Национа́льный парк «Озёрный край»

(материал к презентации Lake District, England)

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**Национа́льный парк Лейк-Ди́стрикт** или **Озёрный край** ([англ.](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%90%D0%BD%D0%B3%D0%BB%D0%B8%D0%B9%D1%81%D0%BA%D0%B8%D0%B9_%D1%8F%D0%B7%D1%8B%D0%BA) *Lake District*) — национальный [заповедник](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%97%D0%B0%D0%BF%D0%BE%D0%B2%D0%B5%D0%B4%D0%BD%D0%B8%D0%BA" \o "Заповедник) [Англии](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%90%D0%BD%D0%B3%D0%BB%D0%B8%D1%8F). Эта территория была объявлена заповедником в [1951 году](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/1951_%D0%B3%D0%BE%D0%B4" \o "1951 год), чтобы сохранить всю красоту природы края для будущих поколений.

Озёрный край знаменит своими живописными горными и озерными [ландшафтами](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%9B%D0%B0%D0%BD%D0%B4%D1%88%D0%B0%D1%84%D1%82" \o "Ландшафт). Здесь начинаются [Чевиотские холмы](http://ru.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=%D0%A7%D0%B5%D0%B2%D0%B8%D0%BE%D1%82%D1%81%D0%BA%D0%B8%D0%B5_%D1%85%D0%BE%D0%BB%D0%BC%D1%8B&action=edit&redlink=1" \o "Чевиотские холмы (страница отсутствует)), служащие естественной географической границей с [Шотландией](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%A8%D0%BE%D1%82%D0%BB%D0%B0%D0%BD%D0%B4%D0%B8%D1%8F" \o "Шотландия). Крутые горы, низкие зелёные долины, загадочные озёра, стали вдохновением для многих поэтов и художников, включая живших здесь [Вордсворта](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%92%D0%BE%D1%80%D0%B4%D1%81%D0%B2%D0%BE%D1%80%D1%82,_%D0%A3%D0%B8%D0%BB%D1%8C%D1%8F%D0%BC" \o "Вордсворт, Уильям) и [Беатрис Поттер](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%9F%D0%BE%D1%82%D1%82%D0%B5%D1%80,_%D0%91%D0%B5%D0%B0%D1%82%D1%80%D0%B8%D1%81" \o "Поттер, Беатрис) (см. [озёрная школа](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%9E%D0%B7%D1%91%D1%80%D0%BD%D0%B0%D1%8F_%D1%88%D0%BA%D0%BE%D0%BB%D0%B0" \o "Озёрная школа)).

Озерный край — самый посещаемый из всех 14 национальных заповедников Великобритании. Вся территория парка полностью расположена в горном регионе [Камбрия](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%9A%D0%B0%D0%BC%D0%B1%D1%80%D0%B8%D1%8F" \o "Камбрия), на высоте более 2400 [футов](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%A4%D1%83%D1%82" \o "Фут) (~700 метров) [над уровнем моря](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%92%D1%8B%D1%81%D0%BE%D1%82%D0%B0_%D0%BD%D0%B0%D0%B4_%D1%83%D1%80%D0%BE%D0%B2%D0%BD%D0%B5%D0%BC_%D0%BC%D0%BE%D1%80%D1%8F" \o "Высота над уровнем моря), эта местность является самой высокорасположенной в [Англии](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%90%D0%BD%D0%B3%D0%BB%D0%B8%D1%8F" \o "Англия). Также на территории заповедника находится гора [Скофел-Пайк](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%A1%D0%BA%D0%BE%D1%84%D0%B5%D0%BB-%D0%9F%D0%B0%D0%B9%D0%BA" \o "Скофел-Пайк), являющаяся самой высокой точкой [Англии](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%90%D0%BD%D0%B3%D0%BB%D0%B8%D1%8F" \o "Англия).

Озерный край растянулся на 55 км в ширину. Территория парка сформировалась в результате [оледенения](http://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%9B%D0%B5%D0%B4%D0%BD%D0%B8%D0%BA%D0%BE%D0%B2%D1%8B%D0%B9_%D0%BF%D0%B5%D1%80%D0%B8%D0%BE%D0%B4" \o "Ледниковый период), которое закончилось 15 тыс. лет назад.

