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FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Meetings to be held at the Yorkshire Aeroplane Club, Leeds/Bradford (Yeadon) Airport, by the courtesy of the Directors, commencing 14.30 hrs.

JULY 3rd

: Extra Ordinary General Meeting - 2000 hrs.

AUGUST 5th

Summer Video Show - Two brand new videos:- "Giants of Lockheed - Blackbird, Hercules, Galaxy & Starlifter" and "One hour of LBA favourites" - of great local interest; not to be missed.

SEPTEMBER 2nd

:West Yorkshire Police Helicopter, "Police 42", coming to LBA. A talk will be given by the crew relative to the numerous different operations and to which uses the helicopter can be applied.

OCTOBER 7th

: Heavylift Cargo.

NOVEMBER 4th

:RAF Leeming - Wing Commander Martin 25Sqn.

EDITORIAL

Please note the Extra Ordinary General Meeting at 8pm on Tuesday 3rd July, which relates to the letter sent recently to members regarding future subscriptions and membership of Y.A.C.

At the recent AGM, our highly respected Treasurer Jim Thompson decided not to stand for a further term of office, and the reins were passed over to Colin Hunter, our ex. Chairman and long serving Committee member. Thanks, Jim, considering you only took the position on a temporary basis quite some years ago, you've done a great job. All other officers were returned unopposed.

The Editors position was placed on the market at the AGM, but there were no takers. The situation still remains the same, anybody interested please contact the current Editor (it is suggested that any applicant should reside within 4/5 miles of LBA). In the short term a production team to run off the bulletin on the duplicator, assemble it and place in envelopes, is being organised, and volunteers to help on this team are requested. This doesn't mean a commitment each month, only when you have the time to spare, so please contact Mike to make arrangements.

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LEEDS/BRADFORD MOVEMENTS - MAY 1990

The movements for May are based upon a compilation of information from the new computer at the Tower, and with verification from Terry Sykes. Only arrival times are currently available, but it is anticipated that more detail will be available in the future.

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1.	G-MERI Archer N86CE Gulfstream 2 G-SHUG Arrow G-BSAT Archer G-BJUC Robinson R-22 G-EGVT Cessna 182 G-TKPZ Cessna 310 G-BNMP Cessna 182 G-ILTS Cherokec Six	1030 1248 1405 1439 1523	G-BAKJ Twin Comanche G-BPTR Robinson R-22 G-BECH Boeing 737 G-ILTS Cherokee Six G-BDHL Aztec G-BHWE Boeing 737 N9168Q Malibu G-SHUG Arrow	g of the second	1015 1115 1348 1423 1514 1526 1645 2042
	N3036A Seneca G-BBLA Cherokee	1108 1143	G-WATS Seneca G-BJYD Cessna 152 G-OWVA Cherokee G-RLMC Cessna 421C G-TEES Cessna 152 N216FP Falcon 900 G-TKPZ Cessna 310 G-WOTS Seneca G-TOGA Saratoga G-BHSU HS.125		0958 1138 1159 1217 1225 1336 1504 1652 1918 2037
3.	G-ATUB Cherokee G-BPTR Robinson R-22 N216FP Falcon 900	0907 1053 1129 1237 1310 1426 1454	G-BDNR Cessna 150 G-BMJO Seneca G-UFLY Cessna 150 G-BBEF Cherokee G-BJUC Robinson R-22 G-FAYE Cessna 150 G-RUIA Cessna 172 G-BMBB Cessna 150 G-IEPF Robinson R-22		0837 0913 1118 1156 1244 1354 1429 1610 1655
	G-BCUJ Cessna 150 G-BMUZ Warrior	0927 1018 1125 1145 1258 1325 1436 1441 1619 1745	G-BFPZ Cessna 177 N300RV King Air G-FARM Rallye G-CEGA Seneca EC-ECR Boeing 737-300 G-BJDI Cessna 182 G-BOJM Archer G-OAFB King Air 200 G-BRTB Jetranger G-BJUC Robinson R-22 G-AZRH Cherokee G-BMSZ Cessna 152 G-AVMK BAC 1-11 n/s		0913 0951 1124 1127 1211 1311 1411 1441 1457 1634 1850 1931 2340
	LZ-BTR Tu-154 G-CZAR Citation G-HUBB Partenavia P.68B G-BJUC Robinson R-22 G-BRTB Jetranger EC-ECS Boeing 737-300 G-BPTR Robinson R-22 G-HUBB Partenavia P.68B G-BRTB Jetranger G-BCTA Warrior n/s	1123 1223 1359 1458 1644 1713 1742	G-OSEA Islander G-BKHT B.Ae.146 G-BDWP Lance G-EGYL Boeing 737 G-DAAH Arrow G-BLLU Cessna 421C YU-ANC MD-82 YU-AOF Boeing 737 G-BCPG Arrow G-HUBB Partenavia P.68B		1022 1043 1221 1302 1412 1611 1710 1729 1749 2103

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6. G-BNPY Cessna 152 G-SCHH B.Ae.146 G-BRTB Jetranger G-BPLA Boeing 737 G-BEZO Cessna 172	0949 1101 1353 1454 1717	G-TEES Cessna 1 <i>52</i> G-TKPZ Cessna 310 G-BDAE BAC 1-11 G-BBEF Cherokee YU-ANU Boeing 737	1034 1308 1410 1706 1720
7. G-BBKV Cessna 150 G-AXHT Rallye G-BHWE Boeing 737 G-TKPZ Cessna 310 G-BGKV Arrow G-TEES Cessna 152 G-BDHL Aztec G-STAT Cessna 206	0904 0922 1238 1252 1306 1455 1734	G-BGYJ Boeing 737 G-BRTB Jetranger G-KKUH Boeing 737-300 G-BPIT Robinson R-22	0909 1230 1246 1255 1354 1548 1903
8. PH-CTC Citation G-PAMS Aerostar G-BNAB Cougar G-BCSM Rallye G-BNDS Chieftain G-BPTR Robinson R-22 G-BCYL Boeing 737 G-DAFS Cessna 404 69-15152 UH-1	0723 0935 1326 1413 1427 1446 1515 1701 1805	G-TKPZ Cessna 310 G-SHUG Arrow G-BGYJ Boeing 737 G-OBAL Mooney M.20J OY-CPK Citation G-BLEW Cessna 182 D-EHJF Tobago n/s G-EDHL Aztec G-BNDS Chieftain	0821 1208 1407 1421 1435 1450 1605 1726 1959
9. G-BNDS Chieftain G-BLKY Baron G-BFIG Cessna 172 G-OSEA Islander G-OWVA Cherokee G-AZLY Cessna 150 N59756 Navajo	0704 0856 1042 1217 1253 1443 1734		0806 1034 1146 1243 1306 1731 2028
10.G-EAGL Cessna 421C G-WATZ Warrior D-IOWA Cheyenne G-BDHL Aztec G-EGGE Tomahawk G-BDSL Cessna 150 G-EAGL Cessna 421C G-GEIL B.Ae.125 n/s 5B-DAQ Airbus A.310	1102 1250 1441 1603	G-BDWG Islander G-BPTR Robinson R-22 G-BPBM Warrior G-OAJF B.Ae.146-300 G-BBEI Navajo G-TOTY Robinson R-22 G-AZLY Cessna 150 PH-AHK Boeing 757	0800 0859 1050 1133 1345 1456 1627 1725
11.G-BPDC Malibu F-GJDL Boeing 737 G-BDSL Cessna 150 G-BAVZ Aztec G-BRTB Jetranger EC-429 Boeing 737 G-BFVB Boeing 737 G-FFLT HS.125 HB-LPV Cheyenne G-BANS Seneca ZE701 B.Ae.146 G-IFTD Cessna 404	0848 0917 1035 1113 1131 1227 1430 1509 1640 2012 2027	G-FISH Cessna 310 XV191 Hercules ZE701 B.Ae.146 G-UKLE Boeing 737-400 G-FRAD Falcon 20 G-OADY Duchess G-TOGA Saratoga G-RLMC Cessna 421C G-BLCM Tampico	0913 0918 1040 1127 1205 1401 1433 1621 1834 2024 1815
12.G-GEIL B.Ae.125 G-BKHT B.Ae.146 G-BFVB Boeing 737 G-DFLT Caravan YU-ANC MD-82 G-BGVT Cessna 182	1316 1 <i>5</i> 16 —	G-BKMN B.Ae.146 G-TKPZ Cessna 310 G-BFGH Cessna 337 G-OADY Duchess YU-AOF Boeing 737 EC-ECS Boeing 737-300	1038 1249 1515 1650 1739 2133

