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FORTHCOMING MEETINGS -which are held at the YORKSHIRE AERO CLUB, on the south side of LEEDS/BRADFORD AIRPORT, by courtesy of Ms Jill Tushingham (MD) at

FRIDAY, 7TH APRIL SUNDAY, 7TH MAY

SUNDAY, 4TH JUNE

SUNDAY, 2ND APRIL Barrie Cliff-memories of an Amazon Floatplane and Bush pilot. 21 st ANNIVERSARY DUNNER (see Jan/Feb for details)

"AS IT WAS" - Andrew Hill shows slides of the early L.B.A. to be announced

CHAIRMANTS CHAIR - First of all, some members have been enquiring about the Leeds/Bradford airline reports, diversions, regular flights etc. This section of the magasine is produced at the airport by Terminal Manager Andy Barker. Due to the vast amount of work involved in the terminal extension and alterations currently being undertaken Andy has not been able to keep up to date with this section. However, we look forward to a quick return of this popular feature. The March meeting was one of the best for some time with over eighty members giving their full attention to Flt.Lt.Peter McNamara of R.A.F.Finningley. Peter

arrived with a selection of slides and kit including inflatable knickers, flying suit, wet suit, bone dome, rubber dinghy and emergency kit (which included wire snares for North Sea rabbits). Many thanks to Peter for his talk and good luck to him in his future posting.

By the time you read this the Anniversary Dinner (Friday, 7th April) will only be a few days away. We still have quite a few members who have their names down but have not yet paid. Please pay or cancel your provisional booking. Next month we should be able to publish the first details of the 1995 summer

charter programme, including aircraft which are to be based at the L.B.A. Let us hope that this summer is only a foretaste of what is to come.

We are always on the lookout for interesting speakers on aviation related subjects. So if you know anyone e.g. if your granny was on a barrage balloon unit in the last war, I am sure the members would like to hear about it. Please let us have any contact names and addresses, and we will do the rest.

Credits - Terry Sykes, Dave Wooler, Eric Martin, Alan Sedgwick, Leslie Scheftsik, Ken D J D Carter.

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Leeds/Bradford Movements

February 1995

01	G-NBAC	Bandeirante	0815	EI-CFD SA	AAB 340	0849
		Jetstream 41	0925	G-DASI SI	hort 360	0929
		Fokker 100	0937	G-JEAA FI	riendship	0939
		Fokker 50	0949		arrior II	1027
		Short 360	1035	00-DTO Br		1049
		Fokker 100	1233		riendship	1247
		Twin Squirrel	1420	OO-DTI Br		1451
		Fokker 50	1456		okker 100	1525
		Fokker 50	1530		etstream 41	1656
		Friendship	1706	G-DASI Sh		1723
		Boeing 757	1758		andeirante	1804
		Fokker 100	1820	G-BEHH La		1837
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		Friendship	0927 0942	G-BHNA Ce	essna 152	0947
		Fokker 50	0948	G-KKDL TE	B20 Trinidad	0957
		Seneca	1034	G-GYMM A	rrow	1040
		Short 360	1045		rasilia	1050
	G-SACT		1141	G-BVJC Fo	okker 100	1222
		Friendship	1250	PH-KXG Fo	okker 50	1253
		Maule M-5 235C	1319		herokee 180C	1333
		Boeing 757	1359	G-BHJB Ce	essna 152	1414
		Fokker 50	1450	OO-DTL Br	rasilia	1452
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1523	G-BVMY Sh	hort 360	1601
		Jetstream 41	1643	PH-KXG Fo	okker 50	1702
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		Short 360	2031		okker 50	2122
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	G-DAAL	HS 748	2136	PH-LXP Fo		2236
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		Short 360	0924		riendship	0936
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	G-BWMW	Short 360	1603		G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	1648	
		Fokker 50	1705		G-JEAA	Friendship	1713	
	G-DBAC	Bandeirante	1813		G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1815	
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	G-JEAA	Friendship	2015		G-DASI	Short 360	2026	
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	G-DAAL	HS 748	2128		PH-LXP	Fokker 50	2224	
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		Brasilia	1027			Fokker 50	1037	
		Short 360	1054			Friendship	1106	
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		Arrow	1315			BAe 146	1338	
	PH-LXP	Fokker 50	1436			Friendship	1702	
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		AA5B Tiger	1245			Cessna FR172J	1337	
		Cessna 1820	1342			Seneca	1346	
		Friendship	1354			Archer II	1416	
		Brasilia	1438			Fokker 50	1446	
		Short 360	1615			Friendship	1714	
		Boeing 737 300	1835			SAAB 340	1910	
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		Brasilia	1958			Short 360	2010	
		Friendship	2026			Fokker 100	2134	
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		Short 360	0935			Jetstream 41	0939	
		Friendship	0945			Fokker 50	1001	
		Brasilia	1033			Short 360	1040	
		T67 Firefly	1115			PA-28 Dakota	1143	
		King Air 200		1326(09)		Fokker 50	1157	
		Fokker 100	1219	+-		Friendship	1247	
		HS 125 CC.2	1250			Boeing 757	1411	
		Brasilia	1437			Fokker 50	1441	
		JetRanger	1456			Fokker 100	1519	
		Short 360	1609		The second second	Fokker 50	1647	
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		Friendship	1714			Bandeirante	1807	
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		Jetstream 41	1947			Brasilia	1958	
		Short 360	2012			Friendship	2019	
		Short 360	2023			Fokker 100	2118	
		Fokker 50	2121		G-BEJD	HS 748	2129	
	PH-KXG	Fokker 50	2230					

