

Date	Timings	Location	Details of Armed Forces Weekend Activities
Friday 24th June	1100-1600	HMS Portland open to visitors	Cruise Liner Berth, Ocean Terminal, Leith
	1200	Opening Ceremony	Quayside performance – Royal Marine Band and announcements
	1300-1330	Royal Navy Field Gun Display	Quayside
	1345-1400	Royal Marine Band Performance	Quayside
	1400-1545	Tri-Service Boat Race	Water display area
	1600-1615	Cadet Display	Quayside
	1615-1645	Royal Marines Commando Display	‘Counter-piracy Boarding Operation’ in the Water Display area or Unarmed Combat on Quayside
	1700-1800	Various Entertainment	Quayside
	1820-1830	Royal Marine Band Beat the Retreat	Quayside in view of VIPs (Flight Deck at rear of ship)
	1855-1920	Red Arrows Aerial Display	Airspace above Leith Harbour
	2030-2200	Usher Hall Concert	Official Armed Forces Day Concert
Saturday 25th June	11.00 – 12.30	Castle Esplanade down High Street to Holyrood Park	Official Armed Forces Day Parade. To include vintage military vehicles carrying veterans unable to take part and a shorter route for those less mobile.
	12.30-13.30	Holyrood Park Arena	Drumhead Service / Civic handover
	14.00 – 18.00	Holyrood Park Arena & Stage	Programme of music / entertainment / displays <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parachute display team • Military Dog display • RM / RN combat demo • Highland Dancing • Non military entertainment (TBA)
	14.00 – 17.00	Holyrood Park	Veterans village <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Armed Forces Day Bar

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	18.00	Holyrood Park Arena	Beat retreat (time tbc)
Sunday 25th June	09.00 – 10.00	Military Fitness Session Holyrood Park	The day will begin with a massed military fitness session in the park . This is aimed at young families and teenagers.
	1130 – 13.00	Parade down High Street	Decaid – Massed Pipes and Drums Parade.
	13.00 - 17.00	Holyrood Arena / Stage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entertainment programme • Highland Dancers • Battle of the Bands
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	16.00 – 17.00	Holyrood Arena	Demonstration of roles played by Armed Forces in Afghanistan
	17.00	FLY PAST	Flypast from RAF Leuchars