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# RAF Valley

## Aircraft Movements

### 2000

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#### UPDATE V2

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#### SUMMARY

74[R]Sqn disbanded in September 2000.  
No Hawk display pilot in 2000.  
80 Hawk T.1 airframes were to be rebuilt starting September 2000.  
The rebuild would be at a rate of two per month until 2003.

#### Abbreviations

| Abbreviations |                                                             |
|---------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| AAC           | Army Air Corps                                              |
| CoAM          | Centre for Aviation Medicine                                |
| DHFS          | Defence Helicopter Flying School                            |
| DTEO          | Defence Test & Evaluation Organisation                      |
| ETPS          | Empire Test Pilots School                                   |
| FRADU         | Fleet Requirements and Aircraft Direction Unit [RN support] |
| FS/FW         | Fighter Squadron/Fighter Wing [USAF]                        |
| FTS           | Flying Training School                                      |
| LTW           | Lyneham Transport Wing                                      |

|          |                                    |
|----------|------------------------------------|
| MFTA     | Mountain Flying Training Area      |
| NAS      | Naval Air Squadron                 |
| N/stop   | Night [overnight] stop             |
| PD       | Practice Diversion                 |
| [R]      | Reserve                            |
| SAR      | Search & Rescue                    |
| SARTU    | Search & Rescue Training Unit      |
| Sqn      | Squadron                           |
| [TR]     | The Royal                          |
| VASF     | Visiting Aircraft Servicing Flight |
| W/e stop | Weekend stopover                   |
| Wg       | Wing                               |

RAF Valley based aircraft at the beginning of 2000:

Hawks

19[R]Sqn

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Sea King HAR.3 C Flt/22 Sqn

XZ587 XZ594

Griffin HT.1 60[R]Sqn/SARTU

ZJ242:E ZJ241:L ZJ240:U

### Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|       |   |           |       |      |
|-------|---|-----------|-------|------|
| XX311 | - | Hawk T.1  | FRADU | VASF |
| XX187 | - | Hawk T.1A | FRADU | VASF |

### Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |              |            |                |
|-------|----|--------------|------------|----------------|
| XX227 | -  | Hawk T.1A    | Red Arrows | 'RED4' VASF    |
| XX237 | -  | Hawk T.1     | Red Arrows | 'RED5' VASF    |
| ZA682 | EW | Chinook HC.2 | 7 Sqn      | 'SHF522' VASF  |
| XX253 | -  | Hawk T.1A    | Red Arrows | 'RED.' VASF    |
| XX266 | -  | Hawk T.1A    | Red Arrows | 'RED.' VASF    |
| XZ360 | FN | Jaguar GR.3* | 41 Sqn     | 'S01' departed |

|                                                       |  |                |        |                  |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--|----------------|--------|------------------|
| *It had been unserviceable at Valley since 21.12.1999 |  |                |        |                  |
|                                                       |  | Tornado F.3    | 11 Sqn | PD 'RAZOR1'      |
|                                                       |  | 3x Hercules C. | LTW    | PD 'STARTREK1-3' |

### Monday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                                                            |     |              |            |                   |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|--------------|------------|-------------------|
|                                                                                                            |     | Tornado GR.  | 13 Sqn     | PD 'LANCER1'      |
| ZA549                                                                                                      | III | Tornado GR.4 | 13 Sqn     | PD 'LANCER2'      |
| After the pairs PD 'LANCER2' declared a PAN 30nms E of Valley and returned to Valley on 14, landed safely. |     |              |            |                   |
| XX325                                                                                                      | CE  | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn    | VASF              |
| XX264                                                                                                      | -   | Hawk T.1A    | Red Arrows | VASF              |
| XX157                                                                                                      | -   | Hawk T.1A    | FRADU      | VASF              |
| XX311                                                                                                      | -   | Hawk T.1     | FRADU      | VASF              |
|                                                                                                            |     | Nimrod MR.2  |            | PD on 19 at 11:50 |

### Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |           |         |             |
|-------|----|-----------|---------|-------------|
| XX265 | CN | Hawk T.1A | 100 Sqn | VASF        |
|       |    | Jaguar    |         | PD at 11:40 |

### Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|       |        |               |            |      |
|-------|--------|---------------|------------|------|
| XX289 | CI     | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn    | VASF |
| XX311 | -      | Hawk T.1      | FRADU      | VASF |
| ZA111 | 565:CU | Jetstream T.2 | 750 NAS    | VASF |
| XX484 | 566:CU | Jetstream T.2 | 750 NAS    | VASF |
| XX156 | -      | Hawk T.1      | Red Arrows | VASF |

### Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|        |    |                |              |                              |
|--------|----|----------------|--------------|------------------------------|
| XX278  | CC | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn      | 'LEE95' VASF                 |
| R-03   | -  | AB.412SP       | 303 Sqn/KLu  | SARTU N/stop from Leeuwarden |
| G-ATIA | -  | PA-24 Comanche | Private      | VASF                         |
|        | LN | F-15E          | 492 FS/48 FW | PD 'MONGOL82' at 12:40       |
|        |    | Jetstream T.1  | 45[R]Sqn     | 'CWL08' VASF                 |
|        |    | Jaguar GR.     | DTEO         | PD 'GAUNTLET23' at 16:25     |
|        | LN | F-15E          | 492 FS/48 FW | PD 'DIPPER41' at 17:45       |
|        | LN | F-15E          | 492 FS/48 FW | PD 'DIPPER42' at 17:45       |
|        | LN | F-15E          | 494 FS/48 FW | PD 'COUGAR01' at 17:50       |
|        | LN | F-15E          | 494 FS/48 FW | PD 'CUSTER81' at 18:00       |
|        | LN | F-15E          | 494 FS/48 FW | PD 'CUSTER82' at 18:00       |

### Friday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|       |   |             |             |                   |
|-------|---|-------------|-------------|-------------------|
|       |   | Nimrod MR.2 | Kinloss Wg  | PD 'V9T' at 10:00 |
| ZD279 | - | Lynx AH.7   | 655 Sqn/AAC | 'AAC564' VASF     |

|                                                                                                                                                  |      |               |          |               |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|---------------|----------|---------------|
| XX841                                                                                                                                            | [ES] | Jaguar T.4    | 6 Sqn    | 'COLT12' VASF |
| Declared a PAN at 12:25 after a birdstrike South of Llanbedr, landed safely at Valley.<br>After inspection departed back to Coltishall at 14:05. |      |               |          |               |
|                                                                                                                                                  |      | Jetstream T.1 | 45[R]Sqn | 'CWL65' VASF  |

#### Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|  |  |      |     |             |
|--|--|------|-----|-------------|
|  |  | Lynx | NAS | VASF refuel |
|--|--|------|-----|-------------|

#### Monday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                                                                                                   |    |               |          |                      |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|---------------|----------|----------------------|
| ZE908                                                                                                                                             | HV | Tornado F.3   | 56[R]Sqn | AGWOEU 'TYPHOON50'   |
| Arrived 09:50 in full 111 Sqn markings, flew 2 sorties on the range at 12:00 & 14:50.<br>It was working with 'GAUNTLET26, TRIDENT & CIVIC FLIGHT' |    |               |          |                      |
| ZJ273                                                                                                                                             | 73 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS     | 'SYS69' SARTU        |
| ZJ272                                                                                                                                             | 72 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS     | 'SYS64' SARTU        |
| ZJ275                                                                                                                                             | 75 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS     | 'SYS58' SARTU        |
| The Squirrels flew local sorties in Holyhead Harbour, also present 18.1                                                                           |    |               |          |                      |
| XX187                                                                                                                                             | -  | Hawk T.1A     | FRADU    | 'PURPLE1/CUL39' VASF |
| XX331                                                                                                                                             | CK | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn  | 'LEE81' VASF         |

#### Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|       |   |              |          |         |
|-------|---|--------------|----------|---------|
| XX220 | - | Hawk T.1A    | FRADU    | VASF    |
|       |   | Griffin HT.1 | 60[R]Sqn | 'SYS08' |

#### Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                |      |             |                |                               |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------|-------------|----------------|-------------------------------|
| ZE908                                                          | HV   | Tornado F.3 | 56[R]Sqn       | 'CBY56' departed to Coningsby |
|                                                                |      | MC-130P     | 67 SOS/352 SOG | PD 'SHADOW67' PM              |
|                                                                |      | MH-53M      | 21 SOS/352 SOG | PD 'PAVE32' PM                |
| 70-1630                                                        | 1630 | MH-53M      | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE34' VASF dep 24.1        |
| 67-14994                                                       | 4994 | MH-53M      | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE35' VASF dep 21.1        |
| 'PAVE34 & 35' carried out a couple of circuits before landing. |      |             |                |                               |

#### Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|                                                         |        |             |         |                            |
|---------------------------------------------------------|--------|-------------|---------|----------------------------|
| The 21 SOS MH-53's flew sorties as 'PAVE45/46' see 19.1 |        |             |         |                            |
| XX220                                                   | -      | Hawk T.1A   | FRADU   | VASF                       |
| XZ735                                                   | 437:GT | Lynx HAS.3S | 815 NAS | 'NAVY437' VASF HMS Grafton |

#### Friday 21<sup>st</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|          |      |        |                |                        |
|----------|------|--------|----------------|------------------------|
| 67-14994 | 4994 | MH-53M | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE52' VASF W/e stop |
|----------|------|--------|----------------|------------------------|

#### Monday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|        |    |            |                  |                     |
|--------|----|------------|------------------|---------------------|
| G-FCAL | -  | Cessna 441 | Flight Precision | VASF flight checker |
| XX265  | CN | Hawk T.1A  | 100 Sqn          | VASF                |

|       |    |               |       |                    |
|-------|----|---------------|-------|--------------------|
| ZJ255 | 55 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS  | SARTU              |
| ZA682 | EW | Chinook HC.2  | 7 Sqn | VASF local sorties |



[Glyn Jones]

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|----------|------|--------|----------------|------|
| 67-14994 | 4994 | MH-53M | 21 SOS/352 SOG | VASF |
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[Glyn Jones]

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| 70-1630 | 1630 | MH-53M | 21 SOS/352 SOG | VASF departed |
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[Glyn Jones]

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|---------|------|---------|----------------|--------------------------|
| 73-1652 | 1652 | MH-53M  | 21 SOS/352 SOG | VASF                     |
|         |      | MC-130P | 67 SOS/352 SOG | PD 'SHADOW05' 17:10-40   |
|         |      | MC-130H | 7 SOS/352 SOG  | PD 'TALON40' 18:30-19:15 |

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]**

|          |      |                |                |                                |
|----------|------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|
| 67-14994 | 4994 | MH-53M         | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE26' VASF                  |
| 73-1652  | 1652 | MH-53M         | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE25' VASF                  |
| 69-5796  | 5796 | MH-53M         | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE21' local sortie then dep |
| XZ394    | GN   | Jaguar GR.3    | 54 Sqn         | 'BLACKCAT' VASF                |
| ZE808    | FA   | Tornado F.3    | 56[R]Sqn       | AGW0EU 'TYPHOON3'              |
| XX289    | CI   | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn        | VASF                           |
| ZA319    | B-11 | Tornado GR.1   | 15[R]Sqn       | 'LOS15' VASF [TTTE marks]      |
| ZF447    | 447  | Tucano T.1     | 1 FTS          | VASF                           |
| ZG479    | 69   | Harrier GR.7   | 20[R]Sqn       | VASF                           |
| XX322    | -    | Hawk T.1A      | FRADU          | VASF                           |
| XX220    | -    | Hawk T.1A      | FRADU          | VASF                           |
| XX534    | B    | Bulldog T.1    | BUAS           | 'UAS10' VASF [Birmingham]      |
| XX499    | G    | Jetstream T.1  | 45[R]Sqn       | 'CWL84' VASF                   |
|          |      | 2x Hercules C. | LTW            | PD on 14                       |
| ZA682    | EW   | Chinook HC.2   | 7 Sqn          | VASF                           |

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                       |    |              |        |                                |
|-------------------------------------------------------|----|--------------|--------|--------------------------------|
| XX157                                                 | -  | Hawk T.1A    | FRADU  | 'CRIMSON1' VASF                |
| XX220                                                 | -  | Hawk T.1A    | FRADU  | 'BRONZE1/YEOVIL78' VASF        |
| ZA680                                                 | NX | Chinook HC.2 | 27 Sqn | 'SHF430' VASF hot refuel 15:30 |
| ZE682                                                 | EW | Chinook HC.2 | 7 Sqn  | 'SHF522/530'                   |
| 'EW departed at 10:00 and flew 2 sorties in the MFTA. |    |              |        |                                |

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|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------|
| One sortie involved an inflatable dinghy in the back.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |      |                |                |                          |
| ZJ278                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | 78   | Squirrel HT.1  | DHFS           | 'SYS100' ferry for ZJ239 |
| 67-14994                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 4994 | MH-53M         | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE71' VASF            |
| 'PAVE71' departed to the North at 12:05 with 35mins enroute.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |      |                |                |                          |
| 73-1652                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 1652 | MH-53M         | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE35' VASF            |
| 'PAVE35' departed off 08 for the Conwy Valley & MFTA, returned 16:00.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |      |                |                |                          |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |      | MH-53M         | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE31' VASF            |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |      | MC-130H        | 7 SOS/352 SOG  | PD 'TALON' at 20:50      |
| -                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |      |                |                |                          |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | -    | Sea King HAR.3 | 22 Sqn         | 'RESCUE122'              |
| <p>Attended Griffin HT.1 ZJ237:T 60[R]Sqn 'SYS91' which had declared a PAN at 13:54 behind Pentre Motors, 2nms S of Denbigh with severe engine vibration. The call was picked up by 'MAGIC88' and the Griffin landed safely. 'PAVE31' overflew the site to ensure all was well, it then continued its sortie whilst 'RESCUE122' attended from Valley.</p> |      |                |                |                          |
| Based noted:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |      |                |                |                          |
| Griffin HT.1 ZJ239:R 60[R]Sqn 'SYS97' delivery from Shawbury with ZJ278 as crew ferry back.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |      |                |                |                          |

#### Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                                      |      |             |                |                             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|-------------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| XX248                                                                                | CJ   | Hawk T.1A   | 100 Sqn        | 'JAVELIN92' VASF            |
| 73-1648                                                                              | 1648 | MH-53J      | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE41' VASF               |
|  |      |             |                |                             |
| Hot refuel at 13:30 then departed back to Mildenhall. [Glyn Jones]                   |      |             |                |                             |
| 73-1652                                                                              | 1652 | MH-53M      | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE45'                    |
| Departed at 15:05 for a local sortie off the Skerries for 45mins.                    |      |             |                |                             |
| 67-14994                                                                             | 4994 | MH-53M      | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE46'                    |
| Departed at 15:50 for a local sortie off the East coast of Anglesey for 1hr.         |      |             |                |                             |
|                                                                                      |      | Hawk T.1A   | BAE Warton     | PD 'TARNISH12'              |
| ZJ100                                                                                | -    | Hawk 102D   | BAE Warton     | PD 'TARNISH10' [or ZA101 ?] |
|                                                                                      |      | Tornado F.3 | 56[R]Sqn       | PD 'SATURN1'                |

|       |   |              |             |               |
|-------|---|--------------|-------------|---------------|
|       |   | Tornado F.3  | 56[R]Sqn    | PD 'SATURN2'  |
| XZ326 | - | Gazelle AH.1 | 664 Sqn/AAC | 'AAC510' VASF |

**Monday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |                   |               |             |
|-------|-----|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
| XX322 | -   | Hawk T.1A         | FRADU         | VASF        |
| XX154 | -   | Hawk T.1          | DERA Llanbedr | VASF        |
| XX319 | -   | Hawk T.1A         | 100 Sqn       | VASF        |
| ZD612 | 711 | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 899 NAS       | VASF N/stop |
| ZH800 | 716 | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 899 NAS       | VASF N/stop |

The Sea Harriers were later moved over to the AGWOEU site.

Based noted:

Sea King HAR.3 XZ587 XZ594 C Flt/22 Sqn.

