

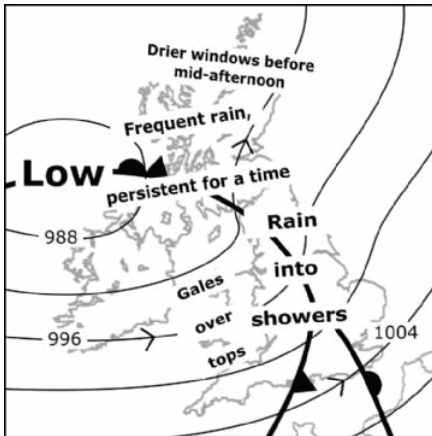
# Southeastern Highlands

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 Wednesday, 3 June, 2026



### British Mountain Summary:

**Based on forecast chart for noon 3 June, 2026**

A band of rain sweeps across the country bringing several hours of persistent rain and extensive fog: first in Wales, then England and much of Scotland by early afternoon. Breaking to frequent showers, risk isolated lightning. Very windy England and Wales, gales over Wales summits.

### Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Rain and fog set by early afternoon; breezy south

## Detailed Forecast for Wednesday, 3 June, 2026

<p><b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b></p> <p><b>Effect of wind on you?</b></p>	<p>Southwesterly at dawn 15-20mph, shifting southerly and strengthening to 20-25mph around midday. Speed and direction more variable afternoon, briefly southeasterly with top speeds to 30mph over tops; lighter speeds too but always above 15mph.</p> <p><b>Fairly small at first, ease of walking becoming affected in exposure, a risk of more strenuous conditions with notable wind chill for a few afternoon hours.</b></p>
<p><b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)</p>	<p><b>Rain becomes persistent, some heavy</b></p> <p>Showery rain extends in from the southwest early in day, some dry windows too. From noon, rain becoming more persistent with heavy bursts, only a few breaks later afternoon and a risk of local lightning late in the day towards the south and central highlands.</p>
<p><b>Cloud on the hills?</b></p> <p><b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b></p>	<p><b>Extensive</b></p> <p>Covering most hills all day above 500 to 700m, lowest persistent cloud on south-facing slopes. Some higher breaks in east early in day, but widely lowering in rain, ragged patches lower slopes upward.</p> <p><b>20%</b></p>
<p><b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)</p>	<p>Glimpses of sun mainly eastern areas early morning, becoming overcast by early afternoon.</p> <p>Visibility starts good below cloud, reducing around rain, increasingly widely poor.</p>
<p><b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b></p> <p><b>Freezing Level</b></p>	<p>5 or 6C, slight rise afternoon, towards 7C around Schiehallion and Lochnagar. Feeling near freezing in strongest wind.</p> <p>Above the summits.</p>

## Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Thursday 4 June	Friday 5 June
<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b> <b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Variable early, 15-20mph and often less. Turning southwest then westerly 30-35mph, risk 40mph later, soonest in <b>Small effects early in day, but becoming more blustery, affecting comfortable walking. Marked wind chill.</b>	Westerly 25-35mph dawn, strongest Callander to Ochils. Easing to 20-25mph, or lighter, slight southwesterly shift later. <b>Ease of walking impacted early, strenuous over south summits with notable wind chill; easing, but wind remains a nuisance.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Bursts of rain on and off, risk lightning</b> Showery rain already from dawn, especially in west, ongoing throughout the day, bursts of rain frequent, at times merging to constant rain, thundery downpours tend to drift eastward afternoon-evening.	<b>Patchy rain</b> Patches of rain drift from the west for much of the day, occasionally merging into broader areas of rain, mostly likely towards central highlands. Perhaps a drier window for a few midday hours.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Fairly extensive, varied</b>  Often covering the higher mountains all day, but varying in extent and height, some ragged patches from forest canopies up during and after rain.	<b>Lifting to, and likely above, summits</b>  May be fairly extensive across high terrain in the morning, some variable lower "ribbons" of cloud likely, but these dissipating as the morning gets going as cloud lifts to the summits. Cloud will largely settle above summits by afternoon.
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>Rising to 80%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Rare brief sun breaking through. Visibility occasionally good below cloud, but reduced in rain, at times poor.	Patchy sunshine, perhaps sunnier for a few hours around midday. Excellent visibility.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b> <b>Freezing Level</b>	6 or 7C, rising to 8C, dropping overnight. Feeling close to freezing in wind, then near -5C if exposed to stronger speeds. Above the summits.	4C to 5C, may rise slightly near and east of Glenshee. Feeling like -5C in strongest wind. Above the summits.

## Planning Outlook

### All mountain areas of Britain from Thursday, 4 June, 2026

An unsettled spell this week with low pressure over the north Atlantic and west-southwesterly winds dominating. Periods of rain mixed with showery days widely - the most constant rain over western mountains with low cloud often shrouding the hills; bases will typically lift somewhat afternoon. Wind speed will vary, but up to gale-force for periods over the hills this week. Temperatures near average, cooler at times. A brief brighter window Friday afternoon, then unsettled again over the weekend, though detail is currently uncertain. Next week is probably unsettled as well, at least in the north, but higher pressure south of the UK may bring drier and brighter periods to Wales and south Pennines. Scotland remains often blustery and wet, and perhaps chilly, risk briefly freezing on highest tops.

### Forecast issued at 15:40 on Tuesday, 2 June, 2026

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