

RCA Flying Update - Spring 2023 — April

Welcome to this spring edition of our Solent Airport E-newsletter.

Easter Event

We were delighted to be able to host our hugely popular community Easter event again and despite a brisk cold breeze, we were very lucky with the weather!

Bristow Helicopters very kindly opened up their Search and Rescue Hangar facility to families interested in learning more about the fantastic work done by the team. We are very grateful to them for providing such an informative and popular opportunity.







A huge thanks also to Frank Thompson, Operations Director of Phoenix Aviation and Josh for providing an aircraft for visitors to view throughout the event and for enthusing adults and children alike with their passion for aviation.

Last but not least, a big thank you to our wonderful Solent team for hosting such a popular and successful event and to the Easter Bunny for providing fun and chocolate!!

We are delighted to report that over £250 was raised for our nominated charity, Charlie's Beach Hut from our mini raffle and donations.

Thank you to all those who contributed to the success of this event.





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Café 05

Regulars to Café 05 will know that the facility has had a fabulous makeover. Congratulations to Lisa on such a great success. We wish her and her team a busy and successful summer season.





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Spitfires

We are thoroughly enjoying having the Spitfires back at Solent Airport this April. We look forward to welcoming them back again in September.



Airport Tours

Our hugely popular Solent Airport tours resumed in March and are fully booked through to September.

Please contact Cathy Hicks if you would like to join a tour in future and we will do our best to accommodate your request.

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We really value the support and encouragement we receive from our neighbours in achieving ongoing success.

Keep an eye on the website www.solentairport.co.uk for details of upcoming community events.

We look forward to welcoming you to the Airport very soon!



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Keep in touch either by checking into our website or by using our email address: solentairport@gmail.com, which is the best way to contact us with any ideas or suggestions. We would love to hear from you.

We are keen to make this newsletter available to anyone with an interest in activities here, including local residents' associations, business groups, companies based at the airport and their teams. Please feel free to share with others who may find it of interest.

> With our Best Wishes The Solent Airport Management Team