

MKMC Meet Friday 19th to Sunday 21st March, 2027 – YRC Lowstern

Organiser Gill Farman

Cost £28:00 for the weekend, plus optional £2 sustainability donation, max 16 people.
£14 extra for Thursday or Sunday night

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This is a popular hut for us, there is loads to do in the area. We will be staying at Lowstern, the YRC hut in West Yorkshire, a very nice hut. There is a door code which I will send out closer to the time (above). The cottage is in a secluded position in a small wood surrounded by farmland about half a mile from Clapham village. Here there is a good village store, and a pub. The Game Cock Inn at Austwick, 40 minutes walk away, is recommended. https://www.yrc.org.uk/venues/lowstern/

Location

Grid reference SD 7366 6905. Postcode LA2 8HL. W3W: https://w3w.co/aura.height.bound Google Maps Lowstern Hut

Lowstern is situated in a small plantation less than 400m along the B6480 Clapham to Bentham road, leading SW from the junction with the A65 (Clapham bypass). Access is through double wooden gates along a short track to the building and parking area. There is plenty of parking.

Facilities

- Entrance hall.
- Drying room with dehumidifier, gas heater and spin dryer.
- Dining room with gas fire, folding tables and chairs.
- Living room with open fire and easy chairs.
- Kitchen with full catering equipment.
- Bunk space available for parties of up to 16 people.
- Part central heating, principally for winter background heat.
- Cold water sluice room for washing caving equipment.
- Two washrooms with hand basins, shower and toilet.

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Local Amenities
Clapham village (half a mile away) has an excellent village store and a pub. There is a telephone box outside the New Inn. A wider range of shops is available in Settle and in Ingleton, where caving equipment can also be hired.

Activities
The hut is close to the Yorkshire Three Peaks, Ingleborough, Whernside and Pen-y-Ghent. There is climbing at Malham Cove and several different caves to explore locally. The Ingleton Waterfalls walk is also nearby, a favourite for Sunday morning before the drive home, and it has a café, with amazing cake.

Fees: Pay fees into MKMC club account Lloyds Bank; Sort Code: 30-15-53; Account No 01971285. Ref: Name and Mar27, check with the organizer first to make sure there is space, thanks!

MKMC is an inclusive club; we want all members to enjoy their activities safely. Club members (and their guests) are reminded that it is their responsibility to inform members of the party that they go out with each day of any medical issues, which may have an impact on either the safety of the person with the condition, or the safety of the group they are with.

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