Griffin HT.1 60[R]Sqn/SARTU

ZJ241:L ZJ239:R [replaced ZJ242:E] ZJ240:U

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |               |           |                              |
|-------|----|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|
| ZE700 | -  | BAe.146 CC.2  | 32[TR]Sqn | VASF visit by Polish General |
| ZJ274 | 74 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS      | 'SYS58' SARTU                |

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2000 [VAS][GJ]**

|       |     |                   |         |          |
|-------|-----|-------------------|---------|----------|
| ZH809 | 123 | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 800 NAS | 'SATAN1' |
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[Glyn Jones]

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|---------|-----|-------------------|---------|----------|
| [ZD607] | 125 | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 800 NAS | 'SATAN2' |
|---------|-----|-------------------|---------|----------|



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| [Glyn Jones] |     |                   |         |                   |
| ZD612        | 711 | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 899 NAS | AGWOEU N/stop     |
| ZH811        | 714 | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 899 NAS | AGWOEU N/stop     |
| XZ112        | GA  | Jaguar GR.3A      | SAOEU   | AGWOEU day sortie |



|              |   |              |       |                   |
|--------------|---|--------------|-------|-------------------|
| [Glyn Jones] |   |              |       |                   |
| ZD411        | U | Harrier GR.7 | SAOEU | AGWOEU day sortie |



|              |     |                |             |                             |
|--------------|-----|----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|
| [Glyn Jones] |     |                |             |                             |
| [G-AZYV]     | -   | PA-28 Cherokee | Private     | VASF                        |
| ZF512        | 512 | Tucano T.1     | 1 FTS       | VASF                        |
| ZD279        | -   | Lynx AH.7      | 655 Sqn/AAC | VASF                        |
| ZF137        | 137 | Tucano T.1     | 1 FTS       | VASF                        |
| G-BWFG       | -   | Robin HR200    | Private     | VASF N/stop from Caernarfon |

### Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                                                                                  |  |  |  |  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| <p>12 Sqn arrived from Lossiemouth for their MPC.<br/>Arrival delayed from 7.2 due to bad weather, <b>present until 10.2</b></p> |  |  |  |  |
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[Glyn Jones]

|       |    |               |        |                 |
|-------|----|---------------|--------|-----------------|
| ZA447 | FA | Tornado GR.1B | 12 Sqn | AGWOEU dep 10.2 |
| ZA475 | FH | Tornado GR.1B | 12 Sqn | AGWOEU dep 10.2 |



[Glyn Jones]

|         |      |               |        |                 |
|---------|------|---------------|--------|-----------------|
| [ZA452] | [FC] | Tornado GR.1B | 12 Sqn | AGWOEU dep 10.2 |
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[Glyn Jones]

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|--|-----|---------------|--------|-----------------|
|  | [-] | Tornado GR.1B | 12 Sqn | AGWOEU dep 10.2 |
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[Glyn Jones]

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2000 [VAS]**

|        |   |              |              |                            |
|--------|---|--------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| G-PLAH | - | Jetstream 31 | Platinum Air | 'PLATINUM0171' VASF N/stop |
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**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2000 [VAS][GJ]**

|                                                                      |   |              |        |            |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---|--------------|--------|------------|
| G-BLKP                                                               | - | Jetstream 31 | BAE    | VASF       |
| Arrived for the opening of the new Hawk Synthetic Training Facility. |   |              |        |            |
| [ZG707]                                                              | B | Tornado GR.4 | 13 Sqn | PD 'MRH19' |



[Glyn Jones]

|  |  |                |     |               |
|--|--|----------------|-----|---------------|
|  |  | 3x Hercules C. | LTW | PD 'STARTREK' |
|--|--|----------------|-----|---------------|

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |             |          |      |
|-------|----|-------------|----------|------|
| XX320 | CS | Hawk T.1A   | 100 Sqn  | VASF |
|       |    | Tornado F.3 | 56[R]Sqn | PD   |

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |                |           |                               |
|-------|----|----------------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| ZE368 | -  | Sea King HAR.3 | 203[R]Sqn | 'SRG42' 22 Sqn N/stop         |
| ZD982 | EK | Chinook HC.2   | 7 Sqn     | 'SHF540' VASF to Brize Norton |

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |              |       |                             |
|-------|----|--------------|-------|-----------------------------|
| ZD982 | EK | Chinook HC.2 | 7 Sqn | 'SHF540' VASF to Aldergrove |
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#### Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2000 [VAS]

|       |   |             |            |                    |
|-------|---|-------------|------------|--------------------|
| XX516 | A | Bulldog T.1 | BUAS/3 AEF | VASF [Bristol UAS] |
| XV723 | Q | Wessex HC.2 | 72 Sqn     | VASF               |

#### Monday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2000 [VAS]

|       |      |                |           |                        |
|-------|------|----------------|-----------|------------------------|
| XX399 | [CD] | Gazelle AH.1   | 3 CBAS    | 'NAVY CD' SARTU N/stop |
| XZ595 | -    | Sea King HAR.3 | 203[R]Sqn | SARTU N/stop           |
| XX171 | -    | Hawk T.1       | FRADU     |                        |

#### Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2000 [VAS]

|        |   |            |                  |                              |
|--------|---|------------|------------------|------------------------------|
| G-FPLC | - | Cessna 441 | Flight Precision | 'CAL158' VASF flight checker |
|        |   | MC-130H    | 7 SOS/352 SOG    | PD 'TALON21'                 |

#### Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2000 [VAS]

|       |   |           |       |      |
|-------|---|-----------|-------|------|
| XX263 | - | Hawk T.1A | FRADU | VASF |
|-------|---|-----------|-------|------|

#### Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                                                      |     |               |            |                              |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|---------------|------------|------------------------------|
| XW219                                                                                                | AA  | Puma HC.1     | 72 Sqn     | 'SHF002' VASF to Aldergrove  |
| ZF514                                                                                                | 514 | Tucano T.1    | 1 FTS      | 'LOP43' VASF                 |
| ZF449                                                                                                | 449 | Tucano T.1    | 1 FTS      | 'LOP38' VASF                 |
| ZJ279                                                                                                | 79  | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS       | 'SYS12' SARTU                |
| WV318                                                                                                | -   | Hunter T.7B   | Delta Jets | 'HUNTER01' VASF N/stop       |
| [ZH588]                                                                                              | [-] | Eurofighter   | BAE        | PD 'TARNISH2' on 19 at 17:00 |
| Based noted:<br>Hawk T.1A XX287 'VYT86' PAN declared with smoke in the cockpit, landed safely on 19. |     |               |            |                              |

#### Friday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2000 [VAS]

| Wings Graduation Ceremony. |     |                |               |                              |
|----------------------------|-----|----------------|---------------|------------------------------|
| ZE253                      | AC  | Tornado F.3    | 56[R]Sqn      | 'TYPHOON15' flypast          |
| WV318                      | -   | Hunter T.7B    | Delta         | 'HUNTER01' VASF plus flypast |
| XV200                      | 200 | Hercules C.1P  | LTW           | 'RRR618' VASF plus flypast   |
|                            |     | Jaguar GR.3A   | DTEO Boscombe | 'GAUNTLET12' flypast         |
| ZG510                      | 81  | Harrier GR.7   | [4 Sqn]       | 'PAGAN2' flypast             |
| G-ATIA                     | -   | PA-24 Comanche | Private       | VASF                         |
| XX492                      | A   | Jetstream T.1  | 45[R]Sqn      | 'CWL71' VASF 2 visits        |
| XX351                      | -   | Hawk T.1A      | BAE           | 'LIGHTNING1' VASF            |
| XX295                      | -   | Hawk T.1W      | BAE           | 'LIGHTNING2/TARNISH12' VASF  |

#### Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> February 2000 [VAS]

|  |  |           |       |      |
|--|--|-----------|-------|------|
|  |  | Hawk T.1A | FRADU | VASF |
|  |  | MC-130    |       | PD   |

**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |            |           |                           |
|-------|-----|------------|-----------|---------------------------|
|       |     | Puma HC.1  | [230 Sqn] | 'SHF01' VASF refuel 10:45 |
|       |     | Puma HC.1  | [230 Sqn] | 'SHF04' VASF refuel 13:08 |
| ZA939 | -   | Puma HC.1  | 230 Sqn   | 'SHF02' VASF refuel 14:30 |
| ZF486 | 486 | Tucano T.1 | 1 FTS     | 'LOP64' VASF N/stop       |
| ZF449 | 449 | Tucano T.1 | 1 FTS     | 'LOP..' VASF N/stop       |
| ZF418 | 418 | Tucano T.1 | 1 FTS     | 'LOP54' VASF N/stop       |

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |              |          |             |
|-------|-----|--------------|----------|-------------|
|       |     | Chinook HC.2 | 7/27 Sqn | VASF        |
| ZF160 | 160 | Tucano T.1   | 1 FTS    | VASF        |
|       |     | Harrier      |          | PD at 15:00 |

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |           |         |                      |
|-------|----|-----------|---------|----------------------|
| XW213 | -  | Puma HC.1 | 230 Sqn | 'SHF007' VASF refuel |
|       | LN | F-15      | /48 FW  | PD on 14             |
|       | LN | F-15      | /48 FW  | PD on 14             |

**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|  |  |              |  |                  |
|--|--|--------------|--|------------------|
|  |  | Chinook HC.2 |  | PD heading North |
|--|--|--------------|--|------------------|

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|  |    |           |        |      |
|--|----|-----------|--------|------|
|  |    | Hawk T.1A | FRADU  | VASF |
|  | LN | F-15      | /48 FW | PD   |
|  | LN | F-15      | /48 FW | PD   |

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |           |       |      |
|-------|---|-----------|-------|------|
| XX263 | - | Hawk T.1A | FRADU | VASF |
|-------|---|-----------|-------|------|

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                    |    |           |         |      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|-----------|---------|------|
| XX200                                                                              | CF | Hawk T.1A | 100 Sqn | VASF |
| Based noted:<br>Unidentified Hawk departed on 2 low loaders, believed to St Athan. |    |           |         |      |

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|        |    |           |               |                     |
|--------|----|-----------|---------------|---------------------|
| XX325  | CE | Hawk T.1A | 100 Sqn       | VASF                |
| G-THLS | -  | Bo.105C   | Trinity House | VASF                |
|        |    | Puma HC.1 |               | 'SHF23' VASF refuel |

|         |     |             |     |                                |
|---------|-----|-------------|-----|--------------------------------|
| [ZH588] | [-] | Eurofighter | BAE | Flew overhead at 2,000ft 17:05 |
|---------|-----|-------------|-----|--------------------------------|

### Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]

|                                                         |    |              |               |                         |
|---------------------------------------------------------|----|--------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| XX194                                                   | CO | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn       | 'ARCHER/JAVELIN63' VASF |
| XX248                                                   | CJ | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn       | 'ARCHER' VASF           |
| XX222                                                   | CA | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn       | 'BONEYARD' VASF         |
| XX324                                                   | -  | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn       | 'BONEYARD' VASF         |
| XX201                                                   | -  | Hawk T.1A    | FRADU         | VASF                    |
| ZA712                                                   | ER | Chinook HC.2 | 7 Sqn         | 'SHF454' VASF N/stop    |
| XX389                                                   | -  | Gazelle AH.1 | 656 Sqn/AAC   | 'AAC566' VASF N/stop    |
| XZ211                                                   | -  | Lynx AH.7    | 656 Sqn/AAC   | 'AAC567' VASF N/stop    |
| XZ219                                                   | -  | Lynx AH.7    | 656 Sqn/AAC   | 'AAC569' VASF N/stop    |
| XZ183                                                   | -  | Lynx AH.7    | 656 Sqn/AAC   | VASF N/stop             |
|                                                         | -  | [Squirrel]   | National Grid | 'PIPELINE11' overflew   |
| Based noted:<br>Hawk T.1 XX234 208[R]Sqn noted on VASF. |    |              |               |                         |

### Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]

|        |     |             |               |                     |
|--------|-----|-------------|---------------|---------------------|
| XX324  | -   | Hawk T.1A   | 100 Sqn       | '3U100' VASF        |
| XX352  | CP  | Hawk T.1A   | 100 Sqn       | '3U109' VASF        |
| ZE160  | DV  | Tornado F.3 | 11 Sqn        | PD 'SAMSON2'        |
| G-THLS | -   | Bo.105C     | Trinity House | 'TRINITY' VASF      |
| XZ183  | -   | Lynx AH.7   | 656 Sqn/AAC   | 'AAC564' VASF       |
| ZF319  | 319 | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS         | 'LOP27' VASF        |
| ZF490  | 490 | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS         | 'LOP38' VASF        |
| ZF161  | 161 | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS         | 'LOP30' VASF        |
| ZF135  | 135 | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS         | 'LOP22' VASF        |
| ZF137  | 137 | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS         | 'CORDITE1' VASF     |
| ZF372  | 372 | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS         | 'CORDITE2' VASF     |
| ZF295  | 295 | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS         | 'SAVIC1/LOP69' VASF |
| ZF169  | 169 | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS         | 'SAVIC2' VASF       |

### Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]

|                                 |     |             |              |                         |
|---------------------------------|-----|-------------|--------------|-------------------------|
|                                 |     | Lynx AH.7   | /AAC         | 'AAC504'                |
|                                 |     | Lynx AH.7   | /AAC         | 'AAC406'                |
|                                 |     | Lynx AH.7   | /AAC         | 'AAC582' to Sennybridge |
| XX352                           | CP  | Hawk T.1A   | 100 Sqn      | 'JAVELIN100' VASF       |
| ZF447                           | 447 | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS        | 'LOP22' VASF            |
| G-GEPP                          | -   | Robin R1180 | Private      | PD landed Caernarfon    |
| 86-0154                         | LN  | F-15C       | 493 FS/48 FW | PD 'HITMAN41' on 32     |
| XX280                           | -   | Hawk T.1A   | BAE          | PD 'TARNISH14'          |
| Hawk T.1 Red Arrows VASF N/stop |     |             |              |                         |

|                                                                                                                                                                             |   |              |           |      |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|--------------|-----------|------|
| <p>In landing order 'RED1-10':<br/> XX227 XX264 XX253 XX307 XX306 XX233 XX260 XX308 XX266 XX156<br/> Arrived at 12:50 and carried out an inspected display 15:25-16:00.</p> |   |              |           |      |
| ZD704                                                                                                                                                                       | - | BAe.125 CC.3 | 32[TR]Sqn | VASF |
| <p>Based noted:<br/> Hawk T.1 XX178 declared a PAN with smoke in the cockpit, landed safely.<br/> Shutdown and towed to Gaydon Hangar.</p>                                  |   |              |           |      |

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                   |  |                |            |                   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--|----------------|------------|-------------------|
| Red Arrows departed as singletons/pairs in the morning, see 15.3. |  |                |            |                   |
|                                                                   |  | Sea King HAR.3 | 203[R]Sqn  | 'SMG123' SARTU    |
|                                                                   |  | Nimrod MR.2P   | Kinloss Wg | PD '3TW' at 14:05 |

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |              |             |                         |
|-------|----|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
| XX156 | -  | Hawk T.1     | Red Arrows  | 'RED9' VASF             |
| XX278 | CC | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn     | 'JAVELIN89' VASF        |
| XX398 | -  | Gazelle AH.1 | 657 Sqn/AAC | 'AAC747' VASF dep 23.3  |
| XX449 | -  | Gazelle AH.1 | 657 Sqn/AAC | 'AAC748' VASF dep 23.3  |
| XX280 | -  | Hawk T.1A    | BAE         | PD 'TARNISH14' at 14:10 |

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|              |            |              |              |                  |
|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <b>XS739</b> | <b>F</b>   | Dominie T.1  | 55[R]Sqn     | PD 'CWL86' on 14 |
|              |            |              |              | PD 'GAUNTLET23'  |
| <b>ZF449</b> | <b>449</b> | Tucano T.1   | 1 FTS        | 'LOP25' VASF     |
| <b>ZG510</b> | <b>81</b>  | Harrier GR.7 | <b>1 Sqn</b> | <b>PD</b>        |

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                                                          |             |                |                   |                       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
|                                                                                                                          |             | Gazelle AH.1   | /AAC              | 'AAC712' VASF         |
|                                                                                                                          |             | Hercules C.    | LTW               | PD 'RRR618'           |
| E76                                                                                                                      | <b>8-MR</b> | Alpha Jet      | <b>ETO 01.008</b> | 'FAF6820' VASF N/stop |
|                                                                                                                          | -           | PA-28 Cherokee | Private           | 'SWIFT40' VASF        |
|                                                                                                                          |             | RJ.100         | BAe               | 'AVRO03'              |
| Out of Woodford, carried out circuits in the Puffin Island area at 500-3,000ft                                           |             |                |                   |                       |
|                                                                                                                          |             | 3x ?           |                   | 'SIM FLIGHT'          |
| Individual callsigns '021/027/029' passed to the SW of Valley heading for Bournemouth.<br>[possibly a delivery flight ?] |             |                |                   |                       |

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |             |            |    |
|-------|----|-------------|------------|----|
| XV246 | 46 | Nimrod MR.2 | Kinloss Wg | PD |
|-------|----|-------------|------------|----|

**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]**

|              |           |                    |              |                 |
|--------------|-----------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| <b>XZ109</b> | <b>EN</b> | <b>Jaguar GR.3</b> | <b>6 Sqn</b> | <b>'REBEL1'</b> |
|--------------|-----------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------|

|       |    |              |         |             |
|-------|----|--------------|---------|-------------|
| XZ111 | GO | Jaguar GR.1A | 54 Sqn  | 'REBEL2'    |
| XZ398 | FA | Jaguar GR.3  | 41 Sqn  |             |
| XZ357 | FK | Jaguar GR.3  | 41 Sqn  |             |
| XX352 | CP | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn | 'JAVELIN92' |

### Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |              |       |  |
|-------|----|--------------|-------|--|
| ZD980 | EA | Chinook HC.2 | 7 Sqn |  |
| ZA684 | EL | Chinook HC.2 | 7 Sqn |  |

### Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |               |      |  |
|-------|----|---------------|------|--|
| ZJ272 | 72 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS |  |
| ZJ275 | 75 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS |  |

### Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |               |               |    |
|-------|----|---------------|---------------|----|
| ZJ255 | 55 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS          |    |
| ZJ256 | 56 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS          |    |
| ZJ268 | 68 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS          |    |
| ZD408 | 37 | Harrier GR.7  | 3/4 Sqn       |    |
| XX154 | -  | Hawk T.1      | DERA Llanbedr | PD |

### Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |               |           |                |
|-------|----|---------------|-----------|----------------|
| ZF118 | VP | Sea King HC.4 | 846 NAS   | 'NAVY VP'      |
| XX498 | F  | Jetstream T.1 | 45[R]Sqn  | 'CWL79' N/stop |
| ZF376 |    | Tucano T.1    | CFS/1 FTS | 'TOF16' N/stop |

### Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2000 [VAS]

|         |      |                |             |          |
|---------|------|----------------|-------------|----------|
| WV372   |      | Hunter T.7     | Private     |          |
| XX498   | F    | Jetstream T.1  | 45[R]Sqn    |          |
| ZF376   |      | Tucano T.1     | 1 FTS       |          |
| [ZD747] | AJ-P | Tornado GR.1B  | 617 Sqn     | overflow |
| ZE287   | AF   | Tornado F.3    | 56[R]Sqn    |          |
| ZE258   | AQ   | Tornado F.3    | 56[R]Sqn    |          |
| XX974   | B    | Jaguar GR.3    | 16[R]Sqn    |          |
| XX838   | R    | Jaguar T.4     | 16[R]Sqn    |          |
| XX139   | T    | Jaguar T.4     | 16[R]Sqn    |          |
| XV700   | 505  | Sea King HAS.6 | 810 NAS     |          |
| XZ665   |      | Lynx AH.7      | 655 Sqn/AAC |          |

### Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |              |          |  |
|-------|----|--------------|----------|--|
| ZD437 | 49 | Harrier GR.7 | 20[R]Sqn |  |
| XX352 | CP | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn  |  |

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2000**

|       |     |               |              |                            |
|-------|-----|---------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| ZA937 | -   | Puma HC.1     |              | 'SHF001' Benson-Aldergrove |
| XX157 | -   | Hawk T.1A     | FRADU        | 'BROADWAY10'               |
| XZ690 | 412 | Lynx HMA.8    | 815 NAS      | 'NAVY412'                  |
| XH168 | AD  | Canberra PR.9 | 39[1 PRU]Sqn | 'SURVEY06' PD              |

**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |               |               |            |
|-------|----|---------------|---------------|------------|
| ZG844 | -  | Islander AL.1 | 1 Flt/AAC     |            |
| XX154 | -  | Hawk T.1      | DERA Llanbedr | 'T-BIRD12' |
| ZE440 | 78 | Jetstream T.3 | Heron Flt     | 'RRR7866'  |
| ZJ260 | 60 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS          |            |
| ZF413 |    | Tucano T.1    | 1 FTS         |            |
| ZF372 |    | Tucano T.1    | 1 FTS         |            |
| XX200 | CF | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn       |            |
| XX325 | CE | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn       |            |
| XX351 | -  | Hawk T.1A     | BAE           |            |

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |               |           |  |
|-------|----|---------------|-----------|--|
| XX337 | -  | Hawk T.1A     | FRADU     |  |
| ZE395 | -  | BAe.125 CC.3  | 32[TR]Sqn |  |
| ZA291 | ZX | Sea King HC.4 | 848 NAS   |  |
| ZF170 |    | Tucano T.1    | 1 FTS     |  |
| ZA680 | NX | Chinook HC.2  | 27 Sqn    |  |

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [VAS]**

|       |  |            |       |  |
|-------|--|------------|-------|--|
| ZF347 |  | Tucano T.1 | 1 FTS |  |
| ZF318 |  | Tucano T.1 | 1 FTS |  |

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [VAS]**

|       |  |           |       |  |
|-------|--|-----------|-------|--|
| XX255 |  | Hawk T.1A | FRADU |  |
|-------|--|-----------|-------|--|

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |             |        |  |
|-------|---|-------------|--------|--|
| XR506 | V | Wessex HC.2 | 72 Sqn |  |
| XW226 |   | Puma HC.1   | 72 Sqn |  |

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [VAS]**

|       |      |               |           |                            |
|-------|------|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| ZA597 | TA   | Tornado GR.1  | 15[R]Sqn  | 'MENTOR1'                  |
| ZA360 | TC   | Tornado GR.1  | 15[R]Sqn  | 'MENTOR2'                  |
| ZA492 | FE   | Tornado GR.1B | 15[R]Sqn  | 'MENTOR3'                  |
| ZA356 | TP   | Tornado GR.1  | 15[R]Sqn  | 'MENTOR4'                  |
| ZE702 | -    | BAe.146 CC.2  | 32[TR]Sqn | 'RRR1418'                  |
| E37   | 8-NI | Alpha Jet     | ET 02.008 | 'FAF6860' N/stop French AF |

|     |      |           |           |                  |
|-----|------|-----------|-----------|------------------|
| E86 | 8-NS | Alpha Jet | ET 02.008 | 'FAF6861' N/stop |
| E96 | 8-MT | Alpha Jet | ET 01.008 | 'FAF6862' N/stop |

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [GJ]**

|       |     |              |          |          |
|-------|-----|--------------|----------|----------|
| ZA319 | TAV | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | 'MENTOR' |
| ZA360 | TC  | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | 'MENTOR' |

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |                |           |                        |
|-------|----|----------------|-----------|------------------------|
| XX280 |    | Hawk T.1A      | BAE       | 'TARNISH12/LIGHTNING1' |
| ZE369 |    | Sea King HAR.3 | 203[R]Sqn | 'SRG08'                |
| ZH776 | ES | Chinook HC.2   | 7 Sqn     | 'SHF579'               |

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [GJ]**

|       |    |               |              |                    |
|-------|----|---------------|--------------|--------------------|
| XH168 | AD | Canberra PR.9 | 39[1 PRU]Sqn | 'MRH46' PD         |
| ZD466 | 56 | Harrier GR.7  | 20[R]Sqn     | 'BLAZER1' N/stop   |
| ZD375 | 23 | Harrier GR.7  | 20[R]Sqn     | 'BLAZER2' N/stop   |
| ZD464 | 54 | Harrier GR.7  | 20[R]Sqn     | 'PAGAN1' N/stop    |
| ZD431 | 43 | Harrier GR.7  | 20[R]Sqn     | 'PAGAN2' N/stop    |
| ZH553 | AB | Tornado F.3   | 56[R]Sqn     | 'SCORCHER1' N/stop |
| ZE290 | AG | Tornado F.3   | 56[R]Sqn     | 'SCORCHER2' N/stop |
| ZH555 | CV | Tornado F.3   | 56[R]Sqn     | 'SCORCHER3' N/stop |
| XX325 | CE | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn      | 'POLECAT1'         |

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |                |           |                 |
|-------|----|----------------|-----------|-----------------|
| XX325 | CE | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn   | 'JAVELIN94'     |
| ZF446 |    | Tucano T.1     | 1 FTS     |                 |
| ZF413 |    | Tucano T.1     | 1 FTS     |                 |
| ZF350 |    | Tucano T.1     | 1 FTS     |                 |
| ZF295 |    | Tucano T.1     | 1 FTS     |                 |
| ZJ277 | 77 | Squirrel HT.1  | DHFS      | 'SYS02'         |
| ZE369 |    | Sea King HAR.3 | 203[R]Sqn | 'SRG124' N/stop |

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2000 [GJ]**

|       |    |              |           |           |
|-------|----|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| ZD621 | -  | BAe.125 CC.3 | 32[TR]Sqn | 'RRR1438' |
| XZ103 | FP | Jaguar GR.3  | 41 Sqn    | 'HAVOC1'  |



[Glyn Jones]

|       |    |                     |       |                   |
|-------|----|---------------------|-------|-------------------|
| XZ396 | EM | Jaguar GR. <b>3</b> | 6 Sqn | 'HAVOC <b>2</b> ' |
|-------|----|---------------------|-------|-------------------|



[Glyn Jones]

|       |    |                     |       |                   |
|-------|----|---------------------|-------|-------------------|
| XX729 | EL | Jaguar GR. <b>3</b> | 6 Sqn | 'HAVOC <b>3</b> ' |
|-------|----|---------------------|-------|-------------------|



[Glyn Jones]

|       |    |                     |        |                   |
|-------|----|---------------------|--------|-------------------|
| XZ394 | GN | Jaguar GR. <b>3</b> | 54 Sqn | 'HAVOC <b>5</b> ' |
|-------|----|---------------------|--------|-------------------|



|                                                                                    |    |             |        |          |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|-------------|--------|----------|
| [Glyn Jones]                                                                       |    |             |        |          |
| XX829                                                                              | GZ | Jaguar T.2A | 54 Sqn | 'HAVOC4' |
|  |    |             |        |          |
| [Glyn Jones]                                                                       |    |             |        |          |

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|  |  |               |     |                        |
|--|--|---------------|-----|------------------------|
|  |  | Hercules C.3P | LTW | PD 'GRIFFIN1' at 14:20 |
|  |  | Hercules C.3P | LTW | PD 'GRIFFIN2'          |
|  |  | Hercules C.1P | LTW | PD 'GRIFFIN3'          |

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2000 [VAS][GJ]**

|       |    |             |          |                  |
|-------|----|-------------|----------|------------------|
| ZE343 | AA | Tornado F.3 | 56[R]Sqn | 'HORSEMAN1' VASF |
| ZH552 | AB | Tornado F.3 | 56[R]Sqn | 'HORSEMAN2' VASF |

|                                                                                      |    |             |          |      |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|-------------|----------|------|
|  |    |             |          |      |
| [Glyn Jones]                                                                         |    |             |          |      |
| ZE209                                                                                | AX | Tornado F.3 | 56[R]Sqn | VASF |



[Glyn Jones]

|       |    |              |        |               |
|-------|----|--------------|--------|---------------|
| ZD741 | BZ | Tornado GR.4 | 14 Sqn | 'RFR503' VASF |
|-------|----|--------------|--------|---------------|



[Glyn Jones]

|       |        |               |         |                |
|-------|--------|---------------|---------|----------------|
| XX486 | 569:CU | Jetstream T.2 | 750 NAS | 'NAVY806' VASF |
|-------|--------|---------------|---------|----------------|



[Glyn Jones]

|       |        |               |         |                |
|-------|--------|---------------|---------|----------------|
| XX481 | 560:CU | Jetstream T.2 | 750 NAS | 'NAVY807' VASF |
|-------|--------|---------------|---------|----------------|



[Carl Ford]

Based noted:



XX172 was delivered sometime after 12.4.00 from St Athan to 4 FTS. [Carl Ford]

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|       |        |               |         |                |
|-------|--------|---------------|---------|----------------|
| XX484 | 566:CU | Jetstream T.2 | 750 NAS | 'NAVY808' VASF |
|-------|--------|---------------|---------|----------------|

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                          |    |             |        |                            |
|----------------------------------------------------------|----|-------------|--------|----------------------------|
| XX829                                                    | GZ | Jaguar T.2A | 54 Sqn | 'BLACKCAT3' VASF dep 15:45 |
| XX146                                                    | GT | Jaguar T.4* | 54 Sqn | 'BLACKCAT2' VASF           |
| *Suffered a birdstrike at low level, later departed 10.5 |    |             |        |                            |
|                                                          |    | Puma HC.    |        | 'SHF010' VASF refuel       |

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|        |   |           |           |                          |
|--------|---|-----------|-----------|--------------------------|
|        |   | Puma HC.  |           | 'SHF002' VASF            |
| AT-05  | - | Alpha Jet | 7/11 Sqn  | 'BAF130' VASF Belgian AF |
| 140117 | - | CP-140    | 14 Wg/CAF | PD 'A1M' on 32           |

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                 |  |              |  |                      |
|-------------------------------------------------|--|--------------|--|----------------------|
|                                                 |  | Chinook HC.2 |  | 'SHF526' VASF refuel |
| Sortie in the MFTA, later departed to Shawbury. |  |              |  |                      |

|                                       |    |              |               |                        |
|---------------------------------------|----|--------------|---------------|------------------------|
| ZD470                                 | 60 | Harrier GR.7 | Laarbruch Wg  | 'POISON1' VASF         |
| ZG504                                 | 75 | Harrier GR.7 | Laarbruch Wg  | 'POISON2' VASF         |
| ZG531                                 | 85 | Harrier GR.7 | Laarbruch Wg  | 'POISON3' VASF         |
| ZG501                                 | 72 | Harrier GR.7 | Laarbruch Wg  | 'POISON4' VASF         |
| The Harriers were weather diversions. |    |              |               |                        |
|                                       | LN | F-15E        | 492 FS/48 FW  | PD 'PANTHER01'         |
|                                       | LN | F-15E        | 492 FS/48 FW  | PD 'PANTHER02'         |
| ZD408                                 | 37 | Harrier GR.7 | DTEO          | 'GAUNTLET22' VASF      |
|                                       |    | Chinook HC.2 | 27 Sqn        | 'SHF502' VASF refuel   |
| Flew a sortie in Holyhead Harbour.    |    |              |               |                        |
| G-THLS                                | -  | Bo.105C      | Trinity House | VASF N/stop            |
| XZ678                                 | -  | Lynx AH.7    | 654 Sqn/AAC   | 'AAC754' VASF dep 11.5 |
| XZ171                                 | -  | Lynx AH.7    | 654 Sqn/AAC   | 'AAC758' VASF dep 11.5 |
| Both Lynx flew night and day sorties. |    |              |               |                        |

### Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]

|         |    |              |              |                   |
|---------|----|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
| XX157   | -  | Hawk T.1A    | FRADU        | 'BROADWAY10' VASF |
| ZG510   | 81 | Harrier GR.7 | Laarbruch Wg | 'GIANT2' VASF     |
|         |    | Tucano T.1   | 1 FTS        | VASF              |
| D-....  | -  | Learjet      | Private      | VASF              |
| 92-0305 | LN | F-15E        | 492 FS/48 FW | PD 'BEST51'       |



[Glyn Jones]

|       |    |             |        |               |
|-------|----|-------------|--------|---------------|
| XX146 | GT | Jaguar T.4  | 54 Sqn | VASF          |
| XX829 | GZ | Jaguar T.2A | 54 Sqn | 'COLT41' VASF |



[Glyn Jones]

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |             |            |                                |
|-------|----|-------------|------------|--------------------------------|
| XV254 | 54 | Nimrod MR.2 | Kinloss Wg | PD '5US'                       |
| WV318 | -  | Hunter T.7B | Delta      | 'HUNTER1' VASF N/stop see 12.5 |



[Glyn Jones]

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

| Wings Graduation Ceremony.                                                                    |     |                   |              |                    |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-------------------|--------------|--------------------|
|                                                                                               |     | Hawk T.1          | 100 Sqn      | 'POLECAT1' flypast |
|                                                                                               |     | Hawk T.1          | 100 Sqn      | 'POLECAT2' flypast |
| WV318                                                                                         | -   | Hunter T.7B       | Delta        | VASF displayed     |
| ZF515                                                                                         | 515 | Tucano T.1        | 1 FTS        | VASF displayed     |
| ZH808                                                                                         | 712 | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 899 NAS      | 'YEOVIL04' VASF    |
|                                                                                               |     | Jaguar GR.3       | 6 Sqn        | 'HAVOC1' displayed |
|                                                                                               |     | Jaguar GR.3       | 6 Sqn        | 'HAVOC2' displayed |
| XH168                                                                                         | AD  | Canberra PR.9     | 39[1 PRU]Sqn | PD 'MRH40'         |
|                                                                                               |     | Squirrel HT.1     | DHFS         | 'SYS04' SARTU      |
| ZE368                                                                                         | -   | Sea King HAR.3    | 202 Sqn      | 'SRG122' SARTU     |
| Based noted:<br>9-ship Hawk flypast:<br>XX225 XX224 XX183 XX238 XX165 XX160 XX314 XX179 XX236 |     |                   |              |                    |

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|  |  |         |                |               |
|--|--|---------|----------------|---------------|
|  |  | MH-53M  | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE12' VASF |
|  |  | MH-53M  | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE13' VASF |
|  |  | MC-130P | 67 SOS/352 SOG | PD 'SHADOW..' |

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|  |  |         |                |               |
|--|--|---------|----------------|---------------|
|  |  | MH-53M  | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE22' VASF |
|  |  | MC-130H | 7 SOS/352 SOG  | PD 'TALON..'  |

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|       |      |           |                |                       |
|-------|------|-----------|----------------|-----------------------|
| XX160 | -    | Hawk T.1  | BAE            | PD 'TARNISH12'        |
| E9    | 8-MJ | Alpha Jet | ETO 01.008     | 'FAF6820' VASF N/stop |
|       |      | MH-53M    | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE33' VASF         |
|       |      | MC-130P   | 67 SOS/352 SOG | PD 'SHADOW47'         |

