Tuesday 12/31/2002 7:30:34pm

Name: Mark A Tait

E-Mail: tait_m@msn.com

City/Country: linwood nj

Comments: I was at raf upper heyford from fall 1980-1982. I was in the 20TH AMS and then the 20TH CRS. I am still in the AF with the 177th FW Jersey Devils.

Tuesday 12/31/2002 6:31:50pm

Name: marilyn yaxley-russell

E-Mail: ellebritt@aol.com

City/Country: Florida, USA

Comments: I was brought up in Headington, Oxford..and Upper Heyford was always a part of my family's life..I feel really sad thinking that it is no more..I married a GI, Larry Russell (stationed in OMS 1975-1979).and we now live in Florida..but when we went back for a vacation in 2000 it was very nostalgic for us both..it bought a lump to my throat seeing the buildings so empty and unkempt and remembering all the wonderful times we had there..I LOVED that place..it was like a little piece of America..so new..so exciting..and so many happy times..and so many nice friendly people....!!!My friend, Diana and I had our first Tequilla Sunrise in the All ranks club..Met new people, English locals,Charmaine, Philomena both from Woodstock..and Americans. The summers of 1975 and 1976 were great, we had some of the best hot sunny DRY days..Had some fun dancing the night away there,and in the brass Bar...We were stationed back there again in 1990-1994...we closed the base, one of the last families to leave there in June 1994...I worked at the Merchants Bank for a short time,...awful place..with some awful people managing it...oops guess I shouldnt say that!!!! How I wish Upper Heyford as a USAF base was still up and running...Ill always have the best memories of Upper Heyford...

Friday 12/27/2002 12:45:12am

Name: Carl M. Conti

E-Mail: carl.conti@acs-inc.com

City/Country: San Antonio, TX/USA

Comments: This really brought back memories of my time at Upper Heyford (Feb 84 - Jun 91). I was with the 2168th Comm Sq as a CMSGT and served as Chief, Comm Plans & Programs.
Thursday 12/26/2002 10:14:56pm

Name: Rob Boothe

E-Mail: boothe5021@cox.net

City/Country: Pensacola, Florida

Comments: It's nice to see that F-100 on the home page again. I painted that bird many years ago after Stuart Bliefnick put the wings back together.

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Thursday 12/26/2002 1:04:21pm

Name: Jan Wild

E-Mail: jan@jw71.fsnet.co.uk

City/Country: England

Comments: Would like to meet and write to any tall American Gentlemen, who enjoy life.

I am tall, blonde with blue eyes, just divorced and looking for friendship. I like dancing, wining and dining, walking and the countryside and I like animals and travel. I live in Studley, Warwickshire.

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Tuesday 12/24/2002 2:42:08pm

Name: Roger Lindberg

E-Mail: rogerlindberg@charter.net

City/Country: Redding, Ca.

Comments: Seasons Greetings to all who were there. Special Greetings to you Duane and Thanks.

Roger Lindberg 3918 CDS 1961-1964

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Thursday 12/19/2002 9:55:44am

Name: MSgt G. Sanders

E-Mail: jazzyg@cfl.rr.com

City/Country: Satellite Beach, Florida

Comments: I was assigned to RAF Upper Heyford from Jan 84 - Jan 88. Lived in Banbury my first year and moved to RAF Croughton base housing my last three years. Worked as a
bar tender at the NCO Club and the Warehouse Club. Loved every minute.

Tuesday 12/17/2002 5:31:28pm

Name: Richard L Butler

E-Mail: skipper@bluemarble.net

City/Country: French Lick, Indiana USA

Comments: I was stationed at RAF Upper Heyford with the 79th TAC Fighter Sq. Operational Intelligence Branch (NCIOC) 1973 - 1976

Tuesday 12/17/2002 1:56:02pm

Name: Michael Carlson

E-Mail: mcarlson@maxgrayconst.com

City/Country: Hibbing, Minnesota

Comments: After a call out of the blue from an old friend from the past, he told me about this site. I found one other friend from 15 years ago looking through the guest book. I would like to touch base with any of the air traffic controllers I used to work with. I also wonder about a civilian Steve "The Birdman" Thorogood. I hope the years have been kind to you all and know that I think of you often. Heyford was a unique duty station where we were like a family.

