Outcome/Injury Details: Self-inflicted lacerations, drug overdose Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 3, 51/4 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 3, 11/2 hr Motor Sport (Organised 22/08/04 12:15 Boy(17) Ruphdale, Northants Event) 13024 Location: Bootle Fell SD132901 Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Trials biker fell during an event Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L tibia and fibula Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 8, 23/4 hr; North West Air Ambulance 232 Fell Running 22/08/04 13:20 Boy(12) **Southampton** (Organised Event) 12728 Location: Butter Crag, Grasmere NY343072 Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear dry. Wet Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Good, NK Cause of Accident: Competitor in Grasmere Sports stumbled and fell Outcome/Injury Details: Deep laceration to leg Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 2, 1hr 233 Hill Walking (5 in Party) 22/08/04 15:13 Woman(37) Illinois, USA 12689 Location: Sheffield Pike NY365184 Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear dry day. Not reported Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Subject fell after ground gave way Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R tibula and fibula Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 8, 3\% hr; Penrith 11, 2\% hr; North East Air Ambulance **Search - Non-mountain** 23/08/04 01:33 Girl(13) NR (Solo) 12647 Location: Whasset, Milnthorpe SD513803 Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate rain cool. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject absconded from residential special school Outcome/Injury Details: Located by police as team was leaving base, unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 8, ½ hr; SARDA (Lakes) 2, ½ hr

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type

12725 Location: Greenburn, Grasmere NY318104

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet. Wet

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Group reported overdue - lost following navigation error

Outcome/Injury Details: Located quickly by local member at fellgate, all safe and well

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 4, 2hr

236 Water Sport (all types) 24/08/04 16:00 (2 in Party)

13140 Location: Wastwater NY150047

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Team requested to attend with boat. 2 persons reported in the

water after canoe capsized

Outcome/Injury Details: Self-rescued before team arrived on scene

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 12, 1hr

25/08/04 21:30 Two Boys(11, 13) 237 Water Sport (all types) NR (2 in Party)

Location: Pooley Bridge, Ullswater NY466240 12690

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party missing in an inflatable on Ullswater

Outcome/Injury Details: Found after search at Tirril, cold and wet, walking back to Park Foot

camp site, having gone down ri

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 7, ½ hr; Penrith 13, ½ hr

238 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 26/08/04 18:38 Boy(15) 12651

Location: Coniston Old Man SD273983

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloud. Path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All inadequate, Inadequate

Cause of Accident: Subject separated from party

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 12, 1hr

239 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 26/08/04 23:55 Man(53), Boy(17) Surbiton

Location: Little Lad Crag, Haycock NY155102 13141

Weather, Ground Conditions: Strong heavy rain poor cool. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party of two (father and son) reported overdue on Ennerdale

Horseshoe

Outcome/Injury Details: Found cold and wet but otherwise OK, escorted to safety

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 8, 8hr; Cockermouth 18, 81/4 hr

240 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 27/08/04 14:50 Woman(47)

Morecambe, Lancs

Hounslow, Essex

12976 Location: Scale Knott, Crummock NY152177

Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunny. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Cause not reported but subject was stretchered to Kirkstile Inn

Outcome/Injury Details: Tri-malleolar fracture of L ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 21, 23/4 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 2, 5hr

12977 Location: Red Gill, Grassmoor NY169202

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fair. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly poor, Inadequate

Cause of Accident: Subject fell while on difficult ground Outcome/Injury Details: Injured forehead, badly lacerated hand

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 23, 4hr

242 Search - Non-mountain 28/08/04 11:00 Woman(25)

Maryport, Cumbria

(Solo)

Location: Loweswater NY131209

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fair. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: At Police request, searched for woman reported missing believed

in the area

Outcome/Injury Details: Located later in Dumfries, unharmed

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 21, 1hr; SARDA (England) 1, 1hr

243 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 28/08/04 16:00 Two Men(both NK) NR

13142 Location: Brown Tongue, Scafell Pike NY197074

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear mild. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Father and son became separated from rest of family. Father then

lost contact with son

Outcome/Injury Details: Father descended safely, son found returning up the hill to look for

father - son escorted off the f

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 15, 1hr

244 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 29/08/04 18:25 Man(40), Girl(5)

St Helens, Lancs.

London

12691

Location: Boredale Hause NY403160

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet cool. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party reported overdue by mother who had turned back from walk

earlier

Outcome/Injury Details: Father and daughter were found by the team coming off the hill, wet

and cold, but unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 7, 3/4 hr

245 Hill Walking 31/08/04 14:35 Man(46)

12641 Location: Derwentwater - High Brandlehow NY253201

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject turned ankle while walking with young family

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured tibia and fibula

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 9, 11/2 hr

September

246 Hill Walking 02/09/04 15:46 Man(22) Houghton-le-spring, Tyne & Wear

12648 Location: Far Easdale, Grasmere SD300099

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry broken cloud warm. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Poor

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on fellside

Outcome/Injury Details: Twisted knee / cartilage damage

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 9, 4½ hr; Langdale Ambleside 12, 5hr

247 Hill Walking 02/09/04 16:30 Man(46), Woman(42) Birmingham, W Midlands

12652 Location: Wetherlam (summit) SD288009

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloud. Near path Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Party lost way in cloud Outcome/Injury Details: Located safe and well

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 13, 3hr

248 Hill Walking 03/09/04 18:00 Woman(58) Romsey, Hants

12729 Location: Easedale Tarn, Grasmere NY319080

Weather, Ground Conditions: Damp cloudy. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subjet became lost in mist after wandering off the path

Outcome/Injury Details: Located safe & well, and escorted off the hill

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 9, 3hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 2hr

249 Local Incident (Solo) 04/09/04 10:09 Man(58) Carlisle, Cumbria

12676 Location: Bassenthwaite Lake NY214292

Weather, Ground Conditions: Periods of rain. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject reported missing from home. Car located on the A66 at

Smithy Green

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Found by the Lancs Police Underwater Search Team 2

days later Drowning

04/09/04 13:10 Man(59)

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 24, 71/2 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 9, 6hr; Boulmer Helicopter

Party)
12692 Location: Helvellyn, Striding Edge NY347151

Weather, Ground Conditions: Hot light wind. Loose

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

250 Hill Walking (Large

Cause of Accident: Subject fell from prominent ridge, cause not known

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Multiple

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 10, 13/4 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

251 Search - Non-mountain 05/09/04 09:01 Man(58) Carlisle, Cumbria

(Solo)

12979 Location: Embleton, Cockermouth NY150305

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Search mounted for person after discovery of abandoned vehicle

on A66. Body found following day by police divers

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Drowning

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 12, 5hr; SARDA (Lakes) 7, 3hr; Leconfield Helicopter

252 Animal Rescue (2 in 05/09/04 12:54 Party)

12693 Location: Helvellyn, Striding Edge NY346150

Weather, Ground Conditions: Hot dry calm. Loose

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Dog fell from prominent ridge

Outcome/Injury Details: Leg injury - no further information

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 10, 23/4 hr

Liverpool, Merseyside

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type

12643 Location: Bonneymount Wood, Penrith NY549316

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry broken cloud mild. Damp

Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject fell while walking in wood, Cumbria Ambulance Service

requested assistance with evacuation

Outcome/Injury Details: Neck injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Moffat 2, ½ hr; Penrith 18, ½ hr

254 Hill Walking 06/09/04 13:15

13143 Location: Wastwater Screes NY154043

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear hot. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Party of divers reported shouts for help from high on the screes.

One diver swam across the lake to investigate

Outcome/Injury Details: Thorough search found nothing, thought to be farmer with dogs.

Assisted the diver to return to colle

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 22, 5hr

Hill Walking (Large

08/09/04 15:05 Woman(73)

Poulton -le- Fylde, Lancs

Party)

12980

Location: Ennerdale Water NY111143

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry sunny warm. Dry Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed on walk on lakeshore

Outcome/Injury Details: Chest pains

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 22, 21/2 hr; Gannet Helicopter

256 Hill Walking

10/09/04 12:52 Man(68)

Cockfosters, Herts

12654 Location: Belle Grange, Claife Heights SD373984

Weather, Ground Conditions: Good. Path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on path Outcome/Injury Details: Dislocated L shoulder

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 5, 1hr

257 Hill Walking

10/09/04 14:05 Man(93)

NR

Location: Tarn Hows SD330995 12653

Weather, Ground Conditions: Good. Good

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Reason for incident not reported

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 6, 1hr; Dorset Police Helicopter

258 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 11/09/04 11:20 Man(NK)

NR

13144 Location: Bell Rib, Yewbarrow NY169079

Weather, Ground Conditions: Strong heavy rain. Wet

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject sustained lower leg injury. Difficult location requiring

casualty to be moved before being winched into helicopter

Outcome/Injury Details: Fracture/dislocation to lower leg

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 16, 3½ hr; Gannet Helicopter

12718 Location: Hellgill Gorge, Mallerstang NY788969

Weather, Ground Conditions: Steady rain. Wet grass/strub

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Three sheep reported stuck in deep, narrow ravine with vertical

sides and unable to exit due to rising water

Outcome/Injury Details: On arrival, one sheep found to be drowned. The other were

retrieved using ropes without loss or inju

Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 5, 3hr

260 Hill Walking 11/09/04 15:20 Girl(14) Hoddesdon, Herts

Location: Force Crag Mine NY199216

Weather, Ground Conditions: Heavy rain. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet rock when walking

Outcome/Injury Details: Twisted ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 5, 11/4 hr