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |               |             |                   |
|-------|----|---------------|-------------|-------------------|
| ZE810 | -  | Tornado F.3   | Leuchars Wg | AGWOEU 'LCS22/23' |
| ZD476 | ZU | Sea King HC.4 | 848 NAS     | 'NAVY ZU' VASF    |
| ZE786 | AN | Tornado F.3   | 56[R]Sqn    | PD 'JAVELIN25'    |

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|  |  |              |     |                     |
|--|--|--------------|-----|---------------------|
|  |  | Tornado GR.4 | BAE | PD 'TARNISH4' on 32 |
|--|--|--------------|-----|---------------------|

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |              |             |                        |
|-------|---|--------------|-------------|------------------------|
| XZ651 | - | Lynx AH.7    | 657 Sqn/AAC | 'AAC496' VASF dep 25.5 |
|       | - | Lynx AH.7    | 657 Sqn/AAC | 'AAC36-' VASF dep 25.5 |
| XZ308 | - | Gazelle AH.1 | 657 Sqn/AAC | 'AAC586' VASF dep 25.5 |

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |           |         |                 |
|-------|----|-----------|---------|-----------------|
| XX331 | -  | Hawk T.1A | BAE     | 'TARNISH9' VASF |
| XX248 | CJ | Hawk T.1A | 100 Sqn | 'LEE98' VASF    |

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|  |  |                  |     |                             |
|--|--|------------------|-----|-----------------------------|
|  |  | 2x Hercules C.3P | LTW | PD 'GRIFFIN' on 14 at 10:49 |
|  |  | 3x Hercules C.3P | LTW | PD on 14 at 16:45           |

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |              |             |      |
|-------|---|--------------|-------------|------|
| XZ608 | - | Lynx AH.7    | 657 Sqn/AAC | VASF |
| ZE395 | - | BAe.125 CC.3 | 32[TR]Sqn   | VASF |
|       |   | Hawk T.1     | 100 Sqn     | VASF |
| XX295 | - | Hawk T.1W    | BAE         | VASF |

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |             |            |          |
|-------|----|-------------|------------|----------|
| XV260 | 60 | Nimrod MR.2 | Kinloss Wg | PD 'I4K' |
|-------|----|-------------|------------|----------|

**Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2000 [VAS]**

|              |     |              |                  |                     |
|--------------|-----|--------------|------------------|---------------------|
| G-FPLB       | -   | King Air     | Flight Precision | VASF flight checker |
| XF339        | 339 | Tucano T.1   | 1 FTS            | VASF                |
| G-WIZO       | -   | PA-34 Seneca | Private          | VASF                |
| XX335        | CD  | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn          | VASF                |
| Based noted: |     |              |                  |                     |

Hawk T.1A XX348 now with 19/74[R]Sqn.  
 Sea King HAR.3 XZ589 XZ594 C Flt/22 Sqn.  
 Griffin HT.1 60[R]Sqn/SARTU  
 ZJ242:E ZJ239:R ZJ240:U

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |               |               |                      |
|-------|----|---------------|---------------|----------------------|
| ZJ272 | 72 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS          | 'SYS69' SARTU N/stop |
| ZJ271 | 71 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS          | 'SYS63' SARTU N/stop |
| XX409 | -  | Gazelle AH.1  | 654 Sqn/AAC   | VASF for the week    |
| XX398 | -  | Gazelle AH.1  | 654 Sqn/AAC   | VASF for the week    |
|       |    | MC-130H       | 7 SOS/352 SOG | PD 'TALON12'         |

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|        |    |               |         |                              |
|--------|----|---------------|---------|------------------------------|
| XR498  | X  | Wessex HC.2   | 72 Sqn  | 'SHF002' VASF refuel         |
| ZJ275  | 75 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS    | 'SYS...' SARTU               |
| ZH763  | -  | BAC.1-11-539  | DERA    | 'GAUNTLET57' VASF            |
| F-GNVB | -  | Alouette II   | Private | SARTU to Baldonnell & return |
| ZJ274  | 74 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS    | 'SYS..' SARTU N/stop         |
| ZG731  | -  | Tornado F.3   | BAE     | 'TARNISH4 or 6' VASF         |



Diverted in with an engine failure. [Glyn Jones]

|                                   |      |                |                |                       |
|-----------------------------------|------|----------------|----------------|-----------------------|
|                                   |      | Lynx AH.9      | /AAC           | 'AAC779' VASF refuel  |
| 73-1649                           | 1649 | MH-53M*        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE23' VASF         |
| 73-1652                           | 1652 | MH-53M*        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE24' VASF         |
| *Present for a 2-week detachment. |      |                |                |                       |
| 69-5828                           | 5828 | MC-130P        | 67 SOS/352 SOG | 'SHADOW38' VASF       |
| ZE368                             | -    | Sea King HAR.3 | 203[R]Sqn      | 'SMG123' SARTU N/stop |
| XZ593                             | -    | Sea King HAR.3 | 203[R]Sqn      | 'SMG124' SARTU N/stop |
| ZE369                             | -    | Sea King HAR.3 | 203[R]Sqn      | 'SMG132' SARTU N/stop |



[Glyn Jones]

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS][GJ]**

| 21 SOS [MH-53] detachment, both aircraft flew as 'DUSTY31/32' |      |             |                |                             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|------|-------------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| N8153E                                                        | -    | PA-28 Turbo | Private        | VASF                        |
| XX301                                                         | -    | Hawk T.1A   | FRADU          | 'CUL32' VASF                |
| ZF137                                                         | 137  | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS          | 'LOP74' VASF N/stop         |
| ZF160                                                         | 160  | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS          | 'LOP61' VASF N/stop         |
| 69-5796                                                       | 5796 | MH-53M      | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE31' VASF local sorties |
| 69-5826                                                       | 5826 | MC-130P     | 67 SOS/352 SOG | 'SHADOW38' VASF             |

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|          |      |        |                |               |
|----------|------|--------|----------------|---------------|
| 67-14994 | 4994 | MH-53M | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE51' VASF |
|----------|------|--------|----------------|---------------|

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

| 21 SOS [MH-53] detachment flew local sorties as 'DUSTY13 [1649] & 14 [1652]' |  |          |            |      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|----------|------------|------|
|                                                                              |  | Hawk T.1 | Red Arrows | VASF |

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|         |      |          |                |                             |
|---------|------|----------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| 70-1630 | 1630 | MH-53M   | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE23' VASF local sorties |
|         | -    | Hawk T.1 | Red Arrows     | VASF                        |

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                       |      |                |                |                        |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|----------------|----------------|------------------------|
| ZF448                                                                                 | 448  | Tucano T.1     | 1 FTS          | VASF                   |
| 69-5796                                                                               | 5796 | MH-53M         | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE31' VASF          |
| 67-14994                                                                              | 4994 | MH-53M         | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE34' VASF dep 16.6 |
|                                                                                       |      | MC-130P        | 67 SOS/352 SOG | PD 'SHADOW37' PM       |
| -                                                                                     |      |                |                |                        |
|                                                                                       | -    | Sea King HAR.3 | 22 Sqn         | 'RESCUE122'            |
| Scrambled at 11:10 to Liverpool Airport where PA-31 Navajo Chieftain G-BMBC had flown |      |                |                |                        |

into the Mersey whilst approaching Runway 09. It had been operating as an Air Ambulance service from the Isle of Man, all 5 occupants were killed.

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|         |        |               |                |                            |
|---------|--------|---------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| XX227   | -      | Hawk T.1A     | Red Arrows     | VASF                       |
| XX237   | -      | Hawk T.1      | Red Arrows     | 'RED1' VASF                |
| XX308   | -      | Hawk T.1      | Red Arrows     | 'RED5' VASF                |
| XX306   | -      | Hawk T.1A     | Red Arrows     | 'RED3' VASF                |
| XX253   | -      | Hawk T.1A     | Red Arrows     | 'RED2' VASF                |
| XX307   | -      | Hawk T.1      | Red Arrows     | VASF                       |
| XX260   | -      | Hawk T.1A     | Red Arrows     | VASF                       |
| 69-5796 | 5796   | MH-53M        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE41' VASF local sortie |
| 119     | 315-YJ | TB-30 Epsilon | EPAA 00.315    | VASF enroute Baldonnel     |



[Glyn Jones]

|     |        |               |             |                        |
|-----|--------|---------------|-------------|------------------------|
| 132 | 315-YW | TB-30 Epsilon | EPAA 00.315 | VASF enroute Baldonnel |
|-----|--------|---------------|-------------|------------------------|



[Glyn Jones]

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|          |      |        |                |                    |
|----------|------|--------|----------------|--------------------|
| 67-14994 | 4994 | MH-53M | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'DUSTY51' departed |
|----------|------|--------|----------------|--------------------|



[Harold Owen]

|         |      |         |                |                            |
|---------|------|---------|----------------|----------------------------|
| 73-1652 | 1652 | MH-53M  | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'DUSTY52' departed         |
| 73-1649 | 1649 | MH-53M  | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'DUSTY53' departed         |
| 87-0023 | 0023 | MC-130H | 7 SOS/352 SOG  | PD 'TALON38' VASF 2 visits |



[Glyn Jones]

|       |   |                |       |                           |
|-------|---|----------------|-------|---------------------------|
| MT-44 | - | CM170 Magister | 7 Sqn | 'BAF151A' VASF Belgian AF |
|-------|---|----------------|-------|---------------------------|





[All: Glyn Jones]

|       |   |                |       |                           |
|-------|---|----------------|-------|---------------------------|
| MT-40 | - | CM170 Magister | 7 Sqn | 'BAF151B' VASF Belgian AF |
|-------|---|----------------|-------|---------------------------|



The Magisters were enroute to Baldonnel, Ireland. [Glyn Jones]

|       |        |             |           |                             |
|-------|--------|-------------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| ZH825 | 535:CU | Merlin HM.1 | 700[M]NAS | 'NAVY835' VASF to Prestwick |
|-------|--------|-------------|-----------|-----------------------------|



[Glyn Jones]

|       |   |             |       |                        |
|-------|---|-------------|-------|------------------------|
| XX535 | S | Bulldog T.1 | EMUAS | VASF enroute Baldonnel |
| XX556 | M | Bulldog T.1 | EMUAS | VASF enroute Baldonnel |

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|               |   |                |       |                               |
|---------------|---|----------------|-------|-------------------------------|
| MT-40         | - | CM170 Magister | 7 Sqn | 'BAF151A' VASF from Baldonnel |
| MT-44         | - | CM170 Magister | 7 Sqn | 'BAF151B' VASF from Baldonnel |
| See 16.6.2000 |   |                |       |                               |

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|         |        |               |                |                   |
|---------|--------|---------------|----------------|-------------------|
| ZG793   | CY     | Tornado F.3   | 5 Sqn          | AGWOEU 2 sorties  |
| XX154   | -      | Hawk T.1      | DTEO Llanbedr  | AGWOEU photochase |
| ZE395   | -      | BAe.125 CC.3  | 32[TR]Sqn      | SARTU VASF N/stop |
| ZA137   | 820:CU | Sea King HU.5 | 771 NAS        | SARTU             |
| XW222   | -      | Puma HC.1     | 230 Sqn        | 'SHF...' VASF     |
| XX281   | CI     | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn        | VASF              |
| 69-5796 | 5796   | MH-53M        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE24' VASF     |

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |             |            |                 |
|-------|-----|-------------|------------|-----------------|
| XX253 | -   | Hawk T.1A   | Red Arrows | VASF            |
|       | -   | Hawk T.1    | Red Arrows | VASF            |
| ZB604 | 722 | Harrier T.8 | 899 NAS    | 'YEOVIL03' VASF |

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|  |   |          |            |      |
|--|---|----------|------------|------|
|  | - | Hawk T.1 | Red Arrows | VASF |
|--|---|----------|------------|------|

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|  |  |             |            |    |
|--|--|-------------|------------|----|
|  |  | Nimrod MR.2 | Kinloss Wg | PD |
|--|--|-------------|------------|----|

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                                          |    |              |          |                           |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|--------------|----------|---------------------------|
| ZA551                                                                                                    | -  | Tornado GR.4 | 9 Sqn    | AGWOEU 'RFR500A' dep 29.6 |
|  <p>[Roy Davies]</p> |    |              |          |                           |
| ZA564                                                                                                    | TJ | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | AGWOEU 'LOS02' dep 29.6   |



[Roy Davies]

|       |    |              |          |                           |
|-------|----|--------------|----------|---------------------------|
| ZD741 | BZ | Tornado GR.4 | 14 Sqn   | AGWOEU 'RFR500B' dep 28.6 |
| ZD811 | JJ | Tornado GR.4 | 14 Sqn   | AGWOEU 'RFR502A' dep 27.6 |
| ZA680 | NX | Chinook HC.2 | 27 Sqn   | VASF refuel               |
|       |    | Dominie T.1  | 55[R]Sqn | PD 'CWL90'                |
| XX331 | CK | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn  | VASF                      |

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|       |       |                |            |                 |
|-------|-------|----------------|------------|-----------------|
| ZA598 | AY    | Tornado GR.4   | 9 Sqn      | AGWOEU dep 29.6 |
| XX278 | CC    | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn    | VASF            |
| XX260 | -     | Hawk T.1A      | Red Arrows | VASF            |
| XV671 | 188   | Sea King AEW.2 | 849 NAS    | VASF dep 29.6   |
| XV664 | 186:N | Sea King AEW.2 | 849 NAS    | VASF dep 29.6   |



[Roy Davies]

|       |    |              |        |                        |
|-------|----|--------------|--------|------------------------|
| ZA680 | NX | Chinook HC.2 | 27 Sqn | 'JUGGLER2' VASF refuel |
|-------|----|--------------|--------|------------------------|



[Glyn Jones]

|       |    |              |        |                      |
|-------|----|--------------|--------|----------------------|
| ZA710 | NC | Chinook HC.2 | 27 Sqn | 'SHF431' VASF refuel |
|-------|----|--------------|--------|----------------------|



SFOR [Stabilisation Force] markings.  
Peace keeping force in Bosnia & Herzegovina. [Glyn Jones]

|         |    |           |              |             |
|---------|----|-----------|--------------|-------------|
| 91-0304 | LN | F-15E     | 492 FS/48 FW | PD          |
|         | LN | F-15E     | 492 FS/48 FW | PD          |
| ZE382   | 1  | Lynx AH.9 | 659 Sqn/AAC  | VASF refuel |

**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |           |         |           |
|-------|---|-----------|---------|-----------|
| ZA144 | E | VC-10 K.2 | 101 Sqn | 'LION885' |
|-------|---|-----------|---------|-----------|

By Eryl Crump  
Daily Post Staff

TAKING the train to meet the plane took on a new meaning on Anglesey yesterday.

A huge four-engined RAF tanker aircraft swooped low over the main Holyhead-to Chester railway line at Valley where a Virgin Train had been specially positioned.

After a second approach to Valley's main runway the VC-10 roared into the sky and resumed its normal RAF role.

But what took just minutes to carry out yesterday morning was the result of months of planning by the RAF's 101 Squadron and Virgin Train staff based at Oxley, near Wolverhampton, and follows the naming of a train engine.

That took place two months ago when Virgin Trains named one of their West Coast mainline engines "101 Squadron" and it was this engine which was at Valley yesterday.

"Aptly enough, the engine is numbered 82101," said Bob Dunn.

Mr Dunn, a driver instructor, said they had scoured the UK for a railway line that passed close to the edge of an airfield to set up the photo opportunity.

"There are few suitable spots and Valley was the best, then we had to make sure we got the right engine attached to the right train leaving London Euston on Tuesday evening," he said.

Yesterday's driver was volunteer Dave Williams from Tregarth.

"It's not everyday a train stops at the end of a runway and a large aircraft flies low and slow over the top of it," he said.

He told the Daily Post that everything



□ PERFECT FLY-PASS: A VC-10 swoops over a Virgin train '101 Squadron' at RAF Valley

Picture: JEFF PITI

had gone very smoothly. "The train arrived at Holyhead late on Tuesday and after being cleaned was taken to Bangor where it stayed overnight.

"Then I took it out and stopped it where we had planned. There was a need for a few slight adjustments to suit the photographers," he said.

After taking the train back to Holyhead

it ran its normal scheduled service to London.

The aircraft then resumed its duties and flew directly to an air refuelling area over the North Sea where, for more than two hours, it provided extra fuel for RAF Tornado, Jaguar and Harrier fighters who were training in the area.

Bob Higgins, 76, of Colwyn Bay had

travelled specially to the bridge over looking the track to watch what went on and enjoyed himself immensely.

"I flew Lancaster bombers with 101 Squadron during the war and always keep up with the latest news. I'm also a rail enthusiast and look forward to travelling on the new trains on the North Wales Coastline," he said.

Overflew the Virgin train '101 Squadron' on approach to 19 at 07:39.

