

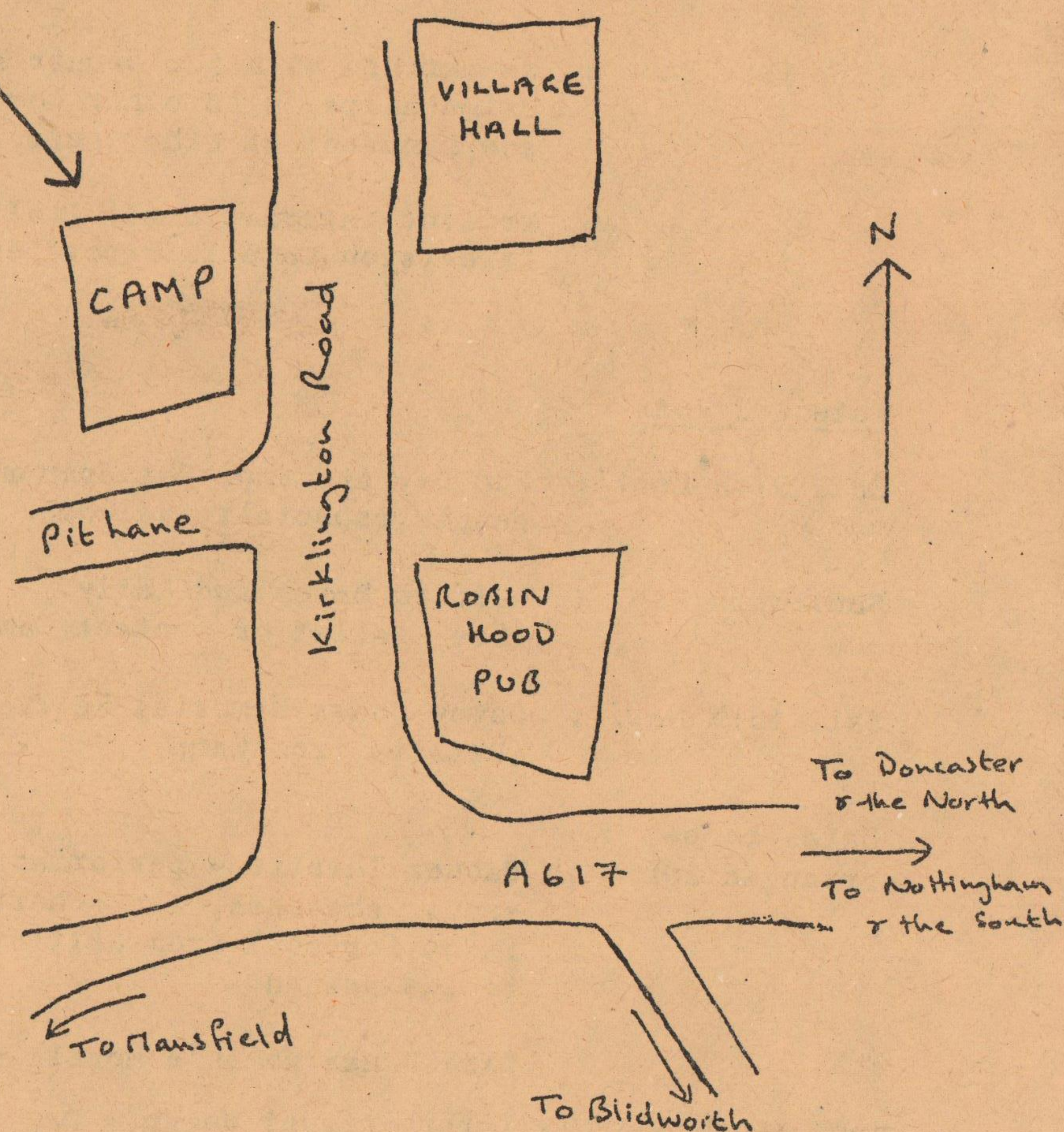
THANK YOU ...

To all those individuals and organisations who have sent donations of cash or food or other gifts.