07	G-BYAG Boeing 7	0043	G-DBAC Bandeirante	0811
	EI-CFC SAAB 340	0856	G-BBGB Aztec	0858
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	G-BVJC Fokker 1	00 0929	G-MAJA Jetstream 41	0936
	G-JEAA Friendsh		PH-KXF Fokker 50	1003
	G-ODNP Cessna 3		G-BVMX Short 360	1024
	00-DTN Brasilia	1039	PH-LXP Fokker 50	1155
	G-DNCS Turbo Ar	row 1208	G-BVJC Fokker 100	1221
	G-JEAA Friendsh		G-BYAG Boeing 757	1329
	00-DTL Brasilia	1445	PH-KXG Fokker 50	1503
	G-BVJC Fokker 1		G-MAJA Jetstream 41	1650
	PH-LXP Fokker 5		G-JEAA Friendship	1717
	G-BVJC Fokker 1		G-DBAC Bandeirante	1816
	G-TSAR B58 Baro		EI-CFD SAAB 340	1911
	G-MAJA Jetstream		00-DTN Brasilia	1959
	G-BWMW Short 36		G-JEAA Friendship	2013
	G-DASI Short 36		PH-LXP Fokker 50	2116
	G-BVJD Fokker 1		PH-KXG Fokker 50	2126
	G-BEJD HS 748	2131	G-BYAG Boeing 757	2223
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	G-JEAA Friendsh	ip 1010	G-BWMW Short 360	1024
	00-DTL Brasilia	1031	G-BVJD Fokker 100	1249
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	G-JEAA Friendsh		G-DBAC Bandeirante	1819
	G-BVJD Fokker 1		EI-CFC SAAB 340	1909
	G-MAJA Jetstream		G-BVMY Short 360	2006
	G-JEAA Friendsh		00-DTL Brasilia	2014
	G-DASI Short 36		PH-KXG Fokker 50	2117
	G-BVJA Fokker 1		G-DAAL HS 748	2140
	G-BYAG Boeing 7		PH-LXP Fokker 50	2157
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09	G-BFVI HS 125 7		G-DBAC Bandeirante	0854
	G-JLRW Duchess	0835	00-SXE Xingu	0926
	EI-CFA SAAB 340	0857	G-DASI Short 360	0940
	G-BVJA Fokker 1		G-JEAA Friendship	0.0.00
	PH-KXF Fokker 5		G-ECOS Twin Squirrel	1019
	00-DTO Brasilia		G-BVMY Short 360	1045
	G-BRFA Navajo	1059	G-MAJA Jetstream 41	1114
	PH-KXG Fokker 5		G-LINE Twin Squirrel	1207
	G-KKDL TB20 Tri		G-BVJA Fokker 100	1237
	G-JEAA Friendsh		G-BYAG Boeing 757	1353
	00-MTD Brasilia		PH-LXP Fokker 50	1449
	G-ECOS Twin Squ		G-BVJA Fokker 100	1519
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	G-BVMY Short 36		G-MAJA Jetstream 41	1652
	PH-KXG Fokker 5		G-JEAA Friendship	1714
	G-DBAC Bandeira	nte 1814	G-BVJA Fokker 100	1816
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		Fokker 100		G-BEJD	no /40	2132	
	PH-LXP	Fokker 50	2135				
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10		Jetstream 41	1020		Short 360	1026	
		Fokker 50	1030		Fokker 100	1039	20
		Brasilia	1049		Friendship	1314	
		Fokker 100	1338		Brasilia	1435	
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11	EI-CFC	SAAB 340	0859	G-OBMX	Boeing 737 500	0922	
		Brasilia	1033	G-JEAA	Friendship	1122	
		Short 360	1132	PH-LXP	Fokker 50	1202	
		Fokker 100	1227	G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	1342	
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		Friendship	1708		Fokker 100	1808	
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12		Fokker 100	0917		SAAB 340	0927	
		Cessna 172M	1215		Short 360	1215	
	G-BVJA	Fokker 100	1223		Friendship	1356	
	PH-LXP	Fokker 50	1440		Brasilia	1542	
	G-BVMX	Short 360	1610		Friendship	1710	
	G-HAMA	King Air 200	1718		Fokker 100	1818	
	EI-CFC	SAAB 340	1916	PH-LXP	Fokker 50	1934	
	G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	1947	OO-DTN	Brasilia	1952	
		Short 360	1959	G-JEAA	Friendship	2020	
		Fokker 50	2041	G-BVJA	Fokker 100	2112	
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		Jetstream 41	0920		Short 360		
		Friendship	0938		Fokker 100	0944	
		Fokker 50	1000		Brasilia	1025	
		Short 360	1037		Seneca	1102	
		Fokker 50	1145		Fokker 100	1238	
		Friendship	1253		Boeing 757	1300	
		DC3 Dakota	1402		Fokker 50	1427	
		Brasilia	1432		Cessna FR172K	1456	
		Fokker 100	1514		Citation		1800
		Short 360	1559		Fokker 50	1650	
		Jetstream 41	1705		Friendship	1708	
		Fokker 100	1819		Bandeirante	1822	
		SAAB 340	1938		Jetstream 41	1945	
		Brasilia	1955		Short 360	2005	
	G-JEAA	Friendship	2013		Short 360	2021	
		Fokker 50	2037		King Air 200	2114	
	PH-KXG	Fokker 50	2115		Fokker 100	2118	
	G-DAAL	HS 748	2131	G-BYAG	Boeing 757	2353	
1.4	C-DBAC	Bandeirante	0814	EI-CED	SAAB 340	0846	
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	PH-KXF	Fokker 50	0942			Friendship	0946	
	G-ASAU	MS880B Rallye	0954			King Air C90		2018
		Short 360	1029		OO-DTL	Brasilia	1047	
		Fokker 50	1124		G-BVJA	Fokker 50	1225	
		Friendship	1251		G-BYAG	Boeing 757	1353	
		Fokker 50	1441		OO-DTN	Brasilia	1449	
	XZ313	Gazelle AH.1	1459	60	N1224S	Cessna 425	1510	
		Fokker 100	1528		G-KKDL	TB20 Trinidad	1605	
		Fokker 50	1702		G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	1711	
		Friendship	1717		G-BVJA	Fokker 100	1816	
		Bandeirante	1830		EI-CFA	SAAB 340	1906	
		Jetstream 41	1958		00-DTL	Brasilia	2006	
		Short 360	2014		G-JEAA	Friendship	2021	
		Short 360	2026		PH-KXG	Fokker 50	2107	
		Fokker 100	2118		PH-LXP	Fokker 50	2136	
		HS 748	2138		G-EWEL	Sikorsky S-76A	2201	
		Boeing 757	2312					
	G-BIAG	Boeing 131	2312					
15	G-DBAC	Bandeirante	0819		EI-CFD	SAAB 340	0856	
	G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	0921		G-BVJA	Fokker 100	0928	
		Short 360	0929		G-JEAA	Friendship	0941	
		Fokker 50	1000		G-BTGZ	Archer II	1038	
		Brasilia	1042		G-BVJA	Fokker 100	1231	
		Friendship	1301		G-BVMX	Short 360	1331	
	G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	1339		G-KNAP	Warrior II	1350	
		Fokker 50	1445		OO-DTH	Brasilia	1454	
		Fokker 100	1523		PH-LXP	Fokker 50	1655	
		Jetstream 41	1656		G-JEAA	Friendship	1716	
		Boeing 757	1804		G-OAVX	King Air 200	1815	
		Fokker 100	1820		EI-CFC	SAAB 340	1913	
		Jetstream 41	2004		G-JEAA	Friendship	2016	
		Short 360	2028		G-BWMW	Short 360	2056	
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		Fokker 100	2128		G-DAAL	HS 748	2130	
		Brasilia	2132					
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16		King Air 200	0651			Bandeirante	0822	
		Robin DR400/180	0851			SAAB 340	0856	
		Fokker 100	0925			Short 360	0934	
		Jetstream 41	0937		0000 () NOT 1000 TOTAL	Friendship	0948	
		Fokker 50	0952			Short 360	1035	
		Cessna 402	1049			Fokker 50	1139	
	G-BVJA	Fokker 100	1228		2-17-17	Brasilia	1243	
	G-JEAA	Friendship	1255		N953A		1317	
	G-BYAG	Boeing 757	1401			Brasilia	1446	
	PH-LXP	Fokker 50	1458			Fokker 100	1515	
	G-BWMW	Short 360	1609			Fokker 50	1659	
		Jetstream 41	1702			Friendship	1715	
	G-FOOD	King Air 200	1746			Bandeirante	1817	
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1831			: SAAB 340	1904	
		Jetstream 41	1947			Short 360	2045	
		Fokker 50	2106			Friendship	2118	
		Fokker 50	2123			Boeing 757	2126	
	G-DAAL	HS 748	2131			Short 360	2145	
		Brasilia	2150		G-BVJ	Fokker 100	2234	6