[Daily Post - Dick Thomas Collection]

|                                                                               |    |                |                |                  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| XX278                                                                         | CC | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn        | 'JAVELIN78' VASF |
|                                                                               |    | Tucano T.1     | 1 FTS          | 'LOP42' VASF     |
| XZ595                                                                         | -  | Sea King HAR.3 | 203[R]Sqn      | 'SMG132' SARTU   |
|                                                                               |    | MH-53M         | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE31' VASF    |
|                                                                               |    | Canberra PR.9  | 39[1 PRU]Sqn   | 'MRH44'          |
| The Canberra carried out a survey of the Bangor area, did NOT land at Valley. |    |                |                |                  |

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2000 [VAS]

|       |     |            |         |             |
|-------|-----|------------|---------|-------------|
| XW226 | -   | Puma HC.1  | 230 Sqn | VASF refuel |
| ZF136 | 136 | Tucano T.1 | 1 FTS   | VASF        |

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

|       |     |               |          |               |
|-------|-----|---------------|----------|---------------|
|       |     | Dominie T.1   | 55[R]Sqn | PD 'CWL88'    |
| XV295 | 295 | Hercules C.1P | LTW      | 'RRR643' VASF |



[Glyn Jones]

|       |     |                   |               |                         |
|-------|-----|-------------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| ZH809 | 123 | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 800 NAS       | PD 'YEOVIL32'           |
| XX154 | -   | Hawk T.1          | DTEO Llanbedr | PD 'T-BIRD12'           |
| XZ595 | -   | Sea King HAR.3    | 203[R]Sqn     | 'SMG123' SARTU          |
| XX324 | -   | Hawk T.1A         | BAE           | PD 'TARNISH6'           |
| ZA682 | EW  | Chinook HC.2      | 7 Sqn         | Overflow at 500ft NW-SE |

### Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |               |                |                        |
|-------|----|---------------|----------------|------------------------|
| XX154 | -  | Hawk T.1      | DTEO Llanbedr  | 'T-BIRD12' VASF        |
| ZA293 | ZO | Sea King HC.4 | 848 NAS        | 'NAVY ZO' VASF         |
|       |    | MH-53M        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE31' VASF circuits |

### Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

| Runway 19 |   |               |          |                 |
|-----------|---|---------------|----------|-----------------|
| ZF622     | - | PA-31 Navajo  | DERA     | 'TESTER06' VASF |
| XX491     | K | Jetstream T.1 | 45[R]Sqn | PD 'CWL19'      |

### Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

|         |     |               |          |                           |
|---------|-----|---------------|----------|---------------------------|
| XX331   | CK  | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn  | VASF                      |
| ZF286   | 286 | Tucano T.1    | 1 FTS    | 'CORDITE1' VASF           |
| ZF138   | 138 | Tucano T.1    | 1 FTS    | 'CORDITE2' VASF           |
| ZF449   | 449 | Tucano T.1    | 1 FTS    | 'LOP66' VASF              |
| XX492   | A   | Jetstream T.1 | 45[R]Sqn | 'CWL66' VASF              |
| [XX331] | CX  | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn  | 'JAVELIN95' VASF or :CK ? |

### Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

|        |    |               |                |                      |
|--------|----|---------------|----------------|----------------------|
|        |    | Jaguar GR.3   | 54 Sqn         | AGWOEU dep 11.7      |
| XZ364  | GJ | Jaguar GR.3   | 54 Sqn         | AGWOEU dep 11.7      |
|        |    | Jaguar GR.3   | 41 Sqn         | AGWOEU dep 11.7      |
| G-NUTY | -  | Twin Squirrel | Private        | Overflow             |
|        |    | MH-53M        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE12' VASF refuel |

### Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

|        |   |            |                  |      |
|--------|---|------------|------------------|------|
| G-FCAL | - | Cessna 441 | Flight Precision | VASF |
|--------|---|------------|------------------|------|

### Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

|         |     |                   |         |                   |
|---------|-----|-------------------|---------|-------------------|
| XX171   | -   | Hawk T.1          | FRADU   | VASF              |
|         |     | Hawk T.1          | FRADU   | VASF              |
| G-FRYI  | -   | Super King Air    | COMED   | VASF              |
| ZF144   | 144 | Tucano T.1        | 1 FTS   | 'LOP42' VASF      |
|         |     | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 899 NAS | PD on 32          |
| ZH763   | -   | BAC.1-11-539      | DERA    | 'GAUNTLET62' VASF |
| 73-1649 | -   | MH-53M            | 21 SOS  | 'PAVE31' VASF     |



It's not winning! That's a lighting stanchion in the middle! [Tudor Rowlands]

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |              |               |    |
|-------|---|--------------|---------------|----|
| WK128 | - | Canberra B.2 | DTEO Llanbedr | PD |
|-------|---|--------------|---------------|----|

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |                |            |                     |
|-------|-----|----------------|------------|---------------------|
| XZ241 | 434 | Lynx HAS.3SICE | 815 NAS    | HMS Endurance SARTU |
|       |     | Sea King HC.4  | 846 NAS    | 'VICTOR SECTION'    |
|       |     | Sea King HC.4  | 846 NAS    | 'VICTOR SECTION'    |
|       |     | Sea King HC.4  | 846 NAS    | 'VICTOR SECTION'    |
|       |     | Nimrod MR.2    | Kinloss Wg | PD 'F3A' on 32      |

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |               |        |        |
|-------|---|---------------|--------|--------|
| ZG710 | D | Tornado GR.4A | 13 Sqn | AGWOEU |
| ZG712 | F | Tornado GR.4A | 13 Sqn | AGWOEU |



[Glyn Jones]

|       |   |             |             |                     |
|-------|---|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| ZG726 | K | Tornado GR. | 13 Sqn      | AGWOEU              |
| XZ680 | - | Lynx AH.7   | 656 Sqn/AAC | VASF from Dishforth |
| XZ196 | - | Lynx AH.7   | 664 Sqn/AAC | VASF from Dishforth |

|  |  |                |     |                               |
|--|--|----------------|-----|-------------------------------|
|  |  | Lynx           | NAS | SARTU HMS Endurance, see 17.7 |
|  |  | 3x Hercules C. | LTW | 'STARTREK' E-W near Valley    |

### Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                                    |   |               |         |                |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|---------------|---------|----------------|
| ZE427                                                                              | B | Sea King HC.4 | 846 NAS | 'NAVY YB' VASF |
|  |   |               |         |                |
| Winter camouflage & 'SFOR' markings, see 27.6.2000 [Glyn Jones]                    |   |               |         |                |
| ZA404                                                                              | P | Tornado GR.4A | 13 Sqn  | AGWOEU         |

### Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

|        |   |             |         |                      |
|--------|---|-------------|---------|----------------------|
| WV318  | - | Hunter T.7B | Delta   | VASF N/stop see 21.7 |
| XF515  | R | Hunter F.6A | Kennet  | VASF N/stop [G-KAXF] |
| N180GC | - | Learjet 36  | Private | VASF N/stop          |

### Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

| Wings Graduation Ceremony.                                                                                                                                                                                           |   |                 |                |                              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|-----------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| G-BRVL                                                                                                                                                                                                               | - | Pitts S-1C      | Private        | Parked 19/74[R]Sqn displayed |
| WV318                                                                                                                                                                                                                | - | Hunter T.7B     | Delta          | VASF displayed               |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |   | Jaguar GR.      | DTEO Boscombe  | Flypast                      |
| XF515                                                                                                                                                                                                                | R | Hunter F.6A     | Kennet         | VASF displayed               |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |   | 4x Harrier GR.7 | 1 Sqn          | 'JEDI' airfield attack       |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |   | 2x Harrier GR.7 | 1 Sqn          | Airfield attack              |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |   | 2x Jaguar GR.   | 54 Sqn         | 'BLACKCAT' airfield attack   |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |   | 4x Tornado GR.  | 617 Sqn        | 'VANDAL' airfield attack     |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |   | Tornado F.3     | 56[R]Sqn       | 'TYPHOON..' flypast          |
| XS739                                                                                                                                                                                                                | F | Dominie T.1     | 55[R]Sqn       | VASF                         |
| G-TASK                                                                                                                                                                                                               | - | Cessna 404      | Air Atlantique | VASF                         |
| Connected with a ship which ran aground in Church Bay.                                                                                                                                                               |   |                 |                |                              |
| <p>Based noted:</p> <p>9-ship Hawk flypast:</p> <p>XX245 XX174 XX263 XX161 XX224 XX160 XX181 XX319 XX176 XX232</p> <p>XX174 suffered a birdstrike, landed safely.</p> <p>2-ship Hawk airfield attack XX179 XX235</p> |   |                 |                |                              |

The following attended RIAT 2000 at Cottesmore.



Seen here at Cottesmore. [Fergal Goodman]

Hawk T.1 XX244 208[R]Sqn

Hawk T.1A XX316 19/74[R]Sqn

#### Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |               |                |               |
|-------|----|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| XX219 | CT | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn        | VASF          |
| ZJ270 | 70 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | SARTU         |
| ZJ276 | 76 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | SARTU         |
|       |    | MH-53M        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE13' VASF |
|       |    | MC-130P       | 67 SOS/352 SOG | VASF circuits |

#### Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]

|       |     |               |                |                    |
|-------|-----|---------------|----------------|--------------------|
| ZG478 | 68  | Harrier GR.7  | Laarbruch Wg   | AGWOEU 'POISON'    |
| ZH664 | 112 | Harrier GR.7  | Laarbruch Wg   | AGWOEU 'POISON'    |
| ZD346 | 13  | Harrier GR.7  | Laarbruch Wg   | AGWOEU 'SUNBURST'  |
| ZG504 | 75  | Harrier GR.7  | Laarbruch Wg   | AGWOEU 'SUNBURST'  |
| ZD470 | 60  | Harrier GR.7  | Laarbruch Wg   | AGWOEU 'NIGHTOWL'  |
| ZG857 | 89  | Harrier GR.7  | Laarbruch Wg   | AGWOEU 'NIGHTOWL'  |
| ZG531 | 85  | Harrier GR.7  | Laarbruch Wg   | AGWOEU 'NIGHTMARE' |
| ZD469 | 59  | Harrier GR.7  | Laarbruch Wg   | AGWOEU 'NIGHTMARE' |
| ZJ271 | 71  | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | SARTU              |
| ZJ275 | 75  | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | SARTU              |
| ZJ273 | 73  | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | SARTU              |
| ZJ277 | 77  | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | SARTU              |
| ZJ274 | 74  | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | SARTU              |
|       |     | MH-53M        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE23' VASF      |

Based noted:

|                                               |
|-----------------------------------------------|
| Hawk T.1 XX313 declared a PAN, landed safely. |
|-----------------------------------------------|

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                    |   |             |            |                |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|-------------|------------|----------------|
| XX171                                                                              | - | Hawk T.1    | FRADU      | 'CRIMSON' VASF |
| XX187                                                                              | - | Hawk T.1A   | FRADU      | 'CRIMSON' VASF |
|  |   |             |            |                |
| [Dewi Thomas]                                                                      |   |             |            |                |
| G-BWSY                                                                             | - | BAe.125-800 | BAe Filton | VASF           |

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]**

|         |     |                 |               |                  |
|---------|-----|-----------------|---------------|------------------|
| XX265   | CN  | Hawk T.1A       | 100 Sqn       | 'JAVELIN91' VASF |
| G-SFHR  | -   | PA-23 Aztec 250 | COMED         | VASF             |
| PH-FVA  | -   | EMB-110P        | COMED         | 'COMED001' VASF  |
| XX154   | -   | Hawk T.1        | DTEO Llanbedr | 'T-BIRD11' VASF  |
| ZF449   | 449 | Tucano T.1      | 1 FTS         | 'LOP21' VASF     |
| 91-0306 | LN  | F-15E           | 494 FS/48 FW  | PD 'TREND38'     |

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2000 [VAS]**

|       |  |           |     |                |
|-------|--|-----------|-----|----------------|
| XX231 |  | Hawk T.1W | BAE | PD 'TARNISH12' |
|-------|--|-----------|-----|----------------|

**Monday 31<sup>st</sup> July 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |               |          |                           |
|-------|-----|---------------|----------|---------------------------|
| ZF405 | 405 | Tucano T.1    | 1 FTS    | 'LOP40' VASF departed 2.8 |
|       |     | Jetstream T.1 | 45[R]Sqn | 'CWL74' VASF              |

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> August 2000 [VAS]**

|        |    |                 |            |                               |
|--------|----|-----------------|------------|-------------------------------|
| XX217  | -  | Hawk T.1A       | BAe        | 'LIGHTNING1' VASF             |
| XX324  | -  | Hawk T.1A       | BAe        | 'LIGHTNING2' VASF             |
| XX231  | -  | Hawk T.1W       | BAe        | 'TARNISH12' VASF              |
| G-BATN | -  | PA-23 Aztec 250 | Marshall's | 'MARSHALLS17' VASF            |
| XX524  | 04 | Bulldog T.1     | CFS        | 'UAM43' VASF                  |
| XX219  | CT | Hawk T.1A       | 100 Sqn    | 'JAVELIN88' VASF              |
| XZ591  | -  | Sea King HAR.3  | 203 Sqn    | 'SMG44/47' SARTU departed 4.8 |

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2000 [VAS]**

| Runway 14                                                                           |        |           |          |                              |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|-----------|----------|------------------------------|
| AT-18                                                                               | -      | Alpha Jet | 7/11 Sqn | 'BAF109A' VASF Belgian AF    |
|   |        |           |          |                              |
| [Glyn Jones]                                                                        |        |           |          |                              |
| AT-32                                                                               | -      | Alpha Jet | 7/11 Sqn | 'BAF109B' VASF Belgian AF    |
|  |        |           |          |                              |
| [Glyn Jones]                                                                        |        |           |          |                              |
| ZJ569                                                                               | TT-231 | Hawk 207  | BAe      | PD 'TARNISH10' Indonesian AF |

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]**

| Runway 32 |   |           |               |                 |
|-----------|---|-----------|---------------|-----------------|
| [ZJ645]   | - | Alpha Jet | DERA Llanbedr | PD 'GAUNTLET17' |

**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]**

| C Flt, 22 Sqn/SARTU Families Day. |   |              |                |              |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| ZJ238                             | Y | Griffin HT.1 | 60[R]Sqn       | Families Day |
| G-NWPS                            | - | EC.135T1     | N Wales Police | Families Day |

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |           |         |      |
|-------|----|-----------|---------|------|
| XX289 | CI | Hawk T.1A | 100 Sqn | VASF |
|-------|----|-----------|---------|------|

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                      |   |              |           |                          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|--------------|-----------|--------------------------|
| XX324                                                                                | - | Hawk T.1A*   | BAe       | 'TARNISH14' VASF         |
| *Arrived for servicing and moved to Gaydon hangar.<br>The 125 acted as a crew ferry. |   |              |           |                          |
| ZD704                                                                                | - | BAe.125 CC.3 | 32[TR]Sqn | 'RRR1416' VASF to Warton |

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                                              |   |                |         |                             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|----------------|---------|-----------------------------|
|                                                                                                              |   | Gazelle AH.1   | /AAC    | VASF refuel                 |
| XZ591                                                                                                        | - | Sea King HAR.3 | 203 Sqn | 'SMG44' SARTU departed 10.8 |
| Based noted:<br>Sea King HAR.3 ZE369 & XZ589 C Flt/22 Sqn.<br>Griffin HT.1 ZJ242:E ZJ241:L ZJ239:R 60[R]Sqn. |   |                |         |                             |

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                                                                        |    |              |            |                          |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|--------------|------------|--------------------------|
| XV254                                                                                                                                  | 54 | Nimrod MR.2P | Kinloss Wg | PD 'H0B'                 |
|                                                     |    |              |            |                          |
| [Tudor Rowlands]                                                                                                                       |    |              |            |                          |
| XV245                                                                                                                                  | 45 | Nimrod MR.2  | Kinloss Wg | PD 'S1R' also PD Leeming |
| Based noted:<br>Hawk T.1 XX172 noted in Gaydon Hangar with birdstrike damage.<br>Hawk T.1A XX285:CH 100 Sqn in the 19/74[R]Sqn hangar. |    |              |            |                          |

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]**

|                                         |   |              |                  |                            |
|-----------------------------------------|---|--------------|------------------|----------------------------|
| N784BX                                  | - | Falcon 2000  | Private          | VASF departed 15.8         |
| From USA via Goose Bay, Art dealers.    |   |              |                  |                            |
| XX253                                   | - | Hawk T.1A    | Red Arrows       | 'RED9' VASF crew for XX156 |
| XX156                                   | - | Hawk T.1*    | [Red Arrows]     | 'RED9 SECTION'             |
| *Departed after servicing.              |   |              |                  |                            |
| ZD704                                   | - | BAe.125 CC.3 | 32[TR]Sqn        | 'RRR1724' VASF             |
| Crew ferry for 'STN02' back to St Athan |   |              |                  |                            |
| XX310                                   |   | Hawk T.1W    | [4 FTS]          | 'STN02' VASF               |
| G-FCAL                                  | - | Cessna 441   | Flight Precision | 'CLB353' VASF              |

