

1996 Earley Squadron Newsletter

April 2013



Wing 5 a-side Competition

Wing 5 a-side football was an exciting event on Sunday, April 7th where Earley Squadron attended alongside a large number of other squadrons in the wing. The competition was stiff and unfortunately we lost our first game 2-0, leaving the team, Flt Sgt Mignot, Cpl Davies, Cpl Stamp, Cdt Bilal, Cdt Wallace, and Reserve - Cdt Webb feeling downhearted. After exchanging lots of feedback they prepared themselves for the next game against Didcot, who after an intense match and an outstanding effort from Cpl Stamp saving countless shots, managed a 1-1 draw. The final game was an outstanding win for Earley of 4-0 with a hat trick from Cpl Davies and a goal from Cdt Wallace. Well done to all who turned up and played and supported our team for showing great sportsmanship throughout the day.

Article written by Cadet James Webb

Upcoming Events

11/05/13 – Model Railway Exhibition
19/05/13 – Wing Athletics Competition
08/06/13 – Blenheim Palace Triathlon

Fieldcraft Training Day

Thames Valley Wing held an outdoors training day at Bramley Training Area to trial the new ATC foundation fieldcraft module. Cadet Senthilnathan attended the course and had a fantastic time, learning about campcraft, kit-care, cooking, shelter building and basic patrolling. He is now also qualified to take part in future Tactical Leadership courses.



QAIC

Congratulations to Flt Sgt Mignot for passing through the Qualified Aerospace Instructor's Course based at Boscombe Down. He has been presented with his blue lanyard and is now able to instruct on the regional aerospace training facilities.

Facebook Group

We now have an official Earley Squadron Facebook group. This will be used to send out announcements about future events and upload photos from events for other cadets/parents to see. Join the group by searching for '1996 Earley Air Cadets'.

Thames Valley Wing:

www.aircadets.tv

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www.dofe.org

Air Cadets:

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<http://www.aircadets.info/>

1996 (Earley) Squadron:

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