

Saturday Date	Where	Observing on	Conditions	Where Observed from	Notes
Sunday 27th April 2025	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Sun Mon Tues	Troublesome high cloud Better transparency than Sunday night. High cloud by 1BST Good transparency - best night	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	
4th May 2024	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Sat	Very good transparency. Clouded up about 2.10BST	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	SQM 21.57 Friday and Sunday evenings wet
22nd April 2023	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri Sat Sun	Cloudless all night but transparency not so good Surprise 1 hour clear but no observing as rain around Low cloud and showers but good transparency	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	SQM 21.5 Faint Aurora in N
30th April 2022	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri	Hazy skies cleared but transparency not great	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	Russian Ankara AM rocket fuel dump! Friday and Sunday evenings cloudy
2021 & 2020	No WOLAS Observing trips 2020 or 2021 due to Covid pandemic				
4th May 2019	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri Sat Sun	3/4hr clear and very good - tantalising Excellent - clear all night Started partly cloudy but improved before clouding then clearing!	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	AllSky camera run ML
14th April 2018	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Sat	Unexpectedly clear across sky at ~10.30 but clouded up at midnight	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	Very poor forecast for whole weekend but okay in the end
29th April 2017	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri Sat	Tongue of clear sky lasted 2 hours of excellent transparency Longer period of clear skies than Friday but transparency not so good and bothered by intermittent cloud. Cloudy by 2BST.	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	AllSky camera run ML
9th April 2016	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri Sat Sun	Wet Intermittent thin high cloud but observing till 3BST Wet	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	AllSky camera run ML
11th April 2015	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri Sat Sun	Wet Good transparency in gaps in fast moving cloud. SQM 21.55 mag/asec ² Fantastically clear night after rain and cloud in day. Superb. SQM 21.81	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	Carreg Cennen in day on Sat AllSky camera run ML AllSky camera run ML
26th April 2014	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri Sat	Fleeting gaps in clouds Clear up around 10.45pm and v.good transparency until 1am. Blowy	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	
13th April 2013	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri Sat/Sun	Short lived large breaks in cloud for 1.5hrs Rain + cloud	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	
14th April 2012	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Sat Sun	Good clear night from 11.30pm Better than Sat. Cloud from SE 2am. V.cold -2C	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	
29 October 2011	Twitche Farm, Challacombe, Devon	Fri	Good but wind got up later. Mist to West	Car park behind farm	
30th April 2011	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri Sat	Some clear spells early on Reasonably clear but gusty. Deteriorated 2am	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	
06 November 2010	Quantock Lodge, Quantock Hills	Sat	Fast-moving cloud with very short-lived breaks	Terrace outside main house. More distant sites available.	House lights remained on, but tolerably dark House obscured west horizon.
10 April 2010	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Thurs Fri Sat Sun	Haze cleared for a while then clouded over Good later on after hazy skies cleared. Best Haze cleared for a while then clouded over Cleared for a while then clouded over	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	Dry warm sunny weekend. Good walks

