

PORT OF SUNDERLAND

NOTICE TO MARINERS

ENGLAND NORTH EAST COAST

SUNDERLAND INTERNATIONAL AIR SHOW & PYROTECHNICS

DISPLAY

Ref. No. 10 of 2017

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Sunderland International Air Show will take place off the coast of Seaburn and Roker, Sunderland, on the following dates:

Friday 21st July 2017;
Saturday 22nd July 2017; and
Sunday 23rd July 2017.

A seaward **Maritime Exclusion Zone** will operate and be enforced during the following periods:

Friday 21st July 2017 - between **1300** and **2200** (local time).

Saturday 22nd July 2017 - between **1000** and **1800** (local time).

Sunday 23rd July 2017 - between **1000** and **1800** (local time).

The Maritime Exclusion Zone will extend on a bearing of 090°T from Souter Point in the North for an approximate distance of 1,040 metres to Lat./Long. position: 54° 57.43' N 001° 20.27 W; then southwards to meet the southern boundary of the Zone, which will extend from the High Water Mark on Harbour Beach, Roker on a bearing of 090°T to Roker Lighthouse before continuing approximately 700 metres seaward to Lat./Long. position: 54° 55.27 N 001° 20.49' W.

The perimeter of the Maritime Exclusion Zone will be delineated by a series of inflatable orange marker buoys.

In exercise of powers conferred upon me as Harbour Master of the Port of Sunderland under Section 52 of the Harbours, Docks, and Piers Clauses Act, 1847 and Section 83(b) of the Sunderland Corporation Act, 1972 I hereby give notice to masters and persons in charge of all vessels and other craft (unless specially authorised) that they must not enter the Maritime Exclusion Zone within the limit of the Port of Sunderland Authority during the above times and dates. This requirement will be enforced by police and port authority patrol vessels.

To enable the passage of vessels entering or leaving Sunderland Harbour during the flying display and which cannot safely navigate around the south-eastern corner of the Maritime Exclusion Zone, a “merchant vessel transit fillet” will be present. This will extend on a bearing of 060°T from Roker Lighthouse for a distance of approximately 800 metres to intersect with the eastern boundary of the Zone and facilitate a straight line of approach with the harbour navigation channel. Any vessel wishing passage through the “transit fillet” must notify Event Control (call-sign Event Control) in advance on Marine VHF Channel 73.

At 2150 on Friday, 21st July 2017, a fireworks display of approximately six minutes duration will take place at the landward end of Roker Pier. No vessel must approach within 300 metres of the firing point.

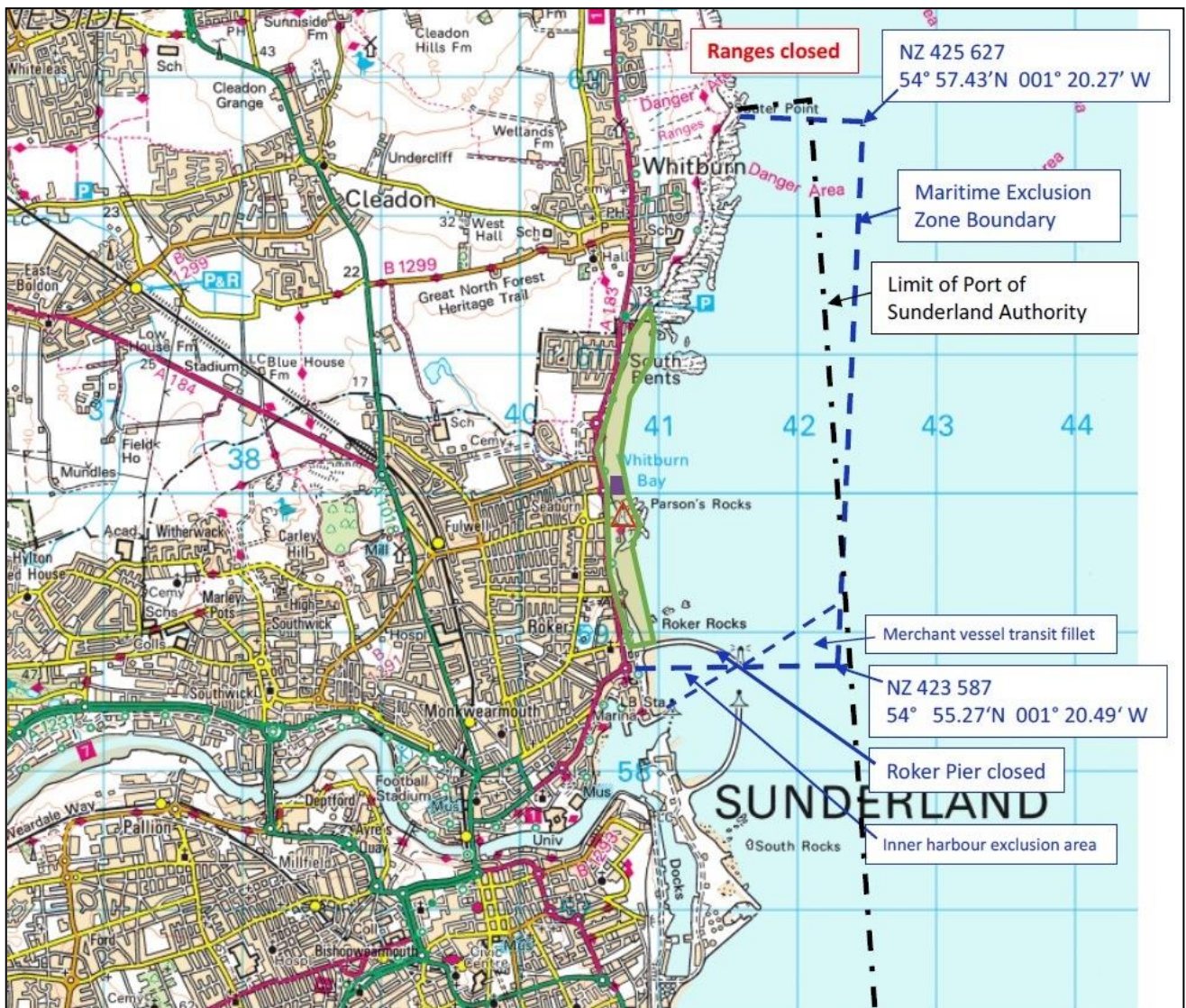
A plan showing the flying axis and Maritime Exclusion Zone is included below and as an attachment to electronic copies. This can also be viewed on the Port of Sunderland website (www.portofsunderland.org.uk) by following the “Notices to Mariners” link.

Additional information can be obtained from Local Port Services, Port Control, Sunderland, on 0191 514 2752.

CAPTAIN A. K. ULLAH (Harbour Master)

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Dated the 13th day of June, 2017



Sunderland International Air Show, 2017
Plan showing extent of Maritime Exclusion Zone