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]**

|        |        |                |            |                              |
|--------|--------|----------------|------------|------------------------------|
| XX156  | -      | Hawk T.1       | Red Arrows | 'RED4' VASF                  |
| XX292  | -      | Hawk T.1W      | Red Arrows | 'RED5' VASF                  |
| XX227  | -      | Hawk T.1A      | Red Arrows | 'RED6' VASF                  |
| XX233  | -      | Hawk T.1       | Red Arrows | 'RED7' VASF                  |
| ZJ272  | 72     | Squirrel HT.1  | DHFS       | 'SYS69' SARTU                |
| ZJ273  | 73     | Squirrel HT.1  | DHFS       | 'SYS73' SARTU                |
| ZA670  | BF     | Chinook HC.2   | 18 Sqn     | 'SHF652' VASF departed 17.8  |
| G-AYPJ | -      | PA-28 Cherokee | Mona FC    | VASF                         |
| ZJ570  | TT-232 | Hawk 207       | BAe        | PD 'TARNISH23' Indonesian AF |



Destined for the Indonesian AF. [Glyn Jones]

|                                               |  |                 |     |           |
|-----------------------------------------------|--|-----------------|-----|-----------|
|                                               |  | 3x Hercules C.* | LTW | 'MALLARD' |
| *On an approach to 14 but broken off at 6nms. |  |                 |     |           |

#### Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]

|        |   |             |            |                               |
|--------|---|-------------|------------|-------------------------------|
|        |   | Dominie T.1 | 55[R]Sqn   | PD 'CWL88'                    |
| XX253  | - | Hawk T.1A   | Red Arrows | 'RED11' VASF                  |
| XX307  | - | Hawk T.1    | Red Arrows | 'RED8' VASF                   |
| G-BUXS | - | Bo.105D     | Bond       | 'TRINITY HOUSE' VASF dep 17.8 |

#### Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]

|         |   |                |               |                        |
|---------|---|----------------|---------------|------------------------|
| [ZJ645] | - | Alpha Jet      | DTEO Llanbedr | PD 'T-BIRD12' at 14:45 |
|         |   | 3x Hercules C. | LTW           | PD 'STARTREK' on 14    |

#### Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]

|           |  |             |            |          |
|-----------|--|-------------|------------|----------|
| Runway 32 |  |             |            |          |
|           |  | Nimrod MR.2 | Kinloss Wg | PD on 32 |

#### Monday 21<sup>st</sup> August 2000 [VAS]

|  |   |          |            |      |
|--|---|----------|------------|------|
|  | - | Hawk T.1 | Red Arrows | VASF |
|--|---|----------|------------|------|

#### Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2000 [VAS]

|       |   |             |               |               |
|-------|---|-------------|---------------|---------------|
| WK800 | Z | Meteor D.16 | DTEO Llanbedr | PD 'T-BIRD11' |
|-------|---|-------------|---------------|---------------|



[Glyn Jones]

|       |   |             |            |                             |
|-------|---|-------------|------------|-----------------------------|
| ZJ633 | - | Hawk 127    | BAe        | PD 'TARNISH8' RAAF aircraft |
| XX145 | - | Jaguar T.2A | ETPS       | PD 'GAUNTLET23'             |
|       |   | Jaguar GR.3 | 16[R]Sqn   | PD 'SAINT1'                 |
|       |   | Jaguar GR.3 | 16[R]Sqn   | PD 'SAINT2'                 |
|       |   | Canberra    | 39[PRU]Sqn | PD 'MRH01'                  |

### Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2000 [VAS]

|       |   |          |     |                              |
|-------|---|----------|-----|------------------------------|
| ZJ637 | - | Hawk 127 | BAe | PD 'TARNISH14' RAAF aircraft |
|       |   | ?        |     | 'SURVEYOR06'                 |

### Friday 25<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]

|  |  |           |      |             |
|--|--|-----------|------|-------------|
|  |  | Lynx AH.9 | /AAC | VASF refuel |
|--|--|-----------|------|-------------|

Valley closed over the Bank holiday.

### Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2000 [VAS]

|       |   |              |             |                   |
|-------|---|--------------|-------------|-------------------|
| XZ339 | - | Gazelle AH.1 | 654 Sqn/AAC | VASF departed 1.9 |
| XZ320 | - | Gazelle AH.1 | 654 Sqn/AAC | VASF departed 1.9 |

### Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |                |           |                  |
|-------|----|----------------|-----------|------------------|
| XX248 | CJ | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn   | 'JAVELIN81' VASF |
| XX219 | CT | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn   | 'JAVELIN80' VASF |
| XX352 | CP | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn   | 'JAVELIN79' VASF |
| XZ591 | -  | Sea King HAR.3 | 203[R]Sqn | 'SAREX36' SARTU  |

Based noted:

Sea King HAR.3 ZE369 & XZ589 C Flt/22 Sqn  
Griffin HT.1 ZJ242:E ZJ241:L ZJ239:R 60[R]Sqn

### Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2000 [VAS]

|                                        |  |              |          |      |
|----------------------------------------|--|--------------|----------|------|
|                                        |  | Chinook HC.2 | 7/18 Sqn | VASF |
| Dropped off the Royal Welch Fusiliers. |  |              |          |      |

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
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| Based noted:<br>Freedom of Bangor Flypast & Freedom of Anglesey Flypast at Holyhead:<br>4x Hawk T.1<br>Sea King HAR.3<br>The 4 Hawks also flew over the Village Church in Pentrefoelas to commemorate the crash of<br>Halifax II DT626 1658 HCU on 1.4.1944, broke up in mid-air 1nm SW of the Village. |
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**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|        |   |            |                  |                              |
|--------|---|------------|------------------|------------------------------|
| G-FPLC | - | Cessna 441 | Flight Precision | 'CLB377' VASF flight checker |
|--------|---|------------|------------------|------------------------------|

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |              |               |                        |
|-------|-----|--------------|---------------|------------------------|
| ZE962 | FJ  | Tornado F.3  | 25 Sqn        | AGWOEU 'LEE426'        |
| ZG502 | 73  | Harrier GR.7 | 1 Sqn         | 'STRIKER14' VASF       |
| XX327 | -   | Hawk T.1A    | CAM/DERA      | VASF                   |
| ZJ645 | [-] | Alpha Jet    | DERA Llanbedr | PD 'T-BIRD12' at 13:10 |

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|  |  |             |  |      |
|--|--|-------------|--|------|
|  |  | Bulldog T.1 |  | VASF |
|  |  | Bulldog T.1 |  | VASF |

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|  |  |             |               |             |
|--|--|-------------|---------------|-------------|
|  |  | Jaguar GR.3 | Coltishall Wg | PD 'COLT16' |
|--|--|-------------|---------------|-------------|

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|        |    |              |               |               |
|--------|----|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| G-VIPY | -  | PA-31 Navajo | Private       | VASF dep 13.8 |
| XX352  | CP | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn       | VASF          |
| ZE292  | AZ | Tornado F.3  | 56[R]Sqn      | PD            |
|        |    | Tornado F.3  | 56[R]Sqn      | PD            |
| XX154  | -  | Hawk T.1     | DERA Llanbedr | PD            |

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |           |          |                   |
|-------|---|-----------|----------|-------------------|
| XX219 |   | Hawk T.1A | 100 Sqn  | VASF              |
| XX255 | - | Hawk T.1A | FRADU    | VASF              |
| XX327 | - | Hawk T.1A | CAM/DERA | 'GAUNTLET17' VASF |

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |               |                |                     |
|-------|-----|---------------|----------------|---------------------|
| ZE290 | -   | Tornado F.3   | 43 Sqn         | AGWOEU 'LCS46'      |
| ZE160 | DV  | Tornado F.3   | 11 Sqn         | AGWOEU              |
| ZJ266 | 66  | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | SARTU               |
| XX145 | [-] | Jaguar T.2A   | DTEO           | PD 'GAUNTLET87'     |
|       |     | MH-53M        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | VASF refuel late PM |

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |             |       |                      |
|-------|---|-------------|-------|----------------------|
| WV318 | - | Hunter T.7B | Delta | VASF N/stop see 15.9 |
|-------|---|-------------|-------|----------------------|

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                    |        |               |              |                            |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|---------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| Wings Graduation Ceremony.                                                         |        |               |              |                            |
| WV318                                                                              | -      | Hunter T.7B   | Delta        | Displayed                  |
|                                                                                    |        | Harrier T.10  | 20[R]Sqn     | 'STRIKER21' VASF displayed |
| ZB604                                                                              | 722:VL | Harrier T.8   | 899 NAS      | 'YEOVIL07' VASF displayed  |
|  |        |               |              |                            |
| [Glyn Jones]                                                                       |        |               |              |                            |
|                                                                                    |        | Tornado GR.4  | 9 Sqn        | 'VAMPIRE/RFR533' VASF      |
|                                                                                    |        | Tornado GR.4  | 9 Sqn        | 'VAMPIRE/RFR534' VASF      |
| Carried out an airfield attack.                                                    |        |               |              |                            |
| ZE439                                                                              | [77]   | Jetstream T.3 | Yeovilton SF | 'NAVY750/RRR7925' VASF     |
| XW224                                                                              | -      | Puma HC.1     | 230 Sqn      | 'SHF002' VASF refuel       |

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2000**

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|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  | Sea King HAR.3 | 22 Sqn |  |
| <p>Michelle Hughes was swept out to sea from the Promenade at Colwyn Bay, her friend Claire Jones dived into the rough seas to save her. Coastguards &amp; Police arrived on the scene shortly after the women disappeared. After 3hrs the Sea King arrived and flew them ashore where they were taken to Ysbyty Glan Clwyd where they later died.</p> <p>[Claire Jones 20 &amp; Michelle Hughes 21]</p> |  |                |        |  |

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2000**

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|                                                                                                                                         |  |  |  |  |
| <p>Based noted:</p> <p>Battle of Britain 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Flypast at Llandudno.</p> <p>4x Hawk T.1 led by S/L Paul Scott</p> |  |  |  |  |

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |             |         |                 |
|-------|---|-------------|---------|-----------------|
|       |   | Hawk T.1    | 100 Sqn | VASF            |
|       |   | Hawk T.1    | 100 Sqn | VASF            |
| ZD902 | - | Tornado F.2 | DERA    | PD 'GAUNTLET17' |
|       |   |             |         | PD 'CWL85'      |

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|  |  |  |  | PD 'CWL95' |
|--|--|--|--|------------|

### Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]

|  |  |              |            |                |
|--|--|--------------|------------|----------------|
|  |  | Nimrod MR.2  | Kinloss Wg | PD at 14:11    |
|  |  | Harrier GR.7 | 1 Sqn      | PD             |
|  |  | Tornado F.3  | 56[R]Sqn   | PD 'TYPHOON63' |

### Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |             |            |          |
|-------|----|-------------|------------|----------|
| XV252 | 52 | Nimrod MR.2 | Kinloss Wg | PD '10T' |
|-------|----|-------------|------------|----------|

### Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                                     |        |                |           |                             |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|----------------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| RAF Valley Photocall/Tiger Meet.<br>74[R]Sqn disbanded.                             |        |                |           |                             |
| XX350                                                                               | -      | Hawk T.1A      | 74[R]Sqn  | Large Tiger badge on tail   |
|  |        |                |           |                             |
| [Fergal Goodman]                                                                    |        |                |           |                             |
| XX199                                                                               | -      | Hawk T.1A      | 74[R]Sqn  | Large Tiger badge on tail   |
| XX235                                                                               | -      | Hawk T.1W      | 19[R]Sqn  | Display colours             |
| 64                                                                                  | 330-AQ | Mirage 2000C   | EC 05.330 | 'FAF9190A' static           |
| 628                                                                                 | 330-AE | Mirage 2000D   | EC 05.330 | 'FAF9190B' static           |
| ZE292                                                                               | AZ     | Tornado F.3    | 56[R]Sqn  | 'TYPHOON731' static         |
| G-AZLN                                                                              | -      | PA-28 Cherokee | Private   | VASF                        |
| XW293                                                                               | Z      | JP T.5         | JP Club   | Static [G-BWCS]             |
| XR679                                                                               | -      | JP T.4         | JP Club   | Static [G-BWGT]             |
| XX250                                                                               | -      | Hawk T.1       | 74[R]Sqn  | Tiger formation             |
| XX283                                                                               | -      | Hawk T.1A      | 74[R]Sqn  | Tiger formation             |
| XX318                                                                               | -      | Hawk T.1A      | 74[R]Sqn  | Tiger formation             |
| XX216                                                                               | -      | Hawk T.1A      | 74[R]Sqn  | Tiger formation             |
| WV318                                                                               | -      | Hunter T.7B    | Delta     | 'HUNTER74' displayed        |
| XZ369                                                                               | EF     | Jaguar GR.3    | 6 Sqn     | 'BLACKCAT1' airfield attack |
| XZ117                                                                               | EP     | Jaguar GR.3    | 6 Sqn     | 'BLACKCAT2' airfield attack |

|       |       |                   |           |                            |
|-------|-------|-------------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| 44+88 | -     | Tornado IDS       | AKG-51    | 'GAF SW42' static          |
| 45+67 | -     | Tornado IDS       | AKG-51    | 'GAF SW42' static          |
| ZH800 | 716   | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 899 NAS   | 'YEOVIL07' displayed       |
| 523   | 12-YS | Mirage 2000B      | EC 01.012 | 'FAF7630A' static dep 25.9 |



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|        |       |              |           |                            |
|--------|-------|--------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| 112    | 12-YC | Mirage 2000C | EC 01.012 | 'FAF7630B' static dep 26.9 |
| G-DCEA | -     | PA-34 Seneca | Private   | VASF                       |
| FB-04  | -     | F-16B        | 31 Sqn    | 'BAF431' static dep 25.9   |
| FB-08  | BL    | F-16B        | 31 Sqn    | 'BAF431' static dep 25.9   |

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                              |    |             |        |                      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|-------------|--------|----------------------|
| The German Tornados departed 10:40.<br>The Belgian F-16's departed at 09:40. |    |             |        |                      |
| ZE963                                                                        | GE | Tornado F.3 | 43 Sqn | AGW0EU 'BLACKSMITH1' |



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|        |    |                |               |                                |
|--------|----|----------------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| ZE831  | GG | Tornado F.3    | 43 Sqn        | AGWOEU 'BLACKSMITH2'           |
| XX445  | T  | Gazelle AH.1   | 658 Sqn/AAC   | 'AAC467' VASF                  |
| N7129L | -  | AA-5 Traveller | Private       | VASF                           |
| G-WIZO | -  | PA-34 Seneca   | Private       | VASF pick up St Athan aircrew. |
| ZJ645  | -  | Alpha Jet      | DTEO Llanbedr | PD 'T-BIRD11'                  |



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|       |   |          |      |                 |
|-------|---|----------|------|-----------------|
| XX342 | 2 | Hawk T.1 | ETPS | PD 'GAUNTLET23' |
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[Glyn Jones]

|     |       |              |           |                         |
|-----|-------|--------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| 523 | 12-YS | Mirage 2000B | EC 01.012 | 'FAF7612' VASF 2 visits |
|-----|-------|--------------|-----------|-------------------------|



Brought in spares for the Mirage 2000C which remained unserviceable. [Glyn Jones]

Based noted:

Hawk T.1A XX284 delivered from St Athan.

During the afternoon celebrity gardener Charlie Dimmock was flown in Hawk T.1 XX173.

A Griffin HT.1 filmed the take-off, the film would be part of the series 'Charlie's Army'

#### Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                                   |       |              |               |                           |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|--------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| 110                                                                               | XP    | TBM 700      | ETE 00.041    | 'CTM3842'                 |
| Brought in spares and engineers for the unserviceable Mirage which then departed. |       |              |               |                           |
| 112                                                                               | 12-YC | Mirage 2000C | EC 01.012     | Departed, see 22.9        |
| 91-0317                                                                           | LN    | F-15E        | 494 FS/48 FW  | PD 'EAGLE02'              |
| XX723                                                                             | GQ    | Jaguar GR.3A | 54 Sqn        | AGWOEU 'CRESTA1' dep 28.9 |
| XX119                                                                             | GD    | Jaguar GR.3A | 54 Sqn        | AGWOEU dep 28.9           |
| XZ369                                                                             | EF    | Jaguar GR.3  | 6 Sqn         | AGWOEU 'CRESTA2' dep 28.9 |
| G-THLS                                                                            | -     | Bo.105C      | Trinity House | PD                        |

Based noted:

Alastair Stewart the TV presenter flew in Hawk T.1 XX236 with photoshop XX280 'SNAPPER.'

#### Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]

|       |   |             |       |               |
|-------|---|-------------|-------|---------------|
|       | - | Lynx AH.9   | /AAC  | 'AAC922' VASF |
| XX286 | - | Hawk T.1A   | FRADU | 'BLUE' VASF   |
|       |   | Hawk T.1    | FRADU | 'BLUE' VASF   |
|       |   | Hercules C. | LTW   | PD on 19      |

#### Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [VAS]



74[R]Sqn disbandment photograph.  
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|        |    |             |         |                      |
|--------|----|-------------|---------|----------------------|
| ZE963  | GE | Tornado F.3 | 43 Sqn  | AGWOEU 'BLACKSMITH1' |
| ZE831  | GG | Tornado F.3 | 43 Sqn  | AGWOEU 'BLACKSMITH2' |
| XX335  | CD | Hawk T.1A   | 100 Sqn | VASF                 |
| XX289  | CI | Hawk T.1A   | 100 Sqn | VASF                 |
| G-OCFR | -  | Learjet 35A | Private | 'SQUIRREL43' VASF    |



[Glyn Jones]

|       |   |             |        |               |
|-------|---|-------------|--------|---------------|
| XV723 | Q | Wessex HC.2 | 72 Sqn | 'SHF002' VASF |
|-------|---|-------------|--------|---------------|

Based noted:  
Sea King HAR.3 C Flt/22 Sqn  
XZ589 XZ598 ZE369  
Griffin HT.1 60[R]Sqn/SARTU  
ZJ242:E ZJ239:R ZJ240:U

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2000 [GJ]**

|        |   |             |         |               |
|--------|---|-------------|---------|---------------|
| G-OCFR | - | Learjet 35A | Private | 'CHAUFAIR507' |
|--------|---|-------------|---------|---------------|

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                             |      |               |                |                |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| 15[R]Sqn arrived from Lossiemouth as 'MENTOR' for their MPC, departed 5.10. |      |               |                |                |
| ZA455                                                                       | TH   | Tornado GR.1B | 15[R]Sqn       | AGWOEU         |
| ZA469                                                                       | TM   | Tornado GR.1B | 15[R]Sqn       | AGWOEU         |
| ZA546                                                                       | TB   | Tornado GR.1  | 15[R]Sqn       | AGWOEU         |
| ZA613                                                                       | -    | Tornado GR.1  | 15[R]Sqn       | AGWOEU         |
| XV661                                                                       | 821  | Sea King HU.5 | 771 NAS        | 'NAVY821' VASF |
| XX247                                                                       | [CM] | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn        |                |
| 70-1630                                                                     | 1630 | MH-53M        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE12' VASF  |

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |           |             |      |
|-------|---|-----------|-------------|------|
| XZ205 | - | Lynx AH.7 | 655 Sqn/AAC | VASF |
|-------|---|-----------|-------------|------|

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |             |               |                           |
|-------|-----|-------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| XX286 | -   | Hawk T.1A   | FRADU         | 'CUL33' VASF              |
|       |     | Dominie T.1 | 55[R]Sqn      | 'CWL65' PD                |
| ZJ645 | [-] | Alpha Jet   | DTEO Llanbedr | PD 'T-BIRD11'             |
| ZH554 | -   | Tornado F.3 | AWC           | AGWOEU 2 sorties with 'GE |



[Glyn Jones]

|                                                                           |      |               |                |                      |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|---------------|----------------|----------------------|
| ZE963                                                                     | GE   | Tornado F.3   | 43 Sqn         | AGWOEU 'LCS07'       |
| ZE737                                                                     | FF   | Tornado F.3   | 25 Sqn         | 'RAZOR3' VASF        |
| Landed from a PAN emergency and hangared in Gaydon hangar, departed 5.10. |      |               |                |                      |
| ZJ259                                                                     | 59   | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | 'SYS20' VASF         |
| ZJ280                                                                     | 80   | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | 'SYS30' VASF         |
| ZJ273                                                                     | 73   | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | 'SYS59' SARTU N/stop |
| ZJ272                                                                     | 72   | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | 'SYS21' SARTU N/stop |
| ZJ276                                                                     | 76   | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | 'SYS23' VASF         |
| ZJ246                                                                     | 46   | Squirrel HT.2 | 670 Sqn/AAC    | 'AAC168' VASF        |
| ZJ268                                                                     | 68   | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | 'SYS25' VASF         |
| ZJ270                                                                     | 70   | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS           | VASF                 |
| 70-1625                                                                   | 1625 | MH-53M        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | VASF                 |
| 73-1649                                                                   | 1649 | MH-53M        | 21 SOS/352 SOG | VASF                 |

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|       |        |                |             |                |
|-------|--------|----------------|-------------|----------------|
| XV675 | 701:PW | Sea King HAS.6 | 819 NAS     | 'NAVY701' VASF |
| XZ578 | 709:PW | Sea King HAS.6 | 819 NAS     | VASF           |
|       |        | Nimrod MR.2    | Kinloss Wg  | PD 'G1N'       |
|       |        | Gazelle AH.1   | /AAC        | 'AAC393' VASF  |
| XZ672 | -      | Lynx AH.7      | 655 Sqn/AAC | 'AAC515' VASF  |
| XZ615 | -      | Lynx AH.7      | 655 Sqn/AAC | 'AAC393' VASF  |
| XS737 | K      | Dominie T.1    | 55[R]Sqn    | PD 'CWL92'     |
|       |        | Chinook HC.2   |             | 'SHF395' VASF  |
| XS713 | C      | Dominie T.1    | 55[R]Sqn    | VASF           |

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |               |          |       |
|-------|----|---------------|----------|-------|
| ZJ279 | 79 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS     | SARTU |
| XX499 | G  | Jetstream T.1 | 45[R]Sqn | PD    |

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |               |         |      |
|-------|----|---------------|---------|------|
| ZA291 | ZX | Sea King HC.4 | 848 NAS | VASF |
|-------|----|---------------|---------|------|

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|       |        |                |            |              |
|-------|--------|----------------|------------|--------------|
| XX156 | -      | Hawk T.1       | Red Arrows | 'CWL08' VASF |
| XZ579 | 707:PW | Sea King HAS.6 | 819 NAS    | VASF         |
| ZE422 | 703:PW | Sea King HAS.6 | 819 NAS    | VASF         |

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |                |         |                  |
|-------|-----|----------------|---------|------------------|
| XX352 | CP  | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn | 'JAVELIN95' VASF |
| XV703 | 709 | Sea King HAS.6 | 819 NAS | 'NAVY709' VASF   |

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |           |       |      |
|-------|---|-----------|-------|------|
| XX157 | - | Hawk T.1A | FRADU | VASF |
| XX187 | - | Hawk T.1A | FRADU | VASF |

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|        |        |                |            |                         |
|--------|--------|----------------|------------|-------------------------|
| XV703  | 709    | Sea King HAS.6 | 819 NAS    | VASF                    |
| XZ579  | 707:PW | Sea King HAS.6 | 819 NAS    | VASF                    |
| ZE422  | 703:PW | Sea King HAS.6 | 819 NAS    | VASF                    |
| XX156  | -      | Hawk T.1       | Red Arrows | 208[R]Sqn flightline    |
| D-CCAA | -      | Learjet 35A    | Private    | 'AIR AMBULANCE436' VASF |
|        |        | Hawk           | BAE        | PD 'TARNISH14'          |
| ZJ280  | 80     | Squirrel HT.1  | DHFS       | 'SYS69' SARTU           |

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |               |            |      |
|-------|-----|---------------|------------|------|
| XX496 | D   | Jetstream T.1 | 45[R]Sqn   | VASF |
| XX253 | -   | Hawk T.1A     | Red Arrows | VASF |
| ZH844 | 534 | Merlin HM.1   | 700[M]NAS  | VASF |
| ZJ263 | 63  | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS       | VASF |

#### Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

|        |     |                |                  |                              |
|--------|-----|----------------|------------------|------------------------------|
| G-FPLB | -   | Super King Air | Flight Precision | 'CHECKER' VASF               |
| XX282  | CQ  | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn          | 'JAVELIN88' VASF             |
| XZ229  | 457 | Lynx HAS.3S    | 815 NAS          | 'NAVY457' VASF HMS Lancaster |
| XV711  | 515 | Sea King HAS.6 | 810 NAS          | 'NAVY515' VASF               |
| ZJ645  | [-] | Alpha Jet      | DERA Llanbedr    | PD 'T-BIRD14'                |
|        | [-] | Alpha Jet      | DERA Llanbedr    | PD 'T-BIRD11'                |

#### Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|-----------------|---------------|----------------------|
| ZJ272                                                                     | 72 | Squirrel HT.1   | DHFS          | VASF                 |
| XX161                                                                     | -  | Hawk T.1A       | DERA          | VASF                 |
| ZH544                                                                     | -  | Sea King HAR.3A | A Flt/22 Sqn  | VASF                 |
| Declared a PAN and was escorted in to runway 19 by 22 Sqn aircraft XZ594. |    |                 |               |                      |
| ZD984                                                                     | -  | Chinook HC.2    | 27 Sqn        | 'SHF522' VASF refuel |
|                                                                           |    | Alpha Jet       | DTEO Llanbedr | PD 'T-BIRD11'        |
| XW226                                                                     | -  | Puma HC.1       | 230 Sqn       | VASF                 |

#### Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |               |         |      |
|-------|----|---------------|---------|------|
| ZD627 | VR | Sea King HC.4 | 846 NAS | VASF |
|-------|----|---------------|---------|------|

#### Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

|       |   |               |          |      |
|-------|---|---------------|----------|------|
| XX496 | D | Jetstream T.1 | 45[R]Sqn | VASF |
|-------|---|---------------|----------|------|

#### Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                                                                                                                                                      |     |               |             |      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|---------------|-------------|------|
| XW213                                                                                                                                                                                                | -   | Puma HC.1     | 230 Sqn     | VASF |
| XX496                                                                                                                                                                                                | D   | Jetstream T.1 | 45[R]Sqn    | VASF |
| XZ216                                                                                                                                                                                                | -   | Lynx AH.7     | 661 Sqn/AAC | VASF |
| ZH844                                                                                                                                                                                                | 534 | Merlin HM.1   | 700[M]NAS   | VASF |
| The Merlin subsequently ditched in the Inner Sound between Applecross, Wester Ross and the Island of Raasay on 27.10. the crew were all safe and the aircraft was eventually recovered to Yeovilton. |     |               |             |      |

#### Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

|  |  |              |        |                             |
|--|--|--------------|--------|-----------------------------|
|  |  | Chinook HC.2 | 27 Sqn | 'SHF523' overflew to Odiham |
|--|--|--------------|--------|-----------------------------|

#### Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

|       |     |             |          |                   |
|-------|-----|-------------|----------|-------------------|
| XX299 | -   | Hawk T.1W   | 100 Sqn  | 'JAVELIN01' VASF  |
| ZF206 | 206 | Tucano T.1  | 1 FTS    | 'LOP06' VASF      |
| XX327 | -   | Hawk T.1A   | CAM/DERA | 'GAUNTLET20' VASF |
| XS606 | -   | Andover C.1 | ETPS     | VASF              |

### Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

|         |      |                |                |                      |
|---------|------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|
| G-BPPM  | -    | Super King Air | Air Ambulance  | 'GAMMA450' VASF      |
| E79     | 8-MI | Alpha Jet      | ETO 01.008     | 'FAF6820' VASF       |
| G-WIZO  | -    | PA-34 Seneca   | Private        | 'CLIFTON12' VASF     |
|         |      | Puma HC.1      |                | 'SHF346' VASF refuel |
| 69-5795 | 5795 | MH-53M         | 21 SOS/352 SOG | 'PAVE32' VASF refuel |

### Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                    |    |               |           |                     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|----|---------------|-----------|---------------------|
| XW209                                                              | -  | Puma HC.1     | 72 Sqn    | VASF                |
| ZE396                                                              | -  | BAe.125 CC.3  | 32[TR]Sqn | VASF                |
| XX317                                                              | CN | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn   | 'JAVELIN99' VASF    |
| ZE887                                                              | DJ | Tornado F.3   | [11 Sqn]  | AGWOEU 'JAVELIN12'  |
| ZJ272                                                              | 72 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS      | 'SYS66' SARTU       |
| XX496                                                              | D  | Jetstream T.1 | 45[R]Sqn  | 'RRR1468/1467' VASF |
| Dropped off the VIP for the Graduation ceremony the following day. |    |               |           |                     |

### Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

| Wings Graduation Ceremony. |   |                 |               |                 |
|----------------------------|---|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|
|                            |   | 2x Harrier GR.7 | Cottesmore    | Airfield attack |
|                            |   | Tornado GR.     | 2/13 Sqn      | Airfield attack |
|                            |   | Jaguar GR.      | Coltishall Wg | Airfield attack |
|                            |   | 2x Jaguar       | Coltishall Wg | Airfield attack |
| XX292                      | - | Hawk T.1W       | Red Arrows    | VASF displayed  |
| XX233                      | - | Hawk T.1        | Red Arrows    | VASF displayed  |
| XX253                      | - | Hawk T.1A       | Red Arrows    | VASF displayed  |
| XX264                      | - | Hawk T.1A       | Red Arrows    | VASF displayed  |

### Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2000 [VAS]

| 31 Sqn arrived from Bruggen for their MPC, departed 3.11. |    |              |        |                  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|----|--------------|--------|------------------|
| ZA542                                                     | DM | Tornado GR.4 | 31 Sqn | AGWOEU 'RFR537A' |
| ZA553                                                     | DI | Tornado GR.4 | 31 Sqn | AGWOEU 'RFR537B' |
| ZD711                                                     | II | Tornado GR.4 | 2 Sqn  | AGWOEU 'RFR537C' |

### Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2000 [VAS]

|        |      |                |         |                |
|--------|------|----------------|---------|----------------|
| XV711  | 515  | Sea King HAS.6 | 810 NAS | VASF refuel    |
| ZG821  | [Z]D | Sea King HC.4  | 848 NAS | 'NAVY ZD' VASF |
| G-WIZO | -    | PA-34 Seneca   | Private | VASF           |

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |              |            |                      |
|-------|----|--------------|------------|----------------------|
| XW226 | -  | Puma HC.1    | 33 Sqn     | VASF                 |
|       | LN | F-15E        | /48 FW     | PD 'PANTHER01' on 32 |
|       | LN | F-15E        | /48 FW     | PD 'PANTHER02' on 32 |
|       | LN | F-15E        | /48 FW     | PD 'MONGOL21' on 32  |
|       | LN | F-15E        | /48 FW     | PD 'MONGOL22' on 32  |
|       |    | Harrier GR.7 | Cottesmore | PD 'CIVIC' on 32     |
|       |    | Harrier GR.7 | Cottesmore | PD 'CIVIC' on 32     |

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |               |          |      |
|-------|---|---------------|----------|------|
| XR525 | G | Wessex HC.2   | 72 Sqn   | VASF |
| XV723 | Q | Wessex HC.2   | 72 Sqn   | VASF |
| ZH892 | - | Chinook HC.2A | [18 Sqn] | VASF |

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|        |   |              |     |      |
|--------|---|--------------|-----|------|
| G-BGYR | - | BAe.125-600B | BAE | VASF |
|--------|---|--------------|-----|------|

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|        |        |              |            |                         |
|--------|--------|--------------|------------|-------------------------|
| G-BCTJ | -      | Cessna 310Q  | Private    | VASF                    |
| XX327  | -      | Hawk T.1A    | CAM/DERA   | 'BLACKBOX1' VASF        |
| XX162  | -      | Hawk T.1     | CAM/DERA   | 'BLACKBOX2' VASF        |
| XX233  | -      | Hawk T.1     | Red Arrows | 'RED11' VASF            |
| XX253  | -      | Hawk T.1A    | Red Arrows | VASF                    |
| XX292  | -      | Hawk T.1W    | Red Arrows | VASF                    |
| XX307  | -      | Hawk T.1     | Red Arrows | VASF                    |
| ZA673  | NT     | Chinook HC.2 | 27 Sqn     | VASF                    |
| E73    | 314-TV | Alpha Jet    | EAC 00.314 | 'FAF6442' VASF dep 9.11 |
| E162   | 314-TZ | Alpha Jet    | EAC 00.314 | 'FAF6442' VASF dep 9.11 |

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|        |        |              |            |                          |
|--------|--------|--------------|------------|--------------------------|
| XX265  | CN     | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn    | VASF                     |
| ZA320  | TAW    | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn   | VASF                     |
| ZA325  | TAX    | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn   | VASF                     |
| ZA352  | TAU    | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn   | VASF                     |
| ZA356  | TP     | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn   | VASF                     |
| ZA361  | TD     | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn   | VASF                     |
| E63    | 314-LN | Alpha Jet    | EAC 00.314 | 'FAF6440' VASF dep 10.11 |
| E156   | 314-TI | Alpha Jet    | EAC 00.314 | 'FAF6440' VASF dep 10.11 |
| G-BGYR | -      | BAe.125-600B | BAE        | VASF                     |

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |              |             |      |
|-------|----|--------------|-------------|------|
| XV723 | Q  | Wessex HC.2  | 72 Sqn      | VASF |
| XW909 | -  | Gazelle AH.1 | 656 Sqn/AAC | VASF |
| ZH894 | BO | Chinook HC.2 | 27 Sqn      | VASF |

#### Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]

|       |    |               |             |                       |
|-------|----|---------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| XZ672 | -  | Lynx AH.7     | 655 Sqn/AAC | VASF hot refuel 16:50 |
| XX335 | CD | Hawk T.1A     | 100 Sqn     | VASF                  |
| ZJ270 | 70 | Squirrel HT.1 | DHFS        | VASF                  |

#### Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]

|        |      |               |              |                    |
|--------|------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|
| XZ182  | -    | Lynx AH.7     | /AAC         | VASF               |
| XX337  | -    | Hawk T.1A     | FRADU        | 'CRIMSON2' VASF    |
| G-FIRM | -    | Citation 550  | Private      | 'MARSHALLS12' VASF |
| XH134  | [AB] | Canberra PR.9 | 39[1 PRU]Sqn | PD on 32           |

#### Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]

|       |     |               |               |                 |
|-------|-----|---------------|---------------|-----------------|
| XZ182 | [M] | Lynx AH.7     | [847 NAS]     | VASF            |
| XX475 | -   | Jetstream T.2 | DERA W Freugh | 'T-BIRD05' VASF |



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|     |        |           |            |                          |
|-----|--------|-----------|------------|--------------------------|
| E63 | 314-LN | Alpha Jet | EAC 00.314 | 'FAF6441' VASF French AF |
| E72 | 314-LA | Alpha Jet | EAC 00.314 | 'FAF6442' VASF French AF |

#### Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]

|                                         |    |              |              |      |
|-----------------------------------------|----|--------------|--------------|------|
| 84-0009                                 | LN | F-15C        | 493 FS/48 FW | VASF |
| 84-0001                                 | LN | F-15C        | 493 FS/48 FW | VASF |
| 86-0178                                 | LN | F-15C        | 493 FS/48 FW | VASF |
| 86-0167                                 | LN | F-15C        | 493 FS/48 FW | VASF |
| The F-15's were all weather diversions. |    |              |              |      |
| XX187                                   | -  | Hawk T.1A    | FRADU        | VASF |
| XX265                                   | CN | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn      | VASF |
| G-DCEA                                  | -  | PA-34 Seneca | Private      | VASF |

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |           |             |      |
|-------|---|-----------|-------------|------|
| XX330 | - | Hawk T.1A | 100 Sqn     | VASF |
| XZ196 | - | Lynx AH.7 | 664 Sqn/AAC | VASF |

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |             |            |        |
|-------|----|-------------|------------|--------|
| ZG757 | HU | Tornado F.3 | 111 Sqn    | AGWOEU |
| ZG772 | AU | Tornado F.3 | 56[R]Sqn   | AGWOEU |
| XX187 | -  | Hawk T.1A   | FRADU      | VASF   |
| XX237 | -  | Hawk T.1    | Red Arrows | VASF   |
| XX301 | -  | Hawk T.1A   | FRADU      | VASF   |
| XX315 | -  | Hawk T.1A   | FRADU      | VASF   |

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|      |      |          |           |                          |
|------|------|----------|-----------|--------------------------|
| A118 | 7-HE | Jaguar A | EC 01.007 | 'FAF7403' VASF French AF |
|------|------|----------|-----------|--------------------------|



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|------|------|----------|-----------|--------------------------|
| A137 | 7-HQ | Jaguar A | EC 01.007 | 'FAF7403' VASF French AF |
|------|------|----------|-----------|--------------------------|



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|       |    |             |         |                    |
|-------|----|-------------|---------|--------------------|
| XX187 | -  | Hawk T.1A   | FRADU   | VASF               |
| XX301 | -  | Hawk T.1A   | FRADU   | VASF               |
| XX217 | CC | Hawk T.1A   | 100 Sqn | 'JAVELIN64' VASF   |
| XX331 | CK | Hawk T.1A   | 100 Sqn | 'JAVELIN63' VASF   |
| 46+01 | -  | Tornado IDS | JBG-38  | 'ME34' VASF N/stop |

|        |   |                |               |             |
|--------|---|----------------|---------------|-------------|
| G-THLS | - | Bo.105C        | Trinity House | VASF N/stop |
|        |   | 3x Hercules C. | LTW           | PD on 14    |

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|          |   |             |              |            |
|----------|---|-------------|--------------|------------|
| [VP-GGE] | - | Citation    | Private      | VASF       |
|          |   | Tornado F.3 | Coningsby Wg | PD 'CBY50' |

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |                |              |                        |
|-------|-----|----------------|--------------|------------------------|
| XW227 | -   | Puma HC.1      | 230 Sqn      | 'SHF007' VASF          |
| ZD461 | 51  | Harrier GR.7   | 1 Sqn        | 'RAMPAGE1' VASF N/stop |
| ZG503 | 74  | Harrier GR.7   | 3 Sqn        | 'RAMPAGE2' VASF N/stop |
|       |     | Tornado F.3    | Coningsby Wg | PD 'CBY45'             |
| XV703 | 706 | Sea King HAS.6 | 819 NAS      | VASF                   |
| ZG817 | 702 | Sea King HAS.6 | 819 NAS      | VASF                   |

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|       |      |              |        |      |
|-------|------|--------------|--------|------|
| ZD574 | [EH] | Chinook HC.2 | 27 Sqn | VASF |
|-------|------|--------------|--------|------|

**Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|        |    |                |               |                   |
|--------|----|----------------|---------------|-------------------|
| G-MAFA | -  | Cessna F406    | Direct Flight | 'WATCHDOG71' VASF |
| G-SBAS | -  | Super King Air | Private       | VASF              |
| XX265  | CN | Hawk T.1A      | 100 Sqn       | VASF              |

**Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|       |      |                   |         |      |
|-------|------|-------------------|---------|------|
| ZD574 | [EH] | Chinook HC.2      | 27 Sqn  | VASF |
|       |      | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 899 NAS | PD   |

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |          |       |      |
|-------|---|----------|-------|------|
| XX171 | - | Hawk T.1 | FRADU | VASF |
|-------|---|----------|-------|------|

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2000 [VAS]**

|       |   |           |            |      |
|-------|---|-----------|------------|------|
| XX306 | - | Hawk T.1  | Red Arrows | VASF |
| ZA937 | - | Puma HC.1 | 72 Sqn     | VASF |

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2000 [VAS]**

|        |   |              |            |      |
|--------|---|--------------|------------|------|
| XX253  | - | Hawk T.1A    | Red Arrows | VASF |
| XX260  | - | Hawk T.1A    | Red Arrows | VASF |
| XX266  | - | Hawk T.1A    | Red Arrows | VASF |
| XX306  | - | Hawk T.1A    | Red Arrows | VASF |
| XX307  | - | Hawk T.1     | Red Arrows | VASF |
| G-DOBN | - | Citation 525 | Private    | VASF |

|        |   |                |                  |      |
|--------|---|----------------|------------------|------|
| G-FPLA | - | Super King Air | Flight Precision | VASF |
|--------|---|----------------|------------------|------|

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]**

|       |    |              |               |                 |
|-------|----|--------------|---------------|-----------------|
| ZD461 | 51 | Harrier GR.7 | 3 Sqn         | AGWOEU          |
| ZG530 | 84 | Harrier GR.7 | 3 Sqn         | AGWOEU dep 4.12 |
|       |    | Harrier GR.7 | Cottesmore Wg | AGWOEU          |
| XX156 | -  | Hawk T.1     | Red Arrows    | VASF            |

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]**

|        |    |              |         |                           |
|--------|----|--------------|---------|---------------------------|
| ZG509  | 80 | Harrier GR.7 | 1 Sqn   | AGWOEU 'ZENITH1' dep 7.12 |
| ZG512  | 83 | Harrier GR.7 | 3 Sqn   | AGWOEU 'ZENITH2' dep 7.12 |
| ZG530  | 84 | Harrier GR.7 | 3 Sqn   | AGWOEU dep 7.12           |
| XX200  | CF | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn | VASF                      |
| G-FRAI | -  | Falcon 20    | FRA     | VASF                      |

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]**

|        |     |               |            |                 |
|--------|-----|---------------|------------|-----------------|
| XV222  | 222 | Hercules C.3  | LTW        | 'RRR603' VASF   |
| G-BOJK | -   | PA-34 Seneca  | Private    | VASF dep 7.12   |
| ZE907  | FM  | Tornado F.3   | 25 Sqn     | AGWOEU dep 7.12 |
| ZE294  | -   | Tornado F.3   | 25 Sqn     | AGWOEU dep 7.12 |
| ZD476  | ZU  | Sea King HC.4 | 848 NAS    | 'AVENGER' VASF  |
| ZA295  | ZR  | Sea King HC.4 | 848 NAS    | 'AVENGER' VASF  |
| XX156  | -   | Hawk T.1      | Red Arrows | VASF            |
| XX301  | -   | Hawk T.1A     | FRADU      | VASF            |

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]**

|       |      |               |              |              |
|-------|------|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| ZA295 | ZR   | Sea King HC.4 | 848 NAS      | VASF         |
| XH168 | [AD] | Canberra PR.9 | 39[1 PRU]Sqn | 'MRH44' VASF |



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|       |    |              |       |        |
|-------|----|--------------|-------|--------|
| ZG503 | 74 | Harrier GR.7 | 3 Sqn | AGWOEU |
|-------|----|--------------|-------|--------|

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| 3x CH-47 & 2x UH-60 seen at 15:00 heading over Conwy towards Valley then Dublin.<br>CH-47D F Co.1/159AVN US Army<br>88-0104 88-0106 89-0142<br>UH-60L D Co. 1/158AVN US Army<br>95-26655 96-26674<br>Most probably the Security cover for President Clinton's visit to Ireland. |  |  |  |  |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |  |  |  |  |

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                     |    |             |              |                     |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----|-------------|--------------|---------------------|
| XZ672                                                               | -  | Lynx AH.7   | 655 Sqn/AAC  | 'AAC926' VASF       |
| [N911ME]                                                            | -  |             | Private      | VASF                |
|                                                                     | LN | F-15E       | 492 FS/48 FW | PD 'DEADLY31' on 14 |
|                                                                     | LN | F-15E       | 492 FS/48 FW | PD 'DEADLY32' on 14 |
|                                                                     |    | Tornado F.3 | 56[R]Sqn     | PD 'HORSEMAN1'      |
|                                                                     |    | Tornado F.3 | 56[R]Sqn     | PD 'HORSEMAN2'      |
| After the approach the two F.3's diverted to Warton due to weather. |    |             |              |                     |

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]**

|       |        |              |              |                               |
|-------|--------|--------------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| ZA604 | [TY]   | Tornado GR.4 | 617 Sqn      | 'BANSHEE1' VASF local sorties |
| ZG792 | [AJ-G] | Tornado GR.4 | 617 Sqn      | 'BANSHEE2' VASF local sorties |
|       | LN     | F-15E        | 494 FS/48 FW | PD 'DEADLY31'                 |
|       | LN     | F-15E        | 494 FS/48 FW | PD 'DEADLY32'                 |
| XX194 | CO     | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn      | 'JAVELIN89' VASF              |
| XZ672 | -      | Lynx AH.7    | 655 Sqn/AAC  | 'AAC926' VASF                 |

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]**

|       |     |              |          |                       |
|-------|-----|--------------|----------|-----------------------|
| XX289 | CI  | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn  | VASF                  |
| XX312 |     | Hawk T.1W    | 100 Sqn  | VASF                  |
| ZA319 | TAV | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | 'STELLA1' VASF N/stop |



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|-------|-----|--------------|----------|-----------------------|
| ZA323 | TAZ | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | 'STELLA2' VASF N/stop |
| ZA352 | TAU | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | 'STELLA3' VASF N/stop |
| ZA355 | TAA | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | VASF N/stop           |
| ZA360 | TC  | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | VASF N/stop           |



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**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]**

|                                                                                                                                                        |      |              |          |                               |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|--------------|----------|-------------------------------|
| At 13:20 2x UH-60 flew to the SW of Valley and along the Straits to the East.<br>Most probably the return of the Security cover, see 9.12 for serials. |      |              |          |                               |
| ZA319                                                                                                                                                  | TAV  | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | 'BANSHEE1' VASF local sorties |
| ZA355                                                                                                                                                  | TAA  | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | 'BANSHEE2' VASF local sorties |
| ZA323                                                                                                                                                  | TAZ  | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | 'STELLA1' VASF                |
|                                                                                                                                                        |      | Tornado GR.1 | 15[R]Sqn | 'STELLA2' VASF                |
| ZG792                                                                                                                                                  | AJ-G | Tornado GR.4 | 617 Sqn  | AGWOEU                        |



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|-------|------|--------------|---------|--------|
| ZA549 | AJ-Z | Tornado GR.4 | 617 Sqn | AGWOEU |
|-------|------|--------------|---------|--------|



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|--------|----|--------------|---------------|---------------------------|
|        |    | Tornado GR.4 | 617 Sqn       | AGWOEU                    |
| XX278  | CC | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn       | VASF                      |
| XX352  | CP | Hawk T.1A    | 100 Sqn       | VASF                      |
| G-UMMI | -  | PA-31 Navajo | Private       | VASF picked up XX283 crew |
|        |    | MC-130H      | 7 SOS/352 SOG | PD                        |

Based noted:

Hawk T.1A [FRP] XX283 'STN03' delivery from St Athan.

### Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]

|                                                                                                                                                                                     |    |                   |          |                              |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|-------------------|----------|------------------------------|
| <p>Wings Graduation Ceremony.</p> <p>At 10:35 3x CH-47 'US ARMY90141' to the NE of Valley routing Dublin-Mildenhall.</p> <p>Return of the Security cover, see 9.12 for serials.</p> |    |                   |          |                              |
|                                                                                                                                                                                     |    | Sea Harrier F/A.2 | 899 NAS  | 'YEOVIL09' displayed         |
| WV318                                                                                                                                                                               | -  | Hunter T.7B       | Delta    | 'HUNTER01' displayed         |
|                                                                                                                                                                                     |    | 6x Harrier GR.7   |          | 'RAMPAGE1-6' airfield attack |
|                                                                                                                                                                                     |    | 4x Harrier GR.7   | [3 Sqn]  | 'CHAOS1-4' airfield attack   |
|                                                                                                                                                                                     |    | 3x Tornado F.3    | 25 Sqn   | 'SAVAGE1-3' display          |
| ZE908                                                                                                                                                                               | HV | Tornado F.3       | 25 Sqn   | 'SAVAGE4' display            |
| XX752                                                                                                                                                                               | D  | Jaguar GR.3A      | 16[R]Sqn | 'GROUSE1' airfield attack    |
|                                                                                                                                                                                     |    | 3x Jaguar         | 16[R]Sqn | 'GROUSE2-4' airfield attack  |
| [XX194]                                                                                                                                                                             | CO | Hawk T.1A         | 100 Sqn  | 'JAVELIN97' VASF             |

|       |   |              |            |                              |
|-------|---|--------------|------------|------------------------------|
|       |   | Tornado F.3  | 25 Sqn     | 'JAVELIN20' display [43 Sqn] |
|       | - | Hawk T.1     | Red Arrows | 'TRAPPER1' VASF              |
| ZH763 | - | BAC.1-11-539 | DERA       | 'GAUNTLET57' VASF            |



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Based noted:

4-ship Hawk airfield attack XX181 XX173 XX185 XX284

9-ship Hawk flypast:

XX338 XX175 XX234 XX184 XX196 XX296 XX205 XX232 XX161 XX225

Griffin HT.1 ZJ239:R 60[R]Sqn flypast.

#### Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]

|  |  |             |                |                |
|--|--|-------------|----------------|----------------|
|  |  | MC-130P     | 67 SOS/352 SOG | PD 'SHADOW02A' |
|  |  | MC-130P     | 67 SOS/352 SOG | PD 'SHADOW02B' |
|  |  | BAe.125 CC. | 32[TR]Sqn      | 'RRR7602' VASF |

#### Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]

|         |    |              |              |                 |
|---------|----|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
|         | LN | F-15E        | 492 FS/48 FW | PD 'PANTHER31'  |
|         | LN | F-15E        | 492 FS/48 FW | PD 'PANTHER32'  |
| ZH763   | -  | BAC.1-11-539 | DERA         | PD 'GAUNTLET57' |
| 98-0134 | LN | F-15E        | 492 FS/48 FW | VASF            |

#### Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2000 [VAS]

|         |    |                |              |                |
|---------|----|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| XX281   | -  | Hawk T.1A[FRP] | BAE          | PD 'TARNISH4'  |
| 86-0176 | LN | F-15C          | 493 FS/48 FW | PD 'RAMBO'     |
| 86-0182 | LN | F-15D          | 493 FS/48 FW | PD 'RAMBO'     |
|         | -  | BAe.125 CC.    | 32[TR]Sqn    | 'RRR1748' VASF |
|         | LN | F-15           | /48 FW       | PD 'CASINO41'  |
|         | LN | F-15           | /48 FW       | PD 'CASINO42'  |

#### Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2000 [VAS]

|        |   |               |         |      |
|--------|---|---------------|---------|------|
| ZH893  | - | Chinook HC.2A |         | VASF |
| G-LENY | - | PA-34 Seneca  | Private | VASF |

#### Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2000 [VAS]

|         |    |       |              |      |
|---------|----|-------|--------------|------|
| 84-0019 | LN | F-15C | 493 FS/48 FW | VASF |
| 86-0175 | LN | F-15C | 493 FS/48 FW | VASF |

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