

## APPENDIX B: COMMANDO FOOTPATH CLEARANCE GROUP LOCATIONS

These are the dates and locations we know of.

<b>Season Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Organiser</b>	<b>Overnight (YH unless otherwise shown)</b>
<u>1970-71</u> (5)			
Sep 19	East Hoathly, East Sussex	Graham Collett/Graham Butler	Blackboys
Feb 6	Brockham, Surrey	Graham Collett	
Mar 6	Alfold, Surrey	Graham Collett	
May 8	Burstow, Surrey	Graham Collett	
<u>1971-72</u> (10)			
Sep 25	Sandridge, Herts	Graham Collett	
Oct 9	Warborough, Oxon	Graham Collett	
Nov 6-7	Buckingham	Graham Collett	
Nov 27	Little Henny, Essex	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Castle Hedingham
Dec 19	Rudgwick, Surrey	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	
Jan 29	Little Henny, Essex	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Colchester
Feb 26-27	Eaton Bray/Dunstable Downs, Beds	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Ivinghoe
Mar 18	Horley, Surrey	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Crockham Hill
Apr 22	Margaretting, Essex	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Harlow IYHF
Jun 3	Stanford, Kent	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	
<u>1972-73</u> (8)			
Aug 19	Weybourne, Norfolk	Graham Collett/Ian Mitchell	
Sep 30-Oct 1	Eastwick, Herts	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Harlow
Oct 28-29	Stonesfield, Oxon	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Charlbury
Dec 2	Rolvenden, Kent	Graham Collett/Ian Mitchell	Goudhurst
Jan 6	Laughton, West Sussex	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Blackboys
Feb 3	Newtimber Hill, East Sussex	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Patcham
Mar 3	Stock, Essex	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Castle Hedingham
Mar 31	Fenstanton, Hunts.	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Houghton Mill
<u>1973-74</u> (9)			
Sep 8-9	Magdalen Laver, Essex	Ian Mitchell	
Oct 13	Brent Eleigh, Suffolk	Graham Collett/Ian Mitchell	Nedging Tye
Nov 3	Smarden, Kent	Graham Collett/Ian Mitchell	
Nov 24	Broughton, Oxon	Graham Collett/Les Douglas	Oxford
Dec 15	Standon, Herts	Graham Collett/Ian Mitchell	Saffron Walden
Jan 19	Pepers Green, Essex	Graham Collett/Ian Mitchell	
Feb 16	Bignor Hill, West Sussex	Graham Collett/Ian Mitchell	
Mar 16	Toys Hill, Kent	Joe Welsh/Les Douglas	Crockham Hill
Apr 6	Belchamp Otten, Essex	Joe Welsh/Les Douglas	Castle Hedingham
<u>1974-75</u> (6)			
Sep 21	Wood Street, Surrey	Joe Welsh	
Oct 19	One Tree Hill, Kent	Joe Welsh/Graham Butler	
Nov 23	Berners Roding, Essex	Joe Welsh	
Dec 14	Birling Gap, East Sussex	Joe Welsh/Ian Mitchell	
Feb 15	Blean, Kent	Joe Welsh/Ian Mitchell	
Mar 8	Clavering, Essex	Joe Welsh/Ian Mitchell	Saffron Walden
Apr 13	Chevening Park, Kent	Joe Welsh/Ian Mitchell	

1975-76 (3)

Aug 30	Clavering, Essex		
Oct 18	Steeple Claydon, Bucks	John Jenkins/Les Douglas	Camping
Nov 15	Clavering, Essex	John Jenkins/Les Douglas	Saffron Walden
May 1-2	Bungay, Suffolk	John Jenkins/Les Douglas	Blaxhall

1976-77 (9)

