



APPLICATION FOR A MODIFICATION ORDER

To amend the Cumbria County Council Definitive Map and/or Statement within the Lake District National Park under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

To: Rights of Way Officer, The Lake District National Park Authority, Murley Moss, Oxenholme Road, Kendal, Cumbria, LA9 7RL

I/We, PETER LATIMER, on behalf of the BMC Lakes Area (insert your name)

Of 8 ARCHERS MEADOW (insert your address)

KENDAL, CUMBRIA LA9 7DY

hereby apply for an order under section 53(2) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 modifying the definitive map and/or statement for the area by:

(choose appropriate section and give grid references if possible * Please delete as appropriate)

(a) Deleting the footpath/bridleway/byway open to all traffic* which runs From: To:

(b) Adding the footpath/bridleway/byway open to all traffic* which runs From: B5343 East of the New Dungeon, Ghyll Hotel GR 2982 0662 To: Boundary of Access land GR 2979 0667, a length of about 70m.

(c) Upgrading/Downgrading the footpath/bridleway/byway open to all traffic* which runs From: To: to a footpath/bridleway/byway open to all traffic*

(d) Varying/adding to* the particulars relating to the footpath/bridleway/byway open to all traffic* From: To: By providing that:

I/We attach copies of the documentary evidence [including statement of witnesses] in support of this application as listed overleaf.

Signed Peter Latimer [Applicant(s)] Date 11 May 2007

NOTES FOR GUIDANCE

[Please read carefully]

1. TO THE APPLICANT

- 1.1 Schedule 14 to the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 establishes a procedure whereby applications may be made to the surveying authority (i.e. the Lake District National Park Authority) for a modification to be made to the Definitive Map and Statement of rights of way. A number of forms are involved in the procedure and it is important that you comply with the various guidelines included with this pack to avoid invalidating your application.

2. APPLICATION FORM - FORM A

- 2.1 This form, correctly completed, describes the modification that is being sought for the map. You should read through all the options and decide which is the most appropriate. Definitions of the different types of right of way are given below. If (b) describes your proposed modification for example, you should cross through the other options and then complete (b) in full. An example is given below:

- (b) **Adding the footpath / bridleway / byway open to all traffic** which runs
from: Scratchy Face Lane [SS 2345 6789]
to: Cut Throat Lane [SS 2376 6745]

2.2 Definitions

Footpath: A highway over which the public have a right on foot only (other than such a highway at the side of a public road).

Bridleway: A highway over which the public have a right of way on foot and on horseback (or leading a horse) - with or without a right to drive animals of any description along the highway.

Byway: (i.e. byway open to all traffic) A highway over which the public have a right of way for vehicular and all other kinds of traffic, but which is used mainly for the purpose for which footpaths and bridleways are used.

2.3 Map

One of the most important requirements of this form is for a map, with the subject route of the application marked **clearly** and **precisely**. The scale of the map should be not less than 2½ inches to 1 mile, or 1:25,000. However, you are strongly advised to use a larger scale such as 1:10,000 or, ideally, 1:2,500. If you are submitting more than one application, a separate map will be required for each route.

2.4 Documentary Evidence

The Schedule requires that an application should be accompanied by **copies** of any documentary evidence (including statements of witnesses) which the applicant wishes to adduce in support of the application. Copies of documents should include certified photocopies (coloured photocopies where the originals are coloured or the detail unclear) or photographs. Exemption will be made where photocopying or photography is prohibited by the document custodian, but this should be confirmed in writing. The documents submitted in evidence should be listed, together with their sources and reference, on **FORM A**. **FORM G** will also be of use.

3. DETERMINATION OF APPLICATION

If the Lake District National Park Authority has not determined the application within 12 months of receipt of **FORM A** the applicant may refer the matter to the Secretary of State and he, after consulting the Authority, may direct the latter to determine the application within a specified period. Appeal may also be made to the Secretary of State and the Authority within 28 days if the latter decides not to make an Order.

