

# UKC/UKH Gear Schedule 2016

## Comparison Gear Reviews

These are reviews testing similar products from a range of manufacturers. We will need the product as early as possible. In most cases products for comparison reviews will go through Dan Bailey but please contact first before sending.

2016	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June
<b>Comparison Review</b>		Mitts		All Round Rock shoes		Softshell Trousers
<b>Site</b>		<b>UKC UKH</b>		<b>UKC</b>		<b>UKC UKH</b>
<b>Notes</b>		Thick mittens either insulated or waterproof for winter climbing and winter walking. Will be tested in rain and snow. Please send in size large.		Rock shoes that can be worn on long multi-pitch routes. Tested on comfort and relative performance. NOT down-turned performance shoes.		For general hiking/cragging/summer alpinism. Contact us to confirm size and model etc.
<b>Gear to be sent by</b>		Dec 2015		Feb 2016		Apr 2016

2016	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>Comparison Review</b>	All Day Harnesses	Sport Quickdraws		35-45L Back Packs		Durable Single Ropes
<b>Site</b>	<b>UKC</b>	<b>UKC</b>		<b>UKC UKH</b>		<b>UKC</b>
<b>Notes</b>	Harnesses designed for all round use. Enough gear loops for trad.	Quickdraws specifically designed for sport climbing. Will be tested on ease of clipping, ease of grabbing! Weight, smoothness etc.		Technical Back Packs / Rucksacks for cragging, alpine/winter climbing, and hiking in the 35 to 45 litre size range approximately.		Hard wearing single ropes with repeated sport and indoor use in mind. Will be tested for durability and ease of handling etc. Not super thin repointing ropes.
<b>Gear to be sent by</b>	Apr 2016	Jun 2016		Aug 2016		Oct 2016

Individual Gear Reviews and Product Announcements - We also publish one-off individual reviews and product announcements which are not covered in this schedule. If you have a product that you would like to have reviewed on UKC or UKH, contact Dan to arrange placing it in our schedule. Individual products are usually shipped direct to our gear reviewers. **Please don't send any review gear without first confirming and arranging the review with Dan Bailey - [Dan@UKHillwalking.com](mailto:Dan@UKHillwalking.com)**