

Incident Listing

Dundonnell MRT

This report covers the period from: 01/01/2006 to: 31/12/2006.

1 - [01188]

30 Jan 2006 12:16 - Hill Walking (Winter) - Glen Nevis

The weather was not reported and the conditions underfoot not reported.

Prolonged search for missing walker believed to be in the Aonach Mor/Aonach Beag area. Nothing found.

Male(33) from Glasgow - condition reported as no find

24 members for 8 hr 0 min.

2 - [01980]

30 Jan 2006 14:30 - Hill Walking - Drumrunie

The weather was calm/drizzle/broken cloud/cold/bright and the conditions underfoot level boggy moorland slippery.

Whilst out dog walking casualty became stuck in a peat bog. Due to his age MRT assistance required to help him get out.

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as minor with hypothermia

3 members for 2 hr 0 min.

3 - [01976]

31 Jan 2006 19:00 - Hill Walking - Ben Wyvis, Eastern Slopes

The weather was fresh/drizzle/cloudy/cold/dark and the conditions underfoot moderate damp moorland.

Party became tired and lost whilst descending hill. MRT located party who were then airlifted to safety.

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt

13 members for 3 hr 30 min.

4 - [01982]

26 Feb 2006 14:00 - Hill Walking - Plodda Falls, Guisichan

The weather was not reported and the conditions underfoot not reported.

Walker fell into gorge at plodda falls. DMRT assisted in evacuating casualty to waiting road ambulance.

Male(57) from Nr - condition reported as minor with lower leg fracture

7 members for 3 hr 0 min.

5 - [01964]

22 Mar 2006 11:30 - Hill Walking - Achanhaird

The weather was fresh/sleet/cloudy/cold/dull and the conditions underfoot moderate heather moorland slip.

Walkers reported overdue by hotel having gone for a coastal walk. Sudden severe weather conditions sprang up in the afternoon/evening which caused them to become separated and lost. Airlifted out.

Male(66) from Paisley - condition reported as minor with exhaustion, dehydration and mildly hypothermic

Male(68) from Ayr - condition reported as minor with exhaustion and mildly hypothermic

Male(67) from Couper - condition reported as minor with exhaustion

12 members for 4 hr 0 min.

6 - [01983]

30 Mar 2006 19:00 - Search - Non-mountain - Ullapool

The weather was not reported and the conditions underfoot not reported.

Elderly person reported missing from his house, located safe and well within the town.

Male(0) from Ullapool - condition reported as unhurt

6 members for 1 hr 0 min.

7 - [01968]

01 Apr 2006 15:00 - Hill Walking - An Teallach, Corrag Buidhe

The weather was calm/dry/clear/cool/bright and the conditions underfoot steep loose ridge.

Member of party stumbled and slid down south side of the ridge. Remarkably unhurt the party was located and flown to Dundonnell Base.

Male(22) from Edinburgh - condition reported as unhurt

Female(35) from Edinburgh - condition reported as minor with abrasions

Male(32) from Edinburgh - condition reported as unhurt

9 members for 3 hr 0 min.

8 - [01967]

29 Apr 2006 17:30 - Hill Walking - Fannichs

The weather was fresh/fine/cloudy/cool/dull and the conditions underfoot moderate damp slope slippery.

Walker requested assistance having become lost and being exhausted, located and airlifted by helo

Female(39) from Aberdour - condition reported as minor with exhaustion

1 members for 5 hr 0 min.

9 - [01624]

20 May 2006 14:45 - Hill Walking - Loch Bad An Sgalaig

The weather was light/dry/clear/warm/bright and the conditions underfoot steep grassy bank.

Whilst walking cross country back to road SARDA dog found party who were in difficulty. Bridge had been removed on marked walk and they became stuck on steep ground. Escorted back to road safely.

Female(53) from Holland - condition reported as unhurt

Male(56) from Holland - condition reported as unhurt

1 members for 2 hr 0 min.

10 - [01965]

27 May 2006 21:00 - Hill Walking - Sgurr Breac

The weather was fresh/drizzle/low cloud/cool/dark and the conditions underfoot moderate heather moorland.

Walker became lost and subsequently benighted, walked off safe and well next morning

Male(42) from Glasgow - condition reported as unhurt

14 members for 8 hr 0 min.