261 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 13/09/04 13:20 Man(70) NR

12726 Location: Greenup Edge, Grasmere NY285110

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed whilst walking, two passing walkers attepted

CPR but unable to revive

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL not reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 3hr; North West Air Ambulance

262 Hill Walking 13/09/04 15:40 Woman(62) Aberdare

12678 Location: Brown Knotts NY271199

Weather, Ground Conditions: Passing showers. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on a wet path between Ashness and Falcon Craq

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 12, 1½ hr

263 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 14/09/04 17:30 Man(72), Woman(69) Rayleigh, Essex

13145 Location: Muncaster Fell NY126981

Weather, Ground Conditions: Strong heavy rain poor cool. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party reported themselves lost on Muncaster Fell. Knew their

location but unable to find path

Outcome/Injury Details: Located unharmed and escorted back to their car

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 8, 31/2 hr

264 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 14/09/04 17:33 Man(34), Woman(33) Grimsby, Humberside

12981 Location: High Stile, Buttermere NY160154

Weather, Ground Conditions: Heavy rain low cloud. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly inadequate, Poor

Cause of Accident: Party reported themselves lost on summit

Outcome/Injury Details: Located uninjured by search dog and escorted down in poor

weather conditions

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 22, 31/4 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 31/4 hr

12674 Location: Arnside Knott SD454773

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Request from police to recover body of suicide victim

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Suicide Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 6, 2hr

266 Hill Walking (Solo) 15/09/04 21:00 Man(80) Penrith, Cumbria

13146 Location: Wasdale NY168068

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject reported overdue after proposed fellwalk

Outcome/Injury Details: Found unharmed, walking on road shortly after call out initiated

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 15, 1hr

267 Local Incident (Solo) 16/09/04 12:50 Man(30) Kendal, Cumbria

12675 *Location:* Kendal SD509929

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry dull mild. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject reported as missing person from home

Outcome/Injury Details: Traced to hospital

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 11, 1hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 1/4 hr

268 Hill Walking 17/09/04 09:00

12694 Location: Angle Tarn, Hartsop NY416145

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloudy showers. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Report to police of collapsed tent on hill by passing walker. Team

asked to investigate

Outcome/Injury Details: Team searched area and brought tent from the scene and handed it

to Police to follow up

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 6, 21/2 hr

269 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 17/09/04 22:42 Man(NK) NR

12695 *Location:* Dove Crag NY374108

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh rain cloudy cold. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject twisted ankle unable to walk

Outcome/Injury Details: Twisted ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 11, 51/2 hr; Patterdale 19, 4hr

270 Hill Walking 18/09/04 13:08 Man(77) Ormskirk, Lancs

12730 Location: Blea Rigg, Wrynose Pass NY293036

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry cloudy. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped following footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Knee / leg injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 12, 21/2 hr

271 Animal Rescue 19/09/04 12:15

12696 *Location:* Dove Crag NY375110

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh passing showers cloudy cool. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Report of foxhound trapped in gully

Outcome/Injury Details: No further information

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type Teams. No members, Duration: Patterdale 6, 1hr 272 Hill Walking (Large 19/09/04 14:53 Woman(66) Preston, Lancs Party) 12982 Location: Crummock Water (lakeshore) NY155180 Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloudy wet. Very wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, N/A Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on lakeshore path Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 1, 11/2 hr 273 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 19/09/04 15:30 Girl(8) NR Location: Millside Scar - Whitbarrow Scar SD453847 12701 Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate rain cloudy mild. Damp Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Subject separated from parents on walk and strayed onto cliff. Seen by independent witness who allerted police Outcome/Injury Details: Recovered from cliff by parents before Team arrived . Search then ensued for all 3 others Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 17, 21/2 hr 274 Hill Walking (Large 19/09/04 16:42 Woman(66) Preston, Lancs Party) Location: Crummock Water NY155180 12983 Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloudy wet. Very wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, N/A Cause of Accident: Subject slipped om lakeshore path (same party as previous incident ref 12982) Outcome/Injury Details: Fracture / dislocation of R ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 22, 13/4 hr 20/09/04 11:21 Woman(49) Hill Walking (3 Peaks **Andover, Hants** Event) Location: Cawdale Beck, Bampton NY471175 12779 Weather, Ground Conditions: Very windy overcast. Wet slippery Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly adequate, Good Cause of Accident: Subject slipped and trapped foot between boulders when jumping across swollen stream Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured tibia and fibula Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 14, 3hr; Gannet Helicopter Water Sport (all types) 20/09/04 17:00 Man(NK) NR (Solo) 12682 Location: Ullswater Lake NY460234 Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear. Not reported Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Subject drowned in lake trying to bring an inflatable to shore Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Drowning Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 10, 13/4 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

277 Hill Walking 24/

24/09/04 14:30 Man(58)

Southport, Lancs

12738 Location: Claife Heights SD375986

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Weather, Ground Conditions: Good. Path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet ground

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured leg Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 9, 1½ hr

278 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 24/09/04 22:00 Two Men(both NK) Bolton, G Manchester

13147 Location: Broad Stand, Scafell NY209068

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party reported themselves lost on Scafell

Outcome/Injury Details: Located safe and well above Broad Stand and escorted down to

Wasdale

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 10, 41/2 hr

279 Hill Walking 25/09/04 11:03 Girl(9) Knott End, Lancs

12727 Location: Fox Ghyll, Loughrigg NY360047

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dull drizzle cloudy. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured arm

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 21/2 hr

280 Hill Walking (Solo) 25/09/04 15:30 Man(50) Birmingham, W Midlands

12775 Location: Maize Beck, High Cup Nick NY759240

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fine cold overcast. Wet boggy in places

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Inadequately clothed, Inadequate

Cause of Accident: Subject reported himself lost, very confused, gave incorrect

information

Outcome/Injury Details: Located a considerable distance from where he thought he was,

mild hypothermia

Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 8, 2hr; Penrith 2, 2hr; Teesdale and Weardale 1,

4hr; Great North Air Ambulance North East Police Helicopter

281 Hill Walking 25/09/04 15:53 Man(51) Fgura, Malta

12865 Location: Stickle Ghyll, Gt Langdale NY288075

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 16, 31/2 hr

282 Hill Walking (Solo) 27/09/04 15:40 Man(51) Scarborough, N
Yorkshire

12984 Location: High Stile, Buttermere NY169148

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloudy some showers. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

(Large Party)

Cause of Accident: Subject reported himself lost in cloud on summit

Outcome/Injury Details: Located and escorted down difficult ground and airlifted to hospital,

condition not reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 29, 51/4 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 2, 51/4 hr; Gannet

Helicopter

283 Rescue Team Activity 27/09/04 18:12 Man(62) Cockermouth, Cumbria

12985 Location: High Stile, Buttermere NY169149

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloudy. Wet Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r. Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: While engaged in previous incident (ref 12984), a team member

tumbled 40 ft

Outcome/Injury Details: Head injuries, fractured ribs, fractured fingers Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 29, 4¾ hr; Gannet Helicopter

284 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 27/09/04 20:15 Man(68)

London,

12740 Location: Rest Ghyll, Crinkle Crags NY242055

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate dry hill fog mild. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject fell 10 metres whilst descending Rest Ghyll towards

Lingcove Beck. RNAS Gannet helicopter attended but unable to

access; subject stretchered off the hill

Outcome/Injury Details: Head injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 16, 71/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 14, 8hr; Wasdale 25, 8hr;

SARDA (Lakes) 8, 6hr; Gannet Helicopter

285 Hill Walking 28/09/04 15:00 Woman(31) Letchworth, Herts

Location: Claife Heights SD386962

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet. Slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on rock fell on back

Outcome/Injury Details: Back injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 11, 3hr

286 Hill Walking 28/09/04 15:22 Man(81) Cheltenham, Glos

12866 Location: Blea Rigg, Easedale, Grasmere NY305081

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet rain. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Shoulder injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 17, 31/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 12, 31/2 hr

287 Pony Trekking 30/09/04 18:37 Boy(16) Penrith, Cumbria

12780 Location: High Knipe Farm, Bampton NY515193

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry overcast cool. Wet heavy

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Rider knocked of pony as they went under a low bridge

Outcome/Injury Details: Wedge fracture of lumbar vertebra, fractured scalpula

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 16, 3hr; Boulmer Helicopter

October

288 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 03/10/04 13:30 Woman(62) Watford, Herts

12986 Location: Melbreak, Mosedale NY141181

Weather, Ground Conditions: Rain showers. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly adequate, N

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on track

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 25, 1½ hr

289 Hill Walking (Large Party)

05/10/04 13:56 Man(62)

Littlehampton, W Sussex

12777 Location: High Spy, Nitting Haws NY244170

Weather, Ground Conditions: Strong passing showers cool. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet rock and fell backwards 10 - 20 ft off the

path down steep ground

Outcome/Injury Details: fractured ribs (8) and head injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 19, 23/4 hr; Gannet Helicopter

290 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 05/10/04 14:20 Woman(51)

Lemington Spa

12781 Location: St. Sunday Crag NY386153

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh hail cloudy cold. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject fell on ascent of St Sunday Crag injuring her knee.

