**Hints & Tips**

* Drink plenty of fluids - you will be thankful for it after a long day.
* Wear a hat and use sun block or bring waterproofs depending on the forecast.
* Aircraft are noisy! Protect hearing with ear plugs or ear defenders (available to buy from traders).
* Don't lose your child! Make use of the wristbands sent with tickets and available at Information Points.
* Talk to the aircrew and ask questions.
* Make an effort to walk around the showground - there's plenty to see!
* Don't forget your camera.
* Pre-arrange a meeting point in the show in case you get separated from your group.
* Please put your litter in the bins provided.
* Security personnel put your safety first. Please follow any directions they give.
* Report any suspicious activity to any uniformed personnel or Information Point.
* Pets are not permitted onto the airfield or car parks (RSPCA will be patrolling).
* Although Air Day is supported by emergency medical facilities if you are suffering from an illness please ensure you are well enough before travelling.
* If you take regular medication, then please bring an adequate supply for the day and return trip.
* Allow sufficient time for traffic delays to and from the event.

**Programme of Events**

* Car parks open: 0800
* Gates open: 0900
* Exhibition/Trade Fair opens: 0900
* Aircraft late arrivals: 0930-1030
* Flying display: 1100-1630
* Arena Displays: Times to be confirmed
* Airfield closes: 1700

**Road Directions and Car Parks**

* Yeovilton is 5 miles north of Yeovil, 38 miles south of Bristol, close to the A303 and A37, and within easy reach of the M5 from Junction 25.
* Postcode for Sat Nay is BA22 8HT. Please ignore your Sat Nav as you approach the Air Station and follow the Air Day traffic signs.
* All directions to Air Day will be sign posted and will lead you to the quickest route for the nearest car park.
* All car parks are free of charge.
* Remember to make a note of which car park and entrance you are using.
* We anticipate 10,000 vehicles attending the event. Please allow for some delay on entry and exit.

**Road and Bridleway Closures**

* Access to Yeovilton and Speckington villages will be restricted. Please visit [www.travelsomerset.co.uk](http://www.travelsomerset.co.uk) for regular updates.
* A section of the Leland Bridleway surrounding the eastern and southern perimeters of the airfield will be closed on 6 and 7 July 2018.

**Local Bus Service**

* Shuttle bus service available from Yeovil Pen Mill, Yeovil Junction and Yeovil Bus Station.
* 2018 Prices: Saturday 7 July 2018 only Return Fares - Adult £8.00 (return trip) Child £4.00 (under 16) Family £16.00 (two adults and up to four children under 16).
* Timetable available at [www.royalnavymod.uk/yeovilton-airday](http://www.royalnavymod.uk/yeovilton-airday) in the ‘How to get to Air Day’ section.

**Coach Services**

* Various coach operators will be running excursions to Air Day.
* Call 0330 100 3654 or visit [www.royalnavy.mod.uk/yeovilton-airday](http://www.royalnavy.mod.uk/yeovilton-airday) for information on your nearest coach operator.

**Train Services**

* Nearest stations are Yeovil Pen Mill and Yeovil Junction.
* Dedicated bus services running to and from RNAS Yeovilton.
* To buy tickets call South West Trains on 0345 6000 650.
* For general rail information call National Rail Enquiries on 08457 484950.

**Arrive by Plane**

* Limited arrival slots available subject to availability.
* Times are restricted and must be booked in advance.
* Further details and booking form can be found on [www.royalnavy.mod.uk/news-and-latest-activity/features/yeovilton-air-day-2018/how-to-get-to-air-day](https://www.royalnavy.mod.uk/news-and-latest-activity/features/yeovilton-air-day-2018/how-to-get-to-air-day).

**Disabled Facilities**

* All visitors must purchase an admission ticket.
* Unfortunately, there are no ticket concessions for disabled people or their carers.
* However, a number of facilities are provided to make your visit more accessible and enjoyable.
* Disabled Parking (Fury car park) is free of charge, please follow the relevant traffic signs and display your blue badge or proof of disability.
* A Mobility Aids Viewing Enclosure (MAVE) is situated along the crowdline, on hard-standing, approximately 400 metres from the Disabled Car Park.
* Access to the enclosure is free of charge and is restricted to those using mobility aids and ONE accompanying carer only.
* Space is very limited and pre-booking is essential.
* Further details and booking form can be found on the website: [www.royalnavy.mod.uk/yeovilton-airday](http://www.royalnavy.mod.uk/yeovilton-airday)
* Wheelchairs and up to 100 electric scooters are available to hire.
* Advance booking is essential to avoid disappointment by calling Event Mobility on 01386 725391 or online [www.eventmobility.org.uk](http://www.eventmobility.org.uk)

**Lost Children Centre**

* The Lost Children Centre is sponsored by Perrott Hill (Crewkerne, Somerset) and will be operated by Tall Trees Community Centre.
* All staff have had the necessary DBS checks and are experienced in looking after children.
* The Lost Children Centre is located 30 metres right of the giant inflatable at the top of Traders' Rows C and D.
* All Child tickets purchased in advance from the Ticket Office will be issued with a free Lost Child wristband.
* Lost Child wristbands are also available free of charge at entry points and info booths.
* We highly recommend you use these wristbands to ensure a swift recovery of your child should they get lost.
* Visitors are asked to familiarise themselves with the site upon arrival.

**Caravan and Motorhome Facilities**

* Caravans and motorhomes can be accommodated from Thurs 5 July until Sun 8 July.
* Limited space - book early to avoid disappointment.
* Caravan Hire available from Davloe Caravan Hire

**Nearby Campsites/ Accommodation**

* Long Hazel Park (Adults only) - Tel: 01963 440002 Web: [www.longhazelpark.co.uk](http://www.longhazelpark.co.uk)
* Halfway Caravan & Camping Park - Tel: 01935 840342 Web: [www.halfwaycaravanpark.com](http://www.halfwaycaravanpark.com/)
* Bowdens Crest Caravan & Camping Park - Tel: 01458 250553 Web: [www.bowdenscrest.co.uk](http://www.bowdenscrest.co.uk)
* Southfork Caravan Park - Tel: 01935 825661 Web: [www.southforkcaravans.co.uk](http://www.southforkcaravans.co.uk/)
* Snaptrip - Tel: 0203 637 0812 Web: <https://www.snaptrip.com/last-minute-cottages/yeovil>

Please note: This listing does not equal endorsement by RNAS Yeovilton Air Day. Please research the facilities above to ensure they suit your needs. Accommodation is subject to availability.