



ELLON HILLWALKING CLUB

Newsletter – June 2026

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Programme: Monday 8 th June 2026 Evening walk – The Tappie Tower, Kirkhill Forest Leave from carpark at 19:00	Sunday 14th June Bike and hike Focal Point – Irene (07817643429) Riverside Carpark – 07:00
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Bike + hike 14th June

Margaret

Having enjoyed last year's bike + hike, we plan to try another, weather permitting! The choice of hills and route will be decided by the group once we know which club members are coming along on the day. Options include cycling to Derry Lodge and aiming for the Cairn Toul area, or cycling part way round Loch Muick to climb the 5 surrounding Munros, or cycling up Glen Ey to climb Carn Bhac. It is likely that any of these will be a much longer route than the club usually undertakes, so please be prepared for a very long day! Please note that this event is for club members only and that you may have to transport your own bike to the starting point.

Please give Irene as much notice as possible if you wish to join this outing so that you may be included in the planning discussions.

Forthcoming Events:

July 19 - Ben Mheadhion
August 16 - Carn Bhac

Corran Bunkhouse Sept. 18-20
One space still available. £82
If interested, contact Ingrid.

Ellon Hill Walking Club outing to Carn a Choire Bhaideach (CaCB) (1110m) and The Stuic (1093m) on Sunday 17th May 2026. Brian

Four of us (Irene, Margaret, Andy A and Brian) departed Kelloch car park (9.30am) and took the following route: Invercauld Bridge, the Ballochbuie Forest, the Feindallachrn Burn to the site of an ex-pony hut. Thence headed up CaCB and The Stuic. Much snow around the summit and ever-present storms over Cairngorms. Spectacular views and hail storm on the way back (reverse of the above). Returned 4.30pm. Stopped at co-op in Ballater for refreshment. Fantastic day out. Many thanks to Irene for driving us!



Photos Andy A.

Five members enjoyed a May evening walk following a familiar route from the Forvie Centre through the sand dunes to just past Hackley Bay. It was a very pleasant evening with calm weather, clear views and good company!

Photo - Irene