Experienced difficulties whilst descending

Outcome/Injury Details: Team bandaged her swollen knee and helped her walk off the fell

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 12, 21/2 hr

291 Hill Walking 06/10/04 14:10 Woman(66)

Barrington, Cambs

12867 Location: Side Pike, Gt Langdale NY287054

Weather, Ground Conditions: Heavy rain. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on steep hillside path

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 15, 2hr

292 Search - Non-mountain 06/10/04 20:25 Boy(11)

Appleby, Cumbria

(Solo) 12776

Location: Bolton, Appleby NY640235

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry overcast cool. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject reported missing after running away from carers

Outcome/Injury Details: Quickly located safe and well by search dog; had been hiding under

a large bush

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 24, 1hr; SARDA (Lakes) 8, hr

293 Hill Walking

07/10/04 15:20 Woman(26)

Hereford

12868 Location: Wansfell, Troutbeck, Ambleside NY404036

Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunny dry. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped onjwet grass while trying to jump over waterlogged

area

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 21/2 hr

294 Hill Walking

08/10/04 12:32 Woman(62)

Northwich, Cheshire

12778 Location: Dale Head - North Ridge NY254154

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear cool. Loose slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject stumbled off the path and rolled down the slope

Outcome/Injury Details: Various cuts to face

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 17, 31/4 hr; Great North Air Ambulance

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type

13149 Location: Great Gable NY206103

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear mild. Not reported

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Male walker sustained torn knee ligaments

Outcome/Injury Details: Airlifted to hospital by Air Ambulance with soft tissue injury to knee

ligaments

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 18, 3hr; Boulmer Helicopter

296 Mountain Biking 09/10/04 12:00 Man(47) Beachamps, Leics

12869 Location: Claife Heights, Ambleside SD378986

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, NK

> Cause of Accident: Rider fell from bike Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 12, 11/2 hr

Search - Non-mountain 09/10/04 14:00 Woman(36) Millom, Cumbria (Solo)

Location: Millom SD175800 13025

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear mild. Not reported

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Depressed female missing from home since 19:00 on the previous

day

Outcome/Injury Details: Found safe and well in Millom just after search began

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 18, 11/2 hr

298 Mountain Biking 09/10/04 14:37 Man(34) Manchester

Location: Loughrigg, Ambleside NY367045 12870

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dull damp. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, NK

Cause of Accident: Rider thrown from bike, going over the handlebars

Outcome/Injury Details: Puncture wound to upper lea

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 1, 21/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

Hill Walking (D of E) (6 09/10/04 16:00 Man(18) in Party)

Workington, Cumbria

13150

Location: Tongue Gill, Mitredale NY175038

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear cool. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Disabled person on D of E expedition but unable to continue.

Stretchered off the mountain

Outcome/Injury Details: Condition not reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 15, 31/2 hr

300 Hill Walking 09/10/04 16:42 Woman(54) Carlisle, Cumbria

12871 Location: Stickle Ghyll, Gt Langdale NY290068

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath, treated and airlifted to hospital

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 13, 21/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

12872 Location: Bright Beck, Gt Langdale NY285082

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dark cold clear. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, Poor

Cause of Accident: Party reported themselves lost in mist

Outcome/Injury Details: Located safe and well, and brought to safety

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 16, 31/2 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 2, 31/4 hr

302 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 11/10/04 20:00 Two Men(35, 37)

Accrington, Lancs.

13151 Location: Greta Gill, Wasdale NY217082

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh dry clear cold. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party reported themselves benighted and cragfast by mobile phone

Outcome/Injury Details: Quickly located, lowered to safety and escorted down, no injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 9, 41/2 hr

303 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 12/10/04 13:00 Man(NK)

12785 Location: Force Crag, Borrowdale NY202215

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry cloudy cool. Dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped off path

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 11, 11/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

304 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 12/10/04 20:30 Man(42)

Penrith, Cumbria

NR

12782 Location: Greenside Mines, Glenridding NY364174

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate rain cloudy cold. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject walked off path in dark and fell 10ft over retaining wall to

gorge. (No torch) Team treated the man at the scene and then

winched him to safety

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L tibula and fibula, fractured R latarel malleolus

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 7, 3hr

305 Hill Walking

13/10/04 11:58 Woman(52)

Doncaster, S Yorkshire

12873 Location: Loughrigg, Ambleside NY366035

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath; assisted Cumbria Ambualnce Service

with evacuation to roadside

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 15, 11/2 hr

306 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 14/10/04 18:38 Man(42)

Hook, Hants

12987 *Location:* High Stile, Buttermere NY168147

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloud on the tops. Slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, N

Cause of Accident: Party separated in cloud; one made his way down, the other

phoned for assistance

Outcome/Injury Details: Located and stretchered down to Buttermere, no injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 27, 1hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 23/4 hr

307 Hill Walking

15/10/04 11:55 Woman(58)

Bedhampton

12874 Location: White Moss Common, Rydal NY351066

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry fine. Wet Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slpped on wet ground

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 16, 1hr

308 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 17/10/04 14:00 Woman(52)

Carlisle, Cumbria

12809 Location: Gowbarrow Fell, Ullswater NY414216

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light passing showers cloudy cool. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on path

Outcome/Injury Details: She was treated for a fractured ankle and then airlifted to hospital

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 13, 21/4 hr; Leconfield Helicopter

309 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 17/10/04 15:45 Man(46)

South Shields, Tyne & Wear

12783 *Location:* Derwentwater, Great Wood NY270220

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, N

Cause of Accident: Vulnerable (schizophrenic) member of group of 2 ran off from his

companion, not wishing to return to their nursing home

Outcome/Injury Details: Team conducted search of immediate areas, outcome not reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 18, 31/4 hr

310 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 17/10/04 22:43 Three Men(49, NK, Twickenham, Bucks NK)

12784 Location: Dalehead, Borrowdale NY223115

Weather, Ground Conditions: Damp and misty, showers. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: At the end of a long day on the hill, the party were reported overdue

when they ran out of daylight and confidence in their navigation.

Unable to locate the correct path, they went to ground

Outcome/Injury Details: All unharmed when located

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 17, 41/4 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 4, 21/2 hr

311 Animal Rescue 18/10/04 14:00

12989 Location: High Crag, Buttermere NY184139

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Sheep stuck on crag

Outcome/Injury Details: Retrieved without loss or injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 1, 2hr

312 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 22/10/04 14:10 Man(31)

Milton Keynes, Bucks

12810 Location: Stony Cove Pike NY426103

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light rain cloudy cool. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on hill side then tumbled

Outcome/Injury Details: Depressed fracture of skull

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 13, 1½ hr; Patterdale 10, 2hr; Penrith 9, 2hr;

Wattisham Helicopter

12820 Location: Far End, Coniston SD301980

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloudy. Wet Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r. Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on style in field

Outcome/Injury Details: R knee injury Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 10, 1/4 hr

314 Hill Walking 24/10/04 14:40 Woman(60) Bromley, Kent

12875 Location: Silver Howe, Grasmere NY324066

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet windy. Wet soft Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Ankle injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 18, 4hr

315 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 24/10/04 15:05 Woman(33) Stalybridge, Cheshire

13131 Location: High Street, Long Stile Edge NY444112

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh wind, rain, hill fog. Wet and loose

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Inadequate

Cause of Accident: Descending steep ridge, subject became cragfast, unable to

continue

Outcome/Injury Details: Led to safety unharmed

Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 14, 5hr

316 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 24/10/04 16:02 Man(38), Woman(38), Preston, Lancs.

Two Boys(12, 10)

12790 Location: Stickle Tarn, Gt Langdale SD290080

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet misty. Wet Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All poor, Poor

Cause of Accident: Family group became lost in mist

Outcome/Injury Details: Located safe and well

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 20, 2hr; Langdale Ambleside 19, 3hr; SARDA (Lakes) 2, 1hr

317 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 25/10/04 15:11 Man(52) Peterborough

12786 *Location:* Esk Hause NY488603

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet & misty. Wet rock/shale

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet rock

Outcome/Injury Details: Dislocated shoulder

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 19, 3hr

318 Hill Walking (Solo) 26/10/04 10:16 Man(42) NR

12791 Location: Bowfell, Great Slab NY246066

Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunny, occasional mist. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Man bivvied, had become hypothermic, and collapsed when trying

to walk. He reported himself in difficulty

Outcome/Injury Details: Escorted off the fell

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 7, 4hr; Langdale Ambleside 15, 3hr; Unknown Helicopter

319 Hill Walking 26/10/04 12:45 Woman(46) Leighton Buzzard

12876 Location: Nanny Lane, Troutbeck NY404039

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dull. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 5, 2hr; Langdale Ambleside 18, 2hr; North West Air Ambulance

320 Occupational 26/10/04 15:30 Man(35) NR

13137 Location: Bleng Tongue, Scalderskew Forestry NY092073

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear cool. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Worker collapsed

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL condition not reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 11, 2hr

321 Hill Walking (9 in Party) 28/10/04 14:10 Man(46) Nottingham, Notts

12787 Location: Maiden Moor (summit) NY245188

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fine & dry. Wet

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed while wallking

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Not available at time of writing

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 22, 2hr; Boulmer Helicopter

322 Hill Walking (5 in Party) 28/10/04 20:30 Man(30)

12861 Location: Cunswick Fell SD492936 Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear cool. Dry

Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Poor, Poor

Cause of Accident: Subject (22 stone) collapsed unconscious on walk after having

drunk 3/4 bottle of whisky. Others in party fed and warmed at Base

then taken home to various addresses in Kendal

Outcome/Injury Details: Collapsed intoxicated

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 19, 2hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 1hr

323 Hill Walking (Solo) 29/10/04 18:04 Man(21) Start Bridge, W Midlands

12877 Location: Bowfell, Ore Gap, Gt Langdale NY242071

Weather, Ground Conditions: Thick mist wet. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Poor

Cause of Accident: Subject reported himself lost in poor visibility

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 22, 4¾ hr; Langdale Ambleside 14, 6hr; SARDA (Lakes)

4, 2hr

324 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 29/10/04 19:15 Two Men(67, 30) Chest

Chesterfield, Derby.