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17	G-DBAC	Bandeirante	0817	EI-CFC SAAB 340	0851
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	0917	G-MAJA Jetstream 41	0920
	G-DASI	Short 360	0925	G-JEAA Friendship	0947
	N27495	Navajo	0948	G-BVMY Short 360	1022
	PH-KXF	Fokker 50	1028	PH-LXP Fokker 50	1128
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1223	G-JEAA Friendship	1251
		Jetstream 41	1332	G-SHIV GA7 Cougar	1424
		Fokker 50	1435	ZE700 BAe 146 CC.2	1439
		Brasilia	1453	G-BRNK Cessna 152	1459
		JetRanger	1505	G-BVJC Fokker 100	1516
		Short 360	1609	G-BSDO Cessna 152	1642
		Jetstream 41	1647	PH-LXP Fokker 50	1658
		Friendship	1713	G-BTFX JetRanger	1803
		Fokker 100	1819	G-DBAC Bandeirante	1821
		Cessna 402C	1827	EI-CFB SAAB 340	1906
		Jetstream 41	1930	G-BWMW Short 360	2014
		Friendship	2019	G-DASI Short 360	2023
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		Fokker 50	2107	PH-LXP Fokker 50	2119 2132
	G-DAAL	HS 748	2126	G-BVJC Fokker 100	2132
18	EI-CFB	SAAB 340	0858	G-BVJC Fokker 100	0919
	PH-LXR	Fokker 50	1033	00-DTK Brasilia	1059
	G-JEAA	Friendship	1107	G-BWMW Short 360	1118
	G-LORD	Seneca	1155	G-BPZX Cessna 152	1157
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1237	G-MAJA Jetstream	1251
	BH-TXB	Fokker 50	1326	G-BTNU BAe 146	1330
		Fokker 50	1344	G-JEAA Friendship	1705
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1812	G-BVJC Fokker 100	2119
19		SAAB 340	0857	G-BVJC Fokker 100	0918
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1222	G-JANT Archer II	1238
	G-JEAA	Friendship	1351	VR-CPR Cessna 421C	1420
		Brasilia	1447	PH-KXG Fokker 50	1459
		Short 360	1615	G-JEAA Friendship	1708
		Fokker 100	1817	EI-CFC SAAB 340	1913
		Fokker 50	1946	G-MAJA Jetstream 41	1955
		Brasilia	2006	G-BVMX Short 360	2010
		Friendship	2030	PH-LXP Fokker 50	2103 2243
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	2128	G-BYAN Boeing 757	2243
20		Cessna 421B	0811	G-DBAC Bandeirante	0822
		SAAB 340	0853	G-MAJA Jetstream	0926
		Short 360	0930	G-BVJC Fokker 100	0935
		Friendship	0943	G-UKTE Fokker 50	1003
		Short 360	1009	G-BSRY Cessna 406	1019
		Tomahawk	1040	00-DTL Brasilia	1105
		Fokker 50	1130	G-BVJC Fokker 100	1216
		Friendship	1251	G-BYAN Boeing 757	1300 1320
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		Seneca	1329	G-BVJC Fokker 100	1515
		Fokker 50 P68 Victor	1446 1545	G-BVJC FORKET 100 G-BVMX Short 360	1605
		Jetstream 41	1657	PH-KXG Fokker 50	1708
		Friendship	1711	G-BVJC Fokker 100	1809
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		G-DBAC	Bandeirante	1814	EI-CFA	SAAB 340	1904	
			Jetstream 41	1952	OO-DTI	Brasilia	2007	
			Friendship	2022	G-DASI	Short 360	2025	
			Short 360	2037	PH-LXP	Fokker 50	2116	
			Fokker 50	2119	G-BVJB	Fokker 100	2121	
			HS 748	2128		Boeing 757	2348	
	21	G-DBAC	Bandeirante	0814	G-AXLG	Cessna 310K	0901	
		EI-CDF	Boeing 737 500	0911	G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	0924	
		G-BVJB	Fokker 100	0927	G-DASI	Short 360	0929	
		G-JEAA	Friendship	0939	D-ERAW	Mooney M20M	0948	
		G-UKTE	Fokker 50	1001	G-BVMX	Short 360	1039	
		ZE700	BAe 146 CC.2	1043	PH-LXP	Fokker 50	1115	
		G-BOXR	GA7 Cougar	1130		Fokker 100	1227	
		G-JEAA	Friendship	1250		Boeing 757	1324	
		G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	1343		Fokker 50	1451	
		OO-DTK	Brasilia	1456		Tomahawk	1458	
		G-BVJB	Fokker 100	1518	C 100000	Jetstream 41	1659	140
		PH-LXP	Fokker 50	1700		Friendship	1716	
		G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1812	200	Bandeirante	1815	
		EI-CFB	SAAB 340	1919		Jetstream 41	1952	
		G-JEAA	Friendship	2010		Short 360	2022	
		G-DASI	Short 360	2025		Brasilia	2058	
			Fokker 50	2106		Fokker 50	2114	
		G-BVJC	Fokker 100	2121	G-DAAL	HS 748	2125	
		G-BYAN	Boeing 757	2222				
	22	N767MD	Mitsubishi MU2M	0813 1812	G-DBAC	Bandeirante	0824	
		G-BVCM	Citationjet	0831	EI-CFC	SAAB 340	0856	
		G-BVJC	Fokker 100	0932		Jetstream 41	0934	
		G-DASI	Short 360	0938		Friendship	0943	
		G-UKTE	Fokker 50	0947	OO-DTJ	Brasilia	1027	
		G-BWMW	Short 360	1031		Jetstream 41	1221	
		G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1236		Friendship	1259	
		PH-LXP	Fokker 50	1448		Brasilia	1519	
			Fokker 100	1525		Fokker 50	1701	
		G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	1705		Friendship	1727	
		OY-JRO	King Air B90	1803		Boeing 757	1805	
			Fokker 100	1826		Bandeirante	1830	
			SAAB 340	1905		Cessna 421C		0927(23)
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			HS 748	2129		Brasilia	2133	
		G-JEAA	Friendship	2145	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	2150	
	23	G-DBAC	Bandeirante	0829		TB20 Trinidad	0838	
			SAAB 340	0846		Cessna 441	0911	
		G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	0914		Cessna F150L	0929	
			Fokker 100	0935		Friendship	0939	
			Fokker 50	0947		Short 360	1021	
			Brasilia	1028		Aztec	1036	
٠			Citationjet	1051	PH-LXR	Fokker 50	1131	
			Cessna 421B	1142		Fokker 100	1227	
			Friendship	1255		Boeing 757	1401 1443	
		OO-DTN	Brasilia	1439	BH-LXE	Fokker 50	1443	