Notes

For historical evidence it is essential to know the date, author, purpose and present whereabouts of the documents listed. Please give as much information as possible.

For statements by witnesses, a form is available from the National Park Authority which suggests the relevant questions to be addressed.

Documentary Evidence in support of application (including witness statements).

Climbers have used Scout Crag and Whitegill Crag since the 1920's. The proposed RoW footpath is the usual access to both crags from the road in Great Langdale.

Documents 1 and 2 are copies of the 1st ascent list from the First Edition of the Fell and Rock Climbing Guide to Langdale, published 1926.

Document 3 is copied from the 1999 edition of the same guide.

Forms E1 to E8 are statements from people who have used the route. (Originals of Documents 1-3 are available in the Fell & Rock Climbing Club Library accommodated in Lancaster University Library).

Other Relevant Information

I believe that the local National Trust warden supports the proposal.

The proposed RoW is marked RED on the attached map.

I/We enclose with this application:

A map clearly showing the route(s) referred to in this application at a good scale (1:10,000). Copies of documentary evidence (including statements from witnesses) to support this application, as listed above.

A completed form to certify that I/we have served notice on all landowners and occupiers affected by this application (FORM C), or a letter explaining why I/we have been unable to ascertain the landowners/occupiers affected by this application and that identifies the steps I/we have taken to find this information (FORM D).



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE OF NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR MODIFICATION ORDER

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hereby certify that the requirements of paragraph 2 of Schedule 14 to the Wildlife & Countryside Act 1981 have been complied with in relation to the attached application.