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13.G-BPZF Malibu G-ATVH BAC 1-11 LZ-BTG Tu-154 G-BRTB Jetranger G-BPTR Robinson R-22	1030 1420 1651 1728 1857	G-BECH Boeing 737 G-BMLY Grob G.109B	1114 1537 1711 1750	
14.0Y-BDS Falcon 20 G-BDHL Aztec YU-AHV DC-9 G-BRTB Jetranger G-BHWF Boeing 737 G-BMBB Cessna 150 G-BFDI Archer	1002 1259 1432		0738 0929 0954 1227 1310 1513 1651	
15.G-DBII Citation G-SKKA Navajo G-CITY Chieftain G-WATS Seneca G-BOYL Cessna 152 G-BFTC Arrow G-BPTR Robinson R-22 F-BXPT Learjet 23 G-BHWF Boeing 737 G-JLRW Duchess	1112 1314 1328 1352 1402 1438 1524	G-KYIN Cessna 421C G-BRTB Jetranger G-NEEP Jetranger OY-BDS Falcon 20 G-BAKS Jetranger G-BECG Boeing 737 G-AWTA Cessna 310 G-AXBJ Cessna 172 G-DBII Citation G-AWTA Cessna 310	0756 0927 1236 1323 1335 1355 1429 1441 1635	C
G-BNRX Seneca G-BBFD Arrow G-AXSD Pup (DIV) G-BKSZ Cessna 210 G-RUIA Cessna 172 G-BRTB Jetranger G-AZLY Cessna 150 G-RAEM LongEz G-TEES Cessna 152 G-AZLY Cessna 150 G-BFFE Cessna 152 G-GYAV Cessna 172	0850 0924 1005 1044 1117 1154 1222 1325 1504 1535	G-BPTR Robinson R-22 G-FTWO Twin Squirrel OO-WAT Commander 690 G-OWVA Cherokee G-BPZX Cessna 152 G-BEWR Cessna 172	0912 0926 1020 1056 1147 1207 1257 1355 1523 1623 1807	
17.N26634 Comanche G-CZAR Citation XZ431 Buccaneer n/s G-OAWY Cessna 340 SE-DEG Citation N3036A Seneca	0921 1015 1436 1640 1819 2118	G-BIBG Sikorsky S.76A G-BJXJ Boeing 737 XZ315 Gazelle N57BC Citation 5B-DAX Airbus A.310	1009 1349 1512 1800 1906	. 0
18.G-BOVK Warrior G-BLFZ Navajo G-BORW Cessna 172 G-RUIA Cessna 172 G-BPTR Robinson R-22 G-BOLV Cessna 152 G-BTAB B.Ae.125 G-BIIF Fournier RF-4D G-AVNY Fournier RF-4D G-BRTB Jetranger G-UKLE Boeing 737-400 G-TKPZ Cessna 310 F-GFYL Boeing 737 G-FFLT HS.125 G-BOYL Cessna 152		G-OAWY Cessna 340 G-WATS Seneca XZ315 Gazelle G-FAYE Cessna 150 G-BEWR Cessna 172 ZG845 Islander EC-429 Boeing 737 G-AVNZ Fournier RF-4D G-ZFDB Twin Squirrel G-BJXJ Boeing 737 G-BJYD Cessna 152 G-BGRE King Air 200 N3036A Seneca G-BPTR Robinson R-22 G-BASL Cherokee	1004 1058 1102 1120 1152 1217 1229 1304 1316 1328 1346 1522 1619 1725 1811	

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18.G-FAVI King Air		G-BJUC Robinson R-22	
G-TOGA Saratoga SE-DEG Citation	2003	G-BOJM Archer	2006
19.LZ-BTE Tu-154	0904	G-FOXA Cadet	1051
G-BKHT B.Ac.146	1117	G-BJMV BAC 1-11	1125
G-BJUC Robinson R-22	1126	G-RUIA Cessna 172	1149
G-BJXJ Boeing 737	1317	77/113 Agusta A 100	1414
ZE410 Agusta A.109	1 1/1 1/	ZE413 Agusta A.109	1423
	1 41 4 T 47 4	G-TKPZ Cessna 310	
EC-EHA Boeing 737-300		HB-YCM VariEz	1540
G-BJYD Cessna 152	1008	G-BLCM Tampico	1623
YU-AJZ MD-81	1701	G-AWFJ Arrow	1736
G-BNCZ LongEz n/s		G-BRTB Jetranger	1819
		G-BIIF/AVNY/AVNZ	1844
YU-AOF Boeing 737	1859		
		G-BKHT B.Ae.146	1113
G-BHIN Cessna 152	1137	G-BRTB Jetranger	1204
HB-YCM VariEz	1248	G-AYPV Cherokee	1300
G-FISH Cessna 310	1359	G-ATPK BAC 1-11	1426
G-BGXD Tobago n/s	1447	G-BKHE Boeing 737	1501
G-ATMW Cherokee	1620	G-BIIF/AVNY/AVNZ	1736
YU-ANU Boeing 737	1836	G-ASNK Cessna 205	1857
21.G-BWMP Commander 695A	0833	G-BRTB Jetranger	0858
YU-AHV DC-9		G-BMBB Cessna 150	1054
N917J Jetstar		G-BJUC Robinson R-22	1106
G-OWVA Cherokee	1200	G-BJCT Boeing 737	1240
G-BGYL Boeing 737		G-BOZI Warrior	1347
G-KKUH Boeing 737-300		G-BRTB Jetranger	1553
G-HBCO Navajo		G-OADY Duchess	1656
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22.G-BHUI Cessna 152	0816	G-NUIG King Air	0851
G-AZRH Cherokee	0936	G-BOXI B.Ae.125	0942
G-JLRW Duchess	1245	G-BJXO Cessna 441	1338
G-TKPZ Cessna 310	1419	G-BJCT Boeing 737	1437
G-TEES Cessna 152	1513	G-BJXJ Boeing 737	1523
G-BJUC Robinson R-22	1700		2123
G-BLFZ Navajo	? 1 45		?
23.G-WIZO Seneca	0754	F-GFFP Falcon 10	0802
PH-PNA Partenavia P.68B	0826	G-BKSZ Cessna 210	0850
G-BLKY Baron	0855		0901
G-BGBP Cessna 152		G-MHIH HS.125	0931
G-BWVE Jetranger	1026		1059
G-TEES Cessna 152	1103		1104
G-BBLA Cherokee	1118	G-BRTB Jetranger	1120
G-OGJS Cozy	1133		1225
G-BOYL Cessna 152	1328		1407
G-ERIC Rockwell 112	1436	G-HFIX Spitfire	1626
G-BCOL Cessna 172	1646		1713
G-CZAR Citation	1723		1747
G-BHST Hughes 369	1844	G-AVGK Cherokee	1936
24.N9168Q Malibu	0754	1	0806
G-BRTB Jetranger	0853		0854
9H-ABC Boeing 737	0857		0926
G-BNHJ Cessna 152	1019		1026
G-BAML Jetranger	1019		1035
-	1053	G-BAML Jetranger	1136
G-LRII LongRanger			

