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RAF Valley Aircraft Movements August 2025

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Friday 1st August 2025

			Runwa	ay 31	
G-MCGK - S.92 HM CG 'CG936' PD					
			Based r	noted:	
	Texan T.1 72 Sqn				
ZM328 'VYT76' PD Warton.					

Monday 4th August 2025

Runway Windy, back end of Storm Floris [mainly affecting Scotland] No flying AM				
ZM499	99	Jupiter HT.1	1 FTS	'SYS661' delivery to 202 Sqn
ZM525	ZM525 25 Juno HT.1 1 FTS 'SYS639'			
	From & to Shawbury, crew ferry for ZM499.			or ZM499.
	Based noted:			
	Texan T.1 72 Sqn			
	ZM323 'VYT67' PD Warton.			

Tuesday 5th August 2025

			Runway 31		
	LN	F-35A	/48 FW	'GREEN91' PD	
	LN	F-35A	/48 FW	'GREEN92' PD	
ZK356	-	Typhoon FGR.4	BAE	'TARNISH15' PD	
	Based noted:				
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Texan T.1 72 Sqn ZM341 PD IoM.

Jupiter HT.1 ZM498:98 202 Sqn 'WHIRLWIND207' PD IoM.

Wednesday 6th August 2025



Thursday 7th August 2025



From Yeovilton but diverted to Hawarden at 08:30 from the Great Orme area due to weather. Eventually arrived 11:25 from Hawarden on 19. It later flew a local air-to-air photography sortie [12:32/13:20] with G-EELS in the Red Wharf Bay area before landing at Mona. It later returned to Valley landing on 31.

MM55126 70-35 SF.260D Private [G-LUAS]



Arrived at 13:51 then later carried out an air-to-air photography sortie with G-EELS in the Red Wharf Bay area. This aircraft wears an Italian Air Force military scheme but never served with the Italian Air Force. Originally registered as I-ISAB.



After the air-to-air photography they arrived for a run in & break then land on 31.



Both from Florennes, Belgium. They both carried out air-to-air photography with G-EELS down the Lleyn Peninsula before landing at Valley. 350 Sqn were formed at Valley 12 November 1941.

G-EELS - C.208 Caravan Private From & to Caernarfon



See above notes regarding air-to-air photography.

Based noted flying: Hawk T.2 4/25 Sqn



ZK011:B ZK017:H ZK018:I ZK019:J ZK020:K ZK021:L ZK023:N ZK031:FG ZK035:FK

Texan T.1 72 Sqn

ZM325 ZM328 ZM329 ZM332 ZM343

Jupiter HT.1 202 Sqn

ZM497:97 ZM498:98 ZM499:99



Friday 8th August 2025

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	RAF Valley Families Day.					
		Runv	way 19/31			
		Stat	ic Display.			
ZK019	J	Hawk T.2	4 Sqn			
ZK021	L	Hawk T.2	4 Sqn			
ZM328	328	Texan T.1	72 Sqn	'VYT80'		
ZM32	8 carried	out a sortie first befor	e landing and	taxying to the static display.		
ZM497	97	Jupiter HT.1	202 Sqn	'WHIRLWIND213'		
	Flightline *also displayed.					
MM55126	70-35	SF.260D*	Private	[G-LUAS]		



[Iwan Pritchard]

FA-68 - F-16AM 350 Sqn 'BAF252' Belgian AF



[Dimitris Triadafillou]



[Iwan Pritchard]

FA-97 - F-16AM 350 Sqn 'BAF251' Belgian AF



[Iwan Pritchard]

After departure they met up with G-EELS just North of Blackpool for another air-to-air photography sortie. They were originally going low level in the Lakes but that did not materialise.