11 - [01956]

29 May 2006 16:00 - Rock Climbing (Roped) - Rieff

The weather was light/dry/clear/mild/bright and the conditions underfoot level dry rockface.

Casualty fell whilst rock climbing and airlifted to hospital.

Male(29) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt

Female(34) from London - condition reported as serious with shoulder injury

6 members for 1 hr 30 min.

12 - [01957]

29 May 2006 23:00 - Local Incident - Aultbea Hotel

The weather was calm/dry/clear/cool/dark and the conditions underfoot gentle damp bank slippery.

Local slipped on rock armoury falling into rocks on the beach, due to location ambulance personnel requested assistance to evacuate.

Male(68) from London - condition reported as serious with head fracture, wrist fracture and chest injuries

2 members for 2 hr 0 min.

13 - [01971]

02 Jun 2006 14:00 - Hill Walking - Red Point

The weather was fresh/fine/cloudy/cool/bright and the conditions underfoot undulating loose footpath.

Whilst walking on coastal path walker sustained a leg injury, MRT assistance requested to evacuate to waiting ambulance.

Female(0) from Nr - condition reported as minor with Lower leg tendons

3 members for 2 hr 30 min.

14 - [01966]

06 Jun 2006 19:00 - Local Incident - Struy

The weather was calm/drizzle/cloudy/mild/dusk and the conditions underfoot gentle firm forestry.

Despondent went missing, located by MRT in forestry safe and well.

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt

10 members for 2 hr 30 min.

15 - [01955]

12 Jun 2006 15:30 - Hill Walking - An Teallach

The weather was calm/dry/cloudy/mild/bright and the conditions underfoot steep dry ridge.

Walker stumbled on scree injuring his leg. MRT evacuated casualty as helo unable to fly due to calm weather.

Male(62) from Blackpool - condition reported as unhurt

Male(59) from Creiff - condition reported as unhurt

Male(51) from Kirriemuir - condition reported as serious with lower leg fracture

Male(41) from Blackpool - condition reported as unhurt

23 members for 6 hr 0 min.

16 - [01271]

16 Jun 2006 21:00 - Fishing - Scourie, Loch A' Mhuirt

The weather was calm/dry/cloudy/cool/dark and the conditions underfoot undulating heather moorland.

Elderly fisherman reported overdue having failed to return. MRT and SARDA assistance requested. Finally located next morning safe and well.

Male(68) from Bamford - condition reported as unhurt

11 members for 5 hr 0 min.

17 - [01958]

18 Jun 2006 13:00 - Local Incident - Mellon Udrigle

The weather was calm/dry/clear/mild/bright and the conditions underfoot moderate damp scree slippery.

MRT requested by police to assist with the removal of human remains from a beach. Casualty is believed to be that of a missing trawlerman.

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as fatal with Multiple + drowning
7 members for 4 hr 0 min.

18 - [01954]

18 Jun 2006 20:00 - Hill Walking - Rubua Reidh Lighthouse

The weather was calm/dry/clear/mild/dull and the conditions underfoot undulating dry moorland.

Walkers became disorientated and lost whilst on a coastal path and requested assistance. Finally located having walked off hill on wrong path the party were driven back to their base.

Female(61) from Belfast - condition reported as unhurt

Male(60) from Bangor - condition reported as unhurt

9 members for 2 hr 30 min.

19 - [01973]

01 Jul 2006 22:00 - Hill Walking - Mam Sodhail

The weather was calm/dry/clear/mild/dawn and the conditions underfoot undulating dry moorland.

Walker reported overdue at campsite by friend. MRT informed of mispers arrival at campsite soon after search start.

Party declined to come off hill so left in situ.

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt

17 members for 5 hr 0 min.

20 - [01969]

05 Jul 2006 18:45 - Local Incident - Blackfold

The weather was calm/fine/clear/mild/dull and the conditions underfoot gentle grassy forestry.

Female walker reported overdue from Great Glen Way, finally found by police searchdog. MRT assistance requested to evacuate to roadside ambulance. Subsequently male person was convicted.

Female(0) from Nr - condition reported as serious with multiple injuries

7 members for 1 hr 30 min.

21 - [01978]

07 Jul 2006 12:00 - Hill Walking - Beinn A' Chlaidheimh

The weather was fresh/dry/broken cloud/mild/bright and the conditions underfoot steep firm ridge.

Walker slipped and fell a short distance injuring his back, uplifted by helo to hospital.