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G-BNDS Chieftain	1154 1256 1321 1442 1724 1808 1946 0234	G-TKPZ Cessna 310 EI-BVI BAC 1-11 5B-DAX Airbus A.310 G-ODMM Chieftain G-WCEI Rallye G-BOJM Archer G-BFZL Viscount G-BSSS Cessna 4210	1313 1425 1649 1800 1859 2047 0703
N20736 Cessna 303 G-BFBA Jodel DR.100A G-TOGA Saratoga G-BJCU Boeing 737 PH-JBJ Seneca G-BKSZ Cessna 210 N3PC IAI Astra G-BHIC Cessna 182 G-BAML Jetranger G-BMLY Grob G.1093 G-ORCE Citation	1238 1321 1415 1530 1632 1736 1812 1848 2029	G-TKPZ Cessna 310 G-BLDP Slingsby T.67M EC-EBZ Boeing 737-300 G-KARY Fuji FA-200 G-UKLE Boeing 737-400 G-BRTB Jetranger G-BJUC Robinson R-22 HB-LPV Cheyenne III G-TOGA Saratoga G-BKRD Cessna 320 G-BNDS Chieftain G-DAAH Arrow	1256 1349 1504 1547 1654 1804 1831 1920 2132
26.G-BCXR BAC 1-11 G-AZLY Cessna 150 G-SKAN Cessna 172 G-BJCU Boeing 737 G-FILE Seneca G-IFTD Cessna 404 G-BPBM Warrior G-BHIN Cessna 152 YU-AOG Boeing 737	1208 1228 1312 1413 1506 1523 1556	G-BKHT B.Ae.146 G-BCDB Seneca G-BPJS Cadet G-AVVI Twin Comanche G-BKMX Short SD.3-60 EC-ECS Boeing 737-300 G-AWVA Cessna 172 YU-ANC MD-82 G-BPTR Robinson R-22	1500 =
27.G-BEOH Arrow G-BJUC Robinson R-22 G-AWSM Cherokee G-BPZX Cessna 152 G-BPER Tomahawk G-BRTB Jetranger G-BJCT Boeing 737 G-BRTB Jetranger G-ATPJ BAC 1-11 LZ-ETS Tu-154 G-BPTR Robinson R-22	1056 1128 1129 1257 1313 1438 1506	G-BPIT Robinson R-22 C-BKHT B.Ae.146 G-OJFR Jetranger G-ILTS Cherokee Six G-BPIT Robinson R-22 G-SACV Cadet G-TKPZ Cessna 310 G-BPLA Boeing 737 G-ZFDB Twin Squirrel YÜ-ANP Boeing 737	1104 1129 1226 1309 1340 1455 1511
28.YU-AJH DC-9 G-BPSV Caravan G-THGS Dauphin G-BDYZ Bo.105D G-KKUH Boeing 737-300 G-BJUC Robinson R-22 G-BDYZ Bo.105D G-MUFF Twin Squirrel G-THGS Dauphin ZE382 Lynx	1046 1153 1306 1320 1404 1535	G-BNSV Cessna 152 G-AZLH Cessna 150 G-BAZG Boeing 737 G-BJCV Boeing 737 ZE382 Lynx G-TKPZ Cessna 310 G-THGS Dauphin G-ZFDB Twin Squirrel G-STVE Twin Squirrel	1010 1106 1251 1318 1330 1411 1557 1632 1859
29.G-TKPZ Cessna 310 G-BMBI Chieftain G-GBUE Robin DR.400 G-BASL Cherokee	08 <i>5</i> 9 1 045	G-AZLH Cessna 150 G-BJUC Robinson R-22 G-BOXY Archer G-BJUC Robinson R-22	0839 0914 1058 1140

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N9168Q Malibu 1359 G-BAZG Boeing 737 1429 SE-IDM Cheyenne n/s 1437 G-BJCU Boeing 737 1517 G-BRTB Jetranger 1630 G-BJUC Robinson R-22 1641 30.G-BPDL Bandeirante 0724 G-NEEP Jetranger 1059 G-BDHL Aztec 1124 G-BAEU Cessna 150 1201 G-OWVA Chorokee 1409 G-BPTR Robinson R-22 1410 G-BJUC Robinson R-22 1444 G-CEGA Seneca 1838 G-FLRU BAC 1-11 n/s 1838 F-GFEF Gulfstream 1 n/s 1936 31.G-BPDL Bandeirante 0718 G-BLFZ Navajo 0739 N4308G Cessna 340 0855 9H-ABG Boeing 737 0925 G-BNYD Jetranger 0941 G-GRID Twin Squirrel 0952 G-BJUC Robinson R-22 1012 EI-BSS BAC 1-11 1013 G-BBXL Cessna 310 1017 G-WATZ Warrior 1132 G-BBXL Cessna 310 1017 G-WATZ Warrior 1132 G-BYUC Robinson R-22 1534 G-BMBB Cessna 150 1637 G-BPXX Gessna 152 1722 G-BPDL Bandeirante 1725 N3036A Seneca 1746 G-FLRU BAC 1-11 1825						
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4 1041 1444 1444	N4308G G-BNYD G-BJUC G-BEXL G-AYAA G-BJUC G-BEXU G-BPZX N3036A	Cessna 340 Jetranger Robinson R-22 Cessna 310 Cherokee Robinson R-22 Sierra Cessna 152 Seneca	0855 0941 1012 1017 1155 1534 1656 1722	9H-ABG Boeing 737 G-GRID Twin Squirrel EI-BSS BAC 1-11 G-WATZ Warrior G-BLFZ Navajo G-BMBB Cessna 150 5B-DAX Airbus A.310 G-BPDL Bandeirante G-FLRU BAC 1-11		0739 0925 0952 1013 1132 1215 1637 1702 1725 1825 2004

Overshoots:- 3. XX499/FYY67, XX499/FYY60; 9. XX491/FYY78, XX494/FYY84; 11. XS731/?; 15. XX494/FYY84, XX495/FYY60; 16. XX495/FYY75, G-HUBB; 17. XX498/FYY74; 19. G-BDHL; 21. G-WOTS, G-BAVZ; 22. XX482/FYY83, XX493/FYY64, G-AVXJ; 23. XN506/LOP21; 24. XX497/FYY62; 25. G-BEWR; 30. XX499/FYY ?; 31. XX494/FYY ?.

G-TKPZ did numerous overshoots during the month.

From: 1. N86CE F Neathrow, N9168Q F Jersey; 2. G-BPCA Ambulance Flight, N3036A F Dublin, N216FP F Birmingham; 3. N109JD F Wolverhampton, N216FP f Aberdeen; 4. XZ328 F Oakington, N300RV F Blackbushe, F-GBGO F Goodwood; 8. PH-CTC F Rotterdam, OY-CPK F Teesside, D-EHJF F Cambridge, 69-15152 F Harrogate; 9. F-GPFM F Le Bourget, N59756 F Liverpool; 10. D-IOWA F Coventry; 11. OY-BIM F Herning, F-GJDL F Lourdes, HB-LPV F Geneva; 14. OY-BDS F Sonderborg, F-GHDX F Quimper, F-GGJN F Calais; 15. OY-BDS F Sonderborg, F-BXPT F Le Bourget; 16. OC-WAT F Kortrijk, F-GDHV F Luton; 17. N26634 F Ronaldsway, XZ431 F Lossiemouth, N57BC F Northolt, SE-DEK F Dusseldorf; 18. F-GFYL F Lourdes, N3036A F Kidlington; 19. ZE413/410 F Foreford, HB-YCM F Le Touquet; 20. HB-YCM F Crosland Moor; 21. N917J F Le Bourget; 23. F-GFFP F Le Bourget, PH-PNA F Lelystad; 24. N9168Q F Conington, XX636 F Leening; 25. N20736 F Ronaldsway, PH-JBJ F Cranfield, N3PC F Goose Bay, HB-ILV F Geneva; 28. G-THGS /BDYZ operating on Telethon duties, mainly from Lightwater Valley; 29. N9168Q F Jersey, SE-IDM F Goteborg; 30. F-GFEF F Luton; 31. N4308G F Luxembourg, N3036A F Kidlington.

The Leeds/Bradford Airport Airline News for May will be published next month, it has been delayed due to holidays.

