

C.1: FIELD MEETING GENERIC RISK ASSESSMENT

The activities being conducted during the meeting are assessed as being broadly comparable to those that might occur during a family walk in the country. No hazards capable of causing more than minor injury are reasonably likely to be encountered by any member of the party. Those attending will be advised to wear appropriate footwear and clothing, to bring sufficient water, food, sun-block, insect repellent or other essentials etc. This generic assessment will be reviewed in the light of conditions on the day, and the abilities of individual members of the party.

If significant hazards are likely to be encountered then form C.2 must also be completed.

Reviewed and found suitable.

Signed Jonathan Shanklin Date 2013 April 1

Place of Field Meeting

Farndon

C.3: FIELD MEETING RISK REVIEW

This should be completed before setting out and later sent to the Field Secretary, together with a copy of form C.2 if it was required.

CHECK	YES	NO	N/A
Have names of participants been listed?	X		
Have any medical conditions been advised?		X	
Have clothing and footwear been reviewed?	X		
Has age profile of participants been reviewed?	X		
Have weather conditions been assessed?	X		
Have deputy leaders been appointed and briefed?			X
Has party been briefed on safety and staying together?	X		
Has the group been given the leader's and deputy's (if applicable) mobile number?			X
Has the leader got the number of the local Mountain Rescue Team if necessary?			X
Taking the above into account			
The intended route is still appropriate	X		
An alternative route has been chosen		X	
The excursion has been cancelled		X	

Signed Jonathan Shanklin Date 2013 April 1

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C.4: FIELD MEETING REPORT

This should be completed immediately after the meeting and sent to the Field Secretary who will post it on the Meetings web page.

Report on Field Meeting

at *Farndon* on *2013 April 1*

How many applied? *12 inc 2 leaders*

How many attended? *9 inc 3 leaders*

How many dropped out ? *4*

Plants of special interest (for vc) seen:

Acaena novae-zelandiae (5th vc record if confirmed), *Brassica nigra* (scarce), *Carex paniculata* (uncommon, furthest west tetrad), *Daphne laureola* (RPR, though not native here), *Polystichum setiferum* (scarce), *Umbilicus rupestris* (formally listed as scarce), *Veronica polita* (scarce)

31 plants noted in flower

At least 150 species seen.

Were the arrangements satisfactory? *Yes, good feedback from several participants.*

Any other comments?

Rather cold. A late spring, so lots of vegetative id and dead plant id.

Jonathan Shanklin, Graeme Kay, Martin Stead Leaders