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VERY IMPORTANT

EXTRA - Air ACES Newssheet - April 2021.

I, on behalf of all of the Air ACES ‘team’, hope that you and your families & friends are continuing to keep well.
*Hi there again, to all of you, the lads & lasses who kindly re-joined Air ACES in 2020,
and to the lads & lassies who were members of Air ACES in 2018 & 2019.*

I re-print the governmental information - re Covid 19 - given out on Monday 5th April 2021, and of which was printed in the Daily Mail on Tuesday 6th April 2021.

“**Social Distancing.** Michael Gove will look further at whether distancing rule’s can be relaxed to allow ‘closer social contact’ between family & friends and increase numbers of people in offices and on public transport.

Ministers will consider - if & when - it will be possible to ‘lift and amend’ the ‘one-metre rule’.
The review will report back by 21 June”.

*This led to an enormous quandary as to the Air ACES ‘talk evening’ on Monday 28th June 2021,
because, if ‘this review’ is negative, it means that this Air ACES talk evening
will have to be with a restricted audience only.*

*I hope that you will understand that such a decision, on the number of attendee’s
for this talk evening, cannot be left until ‘that last minute’.*

I followed up, by discussing ‘this’ with the hotel manager, & we both, feel that it must be ‘better safe than sorry’.

Therefore, **the 28th June 2021 Air ACES talk evening will be restricted to
69 Air ACES members, (+ ‘team & helpers), ONLY.**

All members who wish to attend this evening’s - 28th June - talk evening
will have to ‘pre-book’ their (unreserved) seats.

**Please email to me - david.airaces@hotmail.com -
or telephone me - 01243 - 823007 - asap - to book your place.**

If you are a couple, please tell me, ta.

1st come - 1st served!

I will keep a listing of all of the replies that I receive - (1st come - 1st served) -
and will thereafter answer (*I promise*), to every member who has booked,
confirming that booking, & giving further information.

*Note: - FULL distancing & the current Covid 19 rules will be in operation,
directed by a ‘team member’ or ‘helper’.*

The logistics of such a need have already been agreed by Air ACES and the hotel management.

There will be a ‘normal’ May newssheet.

I will continue these monthly newssheets for 2 / 3 months after Air ACES have re-started,
hoping that they are keeping you in touch with Air ACES.

If any of you wish to write to me, with any points or questions, please do so - I look forward to receiving same.

My email address is - david.airaces@hotmail.com. I also welcome phone calls - 01243 823007.

Kind regards,

David Batcock - chairman.