

WESSEX CAVE CLUB LOGBOOK
CAVING LOGBOOK 1955 - 1956

No.	Acq. No.	Page	Date	Cave	Area	Notes	Survey	Significant
1	01379	2	06/08/1955	Cuckoo Cleeves	Mendip	Dig		
2	01379	2	07/06/1955	Cuckoo Cleeves	Mendip	Dig		
3	01379	2	07/08/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
4	01379	3	10/08/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
5	01379	4	11/08/1955	Easter Hole	Mendip	Dig	✓ (p5)	
6	01379	6	12/08/1955	Easter Hole	Mendip			
7	01379	6	13/08/1955	Tankard Hole	Mendip	Dig		
8	01379	7	14/08/1955	Easter Hole	Mendip	Dig		
9	01379	9	13/08/1955	G.B. Cave	Mendip			
10	01379	10	14/08/1955	Cuckoo Cleeves	Mendip	Dig, survey		
11	01379	12	14/08/1955	Easter Hole	Mendip		✓	
12	01379	13	15/08/1955	Easter Hole	Mendip	Dig		
13	01379	14	16/08/1955	Dallimore's Cave	Mendip			
14	01379	14	18/08/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
15	01379	14	19/08/1955	Hunters' Hole	Mendip			
16	01379	14	20/08/1955	Cuckoo Cleeves	Mendip	Surveying		
17	01379	15	20/08/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Crystal Passage dig		
18	01379	16	21/08/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Priddy Pool Passage dig		
19	01379	16	25/08/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
20	01379	17	26/06/1955	St. Cuthbert's Swallet	Mendip	Surveying		
21	01379	17	27/08/1955	Lamb Leer Cavern	Mendip			
22	01379	18	28/08/1955	Cuckoo Cleeves	Mendip	Exploration, photography		
23	01379	18	28/08/1955	Hillier's Cave	Mendip	Recce.		
24	01379	19	03/09/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Bail Muddy Sump		
25	01379	20	04/09/1955	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip			
26	01379	20	06/09/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
27	01379	21	07/09/1955	'Skeleton Shaft'	Mendip	Sandford Hill		
28	01379	21	07/09/1955	Pearl Mine	Mendip			
29	01379	21	08/09/1955	Midway Slocker	Mendip	Dig		
30	01379	22	08/09/1955	Eaker Hill mineshafts	Mendip			
31	01379	22	09/09/1955	Lamb Leer Cavern	Mendip			
32	01379	22	10/09/1955	Midway Slocker	Mendip	Dig		
33	01379	22	10/09/1955	Hillier's Cave	Mendip			
34	01379	22	10/09/1955	Grove Farm mineshafts	Mendip			✓
35	01379	23	11/09/1955	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip			
36	01379	24	13/09/1955	Cuckoo Cleeves	Mendip			
37	01379	24	12/09/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
38	01379	24	15/09/1955	Easter Hole	Mendip	Surveying		
39	01379	25	16/09/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	? Dye test Blue Pencil Passage		
40	01379	26	17/09/1955	Grove Farm mineshafts	Mendip			✓
41	01379	26	17/09/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
42	01379	27	18/09/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
43	01379	27	17/09/1955	Hillier's Cave	Mendip			
44	01379	27	18/09/1955	Hillier's Cave	Mendip	Surveying		
45	01379	28	21/09/1955	Hillier's Cave	Mendip	Photography		
46	01379	28	22/09/1955	Swallet	Mendip	100 yards N of Zoo Swallet		
47	01379	30	23/09/1955	Swallet	Mendip	100 yards N of Zoo Swallet	Map p. 31	
48	01379	32	24/09/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
49	01379	32	25/09/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
50	01379	32	01/10/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
51	01379	33	08/10/1955	Longwood Swallet / August Hole	Mendip			
52	01379	34	15/10/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Maypoling in Paradise Regained		✓
53	01379	35	16/10/1955	Stock Hill Forest dig	Mendip			
54	01379	35	16/10/1955	Tankard Hole	Mendip			
55	01379	36	16/10/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
56	01379	36	16/10/1955	Hillgrove area swallets	Mendip			
57	01379	36	16/10/1955	Westbury dig	Mendip			
58	01379	37	18/10/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
59	01379	37	22/10/1955	Hillier's Cave	Mendip	New passage		✓
60	01379	38	23/10/1955	Hillier's Cave	Mendip	Suicide's Passage exploration		
61	01379	39	30/10/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
62	01379	39	29/10/1955	Lamb Leer Cavern	Mendip			
63	01379	40	30/10/1955	Lamb Leer Cavern	Mendip			
64	01379	40	30/10/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
65	01379	42	05/11/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Priddy Green Passage dig		
66	01379	42	06/11/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Priddy Green Passage dig		
67	01379	44	12/11/1955	Hillier's Cave	Mendip			
68	01379	45	19/11/1955	Hillier's Cave	Mendip			
69	01379	45	26/11/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
70	01379	46	03/12/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			