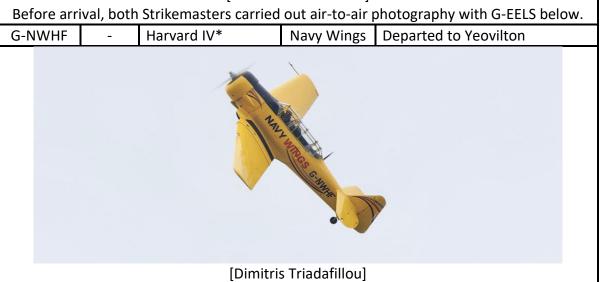
425 - Strikemaster 82A* Private [G-SOAF]

[Iwan Pritchard]

417 17 Strikemaster 80A* Private [G-RSAF]



[Both: Iwan Pritchard]





Hawk T.1/1.A/1.W RAFAT* in landing order:

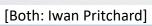
XX295 XX278 XX219 XX239 XX232 XX319 XX281 XX321 XX242 XX322



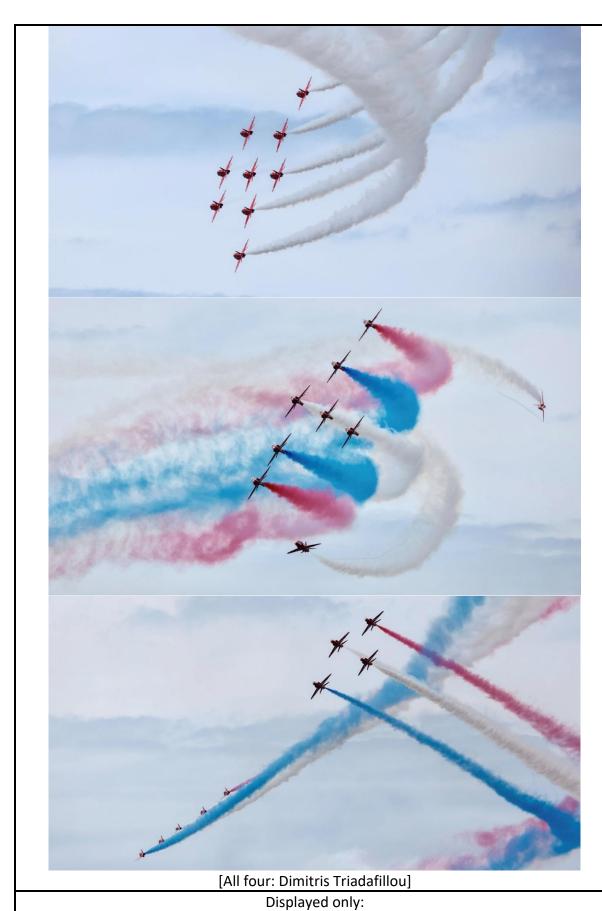


They arrived direct from Waddington and later displayed at 15:30 before departing straight after the display to Blackpool for the Weekend Air Show there.



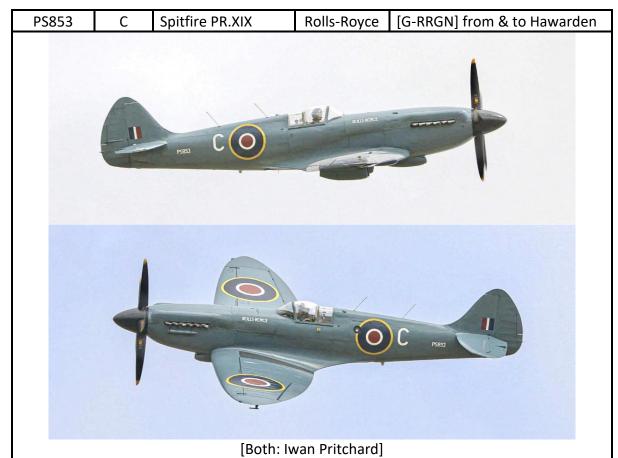






[2 Spitfires due to display G-PBIX & G-BRRA were unable to attend due to weather on 7.8]

[RAF C-17 & HHA Hunter flypasts also cancelled]



ZK324 324 Typhoon FGR.4 29 Sqn 'REHEAT01'





[Both: Dimitris Triadafillou]
The Typhoon operated out of Blackpool, did NOT land at Valley.