	D-ERAW	Mooney M20M	1448		G-LORD	Seneca		1458	
		Fokker 100	1517		G-BVMX	Short 360		1602	
		Fokker 50	1649			Jetstream 41		1652	
		Cessna 421C	1714		G-JEAT	Friendship		1727	
		Fokker 100	1014		C-DBAC	Bandeirante		1818	
			1908		G-DBAC	BAe 146		1911	
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	G-JEAI	Friendship	2017			Fokker 50		2052	
	PH-LXR	Fokker 50	2111		G-BVJC	Fokker 100		2117	
	G-DAAL	HS 748	2135		G-SFHR	Aztec		2148	
	G-BYAN	Boeing 757	2152		G-BRFA	Navajo		2154	
24	G-DBAC	Bandeirante	0832		EI-CFA	SAAB 340		0859	
	G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	0912 0923		G-BVJC	Fokker 100		0921	
		Short 360	0923			Friendship		0939	
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			1026		PH-I.XR	Short 360 Fokker 50		1128	
	C-DVIC	Brasilia Fokker 100	1211		G-B.IVD	Cessna F152		1216	
		Bandeirante	1240		G-IFAT	Friendship		1250	
		Archer II	1424		C-AUDA	Cessna 182K		1447	
			1454		O-AVDA	Brasilia		1507	
	PH-KAG	Fokker 50	1434 1452		00-016	Cessna 152		1557	
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1515 1609					1656	
	G-BAWA	Short 360	1609			Jetstream 41			
		Fokker 50	1701			Friendship		1719	
		Fokker 100	1814			Cherokee 140		1825	
		Bandeirante	1829	n/s		SAAB 340		1920	
		Bandeirante	1924	n/s	G-MAJA	Jetstream 41		1945	
	OO-DTN	Brasilia	2017		G-JEAI	Friendship		2019	
		Short 360	2022			Short 360		2025	
	G-OAVX	King Air 200	2034	n/s	PH-KXG	Fokker 50		2103	
		Seneca	2109		G-BVJC	Fokker 100		2120	
	PH-LXR	Fokker 50	2122		G-DAAL	HS 748		2143	
25	EI-CFD	SAAB 340	0850		G-BVJC	Fokker 100		0930	
		Brasilia	1019		G-BWMW	Short 360		1027	
		Warrior II	1019 1033			Fokker 50		1049	
		Friendship	1114			Fokker 100		1227	
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		Cherokee 160B	1438			Warrior II		1504	
		BAe 146	1601	+		Friendship		1710	
						Fokker 100		1808	
		Jetstream 41	1746		G-BATC	FORKET 100		1000	
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	2120						
26	G-OBNF	Cessna 310K	0808			SAAB 340		0856	
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	0919			Tomahawk		1027	
		Cessna 152	1102			Fokker 100		1220	
	G-EYES	Cessna 402C	1245 1258		G-MWRH	Gemini Flash	2A		1427
		Cessna FR182RG	1258		G-KWIK	P68 Victor		1347	
	G-JEAI	Friendship	1352		OO-DTG	Brasilia		1436	
	PH-LXR	Fokker 50	1453		G-ASNK	Cessna 205		1529	
	G-UKTC	Fokker 50	1624		G-BOXR	GA7 Cougar		1628	
		Bandeirante		n/s	G-BWMW	Short 360		1651	
		Cessna 310K	1713		G-JEAT	Friendship		1744	
		Fokker 100	1818			SAAB 340		1910	
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		Short 360	2005		OO-DTJ	Brasilia	2017
		Friendship	2027		G-UKTC	Fokker 50	2104
		Fokker 100	2121		G-BYAS	Boeing 757	2333
27	G-CTWW	Seneca	0652			Rockwell 690C	0656
	G-HNRY	Citation VI	0832			SAAB 340	0852
	G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	0921			Fokker 100	0926
	G-JEAI	Friendship	0944			Short 360	0949
	G-ASSE	PA-22 Colt	1001			Fokker 50	1032
	OO-DTK	Brasilia	1044			Short 360	1054
		Fokker 50	1152			Fokker 100	1224
	G-JEAI	Friendship	1257			Boeing 757	1317
		Rockwell 690C	1320			Seneca	1335
	G-MAJA	Jetstream 41	1358			Fokker 50	1445
		Brasilia	1452			Fokker 100	1517
	G-BVMY	Short 360	1610			Jetstream 41	1651
	G-JEAI	Friendship	1725			Short 360	1733
	G-BVJC	Fokker 100	1814		EI-CFD	SAAB 340	1904
		Jetstream 41	1955		OO-DTJ	Brasilia	2011
		Friendship	2013			Short 360	2019
		King Air 200	2037			Short 360	2051
		King Air E90	2054		G-UKTC	Fokker 50	2059
	PH-KXG	Fokker 50	2124		G-BVJC	Fokker 100	2130
		HS 748	2139		G-ISFC	Navajo	2232
	G-BYAS	Boeing 757	2358				
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28		Short 360	0926			Jetstream 41	0933
		Fokker 100	0942			Friendship	0946
		Fokker 50	0957			Short 360	1030
		Brasilia	1034			Fokker 50	1122
			1152			Fokker 100	1228
		JetRanger	1253			Boeing 757	1352
		Friendship	1411			Cessna 402C	1429
		Gazelle AH.1	1434	1301		Fokker 50	1446
		Brasilia	1647			Friendship	1714
		Jetstream 41	1920			Jetstream 41	1956
		SAAB 340	2012			Friendship	2018
		Short 360	2118			Fokker 100	2130
		Fokker 50			G-DVJB	LOWET 100	2130
	G-UKTC	Fokker 50	2228				

From (and to)
03) VR-CRI/Leicester: 05) N3715B/F & T Isle-of-Han: 06) OY-SVL/Tirstrup;F-GMGB/
F & T Cannes:;XX507/Finningley: 07) N6840T/Antwerp: 08) EI-WDC/Manchester-Dublin
09) OO-SXE/Wevelgem: 13) SE-DRZ/Anglelholm-Stockholm: 14) OY-BEB/Tirstrup;XZ313/
Wattisham;N1224S/Birmingham: 16) N953A/Maastricht-Brussels: 17) N27495/Isle-ofMan;ZE700/Benson: 19) VR-CPR/Guernsey: 20) OO-KNM/Antwerp: 21) D-ERAW/Kassel;
ZE700/Northolt: 22) N767MD/Antwerp;OY-JRO/Luton;VR-CPR/Bergamo: 23) OO-KNM/
Antwerp;D-ERAW/East Midlands;VR-CPR/Swansea: 26) OY-BHT/Kastrup: 27) VR-BLK/
Welshpool(twice);F-GMGB/Cannes: 28) XX392/Middle Wallop-Catterick:

Overshoots
01) XX498/FYY37; XX494/FYY76: 02) XX494/FYY73; ZF286/SAP57; ZF238/LOP50: 03) ZF367/Cranwell55; ZF288/SAP45; XZ617/Army484: 07) XX495/FYY78: 08) XX498/FYY81:

09) XV294/Ascot752: 14) XX494/FYY02: 15) XV189/Ascot773;XX482/FYY75;XV178/Ascot763;G-EYES/Atlantique403: 16) G-EYES/Atlantique403: 17) XX499/FYY78: 19) G-BBGB: 20) XX500/FYY02;G-LORD: 21) XV191/Ascot766: 27) XV189/Ascot772:

