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# **Brecon Beacons**

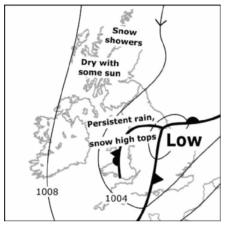




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# General Summary for Saturday, 29 November, 2025



# British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 29 November, 2025

Snow showers toward northern Scotland, but much of the Highlands will be dry - sunshine and cloud breaks best toward southwest; sub-zero on tops, chilly northerly breeze. England and Wales sees rain fairly widely, snow falling on higher tops; wind very variable, but risk gales developing.

#### **Headline for Brecon Beacons**

Showery rain more constant afternoon, moderate wind til late.

# **Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 29 November, 2025**

How windy? (On the summits)	Some uncertainty remains as a complex weather system moves slowly: Westerly 20mph, possibly less for a few hours. Late afternoon shifting northerly, risk rapid increase to 40mph soon after dusk.		
Effect of wind on you?	Likely fairly small perhaps much of daylight, but be aware of possibly rapidly worsening conditions from sunset, significant wind chill after dark.		
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain more widely by afternoon  Very wet underfoot, streams in spate following heavy overnight rain. Patchy rain on and off into the morning, some showery bursts in west, drier in east. In afternoon, more frequent rain widely, at times heavy, by dusk snow high tops.		
Cloud on the hills?	Mostly higher areas  Hills often covered by cloud banks much of day, particularly western areas, lowering in rain more widely. Occasional breaks to 600-700m or above may form mainly over eastern mid-Wales.		
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%		
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Overcast. Visibility often poor due to rain.		
How Cold? (at 750m)	2C, dropping to 0C from dusk. Feeling like -10C as wind speed increases into evening.		
Freezing Level	Just above highest tops, but dropping into evening to 700-800m.		

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## **Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead**

	Sunday 30 November	Monday 1 December
How windy? (On the summits)  Effect of wind on you?	NW'ly 20-25mph in morning, risk stronger at dawn, easing W'ly 15mph. Increasing into night S-SW'ly 50mph+.  Marked wind chill and blustery at first, likely to lessen during morning.  Deteriorating into night.	Some uncertainty: South to southwesterly 50 to 60mph, slight variations possible during day.  Expect difficult conditions all day, challenging balance, gusts may knock you over; significant wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rare if any showers  Wet underfoot, or icy on highest terrain with possible fresh snow on tops from overnight.  Chance of brief light showers near Cardigan Bay, otherwise dry.	Prolonged heavy rain likely Rain rarely ceasing all day, sustained heavy falls widely. Very wet underfoot with flooding developing.
Cloud on the hills?	Occasional patches  Some patchy cloud banks may drift over higher slopes in the morning, most frequent toward west Cambrians. Good breaks to tops east and southern areas.	Extensive  Blanket cloud across the hills, from low-to-mid slopes upward in areas toward south and west of Brecon. Some higher bases to 600m eastern mid-Wales.
Chance of cloud free summits?	70%	10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchwork of cloud and sun. Visibility excellent.	Overcast and dull. Poor visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)  Freezing Level	OC, then rising after dark. Feeling like -8C if exposed to wind in morning.  800m or just above; lifting above tops later evening into night.	7C, later in day starting to drop. Wind chill feeling nearer -7C in exposure on higher areas. Rising from overnight, staying above freezing to the tops all daytime.

# **Planning Outlook**

#### All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 30 November, 2025

After a lull on Sunday, areas of low pressure then circulating to the west and north will dominate the weather pattern into next week, bringing generally unsettled weather. Southwesterly air and briefly milder into Monday, with rain for most places at times, but prolonged heavier rain for England and Wales. Then typically cooler with showery conditions - higher mountains near or just below freezing point likely for the remainder of the week - some snow on tops, occasional hail. Wind speed likely to vary, some squally gusty spells, but also some lulls possible during the week ahead.

## Forecast issued at 16:25 on Friday, 28 November, 2025

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