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## **NOTIFICATION OF NIGHT FLYING**

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### **NIGHT FLYING AT ROYAL AIR FORCE WITTERING**

**NIGHT FLYING is expected at Royal Air Force Wittering from Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> September until the early hours of Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September inclusive.**

Transport aircraft crews plan to train with Night Vision Goggles (NVG) from 2030, continuing each night until 0100 on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September.

Royal Air Force Wittering is reaching out to its neighbours and the nearby equestrian establishments to inform them of a change to the usual pattern of flying activity.

Operating under the cover of night is essential to modern military operations. NVG are a real tactical advantage and enable our crews to land and take-off safely during the hours of darkness.

The Station is one of several that supports night flying; a variety of airfields and environments gives crews a breadth of experience and ensures that no single area is unduly burdened.

Ends.

#### **Notes for Editors:**

<https://www.raf.mod.uk/our-organisation/stations/raf-wittering/>

#### **Images**

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An RAF C-17 Globemaster at Royal Air Force Wittering.