Этот край – крупнейший национальный парк Великобритании. Его площадь 2279 км². Своим названием он обязан 16 большим озерам. Здесь же находятся и самые высокие горы Англии. Сверху глазам путника открывается сказочный вид на голубые озера и суровые холмы, пенные водопады и крохотные деревушки с типичными домиками из серого камня.

**Шестнадцать хрустальных озер**, определивших название местности, скалистые горы, калейдоскоп лугов и холмов, покрытых папоротниками и вересковыми пустошами, а на холмах – мирно пасущиеся овцы и стада коров.

Одно из самых крупных озер этого края — **озеро Уиндермир** общей протяженностью более двадцати километров. На небольшом расстоянии от побережья расположилось два славных городка **Боунесс** (Bowness-on-Windermere) и **Уиндермир** (Windermere), заработавший себе репутацию маленькой столицы Озерного края

<http://www.quickiwiki.com/ru/%D0%9E%D0%B7%D1%91%D1%80%D0%BD%D1%8B%D0%B9_%D0%BA%D1%80%D0%B0%D0%B9>

**Bowness-on-Windermere**

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[Coordinates](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Geographic_coordinate_system): http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/5/55/WMA_button2b.png/17px-WMA_button2b.png[54.3644°N 2.9181°W](http://tools.wmflabs.org/geohack/geohack.php?pagename=Bowness-on-Windermere&params=54.3644_N_-2.9181_E_region:GB_type:city%283814%29)

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| **Bowness-on-Windermere** | | |
| [Bowness on Windermere.jpg](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Bowness_on_Windermere.jpg) Bowness-on-Windermere Town Centre | | |
| [Bowness-on-Windermere is located in Cumbria](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Cumbria_UK_location_map.svg)  http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/en/thumb/0/0c/Red_pog.svg/6px-Red_pog.svg.png  Bowness-on-Windermere  *http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/en/thumb/0/0c/Red_pog.svg/6px-Red_pog.svg.png Bowness-on-Windermere shown within* [*Cumbria*](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cumbria) | | |
| **Population** | | 3,814 |
| [**OS grid reference**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ordnance_Survey_National_Grid) | | [SD403969](http://toolserver.org/%7Erhaworth/os/coor_g.php?pagename=Bowness-on-Windermere&params=SD403969_region%3AGB_scale%3A25000) |
| [**Civil parish**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Civil_parishes_in_England) | | [Windermere](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Windermere,_Cumbria) |
| [**District**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Districts_of_England) | | [South Lakeland](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Lakeland) |
| [**Shire county**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Metropolitan_and_non-metropolitan_counties_of_England) | | [Cumbria](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cumbria) |
| [**Region**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Regions_of_England) | | [North West](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/North_West_England) |
| [**Country**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Countries_of_the_United_Kingdom) | | [England](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/England) |
| [**Sovereign state**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_sovereign_states) | | [United Kingdom](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_Kingdom) |
| [**Post town**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Post_town) | | WINDERMERE |
| [**Postcode district**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Postcodes_in_the_United_Kingdom) | | [LA23](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LA_postcode_area) |
| [**Dialling code**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Telephone_numbers_in_the_United_Kingdom) | | 015394 |
| [**Police**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_law_enforcement_agencies_in_the_United_Kingdom) | | [Cumbria](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cumbria_Constabulary) |
| [**Fire**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Fire_service_in_the_United_Kingdom) | | [Cumbria](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cumbria_Fire_and_Rescue_Service) |
| [**Ambulance**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Emergency_medical_services_in_the_United_Kingdom) | | [North West](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/North_West_Ambulance_Service) |
| [**EU Parliament**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Members_of_the_European_Parliament_for_the_United_Kingdom_2009%E2%80%932014) | | [North West England](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/North_West_England_%28European_Parliament_constituency%29) |
| [**UK Parliament**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_United_Kingdom_Parliament_constituencies) | [Westmorland and Lonsdale](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Westmorland_and_Lonsdale_%28UK_Parliament_constituency%29) | |
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**Bowness-on-Windermere** is a town in [South Lakeland](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Lakeland), [Cumbria](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cumbria), England.

Due its position on the banks of [Windermere](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Windermere) the town has become a tourist [honeypot](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Honeypot_%28geography%29).

Although their mutual growth has caused them to become one large [settlement](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Human_settlement),

the town is distinct from the [town of Windermere](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Windermere_%28town%29) as the two still have distinguishable town centres.

