



2020 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

FULL NAME

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Club news will ideally be circulated electronically in order to reduce the associated printing, stationary & postage costs; information may also be viewed and/or downloaded via <http://www.civiewalker.org.uk/>. If however you still wish to receive printed copies please place a tick in the following box:

Person to be contacted in an emergency

Name

Address



Relationship

Details of your [Mobile] together with your emergency contact will appear on event Attendance Sheets.

Have you a medical condition of which the Club should be made aware?

YES/NO

If **Yes**, give details:

If you have access to a car, would you be prepared, if necessary, to use it once per calendar year to supplement Club transport and enable more than 17 members to participate?

YES/NO

Where did you hear about the Club?

Annual Subscription Fee (expires 31/12/20)

£12

TOTAL {Cheques to be made payable to **Gateshead Civic Walking Club**}.

£12



Sort code: 77-20-22 Account number: 17611760 {Reference = your full name}

I AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE CLUB CONSTITUTION AND HAVE NOTED THE CLUB INDEMNITY AND SAFETY REQUIREMENTS OVERLEAF.

SIGNED

DATE

Return completed Membership Application Form {and cheque} to **Graeme Page, % 59 Walden Close, Urpeth Grange, Ouston, Chester le Street, Co. Durham. DH2 1TF**. Election to Membership is subject to the agreement of the Committee. CivicWalker@Gmail.COM

CLUB INDEMNITY AND SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

As a condition of membership of Gateshead Civic Walking Club and of participation in its activities, members agree and acknowledge:-

- ① That it has been brought to their attention that many of the Club's activities take place in steep, exposed mountainous or otherwise potentially hazardous terrain;
- ② That any children or other legally incapacitated persons who attend the Club's activities at a member's invitation, remain that member's responsibility throughout and he or she agrees to indemnify the Club Committee and all others involved in the organisation or leadership of Club activities (*'the Organisers'*) against all liability arising by virtue of that member's *'invitees'* participation in the same;
- ③ That *'the Organisers'* do not hold themselves out as having any special or particular skills or experience and do not bear any responsibility for members or member's *'invitees'* safety;
- ④ That *'the Organisers'* shall not be under a duty to effect or maintain insurance cover in respect of death or injury to members or *'invitees'* nor loss of or damage to their property arising from participation in Club activities;
- ⑤ That members are responsible for ensuring that they and their *'invitees'* are properly equipped and clothed for each Club activity;
- ⑥ That members and *'invitees'* participate in all Club events in the knowledge of all the above facts and in so doing acknowledge that they are a volunteer for the attendant risks and that no liability for death, injury or damage to property arising from members or *'invitees'* participation will attach to *'the Organisers'*.
- ⑦ Members and *'invitees'* intending to participate in an organised Club hill-walking event *must* ensure that they have made an e-mail or phone/text booking and must also provide, on the day, full written details of their intended route (with possible variations), the name and telephone number of a person to be contacted in an emergency and sign to confirm that they agree to abide by the Club Indemnity and safety bylaws. The Club also recommend that members and *'invitees'* should carefully consider whether they have the necessary ability and experience to safely complete their intended route in view of the terrain, fell and weather conditions and the hours of daylight.
- ⑧ Members and *'invitees'* *must* wear strong *boots* with good grips and carry the following items of clothing and personal equipment in a well-fitting *rucksack*: spare warm *clothing*, full set of *waterproofs*, *torch*, *whistle*, *emergency rations* and a *survival bag*. An *ice axe must* also be carried if winter conditions are likely to be encountered. In addition, each group of walkers *must* have access to at least one map, compass and basic first aid kit for the entire walk.
- ⑨ Members and *'invitees'* *must* wear a *seat belt* when travelling to an organised Club hill-walking event in *'Club Provided Transport'*.