71	01379	46	03/12/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip	Morton's Pot dig		
72	01379	47	06/12/1955	Lamb Leer Cavern	Mendip			
73	01379	47	06/12/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
74	01379	47	07/12/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Approach Passage oxbow found	✓ (p. 48)	✓
75	01379	48	08/12/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Maypoling in Paradise Regained		
76	01379	51	17/12/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Priddy Green Passage dig		
77	01379	52a	10/12/1955	Wookey Hole Cave	Mendip	Diver's Log Sheet. Lost Bob Davies		✓
78	01379	52b	11/12/1955	Wookey Hole Cave	Mendip	Diver's Log Sheet. Lost Bob Davies		✓
79	01379	52c	11/12/1955	Wookey Hole Cave	Mendip	Diver's Log Sheet. Lost Bob Davies		✓
80	01379	52d	11/12/1955	Wookey Hole Cave	Mendip	Diver's Log Sheet. Lost Bob Davies		✓
81	01379	52e	11/12/1955	Wookey Hole Cave	Mendip	Diver's Log Sheet. Lost Bob Davies		✓
82	01379	54	21/12/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
83	01379	55	28/12/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
84	01379	55	29/12/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
85	01379	56	29/12/1955	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Aborted trip to bolt Black Hole		
86	01379	57	30/12/1955	Higher Pitts mines	Mendip			
87	01379	57	31/12/1955	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip	Photography		
88	01379	57	01/01/1956	Barrow Rake Swallet	Mendip			
89	01379	57	02/01/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip			
90	01379	59	02/01/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
91	01379	59	03/01/1956	Bog Hole	Mendip			
92	01379	59	03/01/1956	Hollowfield Swallet	Mendip			
93	01379	59	03/01/1956	Balcombe's Hole	Mendip			
94	01379	59	04/01/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
95	01379	60	06/01/1956	Browne's Hole	Mendip			
96	01379	60	06/01/1956	Withybrook Slocker	Mendip			
97	01379	60	03/01/1956	Rod's Pot	Mendip			
98	01379	60	03/01/1956	Witcombe's Hole	Mendip			
99	01379	60	03/01/1956	Bath Swallet	Mendip			
100	01379	60	03/01/1956	Read's Cavern	Mendip			
101	01379	60	03/01/1956	Goatchurch Cavern	Mendip			
102	01379	60	04/01/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
103	01379	60	05/01/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
104	01379	60	06/01/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
105	01379	61	07/01/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip	Surveying		
106	01379	61	07/01/1956	Cuckoo Cleeves	Mendip			
107	01379	62	15/01/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
108	01379	62	28/01/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip	Surveying		
109	01379	63	28/01/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Priddy Green Passage dig		
110	01379	63	11/02/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Scavenging (Advance notice)		
111	01379	63	05/02/1956	Wookey Hole Cave	Mendip	Archaeology op.		
112	01379	64	11/02/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Scavenging		
113	01379	66	19/02/1956	Lamb Leer Cavern	Mendip			
114	01379	66	03/03/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip	Primrose Pot		
115	01379	67	03/03/1956	Wookey Hole Cave	Mendip	Diving, bones found		
116	01379	68		Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip	Surveying		
117	01379	68	10/03/1956	Lamb Leer Cavern	Mendip			
118	01379	68	11/03/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
119	01379	70		Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip			
120	01379	70		Hillier's Cave	Mendip	Try to link to Fairy Cave		
121	01379	70		Fairy Cave	Mendip	Try to link to Hillier's Cave		
122	01379	71	19/03/1956	Lamb Leer Cavern	Mendip			
123	01379	71	19/03/1956	Hillier's Cave	Mendip	Cambridge Grotto		
124	01379	71	20/03/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
125	01379	71	21/03/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
126	01379	73	24/03/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
127	01379	73	25/03/1956	Red Quar dig	Mendip	Dig		
128	01379	74	24/03/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
129	01379	74	26/03/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
130	01379	74	27/03/1956	Longwood Swallet	Mendip			
131	01379	75	28/03/1956	Sidcot Swallet	Mendip			
132	01379	75	28/03/1956	Rod's Pot	Mendip			
133	01379	75	28/03/1956	Drunkard's Hole	Mendip			
134	01379	76	30/03/1956	Zoo Swallet	Mendip		✓ (p77)	
135	01379	78	31/03/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
136	01379	78	31/03/1956	St. Cuthbert's Swallet	Mendip			
137	01379	78	01/04/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Black Hole		
138	01379	80	02/04/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip	Dig		
139	01379	80	03/04/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
140	01379	80	04/04/1956	Whitsun Hole	Mendip			
141	01379	81	05/04/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
142	01379	81	07/04/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Black Hole		
143	01379	81	06/04/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			

