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OTTERBURN TRAINING AREA MILITARY ACTIVITY FORECAST

15 to 29 February 2012

Listed below are the dates and times when OTTERBURN and/or REDESDALE Ranges are being used for live firing: OTTERBURN Ranges are the southern part of the ranges, REDESDALE are the northern part.

DATE	TIME	RANGE	ACTIVITY
Wed 15 Feb 12	1000 - 1600	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Thu 16 Feb 12	1000 - 2200	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Fri 17 Feb 12	1000 - 1600	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Sat 18 Feb 12	1000 - 1600	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Sun 19 Feb 12	1000 - 1600	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Mon 20 Feb 12	1000 - 1600	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Tue 21 Feb 12	1000 - 2200	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Wed 22 Feb 12	1000 - 1600	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Thu 23 Feb 12	1000 - 2200	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Fri 24 Feb 12	1000 - 1600	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Sat 25 Feb 12		Non Firing	
Sun 26 Feb 12		Non Firing	
Mon 27 Feb 12	1000 - 1600	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Tue 28 Feb 12	1000 - 1600	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons
Wed 29 Feb 12	1000 - 2359	Otterburn/Redesdale/Bellshiel	Aircraft, Artillery, & Infantry weapons

1. **PUBLIC ACCESS.**
 - a. Public access is governed by the Otterburn Training Area Byelaws.
 - b. Outside the firing times listed above, and when NO RED flags or Lamps are displayed, public access to the ranges is permitted on specified TARMAC ROADS, the PUBLIC FOOTPATHS and BRIDLEWAYS.
2. **ACCESS GUIDES.**
 - a. Otterburn Training Area and The Northumberland National Park Authority publish an Access Guide. The Otterburn Ranges Access Guide shows the areas that are open to the public, during and after firing.
 - b. These guides are available from National Park Authority, Information Points, Libraries, Tourist Information Centres, local shops and hostleries or downloaded from (www.mod.uk/DefenceInternet/MicroSite/DIO/WhatWeDo/DTE/AccessAndRecreationAtOtterburn.htm)
3. **DRY TRAINING.** Be aware that outside published firing times; military units will be training, using only blank ammunition and pyrotechnics.
4. **SAFETY. DO NOT PICK UP, KICK or REMOVE ANY OBJECT. DO NOT STRAY OFF THE PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY OR TARMAC ROADS.**
5. **MOD RANGE ROADS** The MoD at Otterburn cannot guarantee that the roads/track on Defence Training Estate will be salted or cleared of snow during inclement weather.
6. **FURTHER INFORMATION.** Cancellation of firing may take place after the publication of this notice. Further information can be obtained by telephoning the RLO on 0191 2394201 or 0191 2394227.

Dated 31 January 2012