

INTERNATIONAL GUEST INFORMATION

BMC International Summer Climbing Meet

13 to 20 May 2017

The Count House, Bosigran, Cornwall

OVERVIEW

BMC International Meets are truly unique. They offer a great opportunity to experience British trad climbing, and you get to meet a varied bunch of climbers from all over the world. The 2017 Meet will be located at the [Count House](#) in Cornwall, a 200-year-old building perched above Cornwall's finest granite cliff, Bosigran. We stay here as guests of the Climbers' Club which owns the property. During the week you will be teamed up with British host climbers who have excellent knowledge of climbing in Cornwall..

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

- We will team you up with a UK host climber each day and they will take you out climbing.
- Partnerships will be changed every few days so that you get to climb with different people.
- There will be an optional trad clinic (placing runners, building belays, belaying with two ropes) on the first morning.
- There will be several evening presentations throughout the week.

EXPERIENCE

Visiting climbers must have at least two years' experience of traditional lead climbing (experience with the placement and removal of protection).

VENUE & DATES

- Venue: The Count House, Bosigran, Pendeen, Penzance, Cornwall, TR20 8YX.
- Dates: Saturday 13 May to Saturday 20 May 2017.
- Arrival evening: Saturday 13 May (no climbing on this day).
- Departure day: Saturday 20 May (no climbing on this day).

TRAVEL & ACCOMMODATION

- You are responsible for making your own travel arrangements to the UK.
- Travel details will be sent to you at the beginning of February when places are confirmed.
- The hut offers 'alpine hut' style accommodation with shared rooms and bathroom facilities.

COST

The fee is £150 per person and includes:

- Seven nights' accommodation
- Three catered meals per day
- Nightly presentations
- Six days' climbing with experienced host climbers
- Optional trad clinic
- Transfer from Penzance train station

HOW TO APPLY

- Federations (one per country) are invited to send a maximum of two climbers, ideally one female and one male, who must be a minimum of 18 years of age.
- Please complete the online federation form by **Monday 16 January**:
<https://webforms.thebmc.co.uk/events/bmc-international-meets/bmc-international-summer-climbing-meet-2017-federation-form>
- The BMC will contact all applying Federations by email by 30 January to confirm places.
- Please do not make any bookings (flights, trains etc) until you have had confirmation of your places from the BMC.

PLACES WILL BE REDUCED TO ONE PER COUNTRY IF THE MEET IS OVER SUBSCRIBED.

FURTHER INFORMATION

[Watch the film from the BMC International Summer Meet 2013](#)

[Read the report from the BMC International Summer Meet 2013](#)