144	01379	81	06/04/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
145	01379	82	07/04/1956	Gough's Cave	Mendip	Diving, Skeleton Pit	✓ (p83)	
146	01379	83	07/04/1956	Saye's Hole	Mendip	Diving	✓	
147	01379	84		Ludwell Cave	Mendip	Diving	✓	
148	01379	85		Hunters' Hole	Mendip			
149	01379	85	8//4/56	Easter Hole	Mendip			
150	01379	85	09/04/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
151	01379	85	11/04/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
152	01379	87	14/04/1956	St. Cuthbert's Swallet	Mendip			
153	01379	87	14/04/1956	St. Cuthbert's Swallet	Mendip	Laying phone line		
154	01379	88	15/04/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip			
155	01379	88	15/04/1956	St. Cuthbert's Swallet	Mendip	Laying phone line		
156	01379	89	25/04/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
157	01379	89	26/04/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
158	01379	90	28/04/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip			
159	01379	90	29/04/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Priddy Green Passage dig		
160	01379	90		Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
161	01379	91	05/05/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
162	01379	91	06/05/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
163	01379	91	06/05/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip			
164	01379	92	10/05/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip	Surveying, + other trip		
165	01379	92	10/05/1956	Green Ore mineshaft	Mendip			
166	01379	93	19/05/1956	Longwood Swallet	Mendip	Valley deforested, entrance blocked		
167	01379	94		Hillier's Cave	Mendip			
168	01379	94	19/05/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
169	01379	94	20/05/1956	Barrow Rake Swallet	Mendip			
170	01379	94	20/05/1956	Goatchurch Cavern	Mendip			
171	01379	94	20/05/1956	Sidcot Swallet	Mendip			
172	01379	95	20/05/1956	Hillier's Cave	Mendip			
173	01379	95	21/05/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
174	01379	96	19/05/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip			
175	01379	96	19/05/1956	St. Cuthbert's Swallet	Mendip			
176	01379	97	23/05/1956	Green Ore dig	Mendip	Dig (MNRC)		
177	01379	97	24/05/1956	St. Cuthbert's Swallet	Mendip	Maypoling Gour Passage		
178	01379	97	26/05/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
179	01379	99	26/05/1956	Zoo Swallet	Mendip	Dig		
180	01379	99	26/05/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip	Fenced		
181	01379	100	26/05/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip			
182	01379	100	27/05/1956	Tankard Hole	Mendip	Installing shaft		
183	01379	100	26/05/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Bailing mud sump		
184	01379	101	02/06/1956	Green Ore mineshafts	Mendip			
185	01379	102	09/06/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
186	01379	102	10/06/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
187	01379	103		Wookey Hole Cave	Mendip			
188	01379	103		Badger Hole	Mendip			
189	01379	103		Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
190	01379	104	15/06/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip	Dig		
191	01379	104	17/06/1956	Hope Wood dig	Mendip	Dig		
192	01379	104	24/06/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Rescue bar fitted above the 40ft Pot		
193	01379	104		Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
194	01379	107	01/07/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
195	01379	107	08/07/1956	Eaker Hill mineshaft	Mendip	NGR 56355295		
196	01379	107	07/07/1956	Tankard Hole	Mendip			
197	01379	108	08/07/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Dig in Two		
198	01379	108	09/07/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip	Rigging cables		
199	01379	109	14/07/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip	Dig in Two		
200	01379	109		Eastwater Cavern	Mendip	2 trips		
201	01379	110	16/07/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
202	01379	110	16/07/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
203	01379	111	14/07/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Dig in Two		
204	01379	111	20/07/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Photography		
205	01379	111	21/07/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip			
206	01379	112	22/07/1956	Tankard Hole	Mendip			
207	01379	112		Cross Swallet	Mendip	Dig		
208	01379	112		G.B. Cave	Mendip			
209	01379	113	23/07/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip	Dig	✓	
210	01379	113	24/07/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip	Dig	✓	
211	01379	114	25/07/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip	Dig		
212	01379	114	25/07/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Dig in Two		
213	01379	115	28/07/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip	Surveying	✓(p116)	✓
214	01379	117	29/07/1956	Fairy Cave	Mendip			
215	01379	117	05/08/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Fixed bolt far side Black Hole		
216	01379	117	05/08/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Paradise Regained dig		

217	01379	118	06/08/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Paradise Regained dig		
218	01379	119	08/08/1956	Eastwater Cavern	Mendip			
219	01379	119	09/08/1956	August Hole	Mendip			
220	01379	119	10/08/1956	Longwood Swallet	Mendip			
221	01379	120	12/08/1956	Cuckoo Cleeves	Mendip	Re-opened		
222	01379	120	19/08/1956	Cuckoo Cleeves	Mendip	Work on entrance		
223	01379	121	18/08/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip	Surveying		
224	01379	121	19/08/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip			
225	01379	122	25/08/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip	Preparation for dive		
226	01379	123	26/08/1956	Cross Swallet	Mendip	Dig		
227	01379	123	26/08/1956	Cuckoo Cleeves	Mendip			
228	01379	124	01/09/1956	Swildon's Hole	Mendip	Attempt to dive Sump II		
229	01379	125	02/09/1956	Stoke Lane Slocker	Mendip	Remove tackle		
230	01379	125		Burrington caves	Mendip			
231	01379	125		G.B. Cave	Mendip			