Lots of foreigners to report this month. On the 1st we had Malibu N9168Q along with the Coca Cola Gulfstream II N86CE. Irish based Seneca N3036A visited on the 2nd and the Falcon 900 N216FP was also in. The Falcon 900 returned on the 3rd when the Agusta 109 N109JD was using callsign "Tarmac 01". Beech 90 N300RV was in on the 4th and Seneca F-GEGO was night-stopping. On the 8th PH-CTC was a one of two foreign Citation 1's, the other being OY-CPK of Aalborg Airtaxi which was using the call sign "Dantax 002", night-stopping was TR-10 D-EHJF, F-GPFM on the 9th was a Porsche engined Mooney M20L while the owner of the Navajo N57956, which was from Liverpool to Gamston, lives in Knottingley. Cheyenne D-IOWA on the 10th was joined by the Air Holland Boeing 757 PM-AHK which was from and to Teesside as "Orange 16". Two Boeing 737's of note on the 11th were EC-429 and F-GJDL with Cessna 421B OY-BIM and Cheyenne HB-LPV both night-stopping. Two Frenchmen on the 14th were the Falcon 10 F-GHDX and Robin 3000 F-GGJM along with Danfoss Falcon 20 0Y-BDS. OY-BDS was back the following day and was joined by the Learjet 23 F-EXPT. The 16th was turboprop day with Rockwell 590A 00-WAT and the Mitsubishi MU-2 Marquise F-FDHV. Falcon 10 F-GHDX returned on the 17th and the Comanche N26634 came from the Isle-of-Man. Another Euralair Boeing 737, F-GFYL, visited on the 18th and the Volvo Citation SE-DEG was also logged. VariEz HB-YCM cleared customs inbound from Le Touquet to Crosland Moor on the 19th and visited again on the 20th. The Jetair Jetstar visited on the 21st whilst on the 23rd Falcon 10 F-GFFP and Partenavia P68B PH-PNA were both noted. On the 25th the Cessna 303 N20736 turned out to be c/n 0005 and ex G-BKKI, the Seneca PH-JBJ was visiting to view an aircraft which is for sale and night-stopping were Astra N3PC and the Cheyenne HB-LPV. Another night-stopping Cheyenne was SE-IDM on the 29th with the Air Frovence Gulfstream 1 F-GFEF night stopping on the 30th. Ending the month on the 31st was Cessna 340A N4308G. New on the 1st was the PA-32 G-ILTS. Doing an inbound Air UK flight on the 4th was BAC 1-11 G-AVMK, after a night-stop it left as "Shuttle MK". Arriving for maintainance on the 8th was Aerostar G-PAMS which was still present at the end of the month. Making a quick visit on the 10th was the BAe 146 G-OAJF with callsign "Manta 16". Complementing the Swiss VariEz G-RAEM on the 16th along with LongEz G-BNCZ which night-stopped on the 19th. Another Rutan design was the Cozy G-OGJS on the 23rd. Fournier RF4D's G-AVPX/G-AVNZ/G-BIIF were based over the weekend commencing the 18th for local show work. Making its last visit on the 22nd was the Fisheries Cessna 404 G-DAFS, it was lost when it ditched in the sea off Scotland on the 31st. Night-stopping on the 23rd was Spitfire G-HFIX which is painted as MJ730 and coded HT/W, the owner was giving a talk at the local golf club. Unidentified at the end of the month was Ryanair Europe BAC 1-11 G-FLRU on a London European charter flight on the 30th. Quite a selection of military to record, on the 3rd VC-10 XV107 was "Ascot 2179". Gazelle XZ328 on the 4th was "Army427" and on the 8th the USAF used UH-1 69-15152 as "Lord25". On the 11th Hercules XV191 used the callsign "Ascot4220" and Queens Flight DAe 146 ZE701 was "Kitty1". Another Army Gazelle was ZA775 which was "Army331" on the 14th. Visiting on the 17th was the Buccaneer XZ431 callsign "D8R16", this was for a local lecture but it developed a hydraulic leak and did not depart until the 21st, also logged on the 17th was yet another Gazelle XZ315 "Army 750". The 18th brought us BM2T ZG845 as "Army112" and the 19th saw Agusta 109's ZE410 and ZE413 using the callsign "N7X51 combine". On the 24th Bulldog XX636 used callsign "UAS63" when it visited in connection with the ITV Telethon. Finally on the 28th we had Lynx ZE382 as "Army513". Not much else to report, the Cessna R182 G-BOWO which has been on checks at Northair left on the 16th. Mooney G-RAAD remains on checks with YIA. Mooney G-AWLP seems to have left and may have returned to Wombleton. Cessna 150 G-BBJX was damaged in a heavy landing mid month and is out of action. YIA air tested their rebuilt FA150 G-BCVH on the 22nd and promptly leased it to the Aero Club, it was soon joined by YLA's other 150 G-OJVH. The last two of the registrations caused confusion in the circuit so they now use "Yorkair 1" and "Yorkair 2".

LOCAL MOVEMENTS - MAY 1990

Acaster Malbis: - A couple of visitors used here instead of Rufforth during York Races, namely Pa.32 G-BYBB from Newmarket on 15th and 16th, joined on 17th by Aztec G-BAXP, also from Newmarket.

Begby:- An 'unofficial' fly-in took place here on the 6th and was fairly well attended:- Austers G-AGVN/G-AJAM, Bokow Junior G-ATDO, C.152 G-BDUM/G-TEES, C.172 G-BCHK/G-OTAM, Chipmunk G-BCSL, Citabria G-BGGA, Condor G-AWFN, Cozy G-OGJS, Cubs G-AJAO/G-BRIL/G-OROD, Emeraudes G-AZGY/G-BANW, Falco G-BYLL, Horizon G-AZRX, Hornet Moth G-AHBH, Jodels G-AXAT/G-BKIR/G-BMKF/G-DAVE, Microlights G-MNDC/G-MNLB/G-MNMV/G-MTGH/G-MTLU/G-MTNX/G-H TXE, Pa.22s G-AREV/G-ARND, Peil G-BPRT, Pitts G-BRJN, Pup G-AXSD, Rallyo G-BCXB, RF.3 G-BNHT, Robins G-BLTM/G-BOSM, Sipa G-ATXO, Tailwind G-BDBD, Taylors G-BCTR/G-WARD, Tipsy Nippers G-AVXC/G-AWDA, Vagabond G-AWOH and VP.2 G-RASC, Other movements included - 2. G-WCEI Rallyo f Oxenhope; 5. G-OTAM C.172M f Fenland n/s; 13. G-AGVN J/1 Autocrat, G-BICD Auster 5 f/t Sturgate; 19. G-BYBB Pa.32 f Cambridge; 20. G-BBCN HR.100 f Wickenby, G-MATT R.2160 f Newcastle; 26. G-AZGY Emeraude, G-ERID U.206G f Langar, G-BIZV Pa.18; 27. G-BRJL Pa.15 f Sproatley, G-AYGA D.117; 30. G-BGVT C.182RG f Felixkirk.

Bentley:- The home of R.E.Todd was visited by J/5A Cub G-BRLI from Sherburn on 16th. Mr Todd has just acquired two imports from the USA in the shape of Pa.28 G-BSER and C.172 G-BSEP.

Breighton: The Toyota Pitts G-IIIT and G-TIII visited here on 28th and were noted departing for Southend in formation with another of the type as yet unidentified. Others - 5. G-BYLL Falco to Kinsley Carr; 6. G-AHBM Hornet Moth f Bagby; 7. G-AWFJ Pa.28R t Sproatley, G-EPJD Rallye; 13. G-BRJN Pitts f Doncaster; 16. G-FUZZ Pa.18 f Pocklington.

Burn:- A couple of visitors to the Gliding site here were T.67A G-BIOW on 7th and Doncaster based Colibri G-BKDC on 8th.

Church Fenton: - Civil visitors here this month were - 2. G-SANB King Air f Edinburgh; 3. G-UBSH Be.300 f Humberside; 4. G-BWMP RC.695A; 8. G-MPWT Pa.34.

Coal Aston: 18. G-BIXI C.172RG f Swansea; 19. G-AYJR Pa.28 f Brize Norton; 31. G-BOFM C.152 f Halfpenny Green.

Crosland Moor:- An interesting visitor over the weekend of the 19th/20th was VariEz HB-YCM which routed in via LBA. Other movements - 2. G-JFHL Pa.28 f Coventry; 6. G-GDAY R.22B, G-BFLN C.150M; 19. G-BIZG C.152 f Netherthorpe; 21. G-AXUF FA.150K f/t Brough; 23. G-GWYN F.172M,G-SHUU Enstrom, refuel; 24. G-BPBO Pa.28RT; 25. G-AYLF DR.1051 f Hucknall; 27. G-ATFF Aztec f Mull t Coventry, G-BKJS D.120A, G-AKTI Silvaire n/s; 28. G-BLLM Aztec f Cardiff, G-CBOR C.172N f Barton, G-AVGI Pa.28 t Sywell, G-AYCT F.172H t Skegness.

Doncaster:- New resident here is PA.28R G-BMNL Which was delivered from Staverton on 23rd. Also noted on numerous occasions towards the end of the month was R.22B G-MICH but it is not yet confirmed as living here. Visitors - 2. G-BBOE FRA.150M f Sibson; 3. G-BDNU F.172M f Sandown n/s t Swansea, G-BARB Pa.34 f Ronaldsway; 5. G-BPGB C.150J f Skegness; 6. G-EFTE Bolkow 207, G-BMEX A.150K t Tollerton; 7. G-ENOA F.172F f Andrewsfield, G-BOBA Pa.28R, G-AZAW Horizon f Denham, G-BYBB Pa.32RT f Newmarket, G-WACS F.152 f Oxford, G-BPUM C.182RG f Cambridge; 9. G-BKHR Luton Minor t Swinderby; 14. G-HOPE F.33A t Glasgow; 17. G-SABA PA.28R; 19. G-DOSH Twin Otter, G-BAFU Pa.28 f Cranwell; 21. G-CHIL R.22B f Nottingham; 24. G-ROYY R.22B t Huddersfield; 26. G-TRIK Jetranger t Leicester, G-ARJU Apache f B/Hill n/s; 28. G-BORI C.152 f Barton; 31. G-BOES C.152 f Sibson.

