



Group Membership Application Form M2 2015

This application form is for use by clubs who wish to be Group members of BCA but do not wish to be insured through the BCA Public-Liability insurance scheme. An alternative form is available for use by clubs who wish to participate in the BCA Public-Liability scheme.

Please read the following notes carefully and then provide the details requested on page 2. You need only return page 2 of this form.

MEMBERSHIP of BCRA

BCA is now the subscription agent for BCRA and it is no longer possible to join BCRA without being a member of BCA. Clubs wishing to join BCRA as well as BCA simply need to indicate this on the form below.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

The basic club fee is related to the number of members in the Club. There is then a top-up for Access Bodies or Accommodation Providers, intended to reflect the extra insurance risk these represent. Beyond this there are then several further options, as shown:

Table with 4 columns: No. of Club Members, Basic BCA Membership, Optional Speleology Subscription, and Optional BCRA Membership. Rows show membership rates for 10, 20, 30, 40, and 50+ members, with an additional £5 for speleology and an optional £20 for BCRA membership.

NEW GROUP MEMBERS

If your club has not previously been a BCA member, you will need to satisfy BCA's basic requirements. These relate mainly to your constitution. Up-to-date requirements are available on the BCA website or from the Membership Administrator. In order to demonstrate you meet the requirements, please provide a copy of your club's constitution with your application. Your application will also need to be formally ratified by BCA Council at a later date, but assuming all other requirements are met, membership will be granted temporarily until the next meeting.

PERIOD OF MEMBERSHIP

The period of membership covered by this form will start on 1 January 2015 and end on 31 December 2015. Payments made part way through the year are not carried forward

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PARTICIPATION STATEMENT - The BCA recognises that caving, cave diving and mine exploration are activities with a danger of personal injury or death. Participants in these activities should be aware of and accept these risks and be responsible for their own actions and involvement.

Data Protection Policy - Only sufficient data will be sought and retained in order to supply the services sought by and offered to each member/subscriber, and it will not be supplied to others or used for any other purposes without express consent of the member. The information supplied on and with this form will be stored on a computer.

EQUITY STATEMENT - BCA and its members will make its services available to all sections of the sporting community, and there will be no discrimination on grounds of race, gender, sexual orientation, creed, colour, occupation, religion or political opinion.

PLEASE RETURN THE COMPLETED FORM, WITH YOUR PAYMENT TO:

BCA, The Old Methodist Chapel, Great Hucklow, Buxton, Derbyshire, SK17 8RG

E-Mail enquires and membership lists in electronic format to: membership@british-caving.org.uk. Remember to say which club the list is for in your e-mail!

Cheques should be made payable to 'BCA'.



British Caving Association

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Full Club Name:										
Contact Name:				Position in Club:						
Contact Address:				Address to which publications should be sent (if different):						
Contact Tel No:				Email Address:						
Does your club also wish to be a member of BCRA?				Yes / No <i>(delete as applicable)</i>	Club website address:		<i>Please note BCA will publicise web addresses</i>			
Tick the Regional Councils you would like to affiliate to:	CCC	<input type="checkbox"/>	CNCC	<input type="checkbox"/>	CSCC	<input type="checkbox"/>	DCUC	<input type="checkbox"/>	DCA	<input type="checkbox"/>
If your club controls access to a cave or mine, please give the name of the cave and the location of the land concerned. If the club does not control access, please write "not applicable".										
If your club has a hut, please give the address. If the club does not have a hut, please write "not applicable".										

Calculation of Subscription Payable

Total number of members:	
Club subscription (taken from table on page 1)	
GRAND TOTAL	

Authorising signature

On behalf of my club I hereby apply for membership of BCA and, if applicable BCRA, and agree to the Association's membership rules.

Signature:		Name:	
		Date:	