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ZM499	99	Jupiter HT.1	202 Sqn	Role demonstration
		Civilia	an Visitors:	
N47494	-	PA-28 Arrow	Private	From Hawarden
G-DONE	-	B.505 Jetranger	Private	From Hawarden via Mona
G-BILS	-	Cessna 152	Mona Avn	From Mona
G-CLSC	-	Evektor SportStar	Private	
G-EERR	-	H.125	Private	[from Bodedern ?]
G-EGCD	-	Cessna 172SP	Private	From Liverpool
G-BSKW	-	PA-28 Archer	Private	From Blackpool
G-CMZZ	-	PA-28 Warrior	Private	From IoM
G-EELS	-	C.208 Caravan	Private	A2A photography

The Caravan carried out air-to-air photography with the Strikemasters off Anglesey and the F-16's off Blackpool area.

Based noted flying: Texan T.1 72 Sqn ZM328 'VYT80' & ZM326 +3 'SWIFT1-4' flew AM.

Sunday 10th August 2025

Based noted:

Jupiter HT.1 ZM498:98 202 Sqn 'WHIRLWIND207'





[Both: Iwan Pritchard]
Carried out a role demonstration with the Llandudno Lifeboat, RNLI Open Day.

Monday 11th August 2025

	Runway 13/31					
ZK380 380 Typhoon T.3 29 Sqn 'WARLORD51' PD at 15:45						
Based noted:						
Texan T.1 72 Sqn						
ZM327 'VYT98' PD Blackpool.				ool.		
ZM329 'VYT80' PD Liverpool.						
ZM327 'VYT80' ZM340 'VYT92' PD IoM.						

Tuesday 12th August 2025

		Ri	unway 13/31	
G-DITW	-	Tecnam P2006T	Private	PD at 14:30 from Hawarden

Wednesday 13th August 2025

			Runway 13	
ZK303	AX	Typhoon T.3	BAE	'TARNISH15' PD at 10:35
ZK348	348	Typhoon FGR.4	11 Sqn	'HAVOC11' PD at 11:35
ZK349	349	Typhoon FGR.4	11 Sqn	'HAVOC12' PD at 11:35

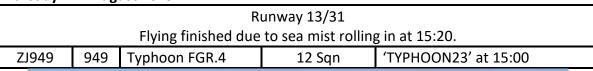
Based noted:

Texan T.1 72 Sqn

ZM323 'VYT91' PD Blackpool.

ZM328 'VYT77' ZM329 'VYT74' ZM326 'VYT85' all PD Warton.

Thursday 14th August 2025





Radar to visual from Coningsby, 2 circuits then depart low level down the Conwy Valley.

Based noted:

Texan T.1 72 Sqn ZM343 'VYT67' PD Blackpool. ZM328 'VYT85' PD Liverpool.

Friday 15th August 2025

			Runway 31	
ZK306	306	Typhoon FGR.4	11 Sqn	'TYPHOON42' PD at 11:55



PAR to touch & go and depart high level back to Coningsby.

ZM497 97 Jupiter HT.1 202 Sqn 'SYS653' to & from Shawbury



ZM497 first departed as 'SYS653' to Shawbury at 10:08 returning from Shawbury with the same callsign at 11:36. It then departed back to Shawbury as 'SYS661' at 12:00. It is seen here departing at 10:08.

ZM497 97 Jupiter HT.1 202 Sqn 'SYS661' to Shawbury

Monday 18th August 2025

Runway 31/13 [No visitors]				
Based noted:				
	Hawk T.2 4/25 Sqn			
	ZK019:J 'VYT22' ZK021:L 'VYT22' PD IoM.			
Texan T.1 72 Sqn				
	ZM326 'VYT99' PD IoM.			

Tuesday 19th August 2025

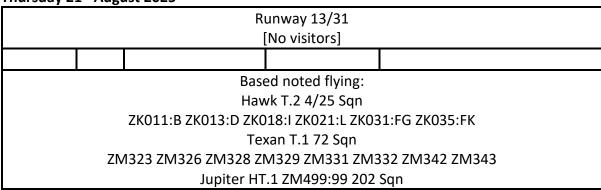
_	_		Runway 13 [No visitors]	
	Based noted:			
	Hawk T.2 4/25 Sqn			
	ZK031:FG 'VYT22' PD IoM.			

