
CAERWENT HISTORIC TRUST

The Year that Was!

The year ended disappointingly for me – due to the ice and snow from the night before, I was not able to get to the start point for walking up to the Standing Stones. It's the first time since 1993 I have missed the midwinter sunrise. It is a further disappointment that the open part of Gray Hill is becoming increasingly overgrown.

We have a good number of activities in mind for the coming year, but see the note below re the AGM!

Annual General Meeting 7.30pm Tuesday January 12th

The AGM is at 7.30pm on **Tuesday** January 12th 2010 (I mistakenly typed Monday in December's notice!) in the Westgate Barns, Caerwent. It will be a very important meeting for the Trust as I am no longer effective in the role of Secretary. The work I have been doing can easily be divided between a number of people. Mainly there's the straight typing etc, the arranging of talks, and the planning of walks and visits. None of these jobs would be much of a burden on its own. We hope that supporters will come forward to cover them.

With business out of the way, the AGM will be concluded with a brief report from our local metal detectorists and a review by Mark Lewis of the items now on display in the Westgate Barns (NB it is less than a year since our efforts to get the artefacts from the original cabinet in Caerwent Parish Church returned to the village were successful, and the new Curator of Newport Museum has provided further material.)

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