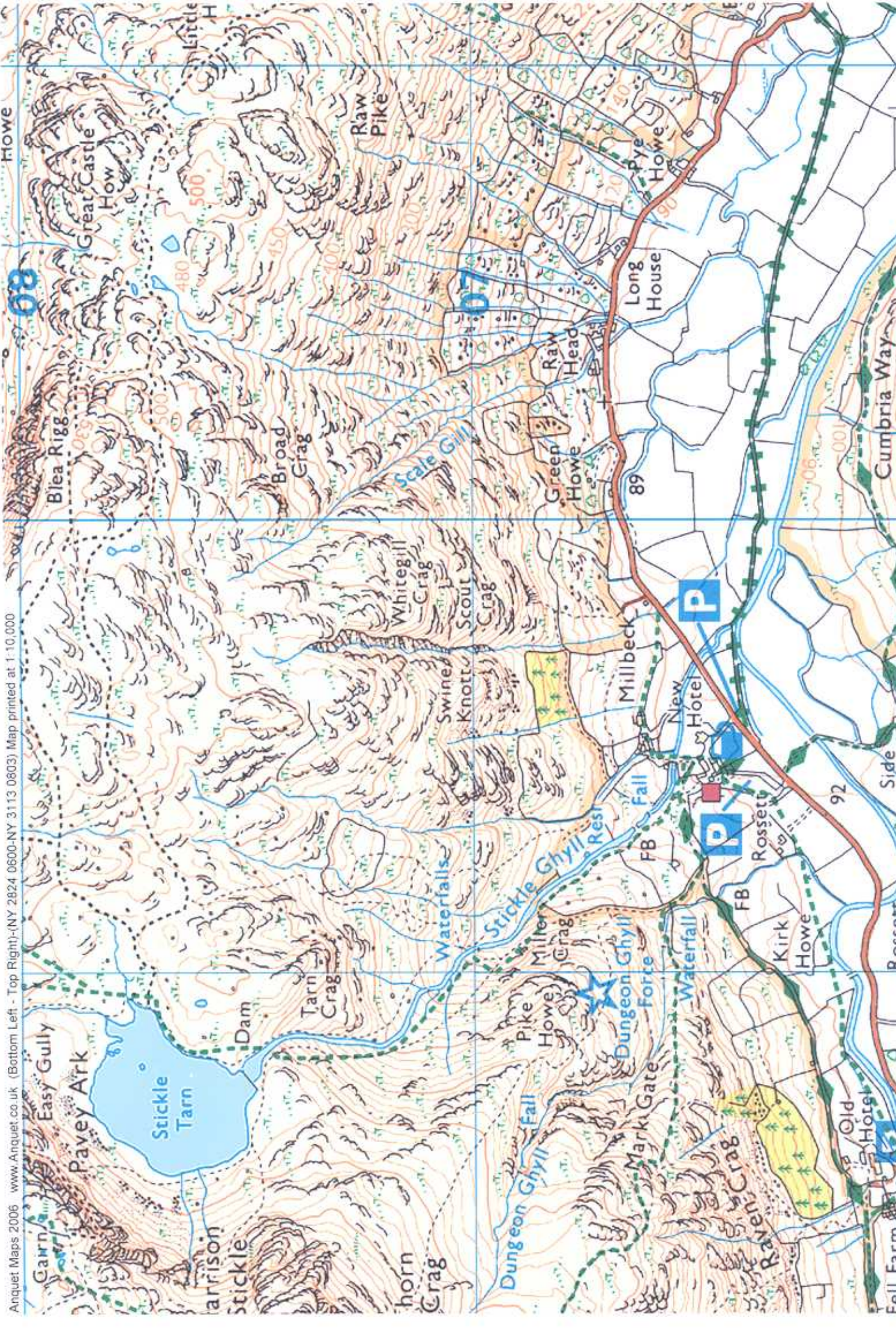
Signed P. Latimer Date 18 May 2007

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This certificate should only be completed when notice of the application has been served on all owners and occupiers affected by the proposal. A list of the names and addresses of all individuals notified should be provided below. Please indicate if you have been unable to identify all owners and occupiers affected by the proposal.

Notice of Application Sent To:

Name	Address
1. <u>NATIONAL TRUST (landowner)</u>	<u>Cumbria Regional Office, The Hollies, Grasmoor, Ambleside LA22 9</u>
2. <u>ERIC TAYLFORTH (tenant)</u>	<u>Millbeck, Great Langdale, Ambleside LA22 9JU</u>
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
6. _____	_____



- 1908, Oct.—Deer Field (Right Chimney) J. Stables,
G. C. Turner.
- 1909, Aug. 15th—Pike O'Stickle Gully W. B. Brunskill.
- 1910, Mar. 22nd—Gibson's Chimney, Pavey Ark. H. Bishop,
C. D. Yeomans.
- 1910, Mar. 27th—Elephant's Nose Buttress, Pavey Ark. J. A. Stoop,
C. D. Yeomans.
- 1910, Mar. 28th—Bennison's Chimney, Pavey Ark. W. E. Bennison,
A. E. Burns,
T. H. Seaton,
C. D. Yeomans.
- 1910, Oct. 22nd—Beehive Buttress (beyond White Ghyll) C. H. Oliverson,
Mrs. C. H. Oliverson.
- 1910, Oct. 24th—Holly Tree Climb (Beehive). C. H. Oliverson,
G. J. Boden,
Mrs. C. H. Oliverson.
- 1910, Dec. 4th—Beehive Buttress (South Route). C. H. Oliverson,
G. E. T. Thorpe,
Mrs. C. H. Oliverson.
- 1911, Sept. 24th—Middle Fell Buttress J. Laycock,
S. W. Herford,
A. R. Thomson.
- 1913, May 13th—Gladstone Knott Chimney No. 1st. H. Bishop,
C. D. Yeomans.
- 1916, Oct. 2nd—Gladstone Knott Chimney No. 4. H. M. Kelly.
- 1918, Aug. 3rd—"C" Route, Gimmer A. P. Wilson,
G. H. Jackson,
A. Brundritt.

