A drone is an aircraft

Under CAA Air Navigation Orders it is not permissible to either endanger an aircraft or use an aircraft to risk members of the public.

So where in Shropshire may you be putting other aircraft at risk?

The map shows the likely places you will encounter aircraft and are best avoided. Of course, low flying aircraft could be anywhere so please remain vigilant.

If you wish to hone your skills then look up your local model aircraft flying club or check out the CAA website:

www.caa.co.uk/droneaware

Drone Notification:

RAF Shawbury Contacts **01939 250 351** plus Air Traffic Control ext **7232** or **SHY-ATC@mod.gov.uk** Station Operations ext **7163** or **SHY-OPS@mod.gov.uk**

Drone Advice:

Station Flight Safety Officer ext **6666** or **gary.james525@mod.gov.uk**

Did you know?



Operators must keep unmanned aircraft in their sight



You are responsible for avoiding collisions

You should never fly a drone near an airport or close to aircraft.

It is a criminal offence to endanger the safety of an aircraft in flight.

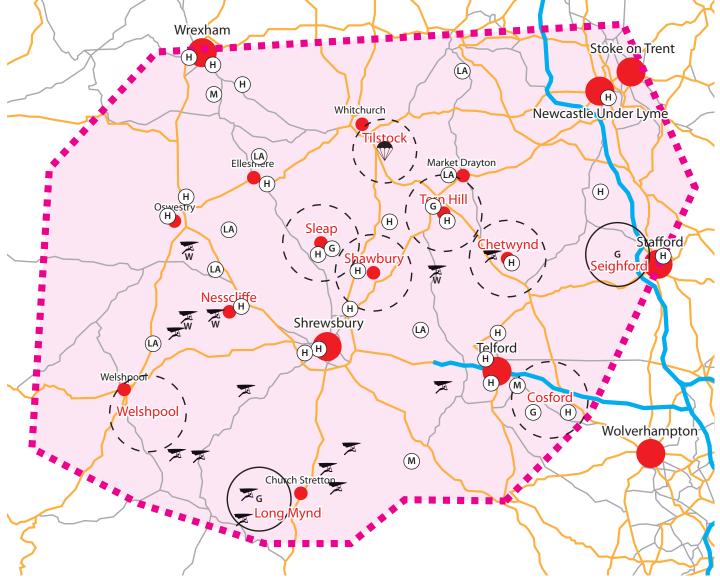


Consider rights of privacy

Think about what you do with any images you obtain as you might break privacy laws. Details are available from the Information Commissioner's Office.

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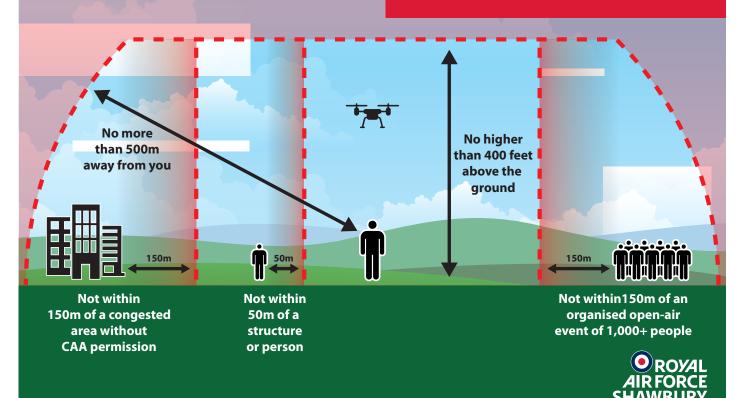
Congratulations on purchasing your new drone! You are about to use an amazing piece of technology that has an enormous amount of potential for fun. But are you aware that you have a legal responsibility for other aircraft and members of the public?

This leaflet is designed to be a useful pocket guide to operating your drone as safely as possible.

Happy Flying!

You must NOT fly your drone:

- Higher than 400 feet above the ground.
- More than 500 metres away.
- Within 50 metres of a structure or person.
- Within 150 metres of a congested area.
- Over open air events with 1000 people or more.





A Safety Guide