

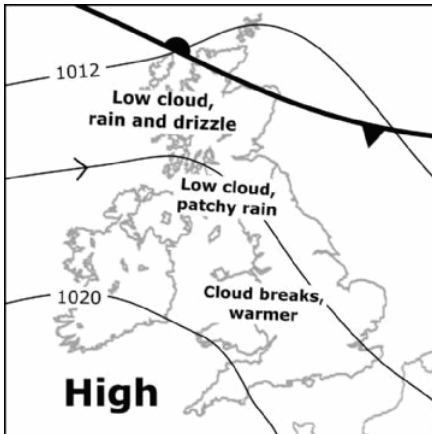
Southeastern Highlands

The southern Highlands as far west as the Callander area and north to Loch Ericht, Drumochter and summits near Glenshee ski-centre (summits within the historic county of Perthshire). Also Ochils and Angus hills.



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General Summary for Tuesday, 7 July, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 7 July, 2026

Windy over high terrain, strongest in the morning, again later in Scotland. Damp and murky north and western Highlands, more persistent rain at times. Some improvement southern Highlands in afternoon. Often dry for northern England, but higher fells shrouded in cloud. Brighter for Wales as cloud thins.

Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Windy, gales early and late. Damp, lowest cloud toward west.

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 7 July, 2026

How windy? (On the Munros)	Westerly 35-45mph dawn to early morning, strong gusts over tops approaching 55-60mph at first; easing to 25-35mph into middle of day. Toward evening, increasing again to 35-45mph, stronger gusts some slopes.
Effect of wind on you?	Challenging in exposure early, gusts knocking you off balance and significant wind chill. Easing but staying strenuous, then late in day more arduous again.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Patchy rain, mostly west Rain drifts from the west, patchy and often light in nature; some extended steadier falls mainly morning central highlands, risk again toward evening. Only odd spots reaching east of the A9, often dry east of Glenshee.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive west, breaks form east Covering many hills to middle elevations early, lowest west where locally to 400m, some ragged lower patches in early rain. A lifting trend, breaks to 800-900m towards central highlands, summit breaks increasingly east of A9.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	20%, rising to 60% eastern Munros
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of weak sunshine, best east where more often afternoon. Very good visibility below cloud; sudden changes high slopes to the west.
How Cold? (at 900m)	9 or 10C, rising slightly, to 12 or 13C eastern hills. Feeling below freezing in strongest wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 8 July	Thursday 9 July
How windy? (On the Munros) Effect of wind on you?	West to southwesterly 15 to 25mph, some gusts over 30mph in east mainly after dawn to early morning. Fairly small, but some noticeable gustiness in places not just on high tops early in day.	Southwesterly 15 to 25mph, some gusty spots around higher tops in the morning, tending to drop lighter with time. Mostly small, some more noticeable blustery areas mainly early in day.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain unlikely Rare fine drizzle west-central highlands if in early low cloud on windward slopes.	No rain expected
Cloud on the hills?	Varied, mostly clearing, patches west Banks of cloud around mid-slopes in morning, most extensive central highlands, toward Callander patches slow to clear above 800m, but largely clearing elsewhere. High tops above 1100m may start above cloud.	Varied patches, largely clearing Patchy cloud around some slopes early in day, high tops likely above the cloud. May drift higher up onto tops mainly in west for a few hours, tending to disperse or lift above most summits into afternoon.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	30% rising to 60% west, 80% east.	80%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Varied cloud and sun in morning, then increasingly sunny with fair-weather cloud, best toward east. Visibility good or very good.	Sunshine and broken cloud. Some early mist around central highlands, but visibility becoming mostly very good.
How Cold? (at 900m) Freezing Level	12C rising to 15C afternoon, locally 17C easternmost hills. Above the summits.	12C rising to 15 to 17C afternoon, warmest eastern areas. Feeling like 5C if exposed to stronger breeze early in day. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 8 July, 2026**

A drier and warmer window builds into the middle of this week: very warm in England and Wales. Still low cloud persistent especially toward northwest Scotland, but spells of sunshine spread northward, and lighter wind. Some rain late this week in western Scotland though mostly light and patchy, many places dry. High pressure expands across Scotland through the weekend bringing more widely clearer hills, dry and warm conditions in the extended outlook into mid July - easterly winds likely develop, particularly England and Wales; a chance of some isolated thunderstorms occasionally.

Forecast issued at 7:28 on Tuesday, 7 July, 2026

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