LBA Movements review, February 1995 This months foreigners are a mixture of some old friends and some which are new to their various registers. King Air 350 VR-CRI on the 3rd used callsign "Roman 2" and is, of course, UK based. On the 5th N3715B was a Baron from and to its base on the Isle-of-Man. The Citation OY-SVL on the 6th is officially registered to a firm called Pharma North but it used the callsign "Sunscan 1740", also noted that day was the King Air 200 F-GMGB night stopping. Arriving from Antwerp on the 7th was Cessna 441 N6840T which is registered to Thunderskies Inc. New on the 8th was the HS 125 EI-WDC of Westair using the callsign "Emerald 25". Using callsign "Skyservice 12E" on the 9th was the ex Sabena Xingu OO-SXE. The elderly Citation SE-DRZ on the 13th is new in Sweden and was previously N55SH. Visiting Knightair for checks on the 14th was the Birmingham based Cessna 425 N1224S, arriving from Tirstrup the same day was King Air C90 OY-BEB. Seneca N953A on the 16th came in from Maastricht and departed to Brussels so it may be a new resident somewhere in Europe, it is an old 1977 model. Navajo N27495 on the 17th is a year younger than N953A and it is also an expatriate, reportedly based in Guernsey it arrived from the Isle-of-Man. Guernsey is also the base of Cessna 421C VR-CPR from where it arrived on the 19th. Cessna 441 OY-KNM on the 20th belongs to Begimmo NV and it visited again on the 23rd. A German light aircraft is becoming rare here but the Mooney M20M D-ERAW visited twice this month, once on the 21st and again on the 23rd. New to the LBA was the Mitsubishi MU-2M N767MD on the 22nd which came from Antwerp and is registered to Lastek-Air Inc. Visiting on the same day was the Danish King Air B90 OY-JRO and Cessna 421C VR-CPR which arrived from Bergamo in Italy. The Bandeirante OY-BHT which arrived on the 26th belongs to Muk Air and is with Knightair for two weeks for a check six, Muk Air have 3 more Bandits in their fleet plus two Short 330s and a Short 360 so there is a chance of more work for Knightair. Visiting twice on the 27th was the Welshpool based Rockwell 690C VR-BLK and we also had the King Air F-GMGB back again. On the military side HS 125 XX507 was "Ascot1686" on the 6th, Gazelle XZ313 was "Army 360" on the 14th Gazelle XX392 was "Army 240" on the 28th and the redundant Queens Flight sent us BAe 146 ZE700 as "Kitty 2" on the 17th and "Kitty 3" on the 21st. Operating with callsign "Minair 55B-C" on the 3rd was HS 125 G-OCAA whilst the following day we had HS 125 G-ATPD of Aeromedicare operating as "Lifeline 01". Air Atlantique DC3 G-AMRA visited as "Atlantique 342P" on the 13th. Night stopping on the 14th was Sikorsky S-76 G-EWEL with the callsign "Linton 1" whilst the Sheppley based JetRanger G-BTFX visited on the 17th using the new callsign "Seltex 1". New with Air UK this month were the Fokker 50's G-UKTE on the 20th and G-UKTC on the 26th. On the 24th Knightair were contacted by BAC Leasing and asked if they had a spare Bandit crew they could borrow, the crew went to Liverpool and repossessed the ATS Vulcan Bandit G-BLVG for BAC and brought it to the LBA where it joined G-DBAC which had been siezed when it arrived on the evening schedule. They both moved into Knightairs hangar for storage and when the King Air G-OAVX arrived to see what was happening the airport siezed it and parked it on the eastern end of the apron. Another airline bites the dust. Not noted in the movements was cessna 335 G-RIND which arrived by road on the 6th for rebuild by Knightair after being severely damaged in an accident at Rochester. Mainair Gemini Flash G-MWRH also came by road on the 26th and departed to Rufforth after being assembled outside the YLA hangar. On the resident scene Cessna 182 G-BOPG now seems to be ours and the Baron G-AWAJ is now back in the YLA hangar, Aztec G-TAXI is reported to have moved out to Sandtoft.

global topics by alan sedgwick

IN-FLIGHT CATERING has often been the butt of some cruel jokes. especially when reference is made to the delicate flavour or size of the portions. However if you heard someone remark that what they had on their last flight was peanuts, they were not necessarily complaining and may have literally had that. Peanuts or crackers on the US carrier Southwest Airlines were introduced with the companies view that an average 60 minute flight time makes a full meal service impracticable. The savings and improvements in efficiency and turn-round times have won the Airline awards and brought lower costs for passengers. Similar bites have been taken out of meals sizes with Continental and Valueiet, fast food has now reared its unly head as United are trying a well known cheeseburger, whilst American look to a pizza deal. Long flights appear safe though as U.S. carriers can spend up to 6 times the domestic meal cost per head on transatlantic routes. On this side of the 'pond' the research says that Europeans insist on a quality long-haul product and will not take kindly to anything less. Reflecting on short hops how many readers have felt decidedly pushed, fiddling with little containers, rushing the hot coffee and guzzling down that 'short' whilst you wrestle with your paper between LBA or MAN and LHR, knowing that 15 mins into the flight you are on descent!!.

MUNICH still has two airports to head for as far as the after dark revellers of this city are concerned, for they are both competing for the DMs of the young and fashionable. The old Reim field is the nearest to city at just 7 miles to the north east and now houses four dance halls, one of which holds rock concerts. Not to be outdone the new Franz Josef Strauss airport can attract 5,000 to its two dance floors, restaurant, 6 bars and swimming pool. At weekends those with stamina can dance through the night, then tuck into a wheat beer and white sausage breakfast before heading home.

DENVER INTERNATIONAL airport finally opened for business on Feb. 28 with the arrival of its 'first' passenger, the airways manuals pioneer, Elrey Jepperson. Sixteen Months behind schedule it replaced the old Stapleton field which had been in use since 1929, but at a cost of almost \$3bn extra it is now the subject of an FBI investigation. The idea of the City's former Mayor and now U.S. transport secretary Frederico Pena, it has been surrounded with horror stories of cracking runways and a \$230m baggage handling system that shredded luggage with ease. Belongings are now passing through the systems more safely with the help of a traditional cart system at an extra \$40m cost and if you need a rental car, we understand there are around 23,000!



Military Matters

Eric Martin



MILITARY HELICOPTER NEWS

Yet another choice has to be made in defence procurement and, once more, a compromise appears to be in the offing to complement the C130J/FLA compromise. The choice for an Army support helicopter lies between Westland's Anglo-Italian EH101 and the Boeing Chinook. Current indications are that two squadrons of the EH101 and one squadron of Chinooks are to be ordered.

The RAF seems to be keen to procure the Chinook to add to its current fleet of thirty, plus three already on order. RAF preference is for the heavy-lift capability of the Chinook with its compatability with US and NATO forces.

The opposing Army argument for the EHIC1 is that it would more obviously replace the Wessex and the Puma, both medium-lift umtility helicopters. Lestland also argue that the EHIC1 can fly search and rescue missions, deliver a 24-man Army team in severe conditions and fly from ships, none of which the Chinook can accomplish. In connection with the latter role, Westlands have already secured an order from the Royal Navy for 44 Merlins, the marine version of the EHIC1.