Fadmoor: - Cessna 177XP N736GX was a visitor here from Headcorn on 17th.

Gamston:- Two aircraft on local airtest from here was C.401A G-OVNE on the 5th and C.320E N4173T on 6th. Star visitor of the month was Astra N3PC which arrived from LBA on the 27th departing later for Luton. Another foreigner was P.210N F-GGST on the 10th. Movements - 1. G-AXSZ Pa.28 f IOW, G-BOXR Cougar t Booker, G-BMVM Pa.38 f Booker, G-BHPY C.152 f W/Mountford; 2. G-BPAD Pa.34 f Liverpool; 3. N43069 Pa.28 f Lakenheath, G-BNJB C.152, G-JHAN Be.200 t LBA; 4. G-RHHT Pa.32RT f RAF Hullavington, G-BODX Cougar f Panshanger; 6. G-BMIV Pa.28R f L/Snoring, G-JFHL Pa.28 f Coventry,

LOCAL MOVEMENTS (Contd.)

Gamston:- G-ROOK F.172P f Skegness; 7. G-BPFZ C.152 t Edinburgh, G-BCPU Chipmunk t Cambridge; 8. G-ATNE F.150F f Tatenhill; 11. G-UZEL Gazelle t York; 12. G-BRDL Jetranger t Glasgow; 13. G-AJIU Autocrat f Doncaster; 14. G-OTMC Beechjet 400 f EMA; 17. G-BBSU C.421C t Thurrock, G-BIBG S.76A t Harrogate, G-BMYD Be.A36 t Glasgow; 19. G-BNNO Pa.28 f Conington; 20. G-ORED Islander; 21. G-BOPH TR.182RG f Leighton Buzzard, G-BLSY Bell 222 f Sheffield; 22. G-DASH RC.112A f Manchester; 23. G-OMMC M.20J t Bourn, G-BOZP Be.76 t Newcastle; 24.G-BFSR F.150J t Leicester; 26. G-ASMJ F.172E t Kirkbride; 27. G-BRBX Pa.28 f Birmingham, G-BGGO C.152 f/t EMA; 28. G-ASCZ Emeraude f Newcastle, G-AYNF Pa.28 f W/Mountford t Skegness, G-ASIJ Pa.28, G-AVIT F.150G f/t Sleap, G-TURP Gazelle t Basildon, G-BRBF C.152 t Tollerton; 29. G-AZWB Pa.28 t D/Hill, G-AZCZ Pup t Edinburgh, G-EGEE C.310Q f Norwich; 30. G-BETI Pitts f Newcastle, G-PATW Jetranger; 31. G-AZCU Pup t Shobdon.

Hemswell:- First noted on 17th, Ag-Cat G-BDZF was based here and also operated from Kirton-in-Lindsey for local spraying missions for the rest of the month.

Humberside:- New resident arrival this month is F.172H G-BFTH, whilst joining the fleet of choppers operating from here was newly registered S.76A G-CBJB. Visitors - 2. C-FMFL Falcon 5C t Le Bourget; 8. G-MPCU C.402 f Swansea, G-SAMM C.340A; 14. 0Y-SUL C.421C, G-JETB C.550, G-ATMG Rallye; 17. D-IBNK Be.300, G-AYAT Pa.28 t Ludham; 19. D-MEUD TD.20, D-EEEL Pa.28RT, G-BNOL/N/P, G-BNKE, G-VOID Pa.28s, G-BAED Aztec f Shobdon; 20. G-PEKT TB.20 f EMA; 21. G-BMSD Pa.28 T Leicester, 25. EI-BKD M.20J f Weston; 27. G-BPER Pa.38 f Tollerton; 30. G-BGYR BAe 125 f/t Warton.

Leeming: - A couple of civilians here, Bonanza G-NEWT f Newton on 16th and 20th and Pa.38 G-BPJF from Doncaster on 17th.

Linton-on-Ouse: A couple of visitors during York Races were Citation N57BC on 15th and LongRanger C-LRII arrived for fuel from the Race Course on the 16th.

Netherthorpe:- Movements - 1. G-BFIG FR.172K f Barton, G-BFVG Pa.28 t Blackpool; 6. G-BMCN C.152 f Sturgate, G-DNCS Pa.28R f Barton, G-BRPS C.177, G-BICD Auster 5 f/t Sturgate; 8. G-BPKN Pa.28 t Fenland, G-OOLE C.172N; 13. G-BAHD C.182P f Lambley; 14. G-JENN AA.5B f Elstree; 15. G-BFHU F.152 f Seething; 18. G-BCSL Chipmunk t L/Staughton with BA.4B G-BEBS; 19. G-BIHI C.172M t Chapel-St.Leonards; 20. G-FOXA Pa.28 f Leicester, G-APVS C.170B, G-ARHU Pa.22 f Hucknall with Pitts G-BRJN, G-BHRH FA.150K f Hucknall; 24. G-BDGM Pa.28 t Barton; 26. G-BJWX Pa.18 f/t Skegness, G-ARIH Auster 6A, G-BBDP DR.400 f/t Rochester n/s; 28. G-ARAO Pa.18 f Lambley, G-MALT Enstrom, G-BMHS F.172M t Crowland, G-OABG H.369HS f Ripley, G-BECA Rallye t Braintree.

Rufforth:- With York Races on 15th - 17th the regular jockey mounts were visitors on all three days:- C.303s G-EDRY/G-PUSI, Pa.32R G-WILI and R.182RG G-BPUM being joined on 16th by C.340A G-MAGS, RC.695A G-BWMP t Farnborough, and Pa.34s G-BACE and G-BPON from Novmarket. The following day saw Pa.28 G-MERI from Edinburgh. Other visitors included - 3. G-BAJY DR.400 f/t Sturgate; 5. G-BHUM Tiger Moth, G-DISO D.150 f Prestwick; 7. G-BJMR C.310R t East Kirkby; 19. G-BRRJ Pa.28RT f/t Elstree; 20. G-MADY Pa.32R; 26. G-COCO F.172M f/t Louth; 27. G-ASWB Airedale f/t Sutton Bank; 31. G-AZTD Pa.32 f Oxford.

Sandtoft: A new resident here is C.152 G-BRWC. Movements - 1. G-GZDO C.172N f Skegness; 3. G-AXDI F.172H f L/Staughton; 6. G-OROD Pa.18 t Temple Bruer; 7. G-AVRS GY.80; 10. G-AXPN Pup; 15. G-BJWW Maule M.5 f Walton Wood; 16. G-TEWS Pa.28 f Liverpool; 20. G-BGSV F.172N f Wickenby; 21. G-BMSD Pa.28 t Blackbushe, G-BHGM Duchess f Tollerton; 26. G-AZAV C.337F f Fenland; 28. G-BNJB C.152 f/t Conington, G-APVS C.170B, G-RODD C.310R f Fenland, G-BLHW Kachina t Martin Fen, G-BCCC F.150L f EMA; 31. G-BHOZ TB.9 f Andrewsfield.

Sherburn:- A fly-in took place here on 28th with the following visitors - G-BREY Taylorcraft BC.12 f Shobdon, G-ATBU Terrier f Hucknall, G-ARFG C.175A f Sibson, G-ARRS Emeraude with Isaacs Fury G-BEER, G-AKTI Silvaire, G-AEVS Aeronca, Auster G-AJIU, Bolkow 207 G-EFTE, C.150 G-ATHG, C.152s G-BMSU/G-BRWC, C.170 G-APVS, C.172s G-AZKD/G-BIHI/G-BMHS/G-EPWR/G-CBOR/G-PARI, Citabria G-EGGA, Cubs G-BLPA/G-BRDL.

LOCAL MOVEMENTS (Contd.)

Sherburn: Falco G-BYLL, Glasair G-TRUK, Jodels G-ATJN/G-AWWO/G-AYGA/G-BEZZ/G-DISO, Kachina G-BLHW, Pa.15 G-BRJL, Pa.22 G-ARHU, Pa.28s G-ASIJ/G-BHPY/G-FIZZ, Piel G-BPRT, Pitts G-BRJW, Rallye's G-BECA/G-PIGS, Robins G-BBJU/G-MATT, SF.25B G-BLCU and T.61B G-BAMB. Other movements - 2. G-BILP C.152 f Swansea; 3. G-ILTS Pa.32 t Newmarket, G-BRLG Pa.28RT t Newcastle; 6. G-GDAY R.22B,; 7. G-BMLK Grob 109 f Rufforth; 10. G-DPWR Hawk XP; 16. G-BBIV H.269 f Brough, G-BRLI Cub; 17. G-AYAT Pa.28 f Humberside; 19. G-AWWO DR.1050 f Barton; 23. G-GWYN F.172M f C/Moor; 25. G-BYBB Pa.32R f Newmarket, G-BRLI J/5A Cub; 27. G-BGGO C.152 f/t EMA, G-ATNE F.150F f/t Tatenhill; 29. G-DODU SF.25B; 30. G-AVGZ DR.1050 f Wombleton.

