



The British Caving Association Membership News January 2024

2024 Renewals

Just a reminder that club renewals are now due in. If you have any questions or queries on how to complete the forms or membership generally please drop me an email. I am very happy to help!

Thank you to the clubs who have already returned their 2024 paperwork. So far about 50 club renewals have been processed, with another 20 received and awaiting my attention! Due to the volume of renewals at this time of year please don't be surprised if it takes me a week or so to get back to you!

2024 E-cards

As you are hopefully aware BCA are moving to e-cards. A BCA volunteer is working hard on a system that will send the e-cards automatically to each member, saving club secretaries a huge amount of work distributing them. The system should be up and running very soon.

Just Go!

BCA is pleased to announce that later this year we are planning to move our membership system to Just Go!, a professional online membership system.

The move should hopefully make managing membership easier for individuals, club secretaries and the BCA.

The move is scheduled for later in the year, after the bulk of the 2024 renewals are through. More information will be given nearer the time.

The BCA training scheme has been with Just Go for several years and are very happy with the system.



Advance notice of the BCA AGM 2024

The 2024 AGM will be held by Zoom on Monday 3/6/2024 starting at 1900. Details and the Zoom address will be sent out in due course.

Allan Richardson
Secretary, British Caving Association

And Finally....

In December I received a strange email (that I initially thought might be spam!) from the British Transport police. A member of the public had handed in a wallet they had found at a London train station. The transport police couldn't contact the owner but there was a BCA card in it..... could the BCA help them? Looking in the BCA records I found had an email address for the named individual and so was able to forward the message from the transport police. The grateful caver recovered her wallet later the same day!

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