NR

Newark, Notts

12992 Location: Blake Fell NY111198

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear fine. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A

Cause of Accident: Party reported overdue

Outcome/Injury Details: Turned up safe and well as team being called

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 3, 1/4 hr

325 Hill Walking (4 in Party) 30/10/04 01:30 Man(NK)

13152 Location: Bell Rib, Yewbarrow NY170075

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Team called to search for young man separated from party during

nighttime fellwalk

Outcome/Injury Details: FATAL Found in early hours having suffered multiple injuries after

falling over crags

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 16, 41/2 hr

326 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 30/10/04 18:10 Woman(57) Oxford

12988 Location: Haystacks, Buttermere NY188134

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear. Mainly dry Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r. Experience: All adequate, N

Cause of Accident: Subject tripped on descent

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured elbow Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 23, 3hr

327 Animal Rescue 31/10/04 15:40

13067 Location: Greenhow End NY359121

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry cloudy cool. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Dog heard barking in gully, team investigated

Outcome/Injury Details: Search found the dog and brought it down. It belonged to a local

farmer who said it had gone missing

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 5, 11/2 hr

November

328 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 01/11/04 14:53 Man(62), Woman(62) Bedford, Bedfordshire

12913 Location: Kings How, Quayfoot NY255167

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry. Rough Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: A couple got themselves into difficulties when trying a direct

descent to Grange

Outcome/Injury Details: Both led to safety Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 17, 21/2 hr

329 Search - Non-mountain 01/11/04 15:53 Woman(39) (Solo)

NR

12993

Location: Egremont NY200109

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry clear. Mainly dry

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Despondent reported missing from home Outcome/Injury Details: Located when turned up in town, unharmed Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 26, 41/4 hr; SARDA (Lakes) 9, 4hr

330 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 02/11/04 15:49 Woman(54), Two Truro, Corn. Men(26, 24)

12884 Location: Crinkle Crags, Gt Langdale NY250045

Weather, Ground Conditions: Low mist. Wet in places

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Party reported themselves lost in mist

Outcome/Injury Details: Unharmed when located and escorted off the hills

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 51/2 hr

331 Hill Walking 04/11/04 14:30 Woman(58) Troon

12878 Location: Red Tarn, Oxendale, Gt Langdale NY266047

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cloudy damp. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on damp track

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 15, 3hr

332 Rock Climbing (3 in

06/11/04 18:46 Man(19), Woman(19) Ambleside, Cumbria

Party)

12879 Location: Middlefell, Gt Langdale NY284064

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dark. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Two members of party reported as cragfast on climb without torches

Outcome/Injury Details: Moved to safety and escorted off the fells in darkness

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 9, 1hr

333 Hill Walking (Solo) 06/11/04 19:05 Man(29)

Appleby, Cumbria

Birmingham

12864 Location: High Cup Nick, N Pennine NY736259

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh dry poor cold. Damp Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly poor, Inadequate

Cause of Accident: Subject reported lost by friend after mobile contact informing that he

did not know where he was in thick hill fog

Outcome/Injury Details: He was mildly hypothermia when located, escorted off the fells

Teams, No members, Duration: Kirkby Stephen 14, 2hr; Penrith 12, 4¼ hr; SARDA (Lakes) 5, ½ hr; Teesdale and Weardale 2, 2hr

334 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 06/11/04 19:25 Man(NK), Woman(NK)

13153 Location: Brock Crag, Eskdale NY209026

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Team called to investigate lights and whistles heard at Brock Crag.

Two persons found; they had lights but were lost

Outcome/Injury Details: Both unhurt Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 13, 2hr

335 Hill Walking (Solo) 08/11/04 02:10 Woman(84)

Coniston, Cumbria

12925 Location: Knipe Fold House Outgate SD342995

Weather, Ground Conditions: Raining. Field

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject reported missing after going for walk

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 12, 2hr; Langdale Ambleside 15, 2hr; SARDA (Lakes) 7,

1hr

336 Search - Non-mountain 08/11/04 15:00 Woman(80) (Solo)

Hawkshead, Cumbria

NR

12880

Location: Hawkshead SD352983

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly poor, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject reported missing from home

Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 1, 11/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 13, 11/2 hr

337 Hill Walking 09/11/04 19:38 Man(66)

12926 Location: Walker Ground SD348980

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear. Path

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Disabled driver vehicle left the path and he could not leave the

vehicle

Outcome/Injury Details: Evacuated to safety

Sex & Age No. Date & Time Home Town Type Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 14, 11/2 hr 338 Hill Walking (Solo) 12/11/04 11:30 Man(61) Lancaster, Lancs 12881 Location: Gt Langdale NY280060 Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet. Wet Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK Cause of Accident: Subject reported by mobile pohone that he intended to stay out all night and then come off the hill in the morning; car located at ODG hotel Outcome/Injury Details: After massive search, located in hotel! Teams. No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 4hr; SARDA (Lakes) 8, 1hr 339 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 13/11/04 12:32 Woman(63) Middleton, G Manchester 12914 Location: High Rigg NY309208 Weather, Ground Conditions: Frosty & clear. Frozen Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on icy grass Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 17, 2hr 340 Hill Walking 13/11/04 12:34 Woman(104) Carlisle, Cumbria 12915 Location: Catbells NY244199 Weather, Ground Conditions: Sunny clear cool. Icy patches Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: N/A, N/A Cause of Accident: Subject slipped Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 8, 2hr; North East Air Ambulance 341 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 13/11/04 14:05 Man(69) NR 12930 Location: Dubbs Road Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear and dry. Not reported Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Vulnerable (epileptic) 69 year old got lost Outcome/Injury Details: Unhurt when located Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 10, 1/2 hr 342 Occupational (2 in Party) 13/11/04 16:00 Man(40) **Brampton**, Cumbria Location: Roadhead, Cumbria NY502737 12858 Weather, Ground Conditions: Light dry clear cold. Waterlogged slippery Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate Cause of Accident: Farmer involved in accident with quad-bike in remote location 1km off-road, Cumbria Ambulance Service on scene but requested assistance wih evacuation Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured R tibia and fibula, - airlifted to hospital Teams, No members, Duration: Penrith 9, 3hr; Boulmer Helicopter 343 Hill Walking 13/11/04 16:39 Woman(54) Wigan, Lancs 12882 Location: Pike O Stickle, Gt Langdale NY273074 Weather, Ground Conditions: Cold mixed. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK Cause of Accident: Subject fell while walking

Cause of Accident: Subject fell while walking Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured leg, exposure

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 1, 31/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

12916 Location: Windy Gap, Great Gable NY214105

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh drizzle hill fog cold. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped and tumbled on descent from Remembrance

Service, hitting his head. Reported to have collapsed

Outcome/Injury Details: Heart attack, not believed fatal

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 26, 4hr; Wasdale 8, 4hr; Great North Air Ambulance

345 Hill Walking 14/11/04 14:17 Woman(58) London

12883 Location: Loughrigg, Ambleside NY366035

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject fell while walking, assisted Cumbria Ambulance Service

with evacuation

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 17, 11/2 hr

346 Mountain Biking 18/11/04 11:10 Man(20) Ambleside, Cumbria

12935 Location: White Moss, Rydal, Ambleside NY349059

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Rider fell backwards from bike when saddle stem broke

Outcome/Injury Details: Back, shoulder and upper leg injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 15, 2hr; North West Air Ambulance

347 Hill Walking (Solo) 18/11/04 15:16 Man(38) Surrey

13068 Location: Dove Crag, Houndshope Cove NY374111

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh snow poor cold. Soft snow slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject was lost in bad weather with no torch, map or compass

Outcome/Injury Details: Located cold and wet but able to be guided off the fells

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 15, 31/4 hr; Langdale Ambleside 10, 31/4 hr; SARDA

(Lakes) 8, 2hr

348 Search - Mountain 19/11/04 12:49

12936 Location: Loughrigg, Ambleside NY366035

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Report of white flare discharged on Loughrigg

Outcome/Injury Details: Search of area found nothing untoward, false alarm good intent

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 10, 1hr

349 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 19/11/04 15:35 Man(45) Reading

13026 Location: Broughton, Stephenson Ground SD239939

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm fine clear cold. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Dog saw sheep, ran and pulled owner over a small drop. He fell,

injured

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured tibia - the dog is now for sale

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 25, 3hr

12937 Location: Loughrigg Fell, Ambleside NY368040

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fine dry bright. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on footpath

Outcome/Injury Details: Ankle injury

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 17, 11/2 hr

351 Hill Walking (Winter) 20/11/04 12:28 Man(33)

London

NR

12938 Location: Loughrigg Fell, Ambleside NY354058

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry. Ice in places Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped

Outcome/Injury Details: Strained knee ligaments

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 10, 1hr

352 Hill Walking (Winter) 20/11/04 13:25 Man(42)

Chester, Cheshire

12939 Location: Three Tarns, Gt Langdale NY299060

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry. Ice in places

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped

Outcome/Injury Details: Dislocated shoulder

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 13, 21/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

353 Hill Walking (Winter) 20/11/04 14:51 Woman(30)

13047 Location: Force Crag Mine NY195212

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Icy slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on ice

