



# NW RFCA

THE NORTH WEST OF ENGLAND & THE ISLE OF MAN  
RESERVE FORCES' & CADETS' ASSOCIATION

## Location Address:

Altcar Training Camp  
Hightown  
Liverpool  
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Located 12 miles north of Liverpool off the A565 Liverpool to Southport.

Sat Nav: Hightown then follow MoD signage

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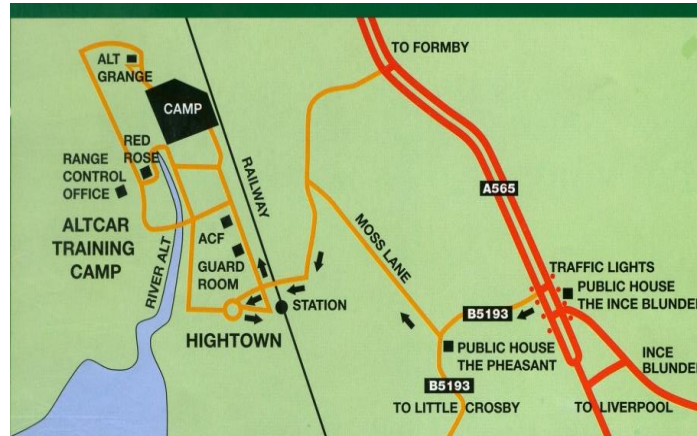
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## General Description:

Training Camp comprises of Small Arms Ranges, 3 separate Dry Training Areas up to section level tactics including accommodation.

Altcar Training covers 250 hectares (620 acres) of beaches, sand dunes, fields and small woods.

## Collective Training Level capacity:

CT 1 – CT 3 Dismounted

## Seasonal Restrictions:

Restrictions on use of Pyrotechnics and tracer may be imposed during dry conditions in particular summer months

**Map Sheet:** OS Landranger 1:50,000 Sheet 108

**Trg Area Map:** GSGS 6500 2-GSGS 1:5,000 (ENG 5)  
dated 29 October 2012

**Site Entrance Grid Reference:** SD 297047

**Site HLS Grid Reference:** SD 297045 (Camp)

## Camps/Bed Capacity:

697 beds including VIP accommodation

## Other facilities:

Armoury x 4

Explosive Store Houses (ESHs) x 10

Sefton and Gladstone Mess

Dining Room/Kitchen

Red Rose Club

Chapel

MI Room

Enhanced Dismounted Close Combat Trainer

Range Conference Room

Visiting Unit offices & stores

Classrooms

Drying rooms

Vehicle parking areas

Launderette

Sports Pavilion

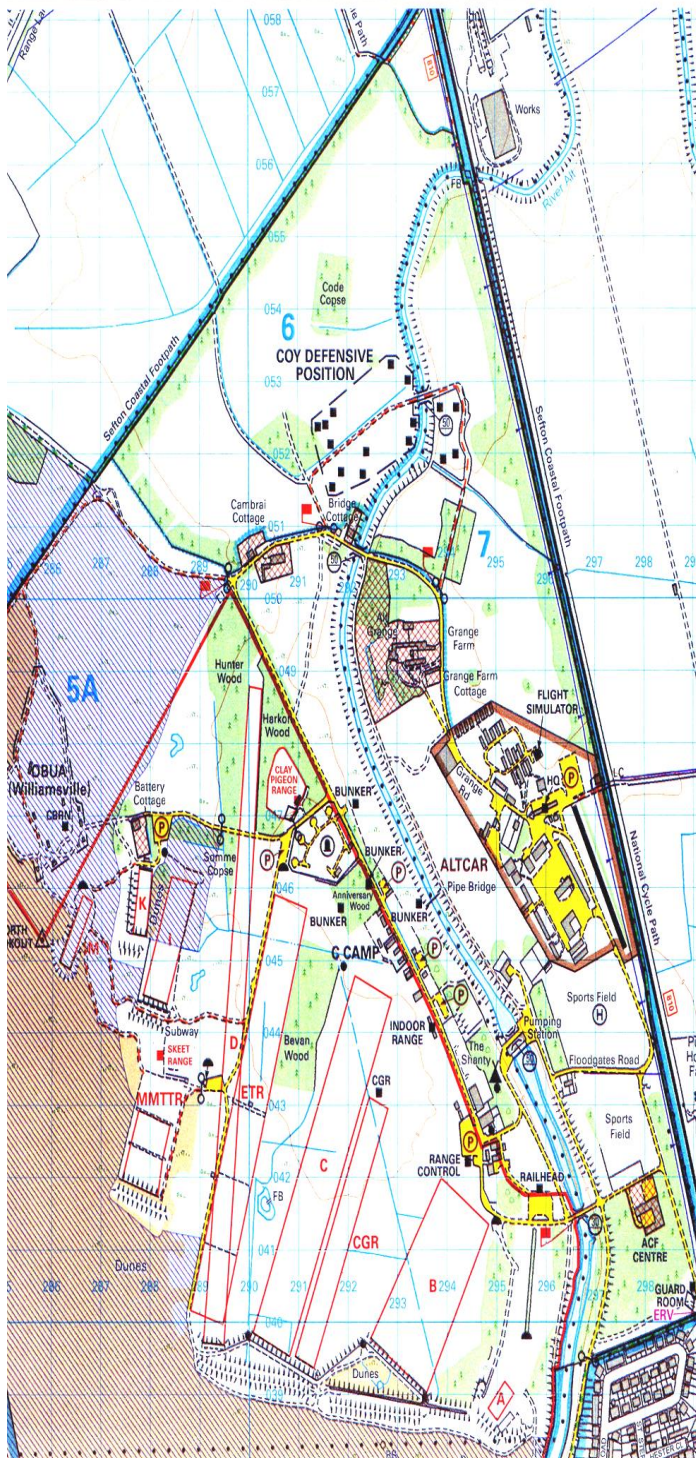
1x Football Pitch

1x Rugby Pitch

1 x General Purpose Field

Obstacle Course

Command Task area



**Fixed Small Arms Ranges (OSP Stages 1-3 and Stage 4 – Transition to TLFTT):**

**10 Full bore ranges:**

**A Range** Pistol ranges (12 lanes air compressor targets)

**M Range** Pistol & Rifle (5.56mm only)  
(10 lanes air compressor targets)

**B Range** (38 Lanes) 300 yards

**C Range** (23 Lanes) 600 yards

**D Range** (8 Lanes) 500-1000 yards

**I Range** (15 Lanes) 200 yards

**K Range** (12 Lanes) 100 yards

**CGR** (12 Lanes) 400m  
(SARTS converted)

**ETR** (12 Lanes) 100-300m  
(8 Lanes) 400-600m  
(SARTS converted)

**MMTTR** (6 Lanes) 100m  
(SARTS converted)

**Small bore range** 25m (indoor,  
3 Lanes)

**Live Firing Timings and Restrictions:**

**Firing times:**

Sun-Thurs.: 0830 – 1600hrs.

**Friday: Range Maintenance day**

Saturday: 0830 – 1630hrs.

Night firing:

April to Sept Dusk – 2359hrs

Oct to March: Dusk – 2200hrs

(one months' notice required)

**Dry Training Facilities:**

Dry Training Areas x 3

OBUA /TIBUA Village: “Williamsville”

IED Lane

Rail Head (Logistical Ops)

Shanty (Dry CQB)

Confidence Training Facility (CTF)

Gymnasium

Clay Pigeon 10 lanes down the line