



Support for Life

Whatever the need, whenever it's needed, RBL can offer the Armed Forces community support for life.

Through expert advice and practical support, we can help with many of life's problems, no matter how many years have passed since finishing service.

Call us today on **0808 802 8080** to see how we can help, or visit rbl.org.uk for more information.



Together in purpose



Together in service.

Leading the UK in supporting our Armed Forces Community.

From our defence customers to the veterans, reservists and military family colleagues who strengthen our teams every day, we're united by a shared purpose - creating a safe and secure world, together.



Megan,
Office Manager
Military Spouse

PLYMOUTH ARMED FORCES DAY

Plymouth Hoe
Saturday 27 June 2026

In association with
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Evening Concert

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- 5.30pm to 6.30pm **Marmalade**
- 6.50pm to 7.50pm **The Vibes**
- 8.10pm to 9.10pm **Riviera Dogs**
- 9.30pm to 10.30pm **Authentic Elton**



10.15am to 4.30pm
Junior Field Gun Tournaments
Elliot Street Arena

10.45am to 11am
RMVCC Band Display Arena

11am to 11.15am
Parade of Standards
All veterans are invited to join the parade Arena

11.15am to 11.30am
Armed Forces Covenant Speech Stage

11.30am to 12pm
Plymouth Youth Symphony Orchestra
Stage

12pm to 12.15pm
City of Plymouth Pipe Band Arena

12.15pm to 12.45pm
The Lipson Big Band Stage

12.45pm to 1.15pm
Military Wives Choir Stage

1.15pm to 1.30pm
RMVCC Drill Display Arena

1.30pm to 2pm
Plymouth City Brass Academy Band Stage

2.15pm to 2.45pm
Blokes who Sing Arena

2.45pm to 3.15pm
Ocean City Sound Stage

3.15pm to 3.45pm
REORG Ju Jitsu Demonstration Arena

3.45pm to 4.15pm
Armed Forces Choir Stage

4.30pm to 5pm
Rock Choir Arena



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Once again are proud to support Plymouth City Council with catering and bars for the 2026 Armed Forces Day

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ARMED FORCES AND DISABLED PARKING

Disabled parking is available at Ballard House car park (PL13BJ) and nearby on-street parking for blue badge holders. The 25B Citybus will operate a shuttle service between Ballard House, Theatre Royal and Hoe Road – ramp side, from 8.30am to 6.35pm (check timetable).

Citybus and Stagecoach are offering free travel across Plymouth on Armed Forces Day to serving personnel, cadets and veterans with ID.



- Toilets and disabled toilets
- Catering
- Smeaton's Tower
- Plymouth Observation Wheel
- Military vehicles
- The Poppy of Honour Memorial
- First Aid
- Bar
- Shuttle bus for disabled parking
- Sensory garden & chill out zone
- Disabled viewing area
- Lost children
- Drinking water station



Royal Navy Village

Explore the many interactive displays at the Royal Navy village and learn about the various types of ammunition from small arms to missiles and torpedoes. Navigate your way through a minefield using detection equipment and delve into the battlefield ambulance and equipment. Sample the culinary delights of the Royal Navy caterers and don't miss seeing the divers in the dive tank.



Army Village

The Army Village will have equipment and hands-on displays and activities with artillery, medics, logistics, infantry and electrical and mechanical engineers. 29 Commando Regt RA will have Light Gun, air defence and surveillance equipment. 6 Rifles - a weapons display, 158 Regt REME - a fitter truck and 165 Port & Maritime Regt RLC will have activities, vehicles and a boat to explore.



Royal Air Force Village

Visit the Royal Air Force Village and test your skills on the desk-top flight simulators or the interactive Command Module, check out the various roles across the RAF professions. Chat to RAF Regular and Reserve personnel to find out about the great range of full and part-time career opportunities including Aircrew, Engineering, Cyberspace, Ground Combat and Security, Logistics, Medical Services, Intelligence and People Operations. Search #RAF Careers.



Royal Marines Village

Discover the reason the Royal Marines motto is PER MARE PER TERRAM-by sea by land. Explore present and future Commando forces vehicles and equipment including hands-on experiences with a varied array of weapon systems, alongside specialist maritime craft. Speak to Commando Forces Boat Operators and immerse yourself in what life is like as a Royal Marines Commando. The Royal Marine's Association is also located within the village.



Veterans' Village

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The 2026 Armed Forces Day Veterans' Village is supported by the Royal British Legion Devon County, who would love to chat to you about how they support serving personnel, veterans and their families. You will find a wide range of charities and organisations offering information and advice in the Veterans' Village, plus lots of hands-on activities to try, so head down to the village and marquee.



Emergency Services

Discover the exciting displays from the emergency services, each will have equipment and vehicles to explore and will be on-hand to chat to you. You can see displays from the Fire Service, Police, Dartmoor Search and Rescue Team Plymouth, Coastguard Search and Rescue and the RNLI.

