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Høstsamling i Bonådalen 14.-17. okt.

Gathering in Bonådalen 14.-17. oct.!

On a Saturday in Autumn, a small group made their way up to Reinvikgrotta, near, Bonnå, carrying heavy sacks of SRT-gear. The hard effort was rewarded by the entrance pitch "the guillotine". The cave has multiple pitches, the biggest is 18m deep. The rock is very beautiful, but it is riddled with cracks and several small rocks fell whilst the party descended. That day 161m of new passage were surveyed. On exiting the cave, a full moon illuminated the path back down to the car.

On Sunday, four cavers went to Kvitkrypet. They abseiled down the pitches, and explored a passage that looked promising, but it didn't go. Afterwards they went down "BMI-gangen" (Body Mass Index - passage) and everyone got through by a good margin, despite the passage's name. When reaching the active part of the cave, some had planned to do some digging whilst the others surveyed, but due to the high water flow, digging has to be continued another time.