Information is also not yet forthcoming about the choice for the new attack-helicopter. This procurement is not expected to take place until later in the year whereas the support-helicopter announcement is due within the next month.

The Army and the RAF are to provide a combined force of eighteen helicopters to supplement the United Nations Protection Force (UNPROFOR) in Bosnia-Hercegovina, although some will remain on standby. The Army is to supply six Lynx and six Gazelles and the RAF six Chinooks.

Four Lynx Mark 7 from 9 Regiment Army Air Corps, based at Dishforth, have already arrived in Bosnia. They were transported by RAF Hercules, long with aircrews, ground crews, support staff and light stores. Heavy stores were transported by road in a convoy of eight heavy support vehicles which travelled by road via Germany, Austria and Slovenia.

PAF Heliconter Squadrons and Units:

Squadrons and U	nits:
Odiham	Chinook
Laarbruch	Chinook Fuma
Valley, etc.	Sea King
Boulmer, etc.	Sea King
Odiham	Chinook Puma
Hong Kong	Chinook
Odiham	Puma
Benson	Vessex
Aldergrove	Wessex
Mount Pleasan	t Sea King Chinook
Akrotiri	wessex
Shawbury	Wessex Gazelle
Shawbury	Gazelle
	Odiham Laarbruch Valley, etc. Boulmer, etc. Odiham Hong Kong Odiham Benson Aldererove Mount Pleasan Akrotiri Shawbury

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AIR YORKSHIRE COMMERCIAL AVIATION NEWS



BY DAVID WOOLER

WELCOME

LEEDS/BRADFORD NEWS

Next summer sees several football European championship matches played in Yorkshire. The resident football expert at work tells me there will be three matches played at Leeds, Elland Road and three matches at Sheffield Hillsborough. I have been promised further details (such as who will play who, dates etc.) as they become available. Lets hope they attract some interesting airliners.

By early March the roof had been completed on the new terminal extension. Construction is been undertaken by Wiltshire Construction (Yorkshire) Ltd. As well as doubling the size of international departures a new food court will offer outlets such as Pizza Hut, Upper Crust and a Yorkshire themed pub. One report even suggests the airport has spent £8000 on a piano which plays itself!! A mezzanine level will feature an executive departure area. The extension will also enable the domestic departure lounge to double in size.

Quite a few of the scheduled flights have changed this month, details are shown under the appropriate airline.

Aer Lingus have reintroduced the afternoon Dublin service from 26th March. EI366 arrives at LBA from Dublin at 1440 (1455 on Sundays). The return flight EI367 departs at 1635 every day. The length of time the aircraft spends on the ground seems a little suspect. Flights are SAAB 340 operated.

Air U.K. several changes to the Leeds - Amsterdam timings. Major changes are UK752 departs at 0635 instead of 0655 every morning Mon. to Sat. UK 758 arrives home at Leeds at 2100 instead of the original 2130. Minor changes to other Amsterdam departures are UK754 now departs at 1035 instead of 1025 and UK758 is now scheduled to leave at 1730 instead of 1735. Return flights from Amsterdam which have changed are UK753 arriving at 1005 instead of 1000 and UK755 arrives at 1445 instead of 1500. Changes are effective from 26th March onwards.

Guernsey services commence on 8th April and are shown as operated by F-27's. UK259 departs at 1130 on saturdays returning as UK260 at 1930. Sunday, UK257 departs at 0830 arriving back at LBA at 1445 as UK260.

ATS Vulcan unfortunately this airline ceased operations on Friday 24th February. This of course means the demise of their Leeds - Southampton service. However this should be good news for Knightair. Their two leased in aircraft G-BLVG and G-DBAC both arrived at Leeds on the 24th and were parked at the rear of Knightair, during the following Sunday. One was operating the evening sortie from Southampton when it was impounded. The other one positioned in from Liverpool.

On Saturday ATS Vulcan sent their King Air, G-OAVX, to collect the stranded crews. However the airport also impounded this aircraft! It has been parked on the far Eastern end of the apron from this date.

British Midland commence their Monday, Wednesday and Friday Jersey service on 27th March. The service departs Leeds as BD1174 at 1015. The flight arrives in Jersey at 1140. The return leg leaves Jersey at 1220 arriving at Leeds/Bradford at 1345 as BD1184.

Details for the initial weekend Jersey flights are as follows BD1714 leaves LBA on Saturdays from 1st April at 1335 and arrives back from Jersey at 1625 as BD1724. On Sundays from April 2nd BD1504 arrives at 1340 and departs back at 1410 as BD 1514. Usually these flights only operate for a month before been retimed to fit into the summer programme proper. The Saturday Glasgow to Leeds service now arrives back at 1800. This is because the aircraft flies a Glasgow - East Midlands - Glasgow service in between its Leeds flights.

Cityflyer/British Airways Express Have sold SD.3-60, G-BVMZ to Loganair.

The remaining three SD.3-60's will be phased out over the next 12 months. Routes which are currently operated by SD.3-60's will be operated by ATR-42's as the phase out takes place.

Dublin departures are 15 minutes later from 26th March BA8125 leaving at 1130 instead of 1115 Monday to Saturday and at 1330 instead of 1315 on Sundays. Inbound BA8126 arrives 30 minutes later at 1645.

Gatwick changes are the early morning departure BA8122 now departs at 0715 instead of 0645 from 27th March. The teatime BA8128 departure is also put back from 1700 to 1730 from this date. No change is made to the evening inbound from Gatwick (BA8129 at 2015). However the morning arrival BA8123 arrives at 1100 instead of 1025.

Gill Air will take on board G-DASI, (despite what I published last month), and will take over the Leeds to Edinburgh service operating it three times each weekday commencing on the 27th March. As we close for press it seems unclear if Gill Air will continue to use SD.3-60's or upgrade the service to ATR-42 equipment.

A report passed to me states that Gill Air have been advertising for Leeds based cabin crew who can speak French and German. This <u>unconfirmed</u> report states they are to take-over the Leeds to Brussels service from Sabena.

Jersey European Are to route their mid day JY734 Belfast City service via Isle of Man. The return JY737 will also operate back via "the island". Start date is given as March 26th.

Knightair As Mentioned In Last Months C.A.N. there has been quite drastic changes to Knightairs timetable. In an article in the *Telegraph and Argus* Knightair describe this as "timetable tightening".

No changes to the Aberdeen morning flights but NE816 now departs at 1725 instead of 1825 and the return NE817 Arrives Back At 2005 Instead Of 2105.

Belfast International outbound NE161 now departs at 0730 as oppose to original 0705 and NE167 now departs at 1705 instead of 1815. A new Sunday teatime service is NE169 Which departs At 1815. Return flight details are NE162 now arrives at 1000, was 0940. NE168 now arrives at 1935 was 2050. The new NE170 on Sunday evenings arrives at 2050.

Isle of Man services have been amended as follows. NE907 off Leeds at 1600 only now operates Sundays (was Fridays and Sundays). NE909 which used to depart at 1830 and return at 2020 as NE910 every weekday now departs as 1730 and returns at 1920. Days of operation and flight numbers remain unchanged. I mentioned last month the 1800 arrival from Southampton had been cancelled. This is not quite the case. The original planned change retimed the service to arrive an hour earlier at 1700 and retain its flight number NE816, which goes onward to Aberdeen. However in light of ATS Vulcans demise the Southampton services have once again been revised. Exact details are not clear but we have at least a breakfast and teatime departure to Southampton. For the return flights the NE816 operates as above and a new flight NE728 arrives back mid-evening.

