

October 2007

# LOMOND MIC

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75th  
Anniversary Dinner  
Saturday  
24th November 2007  
Tickets on sale now.

## HUT LEASE UPDATE

The club recently received notice of termination of the current hut lease, as of 28th November 2007. This is due to the acquisition of the Onich Hotel by a new owner. Once again the committee have made strenuous efforts to prevent the loss of the hut and have:

- Written to the new owner pointing out the history of the hut, the business for the hotel and the items within the deeds
- Obtained a letter of support from the MCoS
- Met with the new owner to discuss the future of the hut. He is aware of the deeds conditions and the condition of the hut currently.

The outcome is that we expect a new month to month lease for the hut, however this will only be until the new owner receives an opinion about developing the site from the Planning Department. In essence, we have agreed that he will not evict us from the hut until he has a firm development proposal.

The owner is open to the idea of us buying the hut and this will be discussed further by the committee, we are likely to commission a valuation to find out how much is a reasonable price.

Obviously the committee and the President want to keep the hut for use for the club and the mountaineering community and will exhaust every possible avenue to secure its future.

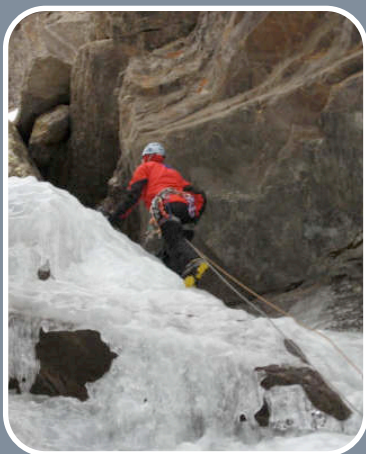


### New Trip Reports

The website has new accounts from trips to:

Alps (Russell and Karin)  
Alps (Kevin)  
Alps (Matt, NZ Andy and Alasdair)  
Peak District  
Cycling the Central Belt  
Poetry and Climbing  
Hawcraig  
Mamores  
Beinn a'Chalchair  
Arran  
Brora  
Skye  
Beinn a Lap  
Pap of Glencoe  
Peak District

## MEETS 07 /08



**8th/9th December**

**Milehouse**

**18th/19th January**

**Invercroft**

**22nd/23rd February**

**CIC**

**14th/15th March**

**Braemar**

### Pictures Required

For the Yearbook,  
email your best to  
Matt

## CMTE 07

**President - Matt Bridgestock**

**Meets - Alasdair Farish**

**Members - Chris Husbands**

**Treasurer - Catherine Sibley**

**Secretary - Jules Hearne**

**Hut - Russell Salisbury**

## 75TH ANNIVERSARY



The 75th Anniversary dinner is to be held on the 24th November 2007, at St Vincent Bowling Club, Finnieston, Glasgow.

A great night of entertainment has been planned with a fantastic meal, live Ceilidh band and plenty of drink. We have a guest speaker who will give us stories from the Club in the 1970's and modern climbing in the Himalaya and Arctic regions.

In addition we will be holding a charity raffle for the Mountain rescue, and we have some superb prizes from the likes of Cotswolds, Tiso, local distilleries and Glasgow Climbing Centre.

Tickets are now on sale for £28 per person from:

**Catherine Sibley**

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**Chris Husbands**

07733 121234

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You must have brought your ticket by 10th November 2007. Cheques should be payable to Lomond Mountaineering Club.

## AGM

**AGM to be held Wednesday  
28th November 2007 at  
Partick Burgh Halls.**

**There will be an update on  
the hut situation, normal  
AGM business and election  
of a new committee.**

It has been proposed to add the following item to the constitution:  
15.6 The income of the club from the Manse Barn shall be solely used for the benefit of the club and for no other purpose.

All members of the committee are up for re-election however it is likely that we will need at least two new committee members next year. If you are interested in helping your club, and are not sure what being on the committee involves, please contact Matt on 07886 418 357