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt

Male(69) from Larkhall - condition reported as minor with back bruising

1 members for 2 hr 0 min.

22 - [01977]

18 Jul 2006 17:00 - Local Incident - Little Garve

The weather was not reported and the conditions underfoot not reported.

Person jumped from bridge sustaining injuries to himself.

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as serious with spinal query

4 members for 1 hr 30 min.

23 - [01981]

13 Aug 2006 22:00 - Hill Walking - Sgurr Nan Ceathreamhnan

The weather was fresh/dry/low cloud/cool/dawn and the conditions underfoot steep firm scree.

Lost and benighted walker reported overdue at Altbeithe YH by companion, MRT and helo assistance requested. Location finally established by phone next day and misper was airlifted to safety.

Male(25) from Herning, Denmark - condition reported as unhurt

Female(25) from Herning, Denmark - condition reported as unhurt

1 members for 8 hr 0 min.

24 - [01960]

13 Aug 2006 23:00 - Hill Walking - Sgurr Ban

The weather was fresh/drizzle/low cloud/cool/dark and the conditions underfoot moderate heather moorland.

Benighted walker had become lost, he was located safe and well at day break and walked off hill.

Male(72) from Cardross - condition reported as unhurt

9 members for 9 hr 0 min.

25 - [01963]

27 Aug 2006 15:00 - Hill Walking - Scardroy

The weather was calm/rain/cloudy/mild/dull and the conditions underfoot gentle heather footpath slippe.

Walker had a fall injuring his ankle. MRT assisted with evacuation by helo.

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as serious with ankle fracture

10 members for 3 hr 0 min.

26 - [01962]

27 Aug 2006 17:00 - Local Incident - Black Rock Gorge

The weather was calm/dry/cloudy/cool/bright and the conditions underfoot gentle grassy moorland.

Misper reported overdue from her walking dog. After quick search misper was spotted by helo nearby.
Female(0) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt
10 members for 1 hr 30 min.

27 - [01975]

02 Sep 2006 16:00 - Hill Walking - Ben Wyvis

The weather was not reported and the conditions underfoot not reported.

While on the descent of An Caber walker fell some distance sustaining leg injuries. MR Team packaged casualty who was evacuated by helicopter.

Female(0) from Nr - condition reported as serious with upper leg fractures and head injuries

12 members for 3 hr 0 min.

28 - [01979]

19 Sep 2006 21:00 - Hill Walking - Ben Wyvis

The weather was not reported and the conditions underfoot not reported.

FALSE ALARM. Lights reported on lower eastern slopes of hill, brief searches of forestry tracks found nothing.

6 members for 1 hr 0 min.

29 - [01972]

14 Oct 2006 18:00 - Hill Walking - Loch A' Bhraoin

The weather was fresh/fine/cloudy/cold/dark and the conditions underfoot moderate heather moorland.

Person suffering from hypermania refused to come off hill. Eventually persuaded to walk off by MRT doctor. Casualty detained in New Craigs hospital.

Male(0) from Oldmeldrum - condition reported as unhurt

Male(53) from Oldmeldrum - condition reported as unhurt

6 members for 12 hr 0 min.

30 - [01974]

18 Oct 2006 17:30 - Hill Walking - Beinn Mhor Coigach

The weather was fresh/drizzle/low cloud/cool/dark and the conditions underfoot steep grassy moorland slippery.

Whilst descening party became lost and soon encountered steep ground unable to continue MRT assistance was requested. Escorted off hill safely.

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt

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Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt

5 members for 7 hr 30 min.

31 - [01970]

19 Oct 2006 15:30 - Hill Walking - Sgurr Mor, Fannichs

The weather was fresh/rain/low cloud/cool/dull and the conditions underfoot undulating damp slope slippery.

Party reported lost via friend in London. Pair had seperated eventually walking off hill safely

Male(34) from London - condition reported as unhurt

Male(29) from London - condition reported as unhurt

1 members for 3 hr 0 min.

32 - [01984]

22 Dec 2006 09:45 - Hill Walking - Strath Na Sealga

The weather was calm/dry/clear/cool/ and the conditions underfoot moderate heather footpath.

Male walker became unwell with chest pains, assistance requested by son. Casualty located and airlifted to hospital.

Male(0) from Nr - condition reported as unhurt

Male(59) from Inverness - condition reported as minor with illness

5 members for 3 hr 30 min.

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