- 1919, May 31st—"D" Route, Gimmer G. S. Bower,
P. R. Masson.
- 1920, April 18th—Stony Buttress, Pavey Ark. G. S. Bower,
A. W. Wakefield.
- 1920, June 19th—Crescent Slabs, Pavey Ark. G. S. Bower,
A. W. Wakefield.
- 1920, June 20th—Ash Tree Slabs, Gimmer. G. S. Bower,
A. W. Wakefield.
- 1921, Jan. 30th—"Harristickorner" G. S. Bower,
J. C. Appleyard.
- 1921, Mar. 20th—Main Wall Traverse G. S. Bower,
F. Graham.
- 1921, June 5th—Main Wall Traverse.... A. Ackerley,
Route II. G. Ackerley.
- 1921, July 28th—Tarn Crag Buttress (Mill Gill). J. A. Garrick,
W. L. Tulip.
- 1922, June 8th—Juniper Buttress, Gimmer. C. F. Holland,
A. S. Piggott,
Morley Wood.
- 1922, Sept. 6th—Cambridge Climb (Bowfell). W. T. Elmslie,
A. de St. C. Walsh.
- 1922, Oct.—Scout Crag (Routes 1 and 2) F. Graham.
- 1923, April 19th—Gladstone Knott Chimney, No. 2. W. T. Elmslie,
A. de St. Walsh.
- 1923, Aug. 8th—Bracket and Slab, Gimmer. H. B. Lyon,
J. Herbert.
1st. Ascent including Chimney, 12th August, 1923. H. B. Lyon,
J. Herbert,
Miss M. M. Barker,
H. P. Cain,
J. B. Wilton.

- 1923, Aug. 10th—White Ghyll Chimney H. B. Lyon,
J. Herbert,
H. P. Cain.
- 1923, Sept. 3rd—Chimney Buttress,
Gimmer. H. B. Lyon,
G. Ackenley,
J. Herbert.
- 1924, Aug. 11th—"E" Route, Gimmer J. A. Wray,
G. Basterfield.
- 1924, Aug. 11th—Right Hand Wall,
Bowfell. M. de Selincourt,
Miss B. Ritchie.
- 1924, Sept. 1st—The Neckband M. de Selincourt.
- 1924, Sept. 7th—Holly Tree Crack
(Easedale). M. de Selincourt.
- 1924—Crescent Wall, Pavey Ark M. de Selincourt.
- 1924—Gimmer Traverse M. de Selincourt.
- 1925, Mar. 18th—Herdwick Buttress, F. Graham.
Gimmer.
- 1925, April—Gibson Knott (Easedale) A. R. Thomson,
I. and II. A. Dibona.
- 1926, June 13th—Pallid Slabs, Gimmer G. S. Bower,
A. W. Wakefield,
H. V. Hughes.
- 1926, June 27th—Diphthong, Gimmer Morley Wood,
G. S. Bower,
A. B. Reynolds,
— Frischmann.
- 1927, July 10th—Hiatus Gimmer G. S. Bower,
A. B. Reynolds,
A. W. Wakefield,
G. G. Macphee.

- 1927, Aug. 15th—Gladstone's Finger
(Gladstone Knott). W. T. Elmslie,
D. Duncan,
K. McKinley.
- 1927, Aug. 17th—Black Warrs, Pike o' W. T. Elmslie and
Blisco. Boy Scouts.

LIST OF FIRST ASCENTS.—BUTTERMERE.

COMPILED BY A. R. THOMSON.

- 1889—Green Crag Gully J. W. Robinson,
W. A. Wilson.
- 1893—Black Chimney, Birkness Coombe O. G. Jones,
J. W. Robinson.
- 1893—Central Chimney, Birkness O. G. Jones,
J. W. Robinson,
W. A. Wilson.
Coombe.
- 1900, Dec. 31st—Stack Ghyll T. Shaw,
1st Pitch Direct, 6th April, 1901. I. J. Oppenheimer,
G. H. Craig.
- 1902—Green Crag Y Gully (partial) J. W. Robson,
A. Fox,
P. Spencer,
L. J. Oppenheimer.
- 1902—Fleetwith Gully G. T. Ewen,
P. S. Minor,
E. Broxap,
D. Thompson.
- 1903—Fleetwith Gully, 1st Direct L. P. Scott,
Ascent. P. Ryan.