Sturgate:- Noted on air test from here on 30th was Pa.28 G-BCTF, the aircraft departing later the same day for Stapleford. Visitors included Turbulent G-AWDO on 4th Pa.34 G-BOJK on 9th from Brough and C.320E N4173T on 27th.

Temple Bruer: - Nothorthorpe based Piel G-BPRT visited here on 6th along with F.150H G-AVUG.

Waddington: - French Beech 200 c/s 'ROF 855' diverted into here on 1st whilst on an Ambulance flight to Numberside, due to fog at its original destination.

Yearby: A couple of visitors to the Redcar strip were Nipper G-AVXC from Breighton on 7th and Pa.32R G-ILTS to a strip near Heathrow on 29th.

Helicopter Activity

G-OSEB Bell 222

Former local resident R.22B G-WIRL has left Morthern Helicopters fleet and now lives at a private site near Leek, Staffs.

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1.	G-BPJC R.22B	Sheffield F/T Costock
	G-RAHM Ecureuil	Wakefield F Sheffield.
 2.	G-ODMC T.Squirrel	Leavesden/Huddersfield/LBA/Huddersfield/Battersea
	G-BTWW Jetranger	Garforth/Penistone/Harrogate/Tadcaster/LBA/(Pipeline)
	G-OKAT Ecurouil	Gainsboro , F Oxford T Swinderby
	G-BNKZ Hughes 369	Garforth T Lake Windermere
3.	G-IDWR Hughes 369	Gildersome F Ripponden T Huddersfield
-	G-STVE T.Squirrel	Sheffield F Edinburgh
37,	G-GDAY R.22B	Keighley/Oxenhope/Harden Moor/Shelf
6.	G-HVRS R.223	Elland Road F Sandtoft T Tadcaster
	G-BRTB Jetranger	Clitheroe/LBA/Gomercal/E.Morton/Oxenhope
, -	G-ROUT R. 22D	Elland Road F Sherburn
	G-HVRS R, 22D	Tadcaster T Heptonstall and return
8.	G-MAVI R.22B	Rotherham F Doncaster
	G-OSEB Bell 222	Scarborough F/T Knutsford
	C-RAHM Ecureuil	Sheffield (Fulwood) T Huddersfield
11.	G-UZEL Gazelle	York F Gamston
	G-GDAY R.22B	Oxenhope T Shelf T Blackpool
	G-BNRZ R.22B	Gomersal F/T Cardington (Bedford)
15.	G-MHCC Jetranger	York Race Course F/T Barton
_	G-IDWR Hughes 369	York Race Course F/T Ripponden
	G-BRXZ R.22B	York Race Course F/T Leicester
	G-OSEB Bell 222	Garforth T Manchester City Centre
	G-HIEL R.22B	Shadwell F Sherburn
	G-NEEP Jetranger	Garforth/Bradford/Penistone/Hudd/LBA/Harrogate
16.	G-BRTB Jetranger	York Race Course F/T Bolton Abbey
17.	G-BIBG S.76A	Temple Newsam F Gamston
18.	.G-ZFDB T.Squirrel	Rotherham T Kidlington
19/	20th G-ROGR Jetranger	Roundhay Park - Pleasure flying all day
·	G-WYPA Bo.105	Oxenhope F Carr Gate
20.	G-PJCB A.109A	Ossett (Wakefield Show) F/T Alton Towers
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"SUE'S FIRST SOLO"

My first solo flight in a PA-28/161 took place on a beautifully sunny clear afternoon at Sherburn Aero Club on 26th May 1990, witnessed by some pilot friends from the Clubhouse and, I am sure, a rather nervous Flying Instructor! At Sherburn, the standard practice is not to forewarn a student of his/her impending solo flight as 1 imagine this would lead to sleepless nights! Usually, the student has a dual (student and Instructor) lesson and after 3/4 satisfactory circuits and landings during which the student is expected to do all the flying and decision making, the Instructor (who must be a full time Instructor) may, or may not, leave the aircraft after a landing and send you on your own. After 45mins of doing 4 circuits, my Instructor finally asked me to drop him off, and asked if I'd like to have a go on my own. I was very eager to do so, so with a "Good Luck" he went. After the door and hatches were secured I started back tracking down Runway II in preparation for a right hand circuit. I gave my first radio call to say I was back-tracking. One last check on Final approach for in coming aircraft showed a Cessna 172 on Finals. I held for him, waiting for his radio call to say he had departed the Runway. It was during this waiting that I became very conscious of being totally alone in charge of the aeroplane; I could distinctly hear every breath I took.

Very soon I had lined up at the threshold for take-off, and did my final pre-flight checks. Then off I went, pushing the throttle lever fully forward and keep-ing the take-off run straight using rudder. I rotated at 50kts (IAS), keeping the nose attitude shallow to build up speed to a 70kt climb. I noticed the aeroplane was much more responsive without the weight of an Instructor. At 200' I raised the flaps and trimmed for a steady 80kt climb. At 400', I did a 15' bank right turn. I was seated in the left hand seat, and so as I looked to my right during the turn to check my position I again could see no Instructor. However, I was working too

hard to miss him!

I levelled off at 700', then turned right again onto the downwind leg. . There was hardly any wind at all, and so this stage did seem to last longerthan normal. Abeam to the Runway I radioed "Golf Charlie Romeo downwind". Now time for the prelanding checks, brakes off, gear down, mixture rich, carb heat on (to prevent ice forming in carburrettor) and off, fuel pump on, fuel quantity sufficient, fullest fuel tank selected, harness tight, hatches secure. For tracking purposes, for this leg I had aimed at a house with a red roof (which assisted me greatly). I commenced the turn onto base leg immediately after flying past a small village, rolling out with a new reference point, a school in the distance. Next, start the descent, bringing power back from 2100 rpm cruise to 1800, maintaining altitude to allow the airspeed to bleed off to below VFE (or max.flap operating speed). Air speed down to 90kts, first stage of flap, trim for descent at 80kts, USI down 400 / min. Turned onto Finals at 550' (a little lower than the normal 600'). Used some power to regain height, lining up with Runway now, using rudder. Lower 2 more stages of flap for Final approach speed at 65kts. Positively aiming at a point beyond the Runway number "11". During all this I was talking out aloud to myself to assist my concentration. I radioed "Finals, full stop", and during the last few feet, rounded out smoothly, throttling right back, holding her off for as long as possible, then touchdown. It was, I must admit, the smoothest landing I'd ever done and the best approach to date. I taxied back feeling extremely happy, wanting to tell all who I know (and who I don't know). I now have about 21 hrs solo, but no matter how experienced I become, I'll always treasure the memory of my first solo (in G-SACR, PA-28/161).

"TRIP IN A MICROLIGHT"

Shortly after my epic first solo flight in a PA-28/161 at Sherburn on 26th May, I went along during the week following to try and build up some solo hours. Whilst there, I spotted a Microlight parked near the fuel pumps. Its proud owner was in the Clubhouse and I found out that he had about 2000 hours experience of flying Microlights to fast Jets (mainly Phantoms) in the RAF, and was on holiday from his current base at RAF Church Fenton.

"TRIP IN A MICROLIGHT" Contd.)

