

# Summer Solstice Walk

In aid of the Masonic Samaritan Fund  
Derbyshire Festival 2014



We are holding a sponsored walk on Fathers Day on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2010. The walk is going to be around Carsington reservoir and is approximately 7 miles in total.

On this occasion the Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master, Graham Rudd, and Mrs Rudd will be walking the circuit to encourage all Lodges to participate in this wonderful cause.

The idea is to get as many Lodges to enter a team to do the walk and obtain sponsorship monies from within their Masonic circles and families. The 7 mile circuit is little more than a Sunday afternoon stroll to the more experienced walkers and ramblers but should equally be easily achievable for the less active members.

We are suggesting family members may contribute to the sponsorships because ultimately they may at some stage in their lives benefit from the fund.

If a particular Lodge cannot get members to form a team for whatever reason, then maybe they could sponsor the PGM and his good lady.

It is anticipated the walk will commence at the Miners at Hopton at around 10-30am and arrive back at the Miners about 3-00pm for a well earned beer.

It is anticipated that we make the event a family occasion and to either eat at the pub or to have a mass picnic.

Marshals, together with first aiders are to be positioned around the walk to ensure every walker will be in good hands at all times.

Hopefully we will have good weather and should be a tremendous fun day out and at the same time raising money for the Festival and helping to bring us a little closer to our target. Each Lodge's sponsorship money will contribute to their own targets.

Sponsorship forms are available in PDF format and can be downloaded from the Festival website.

Together we can make this a tremendous contribution and if successful could become an annual event.

W.Bro. Graham A Hitchcock.

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