

MOD Pendine Programme Information

Firings will take place for the duration of each day as specified below:

Dates	Activities
09 August	Local Gunfire
10 August	Local Gunfire with possible visible smoke
11 August	Beach open to the public
12 August	Beach open to the public
13 August	Local Gunfire
14 August	Local Gunfire with possible visible smoke
15 August	Local Gunfire
16 August	Local Gunfire and Explosions with some visible flashes .Extended Beach closure until 23.00
17 August	Local Gunfire and Explosions
18 August	Beach open to the public
19 August	Beach open to the public
20 August	Local Gunfire
21 August	Local Gunfire
22 August	Local Gunfire
23 August	Local Gunfire
24 August	Local Gunfire

Activity Descriptions

Beach = *MOD beach only. The closures do not apply to the public part of the beach at Pendine village.*

Local Gunfire = Gunfire that is likely to be noticed only by communities close to MOD Pendine.

Gunfire = Gunfire that may be noticed by communities in the vicinity of the MOD Pendine.

Explosions = Explosions that may be noticed by communities in the vicinity of MOD Pendine and Taf Estuary.

Visible smoke= smoke that may be noticed by communities in the vicinity of MOD Pendine and Taf Estuary.

The operating hours are usually from 0800 hrs to 1615 hrs. However these times may be subject to change or extension at any time without opportunity for prior notice.

Red flags or red lights indicate that firing is taking place and that the beach (within the Land Area) plus the Sea Area are closed to general public access for safety purposes. If you need to cross the Sea Area during firing, for your safety, please contact Range Control before you enter on 01994 45 2240 on VHF Channels 16 or 73. The coordinates of the buoys marking the Sea Area can be found on the website below.

This schedule is subject to not only the daily acoustic forecast, but also to tide times, weather conditions and operational requirements. Any one, or a combination of these factors, may mean that the activity has to be cancelled and rescheduled at short notice and it may not always be possible to provide you with an updated schedule of work.

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