

May Welsh Flying Event

Thank you for expressing interest in this event. Please confirm if you are coming and on what days you will attend.

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This really helps my planning - booking restaurants etc.



A-Frame Pusher over the outdoor site.

NB: if links do not work directly, copy and paste them into your web browser.

Programme summary:

Friday 9th:

Meet up for drinks/meal. 1930 Woodfired Shack, Bangor,
<https://www.woodfiredshack.com/>

Saturday 10th:

Morning at Caernarfon Airworld - [VE day fly-in](#)

Afternoon flying outdoors

Evening meal - 1930 at '+39', Menai Bridge, <https://www.plus39cafe.co.uk/>

Sunday 11th:

Morning; outdoor flying if you are keen

Indoor flying 12-1800

Another meal out - TBC.

Monday 12th:

All day outdoor flying - No competitions planned

Details:

I hope you have already found accommodation. If not, contact me and I may be able to help.

All flyers will have to have BMFA insurance.

Friday 9th May : Meet up on the evening of in Bangor for a meal/drinks from 1930. This is at the Woodfired Shack, 205 High Street, Bangor, LL57 1NY; a pizza restaurant.
<https://www.woodfiredshack.com/>

Saturday 10th May:

On Saturday we will start at Airworld Aviation Museum, Caernarfon Airport, Dinlle, Caernarfon, Gwynedd, LL54 5TP. **The VE Day Fly In starts at 0900, reduced entry fee £4 for May Welsh participants.** The museum will also be open and there is a cafe. <https://www.airworldmuseum.com/news>. As the site will get busy during the day, we suggest car sharing - parking cars on the seashore parking at Dinas Dinlle or along the road to the airfield and taking only one car to the site. (see <https://maps.app.goo.gl/k3Ww3pdpvxUPwjC38>).

Outdoor:

On the afternoon of Saturday we will flying outdoors at Mynydd Llandegai.

See:

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This site is at national grid SH 6064 on OS leisure map OL17.

The Google Maps route from Caernarfon Airport to the flying site is : [Caernarfon to Mynydd Llandegai](#)

The open access flying site is shown shaded on the image below, with an overview image at the end of this document. There is limited parking space at this site, so it would really help if you can car-share for the outdoor flying sessions.

Immediate access to the site is over a fence or a long walk via the gate. See below for a picture of me crossing the fence - there is grip tape and step on both sides.

It is vital that you **bring your wellies**, as it is wet upland bog. I do advise keeping an eye on where your model lands and walking directly towards it, I have spent many an hour walking past models lying behind cotton grass clumps. On the very positive side, there are no trees and enough space to satisfy even duration flyers. The views towards Caernarfon and the Snowdonia range are great. There are no restrictions on the type of models flown, but no runway. I have a high pole (above the grass) for bungee launches. I use radio d/t to avoid over-flying the (minor) road. There is plenty of space north and east. Generally the wind is not from the east, towards the road but we can launch from a different area if that is the case.