Recount 16 m HVS 1983
 Takes the conspicuous pod-like corner on the left side of the crag. Start as for Bryson's Picnic. (It can be started direct but this is unpleasantly steep and loose.)
 (4c). Follow the ramp leftwards to the second break in the overhang. Climb up through this and across into the corner, which is ascended by some vigorous climbing.

Quarry Section
 The unmistakably overhanging amphitheatre at the extreme left of the quarry workings. The rock is slate and all that that implies.
Descent: By lower-off.

**** Scared Rabbit** 12 m F7a+ 1989
 Start at a right-slanting ramp-groove just right of the centre of the back wall.
 (6b). Relatively straight forward climbing up the groove until a line of holds leads back left to the lower-off. Easier said than done.

*** Keep On Keeping On** 9 m F8a+ 1991
 Straightens out Scared Rabbit to take the back wall direct.
 (7a). Climb two moves up Scared Rabbit then levitate up the middle of the wall to rejoin that route at the big hold. Titanium fingers a definite advantage.

*** Hello Helen** 10 m F7b+ 1990
 A good looking line up the main corner forming the left side of the back wall, via an initial hanging slab. Start 7 metres left of Scared Rabbit, and just left of the hanging slab. The siting of the bolts gives the route a serious feel.
 (6c). Follow the line of bolts up the left wall to a spike of doubtful character. Make some hard moves right to access the slab. Continue up the corner to the crux at the final bolt. Lower off as for the previous two routes.

Scout Crags (298 069) Alt. 275 m South Facing
 Though still regarded as an excellent area for the beginner, these buttresses now boast a range of routes sufficient to tax even the hardest climber. The crags are situated between five and ten minutes

walk up the fellside behind a barn by the road some two hundred metres east of the Stickle Barn/New Dungeon Ghyll car parks. From the right side of the barn, take the track behind which leads directly to each crag in turn. The boulders below the Lower Crag provide some excellent sport. The prominent crack on the road side of the lower boulder has frustrated generations of climbers. Its original grade of Severe may owe more to the width of climbing boots in the 1920s than its actual grade in current terms.

A combination of routes on the Lower Crag and then the Upper Crag provides a good way of reaching White Ghyll, which can be approached by a rising leftwards traverse from the highest point of the Upper Crag. For a real mountaineering day, after the above, take in routes on Lower and Upper White Ghyll, continue across for a route on Pavey (Tarn Crag optional), followed by contouring round to the west face of Harrison Stickle and a route to the summit in the evening sun. This will give you over 1400 feet (sounds better value than 430 metres) of VDS rock to the final summit, with hardly any descent en route (*Picco Harrison Integrate?*).

Lower Scout Crag

The first buttress is in the form of a left-facing corner formed by a steep wall to its left and narrower steep slab to its right. The left wall is split by a hand jam crack leading to a holly. The rock has been highly polished by generations of feet and the uncertain beginner should resist being put off by the resulting air of insecurity - things can only get better. Though short, the routes are good.

Descent: By the path to the left of the crag.
 The climbs are described from left to right.

Basher's Bulge 10 m E2 1978
 A direct finish to Cub's Arête. Difficult to reverse once committed; there are no runners above the roof.
 (5b). From the middle of the metre wide roof, reach over it for a discouragingly small hold in a slight groove. Use this to move up right (nonchalantly for the cool, heart-in-mouth for the rest of us) on improving holds to the top.

Cub's Arête 11 m S Traditional
 Start below a prominent metre-wide roof at the left end of the buttress and immediately right of a drainage dirt streak.