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured wrist

Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 12, 1/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

354 Search - Mountain 21/11/04 07:35

13027 Location: Corney Fell SD141899

Weather, Ground Conditions: Drizzle misty cool. Icy slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: A member of the public had reported to the poilce that several

vehicles were stuck, one with a 12 year old child in. Police were

unable to reach them

Outcome/Injury Details: Nothing untoward reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 28, 21/4 hr

355 Hill Walking (Winter) (2 21/11/04 12:21 Man(NK) in Party)

Cockermouth, Cumbria

12994 Location: Red Pike. Buttermere NY160154

Weather, Ground Conditions: Rain cloudy. Some ice, wet and slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject collapsed whilst walking near summit, suffering a seizure

Outcome/Injury Details: Epileptic seizure

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 29, 33/4 hr

356 Hill Walking 21/11/04 14:00 Boy(15) Lichfield

12940 Location: Langdale Combe, Gt Langdale NY261082

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject reportes suffering from severe exposure, was in a tent

Outcome/Injury Details: Located in Mickleden and team stood down - no additional information provided

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 1, 1hr

357 Hill Walking (5 in Party) 21/11/04 18:15 Five Men(28, 25, 20, Stockport, Altringham 21, 19) and Lymm

13069 Location: Helvellyn (summit) NY342151

Weather, Ground Conditions: Gales heavy rain poor cold. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Group walkers got lost on top of Helvellyn in very bad weather

Outcome/Injury Details: The group was located by the team and brought off the hill to safety

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 4, 43/4 hr

358 Hill Walking (Solo) 22/11/04 22:12 Man(32)

Great Langdale, Cumbria

12941 Location: Blea Tarn, Gt Langdale NY290043

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dark. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject reported by relatives as missing from home

Outcome/Injury Details: He was located unharmed in tent beside tarn, escorted to care of

police

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 26, 4hr; SARDA (Lakes) 8, 21/4 hr

359 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 23/11/04 17:55 Man(60)

Bolton, G Manchester

Kendal, Cumbria

12995 Location: Robinson, Buttermere NY202170

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry mostly clear. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly adequate, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Party got into difficulty on steep ground while descending

Outcome/Injury Details: Led to safety

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 12, 11/2 hr

360 Hill Walking (Solo) 27/11/04 18:17 Man(57) NR

12942 Location: Esk Hause, Gt Langdale NY233081

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dark drizzle. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject reported missing in the Esk Hause area

Outcome/Injury Details: Turned up safe and well in Gt Langdale

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 12, 1hr

361 Search - Non-mountain 30/11/04 14:35 (Solo)

13028 Location: Grizebeck SD250850

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Hill Walking (Large

Cause of Accident: Depressed male taken pills and alcohol. He had phoned is wife and

said he was going to commit suicide

Outcome/Injury Details: Found by the police helicopter, condition not reported

30/11/04 14:50 Woman(60)

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 23, 1hr

Party)

12943 Location: Stickle Ghyll, Gt Langdale NY292066

Weather, Ground Conditions: Rain dull. Wet Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 1, 2hr

363 Hill Walking (Solo) 30/11/04 15:00 Man(NK) NR

13070 Location: Helvellyn (summit) NY342152

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh showers hill fog cool. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject lost in hill fog

Outcome/Injury Details: With help from the team he was able to be guided off the hill by

mobile phone

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 2. 1hr

December

364 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 01/12/04 18:25

12996 Location: Red Pike, Buttermere NY160154

Weather, Ground Conditions: Dry some cloud on tops. Damp

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Party reported themselves disorientated in mist while descending

from summit and called for assistance

Outcome/Injury Details: Turned up safe and well as team deploying

Teams, No members, Duration: Cockermouth 8, 1/2 hr

365 Local Incident 02/12/04 17:00

12911 Location: Cautley Spout SD970680

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry hill fog cold. Damp slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Informant reported hearing calls for help for approx 15 min from

Cautley area. Informant was approx 1 mile away from source of call

Outcome/Injury Details: Both teams (& dogs) started a search. It was then found that the

calls were from a farmer in area

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 23, 21/2 hr; Kirkby Stephen 16, 1hr; SARDA (Lakes) 2, 1hr

366 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 02/12/04 17:40 Man(36), Woman(NK) Hull and Beverley, Humberside

13071 Location: Silver Point NY397184

Weather, Ground Conditions: Light rain hill fog cold. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party got lost on lake shore path and became frightened to move in

falling light and fog. Not well equipped and no torch

Outcome/Injury Details: Located and led them to safety

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 5, 1hr

367 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 03/12/04 14:22 Two Men(both NK) NR

13072 Location: Helvellyn NY341152

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh rain hill fog cold. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NKNK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party got lost in bad weather on Helvellyn. Cold and wet could not

use a map

Outcome/Injury Details: As team were assembeling the leader got a call from them to say

some experienced walkers were showin

Teams, No members, Duration: Patterdale 12, 1hr

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type

12970 Location: Gummers How SD390884

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry clear mild. Damp slippery

Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet ground

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 22, 11/2 hr; Boulmer Helicopter

369 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 06/12/04 15:15 Two Women(both 38) Villefrancue, France

13015 Location: Pavey Ark, Gt Langdale NY284079

Weather, Ground Conditions: Low cloud. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, NK

Cause of Accident: Party reported themselves lost in mist

Outcome/Iniury Details: Located safe & well, and escorted to safety

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 5hr

370 Hill Walking (Solo) 06/12/04 19:25 Woman(28) London

Location: Scafell Pike NY215072 13154

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate rain poor. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Lone female walker reported herself lost on Scafell Pike

Outcome/Injury Details: Attempts to give directions by phone were unsuccessful so the

team went up and escorted her back to

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 13, 6hr

371 Hill Walking

07/12/04 13:14 Woman(55)

Grange -over- Sands, Cumbria

Morpeth, Northumb.

Location: Pike O'Blisco, Gt Langdale NY270040 13016

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear. Very wet Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on some wet rocks

Outcome/Injury Details: Head injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 1, 31/2 hr; Langdale Ambleside 12, 31/2 hr;

Boulmer Helicopter

372 Hill Walking 08/12/04 16:00 Man(53)

13228 Location: Birk Fell SD297017

Weather, Ground Conditions: Mist. Rough

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject disorientated in mist

Outcome/Injury Details: Located unharmed and escorted to safety

Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 17, 2 hr

373 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 10/12/04 12:00 Man(51)

Penny Bridge, Cumbria

13029 Location: Hark Bridge SD243925

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm dry misty cool. Wet slippery

Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Man pulled by dog on lead, fell and hurt lower back

Outcome/Injury Details: Severe pain in lower back Teams, No members, Duration: Duddon & Furness 21, 2hr

374 Hill Walking (Large

10/12/04 14:05

Party)

No. Date & Time Sex & Age Home Town Type Location: Crinkle Crags, Green Hole, Mosedale NY239055 13017 Weather, Ground Conditions: Low mistdrizzle cold. Wet Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Party of 11 persons reported themselves lost in mist

Outcome/Injury Details: Located and escorted to Cockley Beck

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 15, 3½ hr; Wasdale 10, ½ hr

375 Hill Walking (Large Party)

12/12/04 12:00 Woman(64)

Bolton. Lancs

12971 Location: Dixon Heights, Lindale SD414816

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm drizzle misty mild. Wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet grass on sloping ground

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured L ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 16, 21/2 hr

376 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 12/12/04 21:25 Two Men(21, 29)

Barrow In Furness, Cumbria

Location: Piers Gill, Wasdale NY213084 13156

Weather, Ground Conditions: Strong passing showers poor cold. Very wet

Cloth'a/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party were reported overdue on Scafell Pike. Located in Piers Gill

after a long search. Their location required a long and technical

evacuation. A very long rescue - 14 hours

Outcome/Injury Details: Lower leg injury. Mild hypothermia

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 17, 14hr; Keswick 11, 7¾ hr; Duddon & Furness 19, 4½

hr; SARDA (Lakes) 6, 9hr

377 Hill Walking

13/12/04 14:44 Woman(44)

Llantuit, S Glamorgam

13018 Location: Wansfell NY405038

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet dull cold. Wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped, initial grid ref incorrct, eventually stretchered off the

fell to ambulance

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured ankle

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 21, 1hr; Kendal 3, 1/4 hr

378 Hill Walking (2 in Party) 19/12/04 11:55 Woman(75)

Morecambe, Lancs

Location: Scout Scar (Southern End) SD490905 13037

Weather, Ground Conditions: Calm fine clear cool. Icy slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on icy ground

Outcome/Injury Details: Swelling to R ankle, no displacement

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 13, 1/2 hr

379 Hill Walking (Winter) 19/12/04 13:12 Woman(60)

Ulverston, Cumbria

Location: Loughrigg, Ambleside NY344056 13019

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear cold sunny dry. Dry, ice in places

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: Mostly good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped, evacuated to ambulance

Outcome/Injury Details: Displaced fractured ankle Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 16, 2hr

13171 Location: Stoneycroft Ghyll NY210210

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on ice Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured lower leg Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 12, 1¾ hr

381 Mountain Biking 23/12/04 13:28 Woman(NK) NR

13170 Location: Whinlatter Forest NY195255

Weather, Ground Conditions: Not reported. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Rider crashed on rough track

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured wrist Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 13, 11/4 hr