Sunday 12/15/2002 2:48:56pm

Name: Patricia A Stutzman (nee Clist)

E-Mail: lowerheyford@cox.net

City/Country: Council Bluffs, IA USA

Comments: Wow! An afternoon spent touring the pages of your thought provoking and memory filled guestbook. What a thrill and what nice times to hear regarding my beloved homeland, it brings tears to my eyes and a joy to say 'Thanks' for the memories. If anyone remembers me from my civilian work force days at USAF, Upper Heyford, it would be especially nice to receive an email. These years encompassed 1952 through 1959 at establishments manned by the civilian populace. My first job was at the civilian canteen, where I took great glee at watching the 'yanks' spread English mustard on their ham sandwiches only to realize it was extremely hot. Next stop was as a counter girl at the laundry where the guys would run out of dirty clothes before payday and beg for part of their clean packaged goods until they could afford the rest
of the package. Next stop dry cleaners and the same story, I finally ended my work
days at the PX in the H1 department which sold the pots/pans & washers/dryers, etc.
As you can see by the email address I am originally from Lower Heyford where I lived
my years in a tiny thatched cottage down Mill Lane. There I stayed until my marriage
in 1959. We finally settled in Iowa, nestled in the Loess Hills after my husband's
retirement.
My husband's unit at Upper Heyford was 3918 Supply Squadron, name Jerry
Stutzman, anyone out there who knew him, he still is the great guy you knew him to
be and would love to hear from any of his buddies.

Thursday 12/12/2002 3:35:24pm

Name: David Martin
E-Mail: dmartin@conservatek.com
City/Country: Willis, TX
Comments: Came to Upper Heyford in Nov 1970 as a new 2nd LT and left four years later as a
Captain. I was in the 20th CES and was responsible for many of the projects that
transformed the base from a sleepy recon site to a premier F-111 base. We built new
dorms, maintenance facilities, conventional and special weapons storage, alert
hangars, hardened aircraft shelters and many other projects. I was also the "nuclear
detonation tracking officer" in the headquarters during alerts and exercises. I still
remember plotting the triangulations from the "reports of explosions" and then
predicting when fallout would arrive. I am glad we never had to do that for real.
Thouroughly enjoyed my time there and lived in Deddington at the Manor. Our oldest
daughter was born there and still holds dual citizenship. We are still good friends with
our landlords daughter. I loved the country and we traveled extensively. Have the
brass rubbing for Sir John Stoke d'Abernon hanging at our front door. Although I was
not a pilot, I learned to fly sailplanes at nearby RAF Bicester. I still fly sailplanes today,
lying an ASW 27 in numerous competitions. Have visited the base several times on
business trips to the UK over the years. The last time was to see it as a large car
storage area.

Wednesday 12/11/2002 10:11:25pm

Name: Carl McDonald
E-Mail: carlosmc@zoominternet.net
City/Country: Ashland, OH
Comments: Great site! Many changes since my TDY tour Dec 51-Mar 52 with 301st Bomb Group
out of Barksdale AFB, LA.
Sunday 12/08/2002 3:28:50pm

Name: gary l. reed

E-Mail: 

City/Country: bluffton ohio usa


Saturday 12/07/2002 10:55:20am

Name: Bob Norris

E-Mail: robertnorris39@yahoo.com

City/Country: Washington, In USA

Comments: I was at UH from Jan 71 intil Oct 74. I was in the 79th Intelligence Unit for 2 years and then transferred to the 20th Wing Intelligence until I left in Oct 1974. I lived on #6 Glynswood, Buckingham, Bucks the entire 4 years. I threw darts on the (Red Barrell) traveling darts team. I am trying to get in touch with Dixie Cunningham a Britain. Also would to find my old neighbors Derek and Eileen Hacker who then lived at # 7 Glynswood. Would appreciate any help I could get.

My four years at RAF Upper Heyford with my Wife and 3 children were some of the best years we spent in our 24 years in the USAF. My three children attended school at RAF Croughton.