After chatting for a while he offered me a trip in his Microlight - an offer which no sane aviation enthusiast would refuse! I went along on the 30th May at 1315hrs, bringing with me a thick woolly jumper as instructed. The air temp. decreases by 3' per 1000' and so it can get quite chilly, otherwise. The day was extremely hot and humid, with some haze. I put my jumper on and then the pilot lent me his fur lined flying suit, whilst he wore a jacket. He'd brought me some leather gloves, an SAS-style balaclava, on top of which went a set of headphones, followed by a sturdy helmet complete with visor. At this stage, I was feeling decidedly warm, but still eager to go. The Microlight itself looks rather like a bicycle-for-two suspended from a hang-gliders wings. There is a small but powerful engine at the rear, with a prop which, on a good day, can give the Microlight 90mph (the airspeed is read in mph and not knots). Two fuel tanks give an impressive range of 4 hours. I, as passenger, sat in the rear seat (which looked and felt like being perched in a " baby seat" of a car!) and the pilot then sits in front. There isn't much space, the pilot having to sit between the passengers legs which are tucked in resting on two bars. We both strapped in with our lap straps. Pre-flight checks were done very quickly as there were so few - merely testing full and free movement in pitch and roll of the wings above us, instruments reading zero, a brief engine test and we were ready. The radio was operated by a square yellow button on a bar in front of the pilot. After requesting taxi clearance, we taxied towards Runway 11. I was then asked to help steer the Microlight with the pilot. The steering is like that of a go-kart i.e. to go left you press the RIGHT bar and vice-versa. The taxi run felt surprisingly quite smooth until we got onto the grass runway, when every bump was felt. I'd been warned that the climbing attitude after take-off would be steep at 45' or more, As it turned out we only reached maybe 30' pitch, climbing out at 30-45mph as initially there wasn't much lift. However at about 100-150' above the ground we found a surge of lift and climbed rapidly at 800-1000' a minute up to 1500. Flying in a Microlight is very exhilarating, visibility is, of course, excellent. It actually feels like you are suspended in air parachuting or flying on your own and takes a while to get used to. You can feel the air rushing around you and also anticipate any turbulence that may be around the corner. The pilot went through Church Fenton's MATZ, staying above 1500' AGL (above ground level). Once out of that area en route to Bright Market and he let me have a go at flying it. To climb one pushes a horizontal bar forwards and to dive you have to pull it back. I tried a turn by pulling one of the wings in towards me but when rolling out, I found the wind too strong to push it back, so the pilot intervened! The landing at Broighton was very smooth despite a rather steepish descent which (he assured me) was normal for a Microlight. We stopped for coffee and then headed back to Sherburn. I assisted in navigating nearer to Sherburn by picking out landmarks. Another good (this time, crosswind landing) was made. I had a fantastic trip (total flying 30mins) and would certainly recommend anyone to have a go at Microlighting.

OUT & ABOUT

Ringway 19/5/90:- VH-OJD B.747-400 (Qantas), 9V-SKN B.747-300 (Singapore), C-GAGJ

Tristar (Air Canada), C-FXCA B.767-300ER (Canadian A/L), G-BRIF B.767 (Britannia),
G-TEAA B.737-300 (operating UK Leisure flight), G-MONP B.737-300 (Monarch, all white scheme), EI-ASC B.737C (Aer Lingus, operating DLH Cargo flight), 5B-DAG BAC 1-11
(Cyprus, for maintenance), G-AWBL BAC 1-11 (Birmingham Exec.),N355WS Electra (ABC),
G-APSA DC-6A (Air Atlantique), G-BPFU NE.748 (Scottish European),G-BMHY/BNDI SD.3-60s
(Air Europe Express),G-BOOM Hunter, D-IEEF Cheyenne III.

Luton 7/6/90:- OH-LAB A.300 (KarAir),G-MONS A.300-600ER and G-MONF/G B.737-300s
(Monarch),EI-BSS/BVH/CAS BAC 1-11s (Ryan Air),G-BGNW B.737 (ex.Britannia-all white scheme),G-TNTE B.Ae.146QT (TNT),G-ATDS Herald (Channel Express), EI-BXS ATR-42
(Ryan Air), PH-KSC SF.340 (Netherlines), G-EXEL Brasilia (Air Exel), N311AG B.727,
HB-IMY Gulf 3, N20G Challenger, LX-AER Falcon 900, G-DBII C.560, OO-CJN PA-31.

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OUT & ABOUT

Gatwick 8/5/90:- A6-EKA A.310 Emirates, C-GQBF DC.8 Nationair, C-FCAJ/FTCA B.767s Canadian, D-ALLT M..87 Aero Lloyd, D-BOBO DHC.8 Hamburg, EI-BZA B747 Phillipines, F-GFUE B.737 Aeromaritime, F-GGEG A.320 Air Inter, N134AA/144AA DC.10s American, N608US B.747 Northwest, N609TW/650TW B.767s TWA, N609US B.767 US Air, N740DA/741DA/755DL L1011s Delta, N608PE B.747 N12061 DC.10 Continental, PH-TVH B.737 Transavia, PH-ZCK/M/N F.100s Air Europe, VR-HKG B.747 Cathay Pacific, Z-WPE B.767 Air Zimbabwe, 4R-ULB L1011 Air Lanka.

Heathrow 8/5/90:- A6-HEH/G-ONVT/HB-ITW/VR-CYM Gulfstream 3s, VR-BJV Gulfstream 2, G-BNSC/HB-VIC Citations, G-BHSU/BLSM/BTAB/TOMI HS.125s, I-EJIC Learjet, D-IAAK Be.200, A40-TW L1011 Gulf Air, C-GAGG L1011 Air Canada, D-AIAN A.300 Lufthansa, EC-DLF/DNR A.300s Iberia, F-CDGV A.310 Alia, HB-IPB/C A.310s Swiss Air, I-BUSJ A.300 Alitalia, JA8178 B747 Japan Air, OK-JBJ II-62 CSA, OO-DJA F.28 Delta Air Transport, M114TW B727 TWA, SU-GAA A.300 Egyptair, SX-DEB A.300 Olympic, S2-ACP DC.10 Bangladesh, YV-134C DC.10 Viasa, ZS-SAL B747 South African, 4X-AXA B747 E1 Al, 5B-DAS A.310 Cyprus, 5Y-BEN A.310 Nigerian, 9K-ADB B747 Kuwait, 9Y-THA L1011 EWIA, 5-6974 VC-137 USAF,

Edinburgh 9/5/90:- EI-FKD F.50 Aer Lingus, F-BPJK B727 Air France, G-BHMZ/BNTN F.27s, G-UKAC/UKHP/UKID/UKPC HS.146s Air UK, G-BJHT/U B1-11s, G-BMAR/BMLC SD3-60s, G-BLGE/OLCD ATPs, G-BMXW DHC6 Loganair also G-BOAY DHC 7 on Loganair flight, G-BRWN Gulf 1, G-BFLL HS.748 Aberdeen Airways, G-BGYV EMB.110P, G-SOFS F.27, G-SCTT Herald, G-BPYC C.310R, G-FRAF Falcon 20, XX231/250/347 Hawks, XX525 Bulldog, ZF584 Lightning.

Doncaster 11/5/90:- G-ATNI/AVUH/AWUJ/AWUT/BMEX C.150s, G-BMOM IS-28, G-BRJN Pitts, G-BKDC Sonerai, G-ORAY C.182, G-AHBL DH.87B, G-BNIJ TB.10, G-KENN/MAVI R.22Bs, G-BFFE/BPNY/EPZK C.152s, G-AVCE/GYAV C.172s, G-STAT C.U206, G-AIJU Autocrat.

Finningley 11/5/90:- XV263 Nimrod, WD390/WK638 Chipmunks.

North Weald 12/5/90:- (Fighter Meet) ZA550/ZA556/ZE207 Tornados, XX526 Bulldog, XX157/204/339 Hawks, ZD351 Harrier, WV470 P.56 Provost, XZ338 Gazelle, ZD611 Sea Harrier, G-ATON/AVFX/DEMB PA-28s, G-MELT/BONS C.172s, G-BBLH Cub, G-BCTT C.310, G-AWAH Be.95, 503 Mig 21. Aces High Museum: G-BMJY YAK C18, G-BLSW C-119G, TS423/ XK895 Ansons, G-ARHW/ARDE Doves, G-ALFM Devon, XN691 Sea Vixen, J-1758 Venom, G-AMSN Dakota, G-IESS Hughes 369, VR-BIA Jetranger, XR984/XS104 Gnats, WF877 Meteor, 430823 B-25J, EM938 Spitfire, 126867/126912 Skyraiders. Display Aircraft:-G-BIRD Pitts, G-BEEL Jetranger, XX965 Jaguar, G-FOTO PA-23, G-AVNY/Z Fourniers Skyhawks, PV202 Spitfire, LS326 Swordfish WB271 Firefly WG655 Sea Fury Royal Navy Historic Flight, ZE418 Sea King, XW845 Gazelle, N153JS Nieuport, 425/17 Fokker Dr.1, H152JS Fokker D7, F8010 SE-5A "Stringbags", ZA543 Tornado, PA474 Lancaster, P7350 Spitfire, PZ865 Hurricane, BoB Memorial Flight, XP820 Beaver, XR244 Auster, XL314 Skeeter, XZ171 Lynx, XT646 Scout, XW903 Gazelle, XT131 Sioux, Army Air Corps Historic Flight, VK+AZ Ju.52, 14 Pilatus P.2, NJ+C11 Me.109, FR870 Kittyhawk, 472917 Mustang, 473877 Mustang, Z3781 Hurricane, Airfield Attack Sequence, XZ492 Sea Harrier, 124485 B-17G, G-AZSC 'Zero', 133722/NZ5628 Corsairs, 53319 Avenger, N6178C Tigercat, 434602 Invader, 430823 B-25J, XX317 Hawk, 121714 Bearcat, 226671 Thunderbolt, 444393 Kingcobra.