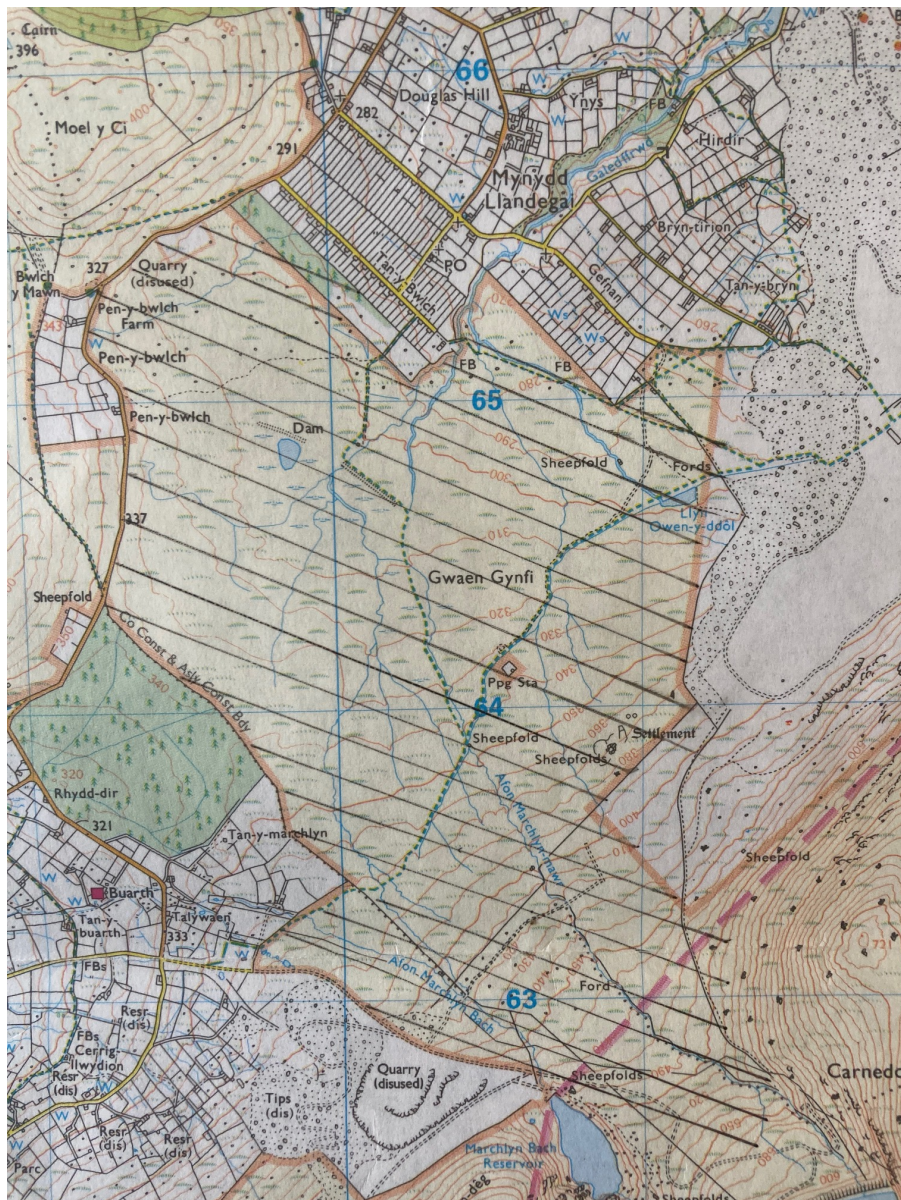
Paul Rich will be organising FFS2 & FFS3 competitions on the Saturday afternoon.

Allan Patrick will be organising e-VPD and VPD competitions on Saturday afternoon (and Monday if there is interest). We can fly until the sun drops so low that the site is in shadow, but there is a meal planned.

Meal : 1930 at '+39', Uxbridge House, Y Sgwâr, Porthaethwy/Menai Bridge, LL59 5BB.

Please confirm if you are coming, so I can book space.

<https://www.plus39cafe.co.uk/>



OS map of outdoor flying site - Mynydd Landegai - the shaded area is open access, flat and treeless.

Sunday 11th May: Indoor

You are welcome to get some more outdoor flying in before the indoor hall opens at **1200 on Sunday May 11th, until 1800. Cost : £30 per flyer.**

Indoor flying is at **Canolfan Brailsford, Ffriddoedd Road, Bangor, Gwynedd, LL57 2EH.**

https://maps.app.goo.gl/jKpRhE4g3nr16Rpp9?g_st=com.google.maps.preview.copy

This will be in Hall 1, approximately 20x25x9m in size. If you are flying really lightweight models, keep them away from the extraction fans above the gallery and door. I had a 'fly on the windshield' encounter there! There will be flying only, Peanut and Pistachio scale competitions.

There is a coffee and snack machine on site, but no cafe. There is a Morrisons (with cafe) nearby. We will have chairs and tables.

I should probably think of a different social activity for Sunday evening, I am open to suggestions.

Monday 12th May: I appreciate that some people will have to leave to work on Monday. I'm not working on Monday, so plan to go flying outside in Mynydd Llandegai again. There are no competitions planned for Monday.



Going over the fence at the outdoor site.



A wider view of the outdoor site location. The A55 is to the north, access via Bethesda A5 and minor roads.