

# Isle of Skye

**Dates:** 02.06.19 to 08.06.19.

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## Activities

- × Walking
- × Trad Climbing/scrambling
- Sport Climbing
- × Mountain biking, wild swimming



**Available spaces:** Unlimited

**Accommodation type:** Camping/campervans.

**Cost:** Per Person Per Night (PPN) £10 Adults, £7 under 5's, electric hook ups additional £6.

Payable on arrival. No online or advance booking is currently available from the campsite.

(Please note these are the prices set by the campsite and not the responsibility of The Mountain Club).

## Meet details.

Located on the rugged west coast of the Isle of Skye at the foot of the Cuillin mountains and Loch Brittle beach, Glenbrittle Campsite & Cafe is the perfect base camp for some of the finest rock climbing and hill walking in Britain.

Full details about the campsite can be found at the following link:

<https://www.dunvegancastle.com/your-visit/glenbrittle-campsite-cafe/glenbrittle-campsite/>

Skye also offers some world-famous wild swimming spots, endless options for cyclists and of courses the excellent Talisker Whiskey Distillery (particularly popular with climbers and walkers when the weather is crap!).

For people intending to climb, walk or scramble previous experience is very much preferable, particularly if intending to access the Black Cuillin range. Navigation can be complicated due to magnetic abnormalities making compass reading unreliable so please do your research before getting out.

Plenty of guidebooks for most activities are in publication and easily available.

Food – options include being fully self-sufficient (cheapest), driving to the nearest pub every night (Old Inn at Carbost – get's busy), buying supplies from the campsite shop (expensive and limited!) or a combination of all three (obviously).

**Alternative accommodation options:**

The Old Inn at Carbost has rooms and there is also a Youth Hostel at Glenn Brittle (approx. 5 min drive from the campsite). Both have websites to book through.

**Maps:** For serious walking and climbing on the Trotternish Ridge or in the Cuillin, consider investing in one or both of the excellent [Harvey Superwalker](#) sheets for Skye. Alternatively, OS explorer maps cover the whole island in 5 separate sheets: 407, 408, 410, 411 & 412

*"The BMC recognises that climbing, hill walking and mountaineering 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."*