Crosland Moor 27/5/90:- G-ATHI/BBPY/BEXY PA-28s, G-OSEA BN-2A, G-ATFF/BCBM PA-23s, G-AVBZ/AYCT/BBXH C.172s, G-AXJJ B.121 Pup, G-BDUL Evans VP.1, G-AKTI Luscombe 8A, G-ARYH PA-22, G-BJOT Jodel, N87KJ LongEz, F83CQ Mistral.

Sherburn Fly-in and Vintage Car/Motorbike Rally:- G-ATXO Sipa 903, G-ATHG/ATHV/BAZS/BEDT/BENJ/BFLL/WYAP C.150s, G-BYLL Falco, G-ATGP/ATJN/AWWO/AYGG/AYKT/AYFP/AYRS/DISO Jodels, G-BAPP/BDUL Evans VP.1, G-BMHN/BOSY/HIEL/ROUT R.22s, G-BECA/PIGS Pallyes, G-BGGA Citabria, G-MHS/BPWR/ORMS/PARI/YORK/YTWO C.172s, G-BBJU/NBDD Robins, G-ASIJ/BAMM/BBPY/BJAG/FIZZ/SAGR/SACS/SACT/SACU/SACV PA-28s, G-BAJN/OBMW AA-5s, G-ARRS/BPRT Emeraudes, G-BREY (NC43640) Taylorcraft, G-ATBU Terrier, G-ARFG C.175, G-BLHW Varga 2150A, G-BEER Isaacs Fury, G-WERY TB.20, G-AEVS Aeronca, G-AKTI (NC1734K)Luscombe, 8A, G-BLPA/454037 (G-BFDL) 3-3C Cubs, G-BRJL (N4370H)PA-15, T7909 (G-ANON) DH.82A,G-TRUK Glasair, G-BCYN DAW Privateer, G-BJMR C.310, G-BRJN Pitts, G-BCER GY.20, G-BLCU Falke, G-BIOW T-67A, G-ATDO Bo.208, G-AJIU Autocrat, G-BNCZ LongEz, G-BCTG PA-23, G-AXJJ B.121.Approx.20 Vintage cars plus many motorbikes were present.

AIRLINE NEWS

Air Malta are using two leased Boeing 727-200s this summer, namely Dan-Air's G-BPNS and Faucett Peru's OB-R-1303.

Air Sarnia The southern-based Islander operator have applied for the

Bournemouth-Cherbourg route licence.

Air UK appear to be about to acquire ten BAC1-11s. Four of the aircraft appear to be the Aer Lingus -208AL specimens, while the other six will come from USAir. These reports have not been confirmed by the airline itself, but it has applied for various European route licences from Stansted, which would require jet equipment. Air UK's financial situation is also under question: 85.1% of the airline's shares are held by Bricom, a subsidiary of the troubled British & Commonwealth Group. Bricom's other aviation interests include Bristow Helicopters and Servisair, making it a major force in the UK industry. Bob Frost resigned as managing director on 31st May, for personal reasons: Mr. Neil Hanscombe, the group managing director (the group being Air UK, Air UK Leisure and Air UK Engineering) has stepped in to fill the post until a successor is appointed.

All Nippon have signed an agreement with Air Europe, whereby the former airline has purchased 20% of all capacity on flights which connect with Air Europe's network at Gatwick. This means that ANA can market these service as interconnections through it's own reservations network. ANA now have

four flights a week from Gatwick to Tokyo.

Anglo Cargo Airlines Unconfirmed reports suggest that the airline will shortly be acquiring a Boeing 747-200 to add to it's fleet of two Boeing 707-300Cs and one BAC1-11-400. The new aircraft would be operated on passenger charters during the summer, and in a freight configuration in winter.

Birmingham European's fifth and last BAC1-11-400, G-AVGP, entered service recently. The airline now uses it's jet aircraft on Belfast-Birmingham-Amsterdam, Birmingham-Stuttgart, Birmingham-Milan Linate, Birmingham-Frankfurt, Birmingham-Copenhagen and Birmingham-Oslo-Gothenberg Landvetter services, while the Gulfstream 1s continue to operate the Birmingham-Newcastle services, and services for British Airways on the Birmingham-Aberdeen and Newcastle-Frankfurt routes.

Weekend charter work between Birmingham, Glasgow, Manchester and Jersey is

also undertaken.

Britannia Airways have ordered six Boeing 757-200 aircraft, for use on European and transatlantic charter services. The aircraft will be used to fill the gap between the 150 seat 737 and the 270 seat 767 in the Britannia fleet, allowing better utilization of both the other aircraft types. new aircraft would also replace several 737-200s, while a decision over the final replacement for the venerable type will be made shortly. Brymon Airways have acquired Dash Seven G-BOAZ from London City Airways. Caledonian Airways Sources suggest that Caledonian will be absorbed into British Airways at the end of October, ending the Caledonian name. summer, the airline is using a mixture of L1011 TriStars and Boeing 757s on charter services from Gatwick, Manchester and Birmingham. The next 75? originally destined for Caledonian, G-BPEC, is being painted in BA colours. Capital Airlines have increased frequency on the Belfast City to Dublin route to four flights each way per day, with two returns at the weekend. Dan-Air have applied to serve Newcastle, TeesSide, Manchester, Madrid, Prague, Warsaw, Budapest amd Moscow from Berlin Tegel. The airline would envisage using BAe146 equipment on these routes if their application was

successful. Two HS748 aircraft are based in Berlin for the operation of scheduled Berlin-Amsterdam and Saarbrücken services, and a new Class Elite service between Berlin and Gatwick was launched earlier this year.

<u>European Express Air</u> are a new Liechtenstein-based carrier, planning to commence operations in 1991 with an A320 leased from GPA. The aircraft would be used on scheduled services from Vaduz to Amsterdam and Munich, operating charter services to Rhodes and Lisbon when not otherwise required.

GBAirways have applied for the Gatwick-Jersey route licence. The Gibraltar-based airline plan to develop a strong network of European leisure-orientated services by 1992. In addition to this, applications to operate on the former BIA services between Gatwick, Catania and Palermo have been lodged with the CAA. The airline already operates three 737-200s on services between Gatwick and Gibraltar, Funchal, Jerez de la Frontiera and Tangier, with a twice-weekly link from Gibraltar to Manchester also being maintained.

Iberia have ordered eight Boeing 757 aircraft, for use on scheduled services to the USA, Middle East, Africa and Scandinavia. The first

aircraft is due for delivery in March 1992.

The airline's first four MD87s were delivered in April, with the delivery rate now being four per month. The type has also made it's debut on UK services, and is shortly to be permanently employed on the Manchester and Birmingham runs.

Indian Airlines have reached a decision to sell or lease out their fourteen A320s delivered before the fatal crash at Bangalore in February, since which all the aircraft have been withdrawn. Four aircraft, originally destined for Indian Airlines, but completed after the crash are also to be sold.

LEEDS BRADFORD

The winter inclusive tour programme is now taking shape: without publishing exact brochure details, the plan is as follows: Thomson: One Britannia Boeing 737 based to operate flights to Palma, Tenerife, Malaga, Alicante, Salzburg and Monastir: Monastir is a new destination, only ever operated before by Thomsons for two months from February 1985. One Spanish-based aircraft operates a Tenerife-Leeds-Tenerife service on Tuesdays and one Air Malta service operating on Tuesday also.

Intasun: One Air Europa 737-300 operating a weekly Tenerife service as an extension of the summer Friday flight (runs 2/11-16/11 and 21/12-19/4). Capital Airlines BAe146 used on Falma services (Saturday afternoon: operates 3/11-17/11 and 16/2-27/4), Malaga services (Sunday morning 4/11-18/11 and 17/2-28/4), Alicante services (Saturday morning 16/2-20/4), and Salzburg services (Sunday morning, returning at 1800: operates 30/12-31/3).

Publicity material distributed by British Airways suggests that the airport's Brussels link is shortly to be resumed by Sabena or associate company.

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