382 Sledging (2 in Party) 25/12/04 16:00 Man(NK) NR

13157 Location: Cold Fell NY061121

Weather, Ground Conditions: Moderate fine clear freezing frost. Soft snow

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Team requested to assist ambulance in evacuation of a lady who

had sustained a leg injury while sledging

Outcome/Injury Details: Fracture to lower leg. Mild hypothermia

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 10, 2hr

383 Local Incident (2 in 26/12/04 16:45 Party)

13079 Location: Wrynose Pass, Lt Langdale NY293032

Weather, Ground Conditions: Cold dark. Icy

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: Car reported stuck on high mountain pass

Outcome/Injury Details: Notified that driver and passenger on their way home to Lancaster;

no further action required

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 9, 11/2 hr

384 Hill Walking (Winter) 28/12/04 13:08 Man(83) Kendal, Cumbria

13080 Location: Loughrigg Fell, Ambleside NY347051

Weather, Ground Conditions: Sleet cold. Very wet and icy

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet/icy ground; stretchered off to ambulance

Outcome/Injury Details: Knee and leg injuries

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 2hr

385 Hill Walking (7 in Party) 28/12/04 18:15 Seven Men(56, the Bowden rest NK)

13081 Location: Stake Pass, Gt Langdale NY259080

Weather, Ground Conditions: Wet low mist. Very wet

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Poor

Cause of Accident: Party reported themselves lost in the mist

Outcome/Injury Details: They were located unharmed and guided to safety Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 14, 1hr; SARDA (Lakes) 1, 2hr

13048 Location: Dale Head Crags NY230155

Weather, Ground Conditions: Heavy rain. Very wet slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, NK

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped on wet rock

Outcome/Injury Details: Lower leg injury Teams, No members, Duration: Keswick 18, 3¾ hr

387 Motor Sport (Large

30/12/04 20:15

Party)

13039

Location: Green Lane, Deepdale, Dent SD706824

Weather, Ground Conditions: Strong heavy rain poor cold. Waterlogged slippery

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience:

Cause of Accident: 3 off-road vehicles became stranded in severe weather & ground

conditions

Outcome/Injury Details: The Team were called to evacuate 6 adults & 2 children. The

subjects were cold & wet but unhurt

Teams, No members, Duration: Kendal 5, 8hr

388 Hill Walking

31/12/04 10:58 Man(32)

Yeovil, Som

13082 Location: Stickle Ghyll, Gt Langdale NY292068

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear dry. Wet Cloth'q/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Adequate

Cause of Accident: Subject taken ill while walking, known medical condition

Outcome/Injury Details: Heart condition, pacemaker implant reported

Teams, No members, Duration: Langdale Ambleside 13, 2hr; Great North Air Ambulance

389 Hill Walking

31/12/04 13:15 Woman(55)

Liverpool, Merseyside

13235

Location: Coniston Old Man SD285985

Weather, Ground Conditions: Clear. Path Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: All good, Good

Cause of Accident: Subject slipped off the path, avoiding another party

Outcome/Injury Details: Fractured lower leg Teams, No members, Duration: Coniston 20 1½ hr

390 Hill Walking (3 in Party) 31/12/04 17:15 Three Men(all NK)

Arundel, W Sussex

13158

Location: Quagrigg Moss, Scafell NY202043

Weather, Ground Conditions: Fresh rain misty cold. Not reported

Cloth'g/Equip't/Foot'r, Experience: NK, NK

Cause of Accident: Party were benighted and lost on Scafell

Outcome/Injury Details: Located unhurt and escorted off the hill before midnight

Teams, No members, Duration: Wasdale 23, 51/2 hr

Key: NK = not known, NR = not reported

Lake District Mountain Accident Summary

Table 1a

		1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Total incidents dealt with by		362	330	355	227	337	328	366
Teams	-							
Total numbers of casua	Ities &	408	417	398	246	371	350	437
uninjured								
Climbing on Rock	Deaths	0	1	0	0	0	1	1
	Injured	10	5	9	5	7	4	8
Climbing on Snow/Ice	Deaths	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Injured	2	5	0	0	2	1	0
Fell Walking	Deaths	14	14	3	7	9	4	11
	Injured	168	141	168	141	123	74	159
Fell Walking on	Deaths	0	1	0	1	1	2	1
Snow/Ice	Injured	5	9	12	5	11	21	11
Fell Walking	Unhurt	136	175	160	148	120	102	181
Cragfast Climbers or	Unhurt	8	32	29	23	12	18	15
Fellwalkers taken off								
Ski-ing Accidents	Deaths	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Injured	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Incidents other than	Deaths	5	1	1	6	2	7	5
mountain accidents	Injured	10	6	2	19	16	8	11
Accidents to Young	Deaths	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
People	Injured	27	21	24	23	13	7	17
(18 yrs or under)	Unhurt	15	27	17	24	8	18	24
TOTAL CASUALTIES	Deaths	20	18	6	14	15	14	41
(all causes)	Injured	226	189	192	189	180	121	211

OTHER DETAILS (7 YEARS 1998-2004) *Table 1b*

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Total Man/hrs involved on							
incidents for the year	16190	13706	18587	11950	15979	15398	20564
Total Team Callouts -							
incl. Incidents needing	454	389	445	300	418	404	536
more than 1 team							
SAR Aircraft involved	57	58	56	39	59	80	112
Rock Scrambling Incidents	8	8	2	2	4	1	5
fatalities	0	2	0	0	0	1	0
Avalanche Incidents	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mountain Bike Casualties	5	2	5	6	7	9	8
Fell Running Casualties	4	3	3	1	4	1	2
fatalities	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

Analysis Of Casualty Conditions

Table 2 - Fatalities

Year	Non-Mountain	'Natural'	Mountain Ad	Total	
		*	Non snow/ice	snow/ice	
1991	4	13	6	4	27
1992	2	10	3	2	17
1993	5	13	1	4	23
1994	3	12	3	4	22
1995	4	6	8	3	21
1996	8	5	1	5	19
1997	0	5	6	0	11
1998	6	6	8	0	20
1999	1	9	8	0	18
2000	1	2	3	0	6
2001	6	4	2	2	14
2002	6	5	2	1	14
2003	3	6	5	1	15
2004	29	4	10	0	43

^{*} i.e. heart attack or other medical causes

Table 3 - Injuries /Condition

Year	Serious *	Not Serious
1991	105	103
1992	101	177
1993	102	166
1994	148	122
1995	109	123
1996	113	100
1997	142	103
1998	113	94
1999	96	80
2000	80	113
2001	59	65
2002	91	98
2003	79	101
2004	96	115
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^{*} i.e. all fractures included as serious

Causes Of Incidents

The following table is the result of a search through all the reports for key words relating to the causes for calling out the Mountain Rescue Team(s). For example, the category Benighted will include any word with enight-i, and edarknessi as part of the word or phrase.

Please note that the totals of these columns may not match the number of incidents given at the bottom of each column. Many incident reports refer to more than one cause. A typical report will illustrate this:-

*ì tripped on footpath whilst walking and fell 2 metres onto rocky ground*î

This will result in contributions to the trip/stumble and fall categories.

Cause Of Incident	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Avalanche	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Belay/Runner Failure	2	3	2	1	2	3	0
Benighted	6	6	12	7	8	37	19
Collapse	32	25	13	10	13	21	23
Cragfast	6	13	19	10	17	12	15
Exhaustion	2	0	2	3	1	4	8
Fall	71	75	59	49	83	90	88
In Difficulty	0	0	2	0	2	6	3
Lights Reported	11	11	2	7	5	7	8
Lost	22	26	35	23	33	53	73
Overdue	47	41	38	33	38	45	62
Separated	9	11	7	7	8	10	16
Severe Weather	1	1	8	2	1	1	18
Shouts Heard	6	4	3	2	2	0	4
Slip	96	86	102	67	93	72	106
Trip Or Stumble	5	12	8	8	12	20	13
Total No of Subjects	326	309	331	212	322	348	468

Table 4 - Causes of MR Incidents

Age Profiles of Subjects

The following table shows the ages of both male and female casualties (fatal, injured and unhurt).

Age (years)		1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Not Reported	Male	28	41	35	24	31	53	82
	Female	9	48	24	8	21	16	17
	Total	37	89	59	32	52	69	99
1 - 10	Male	5	4	6	5	6	11	4
	Female	1	3	0	7	3	5	5
	Total	6	7	6	12	9	16	9
11 - 20	Male	48	33	37	13	25	22	39
	Female	20	28	23	6	28	6	13
	Total	68	61	60	19	53	28	52
21 - 30	Male	53	42	38	21	26	27	43
	Female	24	20	18	9	20	20	10
	Total	77	62	56	30	46	47	53
31 - 40	Male	39	32	27	17	32	33	35
	Female	17	14	14	10	10	25	20
	Total	56	46	41	27	42	58	55
41 - 50	Male	36	38	44	25	35	22	34
	Female	19	14	27	24	22	23	25
	Total	55	52	71	49	57	45	59
51 - 60	Male	33	29	26	25	32	22	38
	Female	28	30	21	27	37	14	29
	Total	61	59	47	52	69	36	67
61 - 70	Male	20	11	16	12	14	11	22
	Female	16	10	22	7	18	20	23
	Total	36	21	38	19	32	31	45
71 - 80	Male	5	6	10	3	6	8	14
	Female	4	8	5	2	4	8	7
	Total	9	14	15	5	10	16	21
81 +	Male	2	5	3	0	0	3	4
	Female	1	1	2	1	0	1	2
	Total	3	6	5	1	0	4	6
Totals	Male	269	241	242	145	207	212	316
	Female	139	176	156	101	163	138	152
	Total	408	417	398	246	370	350	468

Table 5 - Age Profiles of Subjects

Types Of Injury

The following table is the result of a search through all the reports for key words relating to types of injury or medical conditions. For example, the category Lacerations will include any word with #acerat-í, #cut-í and #gash-í as part of the word or phrase.

