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Air ACES NEWS - April 2022 - flying to you.

The next Air ACES two talk evenings. -
Monday 25th April 2022 - 7pm for 7.30pm start.

‘Plane Sailing - the Consolidated Catalina’-
- presented by Mr. David Legg.

David Legg is a member of the only Catalina flying in the UK.
He will present many details, with photos & film, about this superb aeroplane.

Monday 23rd May 2022 - 7pm for 7.30pm start.

‘The Royal International Air Tattoo (RIAT)-
- the fun & challenges’

- presented by Mr. Tim Prince.

Tim Prince is returning, to give another of his brilliant talks about RIAT.
Tim was one of the persons who initiated RIAT years ago,
and will tell you many details of the running of this magnificent Tattoo.

Air ACES are well aware that some members, quite correctly, choose to come to Air ACES talks, depending on the subject & / or the speaker on a particular evening, & some are still wary of ‘coming out’.

However, Air ACES does ask all members, to support as many talk evenings as possible.

Recently, attendances have been low, and losses have been had on these particular evenings.

To have the good speakers, from all over the UK, Air ACES does have, at least, have to have ‘break-even’ evenings.

Very advance information - Air ACES 10th Anniversary.

To celebrate this year’s 10th Anniversary, Air ACES are very proud to announce that they are having ‘special’ talk evenings, from October 2022 to March 2023 - (subject to alteration, but hopefully not).

These talks & speakers are -

- Monday October 24th 2022 - Mr. Mike Chatterton - pilot of BBMF Lancaster & ‘Just Jane’,
with a talk entitled - ‘Tale of Two Lancasters’.
- Monday November 28th 2022 - Sqn Ldr Joe Marsden - ex Vulcan pilot,
with a talk entitled - ‘Defence & Life after the conflict, in the Falklands’.
- Monday 12th December 2022 - Member of ‘The Blades Aerobatic Display Team’,
with a talk entitled - ‘from being a Red Arrow pilot - to ‘One of The Blades Pilots’.
- ** - Monday 9th January 2023 - Flt Lt Stuart Roberts - Red Arrows pilot.
with a talk about the Red Arrows.
- ** - Monday 23rd January 2023 - Mr. Mark Smith - BBC Antique Roadshow, (Militaria & Medal specialist),
with 2 talks entitled - ‘My Dad was a WOP/AG’ & ‘A Day on the Antiques Roadshow’.
- Monday 27th February 2023 - David Norman - from the Duxford Aviation Society
with a talk entitled - ‘The History of Duxford Aviation Society - & onwards.
- Monday 27th March 2023 - Prof. Peter Lee - Professor of Ethics of War, at Portsmouth University,
with a talk entitled - ‘Reaper Force. Part2’.

(About the Predator & Senator U.A.Vs, (drones), as used in Afghanistan).

**** - (9th January & 23rd January) - current (2022) members & 1 guest only - (tickets on sale from Monday 25th July 2022) - ONLY at talk evenings - maximum of 180 tickets - first Come - first served.**

If any of you wish to contact me, with any points, please do so, ta.

My email address is - [david.airaces@hotmail.com](mailto: david.airaces@hotmail.com) / tel:- 01243 823007 - 10am - 4pm - WEEKDAYS ONLY please, ta.

Kind regards, **David Batcock** - chairman.