



550 Squadron & RAF North Killingholme Association

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Reunion Weekend

The Ashbourne Hotel, North Killingholme

**Friday 1st July 2011
&
Saturday 2nd July 2011**

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WELCOME INFORMATION



Name Badges

We are researching whether members would find it useful to wear name badges. Should you wish to use one, you will find blank badges at Reception in the Ashbourne and on tables at the Amethyst.

Friday Evening Meal

The three course Friday evening meal (with tea/coffee and mints) will be served in the Dining Room at 8.00pm. There is no dress code or seating plan but please take the place card with your name on it from the table near the entrance in order to assist staff with serving your food.

Skype

Before the Saturday evening meal we hope to set up a Skype connection (a video link that uses the internet) and talk to Bobbie Harris at her home in Kent. We must stress that this is a trial and we cannot guarantee that the internet connection will be successful.

Saturday Evening Meal

The formal Reunion Dinner will be served in the Dining Room at 7.30pm. A Seating Plan will be located near the entrance which will show your table number. Further copies of the plan will be available in the Bar areas of the hotel and at Reception. At each table in the Dining Room place cards with names and menu selections will indicate seating positions.

Towards the end of the meal we plan to include a short address by our Danish guest, Ole Seberg, a message from the people of Rebecq and entertainment from one of our Westerlo guests.

At the end of the Reunion Dinner you may wish to look at the display of 550 memorabilia which will be set up at the far end of the Dining Room, and weather permitting, use the outside seating area for socialising.

Attendance

Members attending the Friday and Saturday evening dinners are:

Margaret Abbott	Eve Dolphin	Catherine McIntosh
Peter Abbott	Fiona Hall	Gillian Stolworthy
Gordon Bell	Paul Harris (USA)	Gerry Taylor
Karen Bell	Roy Harris (USA)	Tim Vance (Australia)
Peter Coulter	Don Kentish	
Sally Coulter	Val Kentish	
Gordon Delf	Pam Lipfriend	
Sheelagh Delf	Sam Lipfriend	

In addition, members attending the Saturday evening Reunion Dinner only are:

John Arnold (Australia)
Angela Bower
Bob Bower
Laura Boeckx (Belgium)
Donna Brooks
Gary Brooks
George Bulman
Barry Clark
Sarah Craddock
Diana Cross
Mike Cross
Ellie Dargaville (Australia)
Nick De Paeztron
Jos De Ryck (Belgium)
Ildiko Elbert (Belgium)
Andrew Etherington
Sue Etherington
K. Fitch
W. Fitch
Jose Gielis (Belgium)
Edna Hill
Julian Hill
Anne Harris
Jack Harris
Denis Hughes
Maurice Labourne
Margaret Leeman
Mike Leeman
Louis Michels
Colin McQueen
Mike Page-Chestney
Sue Page-Chestney

Len Pexman
Sylvia Pexman
Jane Pritchard
Katie Pritchard
Mark Pritchard
Dave Robinson
Kath Robinson
Heidi Rombouts (Belgium)
Monique Rombouts (Belgium)
Ole Seberg (Denmark)
Maurice Snowball
Bill Swan (Australia)
Pat Swan (Australia)
Denise Tomkinson
Philip Tomkinson
Brian Troath
Mary Troath
Alan Turner
Beattie Turner
George Turner
Ruth Turner
Maurice Williamson
Sheila Williamson
Ildiko Van Dyck (Belgium)
Guy Van Hirtum (Belgium)
Sonja Vannuten (Belgium)
Merel Verbesselt (Belgium)
Yana Verbesselt (Belgium)
Roger Vrindts (Belgium)

When Leaving - room rates

Please remember that the 550 rates for the 2011 reunion are:

Comfort rooms (twin or double) £65 Bed and Breakfast **per room** per night
Executive rooms (twin or double) £70 Bed and Breakfast **per room** per night
Single occupancy - £55 Bed and Breakfast per night.

A limited number of **Family** and **Exclusive** rooms are available and you will receive a 550 discount on the usual price.

Book Now - Remembrance Weekend 2011

Remembrance Sunday is on 13th November 2011.

There will be an informal dinner at the Ashbourne Hotel at 7.30 p.m. on Saturday 12th November 2011 and an opportunity to visit the 550 Museum on the Sunday morning. Services will be held as usual at the 550 Memorial Stone and St. Denys Church. A three course carvery lunch with coffee & mints will be served at the Amethyst Hotel in East Halton.

The Association has provisionally reserved six rooms for 550 members at the Ashbourne for the Saturday night and these can be booked now. Rooms are cancellable until 4.00pm on the day before arrival at no charge.

More details will appear in the autumn newsletter.