21 November 2009	Twitthen Farm, Challacombe, Devon	None?			
19 April 2009	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri Sat Sun	Short lived clearing Some high cloud but good in N & E Good in S	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	
Nov-08	Twitthen Farm, Challacombe, Devon	Fri	Extremely clear after early cloud lifted		
26 April 2008	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	None	Few breaks in cloud on Sat night	Good hardstanding area away from B&B	
Nov-07	Les Granges, Provence, S France	Several nights			Superbly dark
15 April 2007	Llanerchindda Farm, nr Llandovery, Mid-Wales	Fri, Sun	Hazy but very dark	Excellent place in so many ways Good hardstanding area away from B&B	Very warm and dry- heatwave in progress
21 October 2006	Elan Valley Hotel	None			
22 April 2006	Twitthen Farm, Challacombe, Devon	Fri	V.good but windy and bitterly cold	Rear of property	Fog on Sat, despite early promise
28 October 2005	Elan Valley Hotel	None			
09 April 2005	Twitthen Farm	None			
17 April 2004	Elan Valley Hotel, Rhyader	None			Very wet and windy
29 March 2003	Sheringham, Norfolk	Sun	Like a fair Piggott's night	Kelling Heath Touring Park	Solar observing Monday am
Nov-02	Brynafon Arms Hotel, Rhyader, Mid-Wales	Sat	Mixed		Aurora
13 April 2002	Twitthen Farm, Challacombe, Devon	Sun	Superb when cloud broke at midnight	Rear of property	
2001	Watton, Norfolk	None			Visited Fieldview and Breckland Observatory
29 April 2000	Brynafon Arms Hotel, Rhyader, Mid-Wales	Sat Sun	Superb but some cloud low in S V.good in places	Car Park at Claerwen Dam, Elan Valley Car Park at Claerwen Dam, Elan Valley	21.45-3.15UT
13 November 1999	Parador Hotel, Tenerife	Fri Sat Sun Tues Wed Thurs	Superb Not as transparent as Fri. Seeing awful V.good 1hour then cloud Superbly clear away from Hotel Seeing poor and v.gusty	Hotel grounds Larva field several miles N of Hotel	10.30 to 3.10UT Frosting and occasional low cloud Leonid meteor storm witnessed
Spring 1999	Bryafon Arms Hotel, Rhyader	None			
18 April 1998	Exmoor Inn Hotel, Simonsbath	Fri Sat	Superbly transparent but cloud at 11pm Bands of high cloud but some areas superb	NT car park 100yds from hotel 5 miles from hotel on moor	Police visit during night to see what going on
March/April 1997	CDEPA, Algarve, Portugal	Most night v.clear			Comet Hale Bopp v.well seen
01 November 1997	Elm Grove Hotel, St.Florence, Pembrokeshire	Fri Sat	V.good but misty later Good but truncated by cloud after 30min	Front Lawn Coast nr. Manobier	
Spring 1997	Elm Grove Hotel, St.Florence, Pembrokeshire	Fri	Good	From garden	
Mid March 1996	CDEPA	Most nights v.clear			Comet Hyakutake v.well seen
Spring 1996	Fluxton Farm, Ottery St.Mary	Sat	Few gaps in cloud	Norman Lockyer Observatory	
29 April 1995	Faulkes Arms Motel, Hillingdon, nr Kings Lynn	Sun	Hazy	Field hardstanding 4miles from motel	Sat after 2am v.clear
06 August 1994	Royal Oak Inn, Rhandirmwyn, Dyfed	Fri	Hazy with some cloud-good seeing		

		Sun	Hazy	Pub car park	
09 April 1994	Exmoor Inn Hotel, Simonsbath	Thurs Sat	V.Good and all clear Small gaps- v.blustery. Snow!!	3m N of hotel at Span Head In front of Hotel	
Spring 1993	Worth Matravers, Dorset	Fri	Gaps in cloud	Dome of B&B	
1992	Fluxton Farm, Ottery St Mary	None			
1991	Thurlestone Sands, Bigby Bay, S Devon	Sat?	Fair	Near cliffs, near hotel	
1990	St Florence, Pembrokeshire	Fri	Good	Road nearby	
1989	Portland Bill	Fri	Good but lighthouse interfered	On beach	
1988	Wheddon X, Somerset	None	Windy		
1987	Wheddon X, Somerset	Sat	Good	Dunkery Beacon	Police visited after reports of big gun on hill
1986	Buxton	None	Dull		
1985	Fluxton Farm, Ottery St Mary	Sat	Mixed	Field nr farm	
1984	Malham	None			Visit to AAC Todmorden
1983	Wells next the Sea	Sat	Mixed	Norwich AS observatory	
1982	Warminster	?	?		
1981	Wroxham, Norfolk	Sat	?	Old airfield	
1980	Sidmouth	Fri/Sat	Mixed	Norman Lockyer Observatory	Used 9" refractor
1979	Church Stretton	Fri Sat?	Good but headlights from car rally in area	Long Mynd	
1978	Orford	None	Rain		