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Texan T.1 72 Sqn
ZM329 'VYT97' PD IoM.
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Wednesday 20th August 2025

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	Runway 13			
[No visitors]				
Based noted:				
Texan T.1 72 Sqn				
	ZM328 'VYT69' PD IoM.			

Thursday 21st August 2025



Friday 22nd August 2025

Runway 31				
ZB139	1	Hawk 167	JHTS	'JAVELIN16' PD at 11:29
Based noted:				
Hawk T.2 4/25 Sqn				
ZK018:I 'VYT22' PD Warton.				
Texan T.1 72 Sqn				
ZM343 PD Liverpool.				

Saturday 23rd August 2025

One of the Valley Hawk T.2 QFI's, F/L Geoffrey Robert Corser was killed in a para-glider accident at the Dinorwic Quarry near Llanberis.

Monday 25th August 2025

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Tuesday 26th August 2025

Runway 19				
[No visitors]				

Based noted flying:

No Hawk flying due to the death of one of the Hawk T.2 QFI's over the Bank Holiday. [this was F/L Geoffery Robert Corser in a para-glider in Dinorwic Quarry, Llanberis 23.8]

Texan T.1 72 Sqn ZM323 ZM325 ZM327 ZM328 ZM329 ZM331 ZM332 ZM340 ZM343 ZM328 'VYT91' PD IoM. Jupiter HT.1 ZM499:99 202 Sqn

Wednesday 27th August 2025

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Runway 19/13				
XX202	-	Hawk T.1A	RAFAT	'RED12'
Departed to Waddington at 16:39 post AMRO, see below.				
ZK366	366	Typhoon FGR.4	Sqn	'TYPHOON36' PD
Carried out 2 approaches to 13 at 16:15 & 16:25 then to the Mach Loop.				
Based noted:				
AMRO				
Hawk T.1A XX202 RAFAT 'VULCAN82' air test PM.				

Texan T.1 72 Sqn ZM332 'VYT61' PD Aldergrove.

Thursday 28th August 2025

Runway 13/19

No Fixed Wing flying until 10:00

No Hawk flying until 16:00.

[No visitors]

Based noted: AMRO:



Hawk T.1 with black fuselage & red fin being refuelled outside Gaydon Hangar. [this might possibly be XX303 the next black to red conversion for RAFAT]

Hawk T.2 4/25 Sqn flightline:

ZK013:D ZK018:I ZK020:K ZK021:L ZK023:N ZK035:FK

Texan T.1 72 Sqn flightline:

ZM323 ZM327 ZM328 ZM329 ZM331 ZM332 ZM340 ZM342 ZM343

Jupiter HT.1 202 Sqn ZM498:98 ZM499:99

Friday 29th August 2025

Runway 31
72 Sqn [Texan] Graduation.

Wings presented by A/Cdre Matt Bressani OBE, Head Military Strategic Effects.

Graduation Flypast by:

Texan T.1 72 Sqn



'ROCKET' look on as 'SWIFT' get airborne.



'SWIFT' ZM323 ZM327 ZM328 ZM329 at 11:00



'ROCKET' ZM331 ZM332 ZM340 ZM343 at 11:00 Hawk T.2 4 Sqn



'AXIS' ZK020:K ZK018:I ZK021:L at 11:01 [after landing the Hawks parked on ASP.5, the Texan flightline] Typhoon FGR.4 ZK344 29 Sqn 'REHEAT01' at 11:20, see below.

ZM319 19 Prefect T.1 3 FTS 'PREFECT92' ASP.5



Arrived at 09:05 from Cranwell & departed back to Cranwell at 14:09

ZK344 344 Typhoon FGR.4 29 Sqn 'REHEAT01'



From & to Liverpool, did NOT land. Based at Liverpool for the Southport Airshow.

Based noted: see above.

Texan T.1 72 Sqn ZM329 'VYT71' ZM343 'VYT69' both PD IoM PM. Jupiter HT.1 202 Sqn

ZM498:98 ZM499:99