

# City of Bristol RSGB Group - G6YB

## Next Meeting Monday July 27th 2009 1930hrs

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

#### Hi All

Well, Christmas came and went – and I gather a very good time was had by all!

This month we have a general natter / discussion evening. If you have built anything recently or are even thinking of a project, come along and talk to us for 10mins about it.

Quite a few of the group members (including the secretary) will be missing as they are away on Jersey for Island On The Air (IOTA). The group, using the call GJ6YB, won the event last year and we are eager to try to defend the title. Do listen out for us and give us a call if you hear us July  $25^{th}$  /  $26^{th}$  all bands 80-10m.

August 2nd sees us going off to Bletchley Park, home of the Enigma machine and much more – hopefully the trip will be informative for all. At the last count we had 6 seats left, and a few that seem to have forgotten to pay, so if you still want to come and take the unpaid seats ring me now! (01225 420442)

**FUTURE MEETINGS: dates for your diary** 

Monday August 31<sup>st</sup> (YES A BANK HOLIDAY!)

Ian Foulkes MA: "Operation Bodyguard"

The overall Allied strategic deception plan leading to the invasion of Normandy in 1944. This should be a fascinating evening with a real expert on the subject – do try to get along.

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

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October Phil Whitchurch G3SWH – Mayotte FH/G3SWH

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> 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....

#### Coach trip to Bletchley Park (Home of the Enigma) "Wireless Waves"

The group has organised a trip to the famous museum at Bletchley Park. A Peter Carol Luxury /Executive coach (with loo and bar!) has been booked to pick up from Bristol & Bath appx 0730hrs (return by appx 1930hrs) on **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> August** to get us to Bletchley for the start of the "Wireless Waves" event, an exhibition and demonstration of Vintage Military Wireless from WW2 to present day – we have a guide to tell us all about it. Entrance, being a group, is £8p/p and the coach will cost £20p/p inc a steward to serve drinks etc. Please contact me asap if interested, as seating is limited and allocated on a "first come - first seated" basis!

#### **ONLY A FEW SEATS LEFT!**

#### 80m CC Data Contest

RTTY or PSK 31 anybody? If any more members would like to try their hand at an 80m CC data event and help the G6YB Bristol Group out this Wednesday 22nd (most active members are away on Jersey!) please feel free to have a go ... details on the RSGB web site ... 2000-2130 hrs, but don't forget to keep a log and send it to G3TKF. (Even a few contacts will help!) mailto:http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml

That's all for now

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### Robin G3TKF

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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)