

## **K Fellfarers – Meet Guidelines**

1. A Club Meet is a meet that the club (usually the Committee) has organised for club members and is open to all club members. Casual arrangements between members are not a Club Meet.
2. A Club Meet will have a Co-ordinator who will provide a brief description of the Meet e.g. distance, ascent and estimated times for a walk
  - a. The brief description will be published in advance on the Club web site
  - b. The brief description and occasional additional information, may also be sent by email to Club members
3. The Meet Coordinator is not responsible for providing tuition or guidance on a Club Meet. However, any participants can voluntarily share knowledge and information.
4. Participants have self-responsibility for their decision-making, capabilities, equipment, and safety.
  - a. Participants are responsible for what they decide to do.
  - b. Participants must be conscious of their own safety and on the impact of their decisions and conduct on the safety of other participants.
  - c. Participants must clearly communicate any issues that arise that may affect themselves or other participants.
5. Any participants under 18 years of age must be accompanied by a responsible adult.
6. BMC Clubs Combined Liability Insurance for club meets
  - a. Club members who have paid their Annual Membership Fee are covered by the BMC Clubs Combined Liability Insurance. This is a defensive insurance that protects individuals from legal liability following injury or damage to third parties or their property, arising in connection with outdoor activities.
  - b. Prospective Members who have provided their details to the club are protected during a three-month grace period.
  - c. Guests, children of members and prospective members who have NOT joined the club or the BMC within 3 months, are not protected (unless they have their own personal insurance). This will be communicated to those affected.
  - d. Should an incident or accident occur on a Club Meet, the Meet Co-ordinator will be informed as soon as practicable, and the details recorded. The Meet Co-ordinator will inform the Club Secretary, who will inform the BMC's Insurers.