Sep 11	Stowmarket, Suffolk	John Jenkins	Nedging Tye
Oct 9	Gillingham, Dorset	John Jenkins	c/o Stan Chase
Oct 16	Aythorpe Roding, Essex	John Jenkins	Leaden Roding Church Hall
Nov 13	Stebbing, Essex	John Jenkins	
Dec 11	Chrishall, Essex	John Jenkins/Ian Mitchell	Cambridge
Jan 15	Drayton Beauchamp, Bucks	John Jenkins/Les Douglas	Ivinghoe
Feb 19	West Peckham, Kent	John Jenkins	
Mar 19	Toppesfield, Essex	John Jenkins/Les Douglas	Castle Hedingham
Mar 26-27	Henley, Oxon (mainly litter-picking)	John Jenkins/Nick Gagen	Streatley/Windsor

1977-78 (6)

Oct 15	Bacton, Suffolk	John Jenkins	Nedging Tye
Dec 10	Wexham, Bucks	John Jenkins/Les Douglas	Jordans
Jan 14	Worplesdon, Surrey	John Jenkins	
Feb 18	Whipsnade, Beds	John Jenkins/Les Douglas	Ivinghoe
Mar 11	Little Hampden, Bucks	John Jenkins	Lee Gate
Apr 1	Normandy, Surrey	John Jenkins	

1978-79 (6)

Oct 7	Crowmarsh, Oxon	John Jenkins	
Dec 9	Bishops Green, Essex	John Jenkins	
Jan 20	Cople, Beds	John Jenkins	
Feb 10	Little Missenden, Herts	John Jenkins	Lee Gate
Mar 3	Bird Green, Essex	John Jenkins	Saffron Walden
Apr 7	Ickford, Bucks	John Jenkins	

1979-80 (7)

Oct 6	Bolnhurst, Beds	John Jenkins	
Nov 10	Henham, Essex	John Jenkins	
Dec 8	Joyden's Wood, Kent	John Jenkins	
Jan 19	Cople, Beds	John Jenkins	
Feb 9	East Horndon, Essex	John Jenkins	
Feb 24	Little Missenden, Bucks	John Jenkins	
Mar 1	East Horndon, Essex	John Jenkins	

1980-81 (3)

Oct 4-5	Hungerford, Berks	John Jenkins	c/o Hungerford Town Councillors
Oct 18-19	<i>10th anniversary celebration dinner weekend, Boship Farm Hotel, Lower Dicker, East Sussex (no clearance)</i>		
Jan 31	Cople, Beds	John Jenkins	
Feb 14	Honing, Norfolk	Ian Mitchell (jointly with RA Norfolk Area)	

1981-82 (3)

Oct 11	Darenth, Kent	John Jenkins	
Nov 8	Joyden's Wood, Kent	John Jenkins	
Mar 27	Witham, Essex	John Jenkins	

1982-83 (5)

Oct 30	Aston Clinton, Bucks	John Jenkins
Nov 27	Little Marlow, Bucks	John Jenkins
Jan 15	Beaconsfield, Bucks	John Jenkins
Feb 19	Wexham, Bucks	John Jenkins
Mar 5	Wexham, Bucks	John Jenkins

1983-84 (3)

Feb 18	Cholesbury, Bucks	John Jenkins
Mar 17	Shirburn, Oxon	John Jenkins (with the Chiltern Society)
Apr 14	Great Gaddesden, Herts	John Jenkins (with the Chiltern Society)

1984-85 (0)

None took place.

1985-86 (3)

Jan 25-26	Great Offley, Herts	Les Douglas	Ivinghoe
Mar 1-2	Whipsnade/Totternhoe, Beds	Les Douglas	Ivinghoe
Mar 22	Cockernhoe, Herts	Les Douglas	

*All clearances in this season were held jointly with the Chiltern Society.*

1986-87 (10)

Aug 16	Winchfield, Hants.	Les Douglas	
Sep 20	Fleet, Hants	Les Douglas	
Oct 18	Chelsham/Farleigh, Surrey	Les Douglas	
Nov 15-16	Woburn/Dunstable area, Beds	Les Douglas	Ivinghoe
Dec 6-7	Royal Military Canal, Kent	Les Douglas	B&B, Hythe
Dec 20	Fleet, Hants	Les Douglas	
Jan 17	???	Les Douglas	
Feb 14	Mattingley, Hants	Les Douglas	
Mar 21	Burstow, Surrey	Les Douglas	
Apr 4	Mattingley, Hants	Les Douglas	

