

# Culter Hillwalking Club

**MONDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2023**

**Cnoc Dubh (342m)**

**OS37 Strathdon, 14km, 240m ascent**

Our first walk of the year is a gentle stroll, along the Deeside Way and then by the Dee before climbing Cnoc Dubh (342m) (GR NO420991). We drop down to join the track under Culblean. Descending Burn o Vat (choice of path or clamber), we cross the road and walk around Loch Kinord, admiring the Celtic Cross and the crannog on the way back to Dinnet.

OS37 Strathdon, about 14km, 240m ascent, about 5hrs. Mainly good track, there may be fallen tree issues on Cnoc Dubh (no recent reccy done), if too tricky, we will divert west.

Let me know if you want to come, and also whether you're happy to drive, happy to carshare, or if you want a lift. Start time probably around 9.30am at Dinnet, I will organise cars and timings nearer the time.

**Contact 01224 733710 or 07789 852923**

*Walkers must wear walking boots (gaiters also recommended), carry WARM and waterproof clothing, hat and gloves and take plenty of food and liquids. THESE ARE ESSENTIAL. Be prepared for possible wintry conditions on the top, whatever the forecast.*

Culter hillwalking club has no members who are qualified leaders or instructors. Therefore anyone volunteering to assist the club on a walk cannot be held responsible for other members' welfare. Members must be aware they are solely responsible for themselves at all times. Hillwalking and mountaineering are activities with a danger of personal injury and death. Those participating in these activities should be aware of the risks and accept the responsibility for their own actions and involvement. No responsibility can be accepted by Culter Hillwalking club committee, members, guests or co-ordinators of walks for any mishap, which may occur, during a walk. Dog owners must ensure that their dogs are on a short lead at all times.

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