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CHARGES. All proceeds from admission charges, sale of programmes, etc., are devoted to Naval charities.

CAMERA S. Cameras may be taken into the R.N. Barracks and Dockyards but must not be used without permission whilst actually on board the ships.

S:M O K I N G. As a special concession smoking is allowed wherever possible. Our visitors are asked, however, to extinguish carefully all cigarettes, matches, etc., before throwing them away.

GUIDE S. Sailors and Wrens will be stationed at various points in the Navy Days Area. Please ask them for any information desired.

NURSERY. A Nursery, where children up to the age of five may be left in the care of the Friendly

Union of Sailors' Wives and of the W.R.N.S., is situated near the Main Entrance Gate of R.N. Barracks. A charge of 6d. per child is made to cover the cost of the Nursery amenities. Parents of very young children are requested to visit them at intervals of not more than two hours.

FIRST AID. Members of the Royal Navy's Medical Staff, and of the St. John Ambulance Association, will be on duty in the Navy Days Area.

LOST CHILDREN AND PROPERTY. Lost children should be taken to, or enquired for, at the Main Gate of R. N. Barracks, Broadcast announcements will be made. Details of property, lost and found, should be given to the Navy Days Office, near the Main Gate of R.N. Barracks. The Left Luggage and Cloakroom is situated near the Nursery.

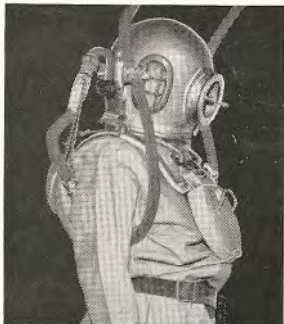
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The ships have returned from the sea and are dressed with festive flags to welcome you on this Whitsun "Navy Days". The men, the bands, the displays—all these and more are here to give you a memorable afternoon.

The Royal Navy thanks you for your generous support of its Charities—to which all "Navy Days" proceeds are donated—and hopes that you and your friends will come again on August Bank Holiday Week-end.

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TIMETABLE OF EVENTS

TIME	EVENT	UNITS TAKING PART	PLACE
1.00 p.m. 3.15 p.m. and 4.15 p.m.	Practical Application of judo	Commandos of The Royal Marines	N.W. Corner of No. 5 Basin
1.15 p.m. and 2.45 p.m.	Torpedo Firing	H.M.S. Carron	No. 5 Basin
1.30 p.m. and 4.30 p.m.	Aerial Attack and Fly-Past	H.M. Ships and Aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm	Ships berthed on the sea wall
1.45 p.m. and 3.15 p.m.	Afternoon Dance Date	Orchestra of The Royal Marines	Wardroom Lawn R.N. Barracks
1.45 p.m. and 3.45 p.m.	Firing of an Underwater Weapon	H.M.S. Orestes	No. 5 Basin
2.00 p.m., and 3.30 p.m.	Air-Sea Rescue	Helicopter of The Fleet Air Arm	No. 5 Basin
2.15 p.m. and 4.00 p.m.	Diving Equipment and Techniques	Royal Naval Divers and Frogmen	S.W. Corner of No. 5 Basin
2.30 p.m. (starting from R.N. Barracks)	Marching Display	The Blue jacket Band of R.N. Barracks (in period costume)	Whole Navy Days Area
3.00 p.m.	Crossing The Line Ceremony	King Neptune, his Court— and his victims	H.M.S. Carron
4.45 p.m.	Field Gun Run	The Devonport Crews in Training for the Royal Tournament	R.N. Barracks



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THE GRAND FINALE

(The following events will take place on the Wardroom Lawn in **R.N.** Barracks)

Reviewing Officers		Saturday: Major-General M. C. CARTWRIGHT-TAYLOR (Major-General Royal Marines, Plymouth Group)
	*	Sunday: Vice-Admiral L. A. PEILE, C.B., D.S.O.; M.V.O. (Admiral Superintendent, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport)
		Monday: Admiral Sir RICHARD ONSLOW, K.C.B., D.S.O.*** (Commander-in-Chief. Plymouth)
	Weather permitting, the Reviewing Officer will arrive by helicopter	

5.30 p.m. ARRIVAL OF THE REVIEWING OFFICER

5.35 p.m. DEMONSTRATION OF DRILL BY ROYAL MARINES DRILL SQUAD, INFANTRY TRAINING CENTRE

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5.45 p.m. FIELD GUN DISPLAY

THE R.N. BARRACKS BOYS' BRIGADE AND FIFE BAND

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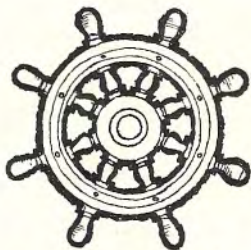
5.55 p.m. HORNPIPE

THE R.N. BARRACKS BOYS' BRIGADE AND THE
BLUE-JACKET BAND OF R.N. BARRACKS

6.05 p.m. BEAT RETREAT

MASSED BANDS OF THE ROYAL MARINES

Evensong preceded by a short organ recital will be sung at 6.30 p.m. on Sunday in the Church of St. Nicholas. An organ recital will be given at the same time on Saturday and Monday. (See page 32).



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