Please note that the totals of these columns do not match the number of casualties given at the bottom of each column. Unfortunately many of the casualties sustain more than one injury as a result of their accident. A typical report will illustrate this:-

*`Fracture/dislocation of the ankle, cuts to hands and knee*î

This will result in contributions to the fracture, dislocation and laceration categories.

Condition/Injury	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Abrasion	1	1	2	4	1	1	1
Asthma	1	1	1	0	0	0	1
Bruising	5	10	6	2	4	4	2
Burns	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Concussion	0	0	1	0	0	1	1
Cramp	0	0	1	0	0	2	0
Crush Injury	0	0	0	1	2	2	1
Diabetic	2	1	0	0	0	3	1
Dislocation	13	5	10	5	12	10	13
Epilepsy	1	0	3	1	1	0	2
Exhaustion	2	8	5	3	1	2	2
Exposure	2	0	4	0	0	1	1
Fractures	90	83	88	64	88	76	103
Heart Attack	13	13	7	5	7	10	8
Hypothermia	12	1	9	4	7	5	3
Illness	0	0	2	0	0	3	1
Lacerations	19	25	21	9	25	22	8
Ligament/Tendon Damage	8	4	6	3	6	0	3
Multiple Injuries	3	3	1	4	2	1	8
Shock	3	2	0	1	0	0	1
Sprain/Strain	10	9	9	4	6	9	4
Unconscious	3	1	4	3	2	0	0
Number Of Casualties	226	189	207	136	203	190	246
Number Of Casuallies	220	103	201	130	203	130	240

Table 6 - Types of Injury

Sites Of Injury

The following table is the result of a search through all the reports for key words relating to sites of injury or medical conditions. For example, the category Lower Leg will include any word with #ibiaí, #ibulaí, #ower legí and #ibiaí as part of the word or phrase.

Please note that the totals of these columns do not match the number of casualties given at the bottom of each column. Unfortunately many of the casualties sustain more than one injury as a result of their accident. A typical report will illustrate this:-

*`Fracture/dislocation of the ankle, cuts to hands and knee*î This will result in contributions to the ankle, hands & wrist and knee categories.

Site Of Injury	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Abdomen	4	1	3	1	1	1	0
Ankle	61	51	59	27	49	48	73
Arm	5	11	8	10	17	9	5
Chest	9	8	9	7	12	4	10
Facial	8	1	5	3	3	3	0
Foot	0	3	2	1	1	2	1
Hand & Wrist	15	11	9	5	7	10	16
Head	23	28	25	14	19	23	20
Knee	24	16	16	12	19	18	15
Lower Leg	21	26	21	28	30	26	20
Neck	6	1	2	1	4	4	4
Pelvic Girdle	0	8	1	4	4	1	1
Shoulder Girdle	6	3	10	8	11	8	9
Spine	16	12	13	6	11	10	11
Upper Leg & Hip	6	9	3	4	8	3	2
Number Of Casualties	226	189	207	136	203	190	246

Table 7 - Sites of Injury

Lake District Search & Mountain Rescue Teams

The LAKE DISTRICT SEARCH AND MOUNTAIN RESCUE ASSOCIATION consists of the teams listed below together with many others on call through the Police. Its Hon. Sec. is Mr Richard Warren Tel 01946 62176 and Email rawarren@freenetname.co.uk

FOR RESCUE ASSISTANCE

- GO TO THE NEAREST TELEPHONE AND DIAL 999.
- ASK FOR 'MOUNTAIN RESCUE'.
- GIVE THE LOCATION (NAME & GRID REFERENCE), TIME OF ACCIDENT, NATURE OF INJURIES NAME & ADDRESS OF CASUALTY IF KNOWN.
- STAY BY TELEPHONE UNTIL POLICE OR RESCUE TEAM MAKE CONTACT.

The contact names and addresses given below are for administrative purposes only. In the event of an accident, dial 999.

Cockermouth Mountain Rescue Team

Hon. Sec.: Steve Brailey

14 Lime Tree Crescent, Cockermouth, Cumbria CA13 9HW

01900 827916 steve@cockermouthmrt.org.uk

Coniston Mountain Rescue Team

Hon. Sec.: Caroline Langdon

4 Ivy Cottages, Far End, Coniston, Cumbria LA21 8DE

015394 41462 caroline@broadgreen.prestel.co.uk

Cumbria Ore Mines Rescue Unit

Hon. Sec.: Bernie Green

School House, Oulton, Wigton Cumbria, CA7 0NP

016973 42618 bernie.green@tiscali.co.uk

Duddon & Furness Mountain Rescue Team

Hon. Sec.: Tracev Binks

7 New Street, Broughton-in-Furness, Cumbria LA20 6DJ

01229 716952 tracey.binks@arrhouse.co.uk

Kendal Mountain Search and Rescue Team

Hon. Sec.: Pauline Speak

Kendal Mountain Rescue, Busher Walk, Kendal, Cumbria, LA9 4RH

01772 617071 pauline@theoldstablespr3.freeserve.co.uk

Keswick Mountain Rescue Team

Hon, Sec.: Neil Dowie

Royal Oak Cottage, Rosthwaite, Keswick, Cumbria CA12 5XB

017687 77225 keswickmrt@mountain.rescue.org.uk

Kirkby Stephen Search and Mountain Rescue Team

Hon. Sec.: David Hicks

Ivy Hall, Raisbeck, Penrith, Cumbria, CA10 3SG

015396 24249 david.hicks@ivyhall.demon.co.uk

Langdale / Ambleside Mountain Rescue Team

Hon. Sec.: Ashley Cooper

6 Wansfell Bank, Blue Hill Road, Ambleside, Cumbria, LA22 0AX

01539 434405 wansfell@beeb.net

Patterdale Mountain Rescue Team

Hon. Sec.: Peter Collins

2 Croft Foot, Tirril, Penrith, Cumbria CA10 2JW

01768 864246 felltop@tiscali.co.uk

Penrith Mountain Rescue Team

Hon. Sec.: Jane Wise

10 The Parklands, Penrith, Cumbria CA11 8TF

01768 892558 janeawise@aol.com

Search and Rescue Dog Association SARDA (Lakes)

Hon. Sec.: Mick Guy

Lihmus, High Hill, Keswick, Cumbria, CA12 5PB

017687 72463 mickguy@sarda.demon.co.uk

Wasdale Mountain Rescue Team

Hon. Sec.: Guy Newbold

43 Santon Way, Seascale, Cumbria CA20 1NG

019467 27246 sec@wnrt.co.uk

For further information about LDSAMRA and the MR Teams in the Lake District, try our web site on the Internet at http://www.ldsamra.org.uk

Lake District Mountain Rescue Posts

Recognised Posts, Manned, with Telephone and some Equipment

Location: Gatesgarth Farm, Buttermere

Grid Ref.: NY 194 149

Supervisor: Cockermouth MRT Tel: 01900 827916

Location: Ullswater Outward Bound Mountain School

Grid Ref.: NY 438 213

Supervisor: Ullswater OBMS Tel: 017684 86347

Location: Wastwater Hotel, Wasdale Head

Grid Ref.: NY 187 088

Supervisor: Wasdale MRT Tel: 019467 25431

Mountain stretcher boxes - Unmanned, no Telephone

Location: Dow Crag (at the foot of Abrahamís B Buttress)

Grid Ref.: SD 263 976

Supervisor: Coniston MRT Tel: 015395 41242

Location: Mickledore, Scafell (just below crest on Eskdale side)

Grid Ref.: NY 210 068

Supervisor: Wasdale MRT Tel: 019467 25314

Location: Sty Head Pass Grid Ref.: NY 218 095

Supervisor: Keswick MRT Tel: 017687 72105

Other First Aid Posts (with telephone)

Location: Howtown OA Centre, Martindale

Grid Ref.: NY 444 197

Supervisor: BRCS Cumbria c/o The Warden Tel: 017684 86208

Location: YMCA National Centre, Lakeside

Grid Ref.: SD 374 897

Supervisor: YMCA Tel: 015395 31758

NOTE: All the above posts are in the area of the OS Lake District Tourist Map though not all are marked.

The position of a post is sometimes changed. Verify locally.

Mobile Phones & Mountain Rescue

Advice to Users

There is no doubt that using mobile phones have saved lives in the mountains and fells of this country. The sooner rescue teams are alerted to an incident, the better are the chances of a quick and complete recovery for the victim. However, over the past few years there have been occasions when teams have been alerted inappropriately. The notes that follow are given in the hope that the mobile phone can be used to better effect and to minimise any frustration.

When to use

- 1. if you or a member of your party sustains an injury warranting the assistance of a mountain rescue team.
- 2. if you come across someone who has sustained an injury warranting the assistance of a mountain rescue team.
- 3. if one of your party has become separated from the main party and you have made every effort to but have been unable to meet up again.
- 4. if you want to report having seen or heard any internationally recognised distress calls.
- 5. if you wish to notify someone of a change of plan (not a 999 call).

When not to use

- 1. Do not use the mobile phone at the **#**irst sign of troubleí; be self-reliant if possible.
- 2. Do not rely solely on the mobile phone as a safety device; there are areas of poor or not reception (edead areasí).
- 3. The mobile phone is not a substitute for experience.

