

## Costs & Booking

Charges for Easter Settlement include accommodation with full board from Friday evening meal to Tuesday breakfast. A subsidy from Quaker Outreach in Yorkshire (QOY) reduces costs for children and young people and covers the expenses of facilitators. QOY welcomes donations towards its work.

If the cost would prevent you from attending Easter Settlement, contact the Clerk or the Convenor of Overseers at your Local Meeting to discuss the possibility of a bursary.

**Please return the separate booking form**, with cheque (payable to Quaker Outreach in Yorkshire) for deposit/payment in full, as soon as possible, and **no later than February 21st 2009 to:**

Chris Petrie, 2 Tillman Close, Settle, North Yorkshire, BD24 9RA

Places cannot be reserved until the deposit is paid.

For your own records please fill in the slip below:

| Age at Easter Settlement                  | Price per person | No of people | Total payable |
|---|------------------|--------------|---------------|
| 0 - 4 years                               | £10              |              |               |
| 5 - 9 years                               | £ 80             |              |               |
| 10 -13 years                              | £ 110            |              |               |
| 14 - 25 years                             | £120             |              |               |
| Adult                                     | £212             |              |               |
| Day visitor                               | £15per day       |              |               |
| Dog                                       | £3 per day       |              |               |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                              |                  |              |               |
| Deposit / person                          | £ 30             |              |               |
| <b>Balance payable by March 10th 2009</b> |                  |              |               |

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Quakers in Yorkshire  
Easter Settlement 2009

# Faith & Action in God less Times



Friday April 10th  
to Tuesday April 14th  
Cober Hill, Cloughton, Scarborough

What is the ground of our faith today?

What action does this faith inspire?

Explore these questions and many others at an Easter weekend for Friends of all ages

**Keynote Speaker: David Boulton**

Author of 'The Trouble with God - Building the Republic of Heaven'

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**Easter Settlement** provides an opportunity to strengthen our spiritual base, as part of a wider Quaker family. The weekend programme is a mixture of reflection, discussion, worship and fun. Dancing, crafts, walking and singing together are also ingredients of the gathering. Single people and families, those new to the Society of Friends and established old Settlers are all made welcome.

**Easter Settlement 2009** will explore fundamental questions of faith and spirituality. What does God mean to us today? How does our faith inspire our action? Can we envision the Republic of Heaven and work to build it on earth?

Our keynote speaker, David Boulton, is a Quaker humanist, former TV journalist and author of several books. Other contributors will develop the themes of the weekend from their own perspectives.

The main sessions will be followed by a choice of question and answer, discussion and worship sharing groups.

**Sessions for children and young people** reflect the theme of Easter Settlement. There are groups for those aged 6-10 and 11-16 and an organised play programme for children aged 5 years and under. This year the 11s-16s will join some sessions with older Friends. Welcoming 'nest' groups, walks and activities are planned for all ages together.

**A typical day** at Easter Settlement includes sessions or workshops in the morning and early evening. In the afternoons there is time to explore the area, independently or on guided walks, to share skills and interests with others or continue discussions. After the evening meal there are games, dancing and some home-grown entertainment.

**Cober Hill Guesthouse** provides a welcoming and relaxing setting with views of the sea from many rooms. It is in the village of Cloughton, about 5 miles north of Scarborough on the Whitby road. Buses from Scarborough railway station stop just outside the gate. There is ample car parking. Travel details will be sent with confirmation of booking.

Nearly all rooms at Cober Hill have en-suite facilities. There are some single rooms, mostly in the Joseph Rowntree building, a modern annexe a short walk from the main house.

**Children and young people** may share a room with others their own age, subject to agreed bedtimes, or share with their family. Please note that parents or carers are fully responsible for their children, except during organised sessions.

**Dogs** are allowed in the JR building only and must be kept under close control. Cober Hill charge £3 per night for dogs. Please add this charge to your booking if appropriate.

**Cober Hill** is set in terraced gardens with mature trees, a croquet lawn, a basketball court and children's play area. A short walk down a quiet lane brings you to a disused railway, now a cycle track, its banks dotted with spring wildflowers. Another half mile down the lane brings you to a rocky beach and the Cleveland Way cliff path.

**Arrivals** from 3.30pm on Friday April 10th. Drinks and hot cross buns at 4.00pm, welcome for under 18s and their parents or carers at 5.15 and all age nest groups at 6.00 followed by evening meal at 7.00pm.

Easter Settlement ends after breakfast on Tuesday April 14th.

**If you would like more detailed information, please contact Judith Ward on (01904) 426503 ~ [judith@york56.myzen.co.uk](mailto:judith@york56.myzen.co.uk)**