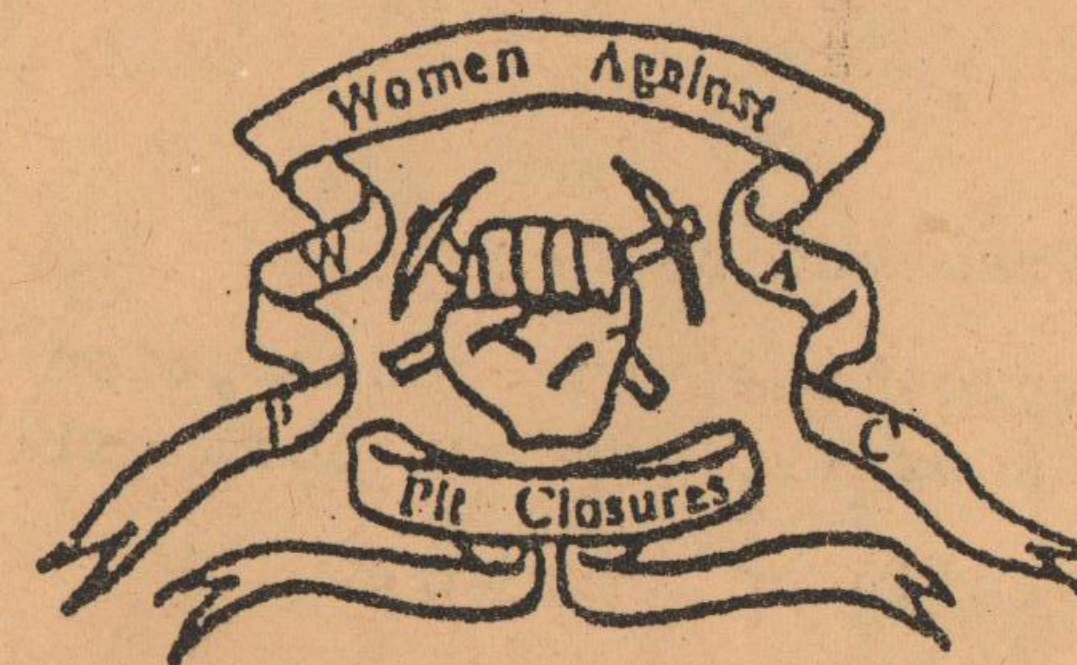
To all those locals and from all over the country who have visited us.

To all those who have sent messages of support.

We are here



NOTTS WOMEN AGAINST PIT CLOSURES



Rufford Camp

Newsletter Number 2

Thursday 25th February

The women's camp outside Rufford Colliery has now been established for 5 weeks.

Women maintain a 24 hours presence as a visible sign of the protest, not just against the threat to Rufford, but against all pit closures.

We are doing this for the miners and their families.

We are doing it for all those whose jobs are threatened.

We are doing it for our communities.

We are doing it for our children.

We are ordinary folk like you. COME AND JOIN US.

Rufford Women's Camp,
Pit Lane, Kirklington Rd., Rainworth, Notts. NG21 0ET
Mobile Phone : 0831 803546

DIARY DATES

WHO WE ARE

We are ordinary women who care.

We care about unemployment, the destruction of our industries, our resources, and our communities.

We care about our children's future.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

Come along and visit us.

Women, men and children are all welcome.

We are all in this together. The loss of the colliery and miners' jobs will have a devastating effect on all the area around.

Even if you can only spare a few minutes, come and have a chat and a cuppa.

In particular we will be pleased to see wives, mothers, daughters, sisters of miners. This is about your lives, your families, your community, your children's future.

MAKE IT YOUR CAMP.

We meet every Wednesday
7.00 p.m. The Village Hall

All women who support what
we are trying to do are
most welcome.

What's been going on

Sat. 6th Feb. : W.A.P.C. March and Rally in London.
Some 10,000 people led by women and
and children protested against the
pit-closure programme. We were there
with the Rufford Camp banner.

Sat. 13th Feb. : 'Hearts and Mines' day at Camp.
The 'big fight' between Scargill and
Heseltine. (Scargill won!). Prize draw.

Sat. 13th Feb. : We marched with our banner at
Grimethorpe, with other women's camps
and hundreds of other supporters.

We went international! Italian
television came to record our struggle.

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Future Events

Sat. 27th Feb. : Fun Day at Camp. Children and young
people especially welcome.

Sun. 28th Feb. : Rufford March and Rally.
(See leaflet or contact Camp)

Sat. 13th Mar. : Davey Jones Memorial Rally (Yorks.).
(Details from Camp).

Dates to be
arranged for : Banner Theatre - performance of
songs, sketches, etc. charting the
fight for coal from Saltley Gates
to the present.

Bare Bones women's Morris dancers

N.B. March 8th is International Women's Day