In 2012, Bowness was one of the official stop off points for the Olympic torch before it made its way

to the [Olympic Games](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Olympic_Games) opening ceremony.[[1]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bowness-on-Windermere#cite_note-1)

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**Etymology**

'Bowness' (originally 'Bulnes') means " 'the headland where the bull grazes', from OE 'bula',

'bull' and OE 'næss' 'headland', perhaps referring to the keeping of the parish bull."

The 'on-Windermere' part was added later (found on the Ordnance Survey map of 1899),

presumably to distinguish this 'Bowness' from other Cumbrian ones. ('OE' = [Old English](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Old_English)).

**History**

The town's ancient [parish church of St Martin](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/St_Martin%27s_Church,_Bowness-on-Windermere) was built in 1483 but of an older foundation.

The former rectory is said to have been built in 1415.

Bowness-on-Windermere became a [civil parish](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Civil_parishes_in_England) in 1894 and an [urban district](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Urban_district_%28Great_Britain_and_Ireland%29) council was formed

for the town at the same time. In 1905, the council merged with that of Windermere,

and the two civil parishes merged in 1974 under the name of Windermere.

The civil parish is governed by a [town council](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Town_council).

**Transport**

[Windermere railway station](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Windermere_railway_station) offers [train](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Train) and [bus](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bus) connections to the surrounding areas,

[Manchester](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Manchester), [Manchester Airport](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Manchester_Airport), and the [West Coast Main Line](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/West_Coast_Main_Line), and is about 1.5 miles (2.4 km)

from the lakefront. Both [Stagecoach](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stagecoach_Group) and the local council provide frequent connecting buses

from Bowness Pier; Stagecoach's open-top [double-decker buses](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Double-decker_bus) travel through the centre of town

and continue to [Ambleside](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ambleside) and [Grasmere](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Grasmere), while the council's [wheelchair](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wheelchair)-accessible

[minibuses](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Minibus) run around the edge of town. The [Windermere Ferry](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Windermere_Ferry), a car carrying [cable ferry](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cable_ferry),

connects Bowness at Ferry Nab on the eastern side of the lake with Ferry House [Far Sawrey](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Far_Sawrey)

on the western side of the lake, a trip of approx. 10 mins.

**Media**

Readers of [Arthur Ransome](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Arthur_Ransome)'s [*Swallows and Amazons series*](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Swallows_and_Amazons_series) of books will recognise Bowness

as the lakeside town of 'Rio'. The collection at the [Windermere Steamboat Museum](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Windermere_Steamboat_Museum)

(see restoration project homepage at [www.steamboat.co.uk](http://www.steamboat.co.uk/)) on Rayrigg Road includes

TSSY *Esperance*, 1869; one of the iron steamboats on which Ransome modeled

Captain Flint's houseboat. Bowness On Windermere is also home to the [Beatrix Potter](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Beatrix_Potter) attraction.

<https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bowness-on-Windermere>

"Windermere ought to be seen both from its shores and from its surface. None of the other Lakes unfold so many fresh beauties to him who sails upon them.

This is owing to its greater size, to the islands, and to its having two vales at the head, with their accompanying mountains of near equal dignity.

Nor can the grandeur of these terminations be seen at once from any point, except from the bosom of the Lake."

**William Wordsworth** in *Guide to the Lakes.*

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## Get in

It is about a mile from the Windermere railway station which links to Oxenholme on the west coast main line. One can walk, if one likes, from Windermere station to Bowness. Alternatively, buses are available every 20 minutes from the railway station to the ferry jetty. Taxis are also available. If there is a group of 4-5 people, taxis may be economically more viable, because buses would cost almost as much.

## Get around

The main attraction of Bowness-on-Windermere is the ferry. The most popular and widely used service is from Bowness-on-Windermere to [Ambleside](http://wikitravel.org/en/Ambleside).

The ferry trip is an experience of a lifetime, offering a faboulous ride across a wonderful lake. Tickets are available for an one-way trip or a return trip. Some people prefer to return back by ferry, others move ahead from Ambleside to other places such as Rydal Mount, Grasmere, or [Keswick](http://wikitravel.org/en/Keswick), or even return back from Ambleside to either Bowness-on-Windermere or Windermere town by bus or taxi.

There are a number of other ferry trips.

<http://wikitravel.org/en/Bowness-on-Windermere>