How to use

1. First make a note of all relevant details, Location (Grid Ref. if possible) Name, Sex and Age of Casualty.

Nature of Injuries or disability.

Number of people in party and intended destination.

THE NUMBER OF THE MOBILE PHONE IN USE.

- 2. Dial 999 and ask for the Police.
- 3. Make sure you tell the operator that you require the Cumbria Police as you are in the Lake District.
- 4. When connected to a Police control room, check that it is the Cumbria Police. If it is not, then make sure that the information will be passed on.
- 5. Explain the nature of your call, giving details previously prepared.
- 6. Do NOT change your position until contacted by Rescue Team, who will agree future protocol for use of Phone.
- 7. If you have to make a further 999 call, use ALL the above procedure again.

Advice To Those Using The Mountains & Fells

LIVE A LITTLE LONGER

British mountains can be killers if proper care is not taken. The following notes cover the minimum precautions if you want to avoid getting hurt or lost, and so inconveniencing or endangering others as well as yourselves.

Clothing

This should be colourful, warm, windproof and waterproof. Wear boots with moulded rubber soles, <u>not</u> shoes, trainers or wellingtons. Take a woollen cap, scarf, gloves and a spare jersey; it is always colder on the tops.

Food

In addition to the usual sandwiches, take chocolate, dried fruit, mintcake or similar sweet things, which restore energy quickly. If you don't need them yourself, someone else may. Becks on fells are drinkable if fast-running over stony beds.

Equipment

This must include map, compass, and at least one reliable watch in the party. A whistle, torch and spare batteries and bulbs are essential. Use six blasts or flashes repeated at one-minute intervals to signal an emergency. In winter conditions, an ice axe, crampons and survival bag are essential. Climbers are all urged to wear helmets, especially in winter conditions.

Company

If in groups, make sure party leaders are experienced; do not leave one or two behind to rest and catch up later. Take special care of the youngest and weakest especially in dangerous places. If you prefer to go alone, be very careful at all times. Let people know your route at the start, and stick to it as far as you can.

Emergencies

Don't press on if conditions are against you - turn back even if it upsets your plan. Learn First Aid, and keep injured or exhausted people warm until help reaches you. Get a message to the Police for help as soon as possible, and report changes of route or timetable to them if someone is expecting you. The Police will do the rest.

Dangers which Can Always Be Avoided

Ö until you know how to cope with them:

Precipices

Slopes of ice,

steep snow,

very steep grass (especially frozen), unstable boulders.

Gullies and stream beds.

streams / rivers in spate,

snow cornices on ridges or gully tops, over-ambition,

carelessness.

Dangers which may Surprise You

Ö and should be guarded against:

Weather changes - mist, gale, rain or snow.

Get forecasts, and watch the sky in all quarters

Ice on paths

Carry an ice-axe and wear crampons - know how to use them

Excessive cold or heat.

Dress sensibly, and take spare clothing.

Incipient exhaustion.

Know the signs; rest and keep warm.

Accident or illness.

Don't panic. If you send for help, make sure that the rescuers know exactly where to come.

Flight of time.

Learn your own pace. Plan your walk.

Allow double time in winter conditions.

Pride.

It is no disgrace to turn back if you are not certain. A party must be governed by the capabilities of the weakest member.



DISTINGUISHED SERVICE LIST

Containing persons who have made a significant contribution to Mountain Rescue in the Lake District

JOHN BERNARD ANDERSON

Coniston MRT

STEVE BARBER (Deceased)

Kendal MSRT, LDSAMRA & MRC

ERIC BARRINGTON

Kendal MSRT & LDSAMRA

PETER BELL

Langdale/Ambleside MRT, Stretcher

Manufacturer

Sir CHRISTIAN BONINGTON

JOE BOOTHROYD (Deceased)

Patterdale & Penrith MRTs, LDSAMRA

& MRC

DUNCAN JAMES CAMERON

(Deceased) Coniston MRT

NELSON CLARK

Furness MRT

ROY COOKSEY

Coniston MRT

JIM COYLE BEM

Cockermouth MRT

SYDNEY H. CROSS MBE (Deceased)

Langdale Mountain Rescues

SQN LDR LESTER DAVIES

O.B.M.S. Ullswater

GEORGE FISHER MBE

Keswick MRT

RICHARD FISHER

Keswick MR Team

MALCOLM GRINDROD

Langdale/Ambleside MRT & SARDA

(Lakes)

Mrs. ADA HILLARD

PAUL HORDER

Cockermouth & Keswick MRTs,

LDSAMRA & MRC

STEWART HULSE MBE

Langdale/Ambleside MRT, & MRC

PETER JACKSON

Millom FRT

TOM MINTON (Deceased)

Kendal MSRT

JOHN MITCHELL

Millom FRT

MIKE MITCHELL

Kendal MSRT, COMRU & LDSAMRA

MIKE NIXON MBE

Keswick MRT

Dr. JAMES D OGILVIE (Deceased)

Patterdale MRT

DES OLIVER

Keswick MRT

BILL PATTISON MBE

Wasdale MRT

ROGER PUTNAM

O.B.M.S. Eskdale

JAMES BRYAN STILLING

Kendal MSRT, LDSAMRA & MRC

Lt. Col H. WESTMORELAND MBE

(Deceased) Keswick MRT

FI. Lt. RICHARD WOOD

A Flight 202 Sqn RAF Boulmer

Donating To Mountain Rescue

If you wish to support financially the Mountain Rescue Service, in the Lake District, the Association will be pleased to receive your donation. The Association equally shares out all it receives to the 13 Teams in the Lake District. There are several ways of assisting, some more financially advantageous than others.

1. Gift Aid

Following recent changes in the law relating to donating to charities, completion of a Deed of Covenant is no longer necessary. Most donations are now covered by a Gift Aid declaration. If you pay tax, Gift Aid is a scheme by which you can give a sum of money to a charity and the charity can reclaim from the Inland Revenue basic rate tax on your gift. You can make payments by cash, cheque, postal order, direct debit or standing order. Subject to a few rules, you can give any amount, large or small, regular or one-off and the charity can reclaim the tax.

If you want to make a donation through Gift Aid please complete the form printed overleaf having read the notes and return it, with either your donation or a completed copy of the Bankers Order to the Associationís treasurer.

- 1.1 If your declaration covers donations you may make in the future:
- Please notify the charity if you change your name or address while the declaration is in force
- You can cancel the declaration at any time by notifying the charity ñ it will then not apply to donations you make on or after the date of the cancellation or such later date as you specify.
- 1.2 You must pay an amount of income tax and/or capital gains tax at least equal to the tax that the charity reclaims on your donations in the tax year (currently 28p for each pound you give).
- 1.3If in future your circumstances change and you no longer pay tax on your income and capital gains equal to the tax that the charity reclaims, you can cancel your declaration (see note 1.1)
- 1.4 If you pay tax at the higher rate you can claim further tax relief in your Self Assessment tax return.
- 1.5 If you are unsure whether your donations qualify for Gift Aid tax relief, ask the charity. Or you can ask your local tax office for leaflet IR113 *Gift Aid*

2. Give As You Earn

This is a tax free way of giving to charities direct from your pay and many employers have agreed to co-operate. The donation is deducted from your pay before your tax deduction is calculated. The Association is registered with the Charities Aid Foundation.

If this appeals to you, please approach your employer with these details:

Charity Name:	LDSAMRA		
Bank Code:	40-22-16	Bank Account No:	81205617
Give As You Earn Reg.	No:004184		
Charity Commission Reg.	No:506349		

GIFT AID DECLARATION

Name of Charity: LAKE DISTRICT SEARCH AND MOUNTAIN RESCUE
ASSOCIATION
Registered Charity Number: 506349
Title ÖÖ. ForenameÖÖÖÖÖÖÖ SurnameÖÖÖÖÖÖÖÖÖÖÖÖ
Address:Ö Ö
Ö Ö ÖÖ .
I want the charity to treat: (Delete as appropriate)
□ The enclosed donation of £Ö Ö Ö Ö Ö Ö Ö Ö
□ The donation(s) of £ Ö Ö Ö Ö Ö which I made on Ö Ö/Ö Ö/Ö Ö
 All donations I make from the date of this declaration until I notify you otherwise
□ All donations I have made since 6 April 2000, and all donations I
make from the date of this declaration until I notify you otherwise
as Gift Aid donations.
SignedÖÖÖ Date ÖÖ/ÖÖ
BANKERS ORDER
To: Bank
Address
Date
Please pay
HSBC, DENTON HILL, GOSFORTH, SEASCALE, CUMBRIA CA20 1EL
Code No. 40-22-16, for credit of LDSAMRA A/c No. 81205617 the sum of
£ (words)
commencing (date of first payment)
and thereafter every (month/year)
until (date of last payment) and debit my/our account
accordingly.
Signed Date

DEED OF COVENANT

TO: LAKE DISTRICT SE	EARCH AND MOUNTAIN RESCUE ASSOCIATION
I promise to pay you for	4 years, or until I die if earlier, such a sum as
after deduction of incon	ne tax at the basic rate amounts to *£Ö
each (month/year), fron	n the date shown below.
Signed and delivered	Ö Ö Ö
Date	Ö
Full name & address	Ö
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Witnessed by (signed)	Ö.
Full name & address	Ö
(in capitals)	ÖÖ.
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	amount you will be paying to the LDSAMRA.
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To:	ÖÖÖÖÖÖÖÖÖÖÖ Bank
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