As an aside, I was stationed with the 66th Air Police Squadron in the 20th at Laon Air Force Base , France from Jul 1958 to Aug 1961. I am a Life member of the Laon Air Police (LAPA) Association and am a Director of that association for the 66th AP's. We are having a reunion in September of 2003 in Nashvile, Tennessee. The LAPA Consists of any one who was ever stationed at laon from 1952 to its closing in 1967. So anyone is invited to come join us. For further Information I can be contacted at E-Mail robertnorris39@yahoo.com. Or at Robert J. Norris 1612 Troy Road Washington, In 47501-4155 HomePh. (812)254-6206. Hope to hear from anyone. Go Heyfordites. Bob Norris

Sunday 12/01/2002 9:56:55pm

Name: Mark Mancha

E-Mail: liltazman1@earthlink.net

Referred By: Just Surfed In

City/Country: Las Vegas, Nv.

Comments: What a jolt to the memory. Looking at this site has trigger names of people I have not
thought about in a long time. I used to be assigned to the 20th SPS/SPOS-B Flight. And I still remember all the guys I used to work with: James C. McNeil, John L. Brooks, Bobby Lizarraga, LeRoy Burdick, Steve Compton, and I could go on and on. Thank you Duane for all the hard work on this site.

Sunday 12/01/2002 1:18:45pm

Name: Ashley Green Blakney
E-Mail: cabin@artelco.com
City/Country: Shirley, Arkansas
Comments: Thank you for a great site. I remember living in Upper Heyford as a little girl. These pictures help me remember what it was like, and I feel proud about the HH-43B.

Saturday 11/30/2002 5:23:21pm

Name: Fred Wyatt
E-Mail: fwyatt@cox.net
City/Country: OKC/OK
Comments: Checking in once again. Was at UH from 77-81 with the SPS. Worked SPOSC, SPOSA, SP Training. Does anyone happen to remember and/or know where "Bambi" Cartwright that worked in SP the Orderly Room ended up? Or where she might be now? How about Mark Bridgham, John Corley, Frank Cappoccia, Rob Jenkins? Give me a shout! Peace...

Friday 11/29/2002 1:19:29pm

Name: Ana Rubino
E-Mail: meme989@yahoo.com
City/Country: Osan AB, ROK
Comments: Wow! Very nice blast of the past. Great site. I was at UH from 89-92 assinged to the Med Group....looking for Fay & Dan Dwyer, Rick Perez, Valerie Ealey and Rob (Mo) Morrison.

Friday 11/29/2002 6:15:27am
Name: Herman Hamilton (MSGt./Retired)
E-Mail: herman5451@yahoo.com
City/Country: Franklin, LA
Comments: Member of 20th Supply Sq., 1974-1976. I am looking for brethern of Nero Prince Lodge #126, where my eyes were "opened" on March 26, 1976.

Wednesday 11/27/2002 1:54:20am
Name: Lindsay Seagrim-Trinder
E-Mail: seagrimtrinder@aol.com
City/Country: South Wales
Comments: Great site (what I have seen of it so far). Does anyone have any idea where Eric Jernigan from Oklahoma is? My husband Alistair and I used to meet Eric and his French wife Liliane in the Horse and Groom at Caulcott before they were posted back to the US, (Just before the outbreak of the Gulf War.)

My father was a World War II RAF pilot who did flying training in Florida. When he returned to England in 1943 aged 21 and was stationed at RAF Snitterfield in Warwickshire one of his exercises was "night flight without instruments" and he had to land at UH.

Does anyone know where a copy of the poster might be obtained - "Sleep Tight Tonight - Heyford's On Alert" which could be seen around various Oxfordshire pubs in the 1970s? If you ever saw this poster you will know the one I mean!!

Tuesday 11/26/2002 10:47:29am
Name: Graeme Ingram
E-Mail: graeme.ingram1@btopenworld.com
City/Country: Surrey/England
Comments: Just a long shot, but I'm trying to find a Steve Mcaully/McCaughly. Based U/H 1958 I have just found out from my mother that he is my father. Any info, or if you know him please pass on my e.mail address I would be very grateful. Cheers.

