

## **Armed Forces lead tributes to Dame Vera Lynn at her funeral**

The Armed Forces led the nation in saying farewell to the Forces' Sweetheart with a series of ceremonial tributes at the funeral of Dame Vera Lynn today.

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## **Cowden Beach closed for safety reasons**

A section of Cowden Sands beach has been closed to protect the public from the risk of unexploded ordnance.

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## **UK loans Estonia four Jackal vehicles to support counter-terror mission in Mali**

Estonian Special Forces deploying to Mali will be loaned four Jackal armoured vehicles by the UK Ministry of Defence, it is today announced.

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## **Permanent protection from higher tax for military personnel in Scotland**

Thousands of British Armed Forces personnel will continue to be protected from income tax rises passed by Holyrood.

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# Market exploration: forward surgical capability

The Defence and Security Accelerator (DASA) wants to understand the current market capability and development requirements of mobile surgical facilities.