



A Vision for England's National Parks in 2050

**Wednesday November 4th 2009
Central Hall Westminster**

Agenda

- 10.15 Registration and refreshments
- 10.45 Welcome – Narendra Bajaria CBE - Chair of English National Park Authorities Association and Peak District National Park Authority
- 11.00 Nicholas Crane – Writer and broadcaster
- 11.30 Creating a shared vision for England's National Parks – Richard Leafe – Chief Executive, Lake District National Park Authority
- 12.00 Lunch
- 12.45 Rt. Hon Hilary Benn MP – Secretary of State for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
- 1.15 Instructions for working groups – Richard Leafe
- 1.30 Working groups based on vision themes
 - A Community engagement
 - B Health, well-being and enjoyment
 - C Climate change
 - D Natural environment and cultural heritage
 - E Sustainable development
 - F Community and economy
- 2.30 Report back from working groups
- 3.00 Summing up and next steps
- 3.30 Tea and departures