

City of Bristol RSGB Group - G6YB

Next Meeting: Monday (Bank Hol.) August 31st 2009 1930hrs

At the Bristol Lawn Tennis & Squash Club, Redland Green, Redland, Bristol BS6 7HF

Hi All

We enjoyed a very informative and pleasant day out to Bletchley Park on Aug 2nd. The coach was super luxury and the guided tour first class. Thanks to the many that emailed thanking us for the day out.

All those that came along will be receiving a copy of this meeting update. (apologies to anyone who gets two!) Perhaps you would like to come along to our next gathering at the end of August?

This month

Ian Foulkes MA: "Operation Bodyguard" - the overall Allied strategic deception plan leading to the invasion of Normandy in 1944.

Ian, a former sergeant in the Royal Signals and with much experience in covert communications, was the museum attendant at the Royal Signals Museum, Blandford Forum.

This should be a fascinating evening with a real expert on the subject – do try to get along.

FUTURE MEETINGS: dates for your diary

Monday Sept 28th Prof Alan Bramley BEng PhD CEng (G4NDU) "The Mechanics of Music and How To Stay In Tune!"

Monday 26th October Phil Whitchurch G3SWH – Mayotte FH/G3SWH

Monday 30th November Martyn G3RFX not to be missed: Chairman's Evening. Martyn will be ably assisted by his better half Jane, who will talk about her work with the Highways Agency....

News

The Contest group operated from Jersey as GJ6YB during the Islands On The Air competition 25/26th July. Over 3600 contacts were made in the 24hr event. It was great to work so many Bristol and Bath stations as well! Thanks for making the effort. The logs are now being scrutinised and the final results will be announced in a few months.

After the successful Bletchley Park trip, we are planning a visit to the <u>Royal Signals Museum</u> in Blandford for early next year Watch this space!

Any other suggestions for lectures/visits for 2010?

That's all for now

73

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A few useful links

http://tinyurl.com/RSGB-G6YB (for the latest Bristol RSGB Group info)

http://andycowley.com/RSGB-Bristol/ (For a History of the Bristol Group)

http://g6yb.com (Bristol Contest Group)

http://tinyurl.com/RSGB-Meetings (Where the meetings are held)