This extra work means the 4th "Bandit" allocated for Teesside to Belfast services is not available. So the aircraft operates from Teesside to Leeds as NE161A to go on to Belfast as the NE161. On an evening NE168 continues up to Teesside as NE168A. Time will tell if this is a temporary arrangement or not.

Knightair have apparently won a maintenance contract to work on Muk Air's Bandeirantes, so these should become regular visitors.

Rumours of course abound around the airfield that Knightair will take control of the two impounded ATS Vulcan Bandeirantes.

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Denver (U.S.A.) is the first new United States airport to open for 21 years. The new airport replaces the old airfield at Stapleton. The airport was due to open in October 1993 but a new baggage handling system, which was of British manufacture delayed the opening. The revolutionary system allocated each piece of baggage its own cart and was suppose to get the baggage to the reclaim area before the passenger. However the main problem with the system was that the bags travelled so fast that they got thrown out of the cart at every corner. The airport finally opened on February 27th after installation of an old type conveyor system. The airport has spent \$7.5 million on works of art such as a gallery lined with banks of turning propellers and a roof of 34 white peaks which are suppose to mirror the Rockie mountains which provide a backdrop to the airport. The airport also has the tallest control tower in the world. In terms of area the airport is 10 times the size of Heathrow and will be the eight busiest in the world. The airport features five runways, which are at least one mile apart with no intersections, which means no backlog of aircraft trying to cross one active runway to get to another. However the only scheduled flight from the U.K. is a once a week Continental flight from Gatwick.

Humberside Has now been allocated its own airspace in the form of a special rules zone. The justification for this was the increase in traffic, however with the demise of both City Air Bus and Euro-Direct (see below) this may no longer be applicable!

Manchester is to impose a ban on all night operations by non Category Three noise standard aircraft from November of this year.

The airport lost £3 million as a result of the collapse of Bearings Bank. Manchester had £3 million invested in one of the banks investment trusts.

AIRLINER NEWS

City Air Bus February was certainly the month for airlines to go bust. City Air Bus stopped flying from their Humberside base the last week of February.

Euro-Direct another victim who ceased operations on Sunday 19th February after just 10 months of operations. The airline which operated BAe A.T.P.'s and Jetstreams blamed high costs for its failure. The airline attempted to set up an outstation at Humberside and at its peak operated flights from here to Bournemouth, Brussels, Dublin, Hamburg and Paris. The airline set up a Leeds to Bournemouth service last spring, but this was extremely short lived. Bournemouth airport in particular will be badly hit (see last months Airport News) as Euro-Direct were the only operator of scheduled passenger flights from Bournemouth. The airline had 160 employees.

United Airlines have developed a new boarding system to try to prevent "aisle clogging". Passengers on the airlines shuttle services will now be boarded window seats first, followed by middle seats and finally isle seats. The idea is that window seat passengers will no longer have to ask other passengers to leave their seats and block the isle so they can sit down.

AIRCRAFT NEWS

The Boeing 777 is due to make its first ever scheduled flight on June 7th. The United Airlines flight will be from Heathrow to Washington. The aircraft features many novel features for passenger. Each seat will have its own fax machine, video and telephone. *The Sunday Times* says the type is "Guaranteed to send plane spotters into a swoon"!

OTHER NEWS

Alak Krishnan, who claimed to be Britain's "unluckiest" traveller was jailed for 18 months for insurance fraud during February. Mr Krishan lost at least one suitcase everytime he flew, or so he claimed. He had made claims totalling more than £85,000 for lost or damaged baggage on international flights over two years. He would lose bags by checking in several empty cases, then packing them one inside the other at baggage claim counters at the journeys end.

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AVIATION QUIZ.

- 1. Did Alan Cobham ever give an air display at Yeadon?
- 2. The BOAC flying boat bringing Winston Churchill back from a conference with President Roosevelt in 1942 almost came to grief as it approached Plymouth. Why?
- 3. Adrienne Bolland was the first woman pilot to fly over the Andes. She flew from Argentina to Chile in 1921. What nationality was she?
- 4. Which country uses the registration letters (a) PP (b) 00 (c) N ?
- 5. On November 16th, 1954 a Douglas DC-6B landed at Los Angeles from Copenhagen, thereby completing the first scheduled passenger flight over the Arctic. Which airline was it?
- 6. Argentina lost more than 100 planes in the Falkalnd Islands War, either shot down or captured. True or false?
- 7. Is Croydon aerodrome still used for private flying?
- 8. Name the first capital city to be bombed from the air.
- 9. Has anyone ever flown across the English Channel in an upside down aircraft?
- 10. Who did the famous pilot, Amy Johnson marry on July 29th, 1932?
- 11. The first mid-air crash in civil aviation happened on April 7th, 1922 over France. One of those killed was a young Daimler Airways steward. How old was he?
- 12. Which airline inaugurated the world's first scheduled international passenger helicopter service?
- 13. Name the location of what was billed as the "First Aviation Meeting in England. 15th to 23rd October. 1909."
- 14. In 1954 the Hungarian airline Maszovlet changed its name on passing from Soviet to Hungarian control. What was the new name?
- 15. During World War II, film star Clark Gable was a USAAF Captain, and took part in air raids on Germany. True or false?
- 16. On August 7th, 1980, Janice Brown flew the monoplane "Gossamer Penguin" for two miles at Edwards Air Force Base, California. What was special about the flight?
- 17. Is or was (a) Seagreen Air Transport (b) Scenic Airlines (c) Sterling Airways a USA basei company?
- 18. Did the Belgian carrier Sabena start operating before or after 1920?
- 19. May 29th, 1987 was the date when an aircraft, flown by a West German called Mathias Rust, landed illegally in Red Square, Moscow. What type of aeroplane was it?
- 20. Which airline was officially created on November 15th, 1948?

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ANSWERS TO AVIATION QUIZ

- Some RAF Hurricane pilots at first mistook it for a German bomber, and nearly opened fire.
- (a) Brazil (b) Belgium (c) USA.
- SAS.
- True.
- No. It no longer exists.
- Paris-during World War I. 8.
- 9.
- 10. The well known flyer Jim Mollison.
- Sixteen. 11.
- Sabena.
- 13. Doncaster.
- Malév. 14.
- 15. True.
- The plane was solar-powered, and this was the first sustained
- flight using solar power.
 (a) No (b) Yes (c) No.
 After—May, 1923).
- Cessna 172. 19.
- 20. El Al.

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SALON AEROMAUTIQUE DU PARIS 1961

Back in the 'Swinging Sixties' there was a very active aviation Society based at Speke Airport, Liverpool, called the Merseyside Group of Aviation Enthusiasts, later called the Merseyside Aviation Society. The MGAE was active in the publishing field being the originator of 'Wrecks and Relics' and other such specialist books, of which there are now so many. I joined in the spring of 1960, and used to attend our club room in the original Flying Club Hangar, outside of which was our proud possession, the fuselage of Avro Avian G-EBZM, now on display in Manchester. I was an Art Student at the time, and didn't really have much cash to spare, but when it was mooted that we should charter an aircraft for a day trip to the Paris Air Show at Le Bourget in June 1961, I just had to go! I didn't even have a camera, so my birthday present was cadged from my parents two months early, and I bought a Kodak Brownie 44B.