1987-88 (7)

Aug 15	???, Kent	Les Douglas	
Oct 10	Broadstreet Common, Surrey	Les Douglas	
Nov 7	???	Les Douglas	
Dec 5	Hatford, Oxon	Les Douglas	
Jan 23	Chislehurst Common, Gtr London	Les Douglas	
Feb 20	Albury, Surrey	Les Douglas (featured in Sunday Telegraph)	
Mar 26	Ashdown Forest, East Sussex	Les Douglas	

1988-89 (8)

Aug 6	Wantage, Oxon	Les Douglas	Ridgeway Centre
Oct ???	???	Les Douglas	
Dec 10	Wandle Trail Gtr London	Les Douglas	
Jan ???	Blackwater Valley Project, Hants	Les Douglas	
Feb 4	Ridgeway, Oxon	Les Douglas	Ridgeway Centre
Mar 11	Dunsford, Surrey	Les Douglas	
Apr 22	Bow Back Rivers, Gtr London	Les Douglas	
Apr 23	Wandle Trail, Gtr London	Les Douglas	

1989-90 (2)

Feb 3-4	Spelsbury/Lidstone, Oxon	Les Douglas	Charlbury
May 19	Thames Path, Oxon	Les Douglas	

1990-91 (7)

Nov 18	Brookmans Park, Herts	David Norfolk (with East Herts Footpath Soc)	
Dec 1	Hurley, Berks	David Norfolk	
Jan 19	Meopham area, Kent	David Norfolk	
Feb 2-3	Bletchington, Oxon	David Norfolk	B&B, Woodstock
Mar 17	Baldock area, Herts	David Norfolk (with East Herts Footpath Society)	
Apr 13-14	Pangbourne area, Berks	David Norfolk	
May 19	Brookmans Park, Herts	David Norfolk (with East Herts Footpath Soc)	

1991-92 (6)

Aug 10-11	River Evenlode, Oxon	David Norfolk	
Sep 21	Berwick Station/Golden Cross, E.Sussex	David Norfolk (on Vanguard Way)	
Nov 2-3	Garsington, Oxon	David Norfolk	
Feb 1-2	Horley, Oxon	David Norfolk	
Feb 29	Meopham, Kent	David Norfolk	
May 30	Marden, Kent (bridge building)	David Norfolk	

1992-93 (5)

Sep 12-13	Henley area, Oxon	David Norfolk	Henley
Oct 10	Merrow Downs, Surrey	David Norfolk	
Jan 16	Banstead area, Surrey	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	
Feb 6-7	Launton, Oxon	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	Oxford
Mar 28	Forest Row, E.Sussex (Vanguard Way)	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	

1993-94 (3)

???	Wey & Arun Canal, Surrey	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	
Feb 5-6	Cumnor, Oxon	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	Oxford
Mar 12	Wey & Arun Canal, Surrey	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	

1994-95 (4)

Oct 22	Wey & Arun Canal, Surrey	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	
Jan 7	Wey & Arun Canal, Surrey	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	
Feb 5-6	Didcot area, Oxon	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	Oxford
Apr 8	Wey & Arun Canal, Surrey	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	

1995-96 (4)

Feb 3-4	Charlbury area, Oxon	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	Charlbury
Feb 24	Monken Hadley Common, Gtr London	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	
Mar 9	Wey & Arun Canal, Surrey	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	
Apr 13	Monken Hadley Common, Gtr London	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	

1996-97 (6)

Sep 21	Monken Hadley Common, Gtr London	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	
Nov 2	Wey & Arun Canal, Surrey	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	
Nov 16-17	Little Tew, Oxon	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	Charlbury
Dec 14	Monken Hadley Common, Gtr London	Paul Miall/Eric Sanders	
Mar 1	Wey & Arun Canal, Surrey	Ken Blake	
Apr 19	Monken Hadley Common, Gtr London	Ken Blake	

*Some later informal clearances co-ordinated by Ken Blake are believed to have taken place on Monken Hadley Common and on the Wey & Arun Canal but we have no details of dates.*