

Welcome to the JERSEY AERO CLUB

June 2023 members newsletter

Committee update ... by Andrew Renouf

Ports of Jersey Rescue and Firefighting Service



On 17th May the Club helped the Airport Fire Service by offering the premises to help with training.

The Fire Service entered the café using ladders to get on the balcony, then moved inside with breathing apparatus and blindfolds to simulate a smokefilled building. The objective was to search the café and loos to simulate a search to ensure that nobody would be left in the premises during a fire.

The Club was glad to help and this exercise provided lots of added interest for members in the café at lunchtime

Social Events

The Committee is acutely aware that we need to re-establish monthly events and we are very grateful to Mike Pownall who has volunteered to help us.

As stated before, we are happy to pay for return commercial travel and overnight hotel accommodation for good UK speakers to help revitalise this important aspect of the Club so if you have any suggestions please email <u>events@jerseyaeroclub.com</u>

14th June - 7.30 Phil Holt from High Flying Talks That's Air Show Business!

Phil has been involved in this business from the "ops" side for 35 years and there is much more to it than you'd realise. The "punters" will not know that planning had started well over a year before and involve some 20+ organisations. Phil has served as a Flying Display Director, been a member of Flying Control Committees, choreographed display programmes and served on Air Traffic Control teams. He worked for CAA/ NATS as an ATCA, ATCO, instructor and Examiner for almost 40 years. Planning, pilot qualifications, public safety and airspace requirements are just some of the topics covered.



14th July - 6.30 to 9.30 pm BBQ, drinks and evening in memory of Frank Curry



An evening in memory of Frank Curry will be held at the Club on Friday 14th July from 6.30 to 9.30 pm.

The Club and Frank's family invite Club members and their partners to join the for a BBQ evening. The event is being sponsored by three members and the Club. In order that we cater for the right amount of people, please sign up with Fatima no later than Friday 7th July.

We look forward to sharing all of those treasured Frank stories.

20th July - 7pm Talk by Nigel Webb

Coming II the way from Guernsey, Nigel will be a doing a talk about Transatlantic Flying in a Single Engine Aircraft.

Save the date - More details to follow.

Plane spotter's corner ... from Bob Sauvary's collection

Part one of two from Microlight Trade Fair 2023 at Popham on 29 April 23.



G-CEGJ P & M Quik GT.450



G-CEUZ P & M Quik GT.450



G-CEZX P & M Quik GT.450



G-CICV AutoGyro MTO Sport



G-CKJI Best Off Skyranger Nynja 912S



G-CLCO Groppo Traik Mk.2



G-CLOZ KFA Explorer



G-CLFA TL.2000 Sting Carbon S.4



G-CMNS Pipistrel Virus SW.127 BCAR-S



G-DUDP KFA Safari



G-ELBB Pipistrel Alpha BCAR-S 164



G-FOCX Aeropro EuroFox 2K

Table top sale ... Thank you ... from Alan Gay

The sale of flying equipment and cash donations raised £260 which will be donated to the Jersey Brain Tumour Charity in memory of David Jandron.

Alan Gay who held the sale recently at the club would like to thank those who purchased items, or made donations, for their generosity.





Update ... by Richard Hawkin

G.A. HANDBOOK

The U.K.'s Department for Trade has recently published a G.A. Handbook. It's intended to paint a picture of general aviation activity in the U.K.

The handbook provides an introduction to the general aviation (GA) sector. The sector includes all non-scheduled commercial civil aviation and represents a diverse range of activity ranging from emergency services to recreational flying.

It outlines the economic, social and infrastructural value of GA and the sector's supporting airfield network.

It also explains how the sector can work with stakeholders, such as local authorities to improve operations, safety and services for the benefit of businesses, the economy and the community.

The handbook is for stakeholders including:

- · the GA sector and associated organisations
- local authorities
- other private organisations

It can be viewed by following this link -

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/general-aviation-handbook



Update ... by Glen Heavens



Synergy is delighted to welcome Kristine back to instructing on a more regular basis!

Kristine is a very experienced instructor and has worked with Synergy for over 8 years both instructing and flying our B200 King Airs!

For sale and wanted items ...

Anything you wish to sale or to buy? Simply send me an email at <u>evelinehawkin@gmail.com</u> and it will appear in the following months newsletter. *Please* remember to send photos separately.

FOR SALE

¹⁄₄ Share G-OSCC PA32-300 £25K Contact Martin Hayter on 07700770084 or <u>martin hayter@yahoo.com</u>





DA42 Diamond Twinstar 1/3rd share for sale - £80K Contact Mike Liston on 07797 713284 or <u>Mmikeliston@aol.com</u>



Update ... by Eveline Hawkin

2023 HW bursary sponsored by





We are delighted to announce that the recipient of the 2023 Helping Wings flying bursary sponsored by Ports of Jersey had been awarded to Jack Irving.

Jack has already had a few lessons with Synergy's instructor Martin and is thoroughly enjoying it.

Also shortly available will be a further bursary with £3500 of flying training sponsored by **The Butlin Family Charity Trust**

This is another amazing opportunity for a local person who may not otherwise consider flying within their reach to take to the skies.

If you are aware or can recommend someone you feel would benefit from this offer, please contact me on <u>hello@helpingwingsjersey.org</u>

And finally... the usual reminders ...

The committee can be contacted on - committee@jerseyaeroclub.com

Anything for the newsletter should be sent to me on <u>evelinehawkin@gmail.com</u> remembering to let me have any photos separately

See you at the club!

Eveline