When the time came a ticket was purchased for the HUGE sum of £14:17: $\bar{o}d$ (£14:72%p), plus 7/6d (37%p) landing fees at Paris. We were there early on 3 June 1961, to see our aircraft, Starways Douglas DC4 G-APEZ, taxy out to the old terminal building and apron, to the north of the current airport site. Gossip was that the DC4 had turned back from London on the previous day, due to a loose wing panel, but we weren't going to let a little thing like that ruin our day! If I remember rightly we took off about 0830, and had an uneventful two hour flight to Paris Orly. This was my second civil flight, the first was a BEA Pionair (DC3) G-AKNB London to Dinard in 1955, and a spin in an RAF Varsity with the Royal Observer Corps in between, and for many of us this was the first flight.

There was a great buzz of excitement as the DC4 taxied in and we could see the other visitors on the Ramp, including an Aeroflot Tu104, BOAC Brittania, and an El Al Boeing 707. As soon as the aircraft came to a halt and the crew opened the door, there was a stampede, and the apron had a hoard of spotters running around, like ants, scribbling away furiously logging numbers. The ground crew didn't even get a chance to rig the tailpost at the rear of the aircraft (The DC4 had a tendency to tip up if that wasn't in position!), and the Police were thrown into a quandry with these strange goings on!

Eventually we were 'rounded up' on to the buses that would take us to Le Bourget. Even that part of the day was eventful; as we rounded a corner in the Paris suburbs, we came across a Junkers JU52 fuselage being used as a combined home and advertising hoarding, The driver was coerced into stopping and there was a deafening clatter of lens shutters. About midday we eventually arrived at Le Bourget, to see quite the largest collection of aircraft any of us had ever seen; at that time Paris was a much bigger event than Farnborough. There was even a Swedish Air Force C47 Dakota in the Carpark, surrounded by vehicles.

The highlight of the Static was most definitely a TU 114 Rossiya, NATO 'Cleat', a civil version of the Bear seen all those years later at Fairford. There was a good contingent from the US Sixth Fleet in the Med. including a Tracer, (AEW Tracker), F4H Phantom, A4D Skyhawk, and an F4U Crusader! New from Italy a Fiat G-91T, and the French were showing the

Mirage IV Bomber for the first time, along with the Max Holste Broussard, and MH260 Super Broussard, a new aircraft soon to be familiar as the Nord 262. There was also two versions of a Potez design, the Potez 941, a four engine STOL freighter, with a mock-up of the 942 civil version in the static. This was one of those designs which came to nothing, and dissappeared into oblivion. Towering over all in the static, except the 'Cleat', was the Hurel Dubois HD34 high wing Survey aircraft. The British contingent was headed by a Javelin of 23 Sqn., a Vulcan Bl of 10 Sqn., and a Victor Bl of 83 Sqn. I can remember being over-awed at the sight of my first F104 Starfighter, in brilliant shiny metal finish, looking like a guided missile! Some of our group managed to find their way around to the far side of the airfield, where they found some French A.F. Lancasters, and a few AAC 1 'Toucan' (Licence -built Junkers 52). I preferred to stay in the display area and watch the flying display, as this was my first Air show, and I was determined to take in as much as I could.

The flying display took all day from 0953 to 1815! There were so many highlights I just can't do them all justice. Sadly the B58 Hustler had crashed the day before, so I had to wait until Mildenhail 1969 to see one of those at its only UK display. The flying started in the morning with the light aircraft, and the inimitable Roland Porteous, as always in an Auster, this time an Airedale, followed by a sucession of French lights such as the Rallye, Wassmer Super IV, and Emeraude, and then a massed fly-by of C172, PA18, and Colt! Slowly the size of the display items increased through Cessna 185, DO 27, and Aero Commander, and (yes, Terry!) a DH 104 Dove and Heron, and DHC Otter to the military and large aircraft in the afternoon. 1 think I am right in saying I have never seen a DC8 displayed since! Five different Beechcraft from V-tailed Bonanza to Queenair and Baron were displayed together, and at 1440 came the first of the military jets, a Jet Provost T3 of the RAF. Bill Bedford put on a spectacular display with the Hunter T7 and after the European debut of the T38 Talon, there was a mass flypast by 18 Sea Vixens, and Scimitars from HMS Hermes in the Channel. The Avro 748, was displayed before the F27 and H.P. Herald came together, and then item 58 on the programme, the staggering Nord 1500 Griffon, flown by Andre Turcat, the design so similar to the F16 of two decades later. Two Caravelles were flown together, one in the markings of United Air Lines, and the Short SC1 XG500 showed the British research into VTOL.

Then the French put on a spectacular display with all the different versions of the Mirage III and IV, including a 12 ship flypast, and followed by the Patrouille de France in Mystere IVs taking off for their display after the 'Yanks'. The Americans show was lots of noise from the F104 Starfighter, F4H Phantom, F105 Thunderchief, (I'd forgotten I'd seen one of those in the air!), and the F8U Crusader, and A3J Vigilante. The P1 Lightning did its usual stuff with a screaming climb out of sight flown by W/Cdr. Jimmy Dell, followed by the Tigers, 74(F) Sqn. in their Lightnings. That was quite the noisiest Aerobatic team I have ever seen, only at Binbrook at the 'Last Lightning Show' did we ever see such a sight again.

Some of us missed the massed flypast at the end, after the Vulcan and Victor, as we opted for a long way round trip back to Orly, via the Champs Elysses, and the city centre. It was the time of the OAS crisis between France and Algeria, and I will never forget the Police in twos on every corner, and armed with sub-machine guns. Sadly a sight we are almost used

to here now! At the Place du Concorde there were Sherman Tanks an Field Guns pointing up to the Arc de Triomphe. All around were Motor Cycle Cops on their Triumph Tiger Cubs, (This was the time when we still had a motor cycle industry.) and security was everywhere.

I was shattered and slept most of the flight home, but one more adventure awaited. Speke was closed, as were were half an hour late, out somehow the Airport managed to find a sleepy Controller, and we landed at about 0030, where my Father was beside himself with worry, waiting to take me and two chums back to Crosby.

That trip went down in 'Spotters's Legend'. It was the first such charter, and really put MGAE on the map. Such was the respect for the Society, that when FlyPast Magasine came out years later, the large 'P' was put into the titling to differentiate from our Group Magasine, Flypast. Sadly the MAS has passed into history, now the Group is part of Air Britain, but those days were definitely amongst the most interesting and innovative for Aviation Enthusiasts.



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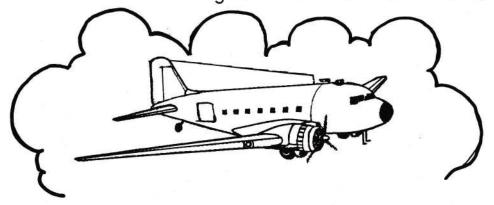
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