

PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT LICENCE

FIREWORKS DISPLAYS

Site Layout -

1. The site shall be set out in accordance with the approved site plan attached hereto.
2. Suitable access for emergency services vehicles should be provided and maintained throughout the event.
3. A minimum of two entrances and exits should be available at all times.
4. An area measuring not less than forty-five metres by fifty-five metres, or other area adjusted in consultation with the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service, should be designated for the ignition of fireworks and for the bonfire display and should be surrounded by temporary barriers designated to discourage any accidental unauthorised access to the fireworks display area by spectators or other members of the public.
5. The bonfire itself should be located a safe distance from the fireworks display.
6. Temporary barriers should be employed to designate the area set aside for spectators, which area should be not less than thirty metres distant from the fireworks display area.

Parking -

7. No vehicles should be parked within fifty metres of the fireworks display area and no vehicles should be parked within the spectator area in such a way that they cause obstruction to persons entering or leaving the site.

Site Supervision -

8. Sufficient stewards (a minimum of two per 500 spectators) should be available on site at all times whilst the event is taking place. Such stewards should be clearly identified as such and should all be equipped with hand lamps. All stewards should be trained in the correct use of fire extinguishers and be aware of action to be taken in an emergency, including the method to be used to alert emergency services,
9. A person suitably qualified to render first aid assistance should be available at all times whilst the event is taking place.

General Fire Precautions -

10. Sufficient fire extinguishers and fire blankets should be provided throughout the display to ensure the safety of display operatives and the general public.
11. All bonfires and fireworks displays shall be sited clear of overhead power lines, trees, other property and public highways etc.
12. The burning of dangerous rubbish on bonfires (i.e. foam filled furniture, aerosols, paints etc.) or the use of flammable liquids such as petrol etc. to ignite bonfires is forbidden.
13. All fireworks intended for use must be stored in a protected container until removal for immediate location in firing position.
14. Manufacturers' instructions must be strictly adhered to when igniting fireworks.
15. Spectators must not be permitted to ignite their own fireworks.

General Arrangements -

16. On conclusion of the display, all fireworks and other rubbish and litter must be collected and disposed of in a suitable manner. The bonfire must be extinguished and the site left in a neat and tidy condition.
17. It is a requirement of this Licence that the Licence holder has suitable insurance cover for the event, the limit of indemnity being not less than £1 million.
18. It is a requirement of this licence that the attached guidelines issued by the Civil Aviation Authority be adhered to. If you have any enquiries, you should contact Aerodrome Safeguarding and Development, Aviation House, Gatwick Airport South, West Sussex, RH6 0YR. (Tel. 01293 567171).