Monday 11/25/2002 2:57:00pm
Name: Robert (Bob) J. Norris
E-Mail: robertnorris39@yahoo.com
City/Country: Washington, Indiana USA
Comments: I was in the 79th Intelligence unit from Jan 71 until Jan 73 and then transferred to the 20th Wing Intel Shop until Oct 1974. Lived in Buckingham the whole four years and still remember the Red Barrell Pub where I threw many a dart and downed many a pint as well. Wonderful country and I still have many fond memories of the base and the British people. Great site. I have been in contact with Col. Hubbard. He is not in good health.

Sunday 11/24/2002 6:02:32pm
Name: Donald E. Hylton
E-Mail: dhylton@sftnet.org
City/Country: Overbrook, Kansas 66524
Comments: Stationed there in 1955 in a 90 day rotation with the 376th bomb wing (B47's) Had a great summer.

Sunday 11/24/2002 3:19:34pm
Name: Michael Benedict
E-Mail: afvet_1977@yahoo.com
City/Country: Washington, Ill.
Comments: Still hoping to hear from Mark Gray, Bill Markley, Roy Crecelius- or anyone who attended Calvary Baptist Church, Lower Heyford 1975-77

Name: Larry Flowers
E-Mail: Larry.Flowers@dal.frb.org
City/Country: Mesquite, Texas
Comments: Just wanted to check in again. It's been a long time since I've looked at the site. Awesome, how much it has grown. 150 pages of guestbook???? WOW. Still haven't heard from a bunch of the guys and gals that were over there. Come on, you never know who you might hook up with again after all these years. Would love to hear from anyone who knows me. Sue, Julie, Sarah, Fran, Kathy, Dee, McNulty, Galloway, Tomlinson, Isabelle, Benjamin, and many others. If my name sounds familiar, holler at
me. I'd love to reconnect.


Name: Jonathan Sayers
E-Mail: fencer_js@yahoo.com
City/Country: Reading, Berkshire, UK
Comments: I have just posted a series of very rare photos on my Greenham Common site of the bomb storage base of RAF Welford, Berkshire. Some date back to 1944, many were taken in 1968-1969.
I also have some of the US Delivery terminal at Barry, South Wales featured.
Find my site at:
www.megspace.com/politics/greenham/index.htm

Wednesday 11/20/2002 4:56:06pm

Name: Jonathan Sayers
E-Mail: fencer_js@yahoo.com
City/Country: Reading, Berkshire, UK
Comments: Great site Duane.
I am the webmaster of the RAF Greenham Common site above.
I am looking for some pictures of the F-111s on their stay at Greenham Common in 1976 but have found none at all. Can anybody help please?
Many thanks.

Tuesday 11/19/2002 4:41:07pm

Name: Kirk Owen
E-Mail: keowen@aeraenergy.com
City/Country: Bakersfield, Ca
Comments: Hi Duane and all. I just found out about the site last night. Wow! what a trip! I was an A1C on "D" flight in the SPS. I remember listening to Glasser(COMM/PLOT) for about a year I guess. I even remember him announcing those dam exercises from security control. We would be out there sleeping in those old dodge pickups or playing high low poker in the WSA and he would wake our butts up with an exercise. Man that used to scare the #@%$! out of us. We about opened fire on one guy climbing over
the darn fence!
I was there from July 76-78 and roomed with McGowan (Loud guy) on the first floor by
Singer and Rocheleou, then moved to the single room dorms across the way.
Do you remember that guy named Wood that used to cram all that hair under his
beret? I wonder what he’s doing now..
Anyway I put in to join the duty roster today so I will eventually be on the site also.
What a trip though.........I remember about 10 guys off of there. Two Chow bus
drivers to boot! O the memories.
You have done a tremendous job putting this together!
Later and best regards,
Kirk Owen

Monday 11/18/2002 2:59:18pm
Name: GENE SCHEID
E-Mail: gscheid@alacritystaffing.com
City/Country: clearwater fl
Comments: well what i can i say, my father was stationed at heyford from 80-84. his name is
rodney and my mother is roxann.

started going to school from second grade to a little bit of my sixth grade year. second
grade i had ms.kirkland, third grade i had ms. clawson, fourth grade i had ms.
byington, and fifth grade i had ms. schmidt. a lot of great times. i use to bowl every
saturday at the bowling alley where all the kids were and played basketball at the gym
which was on the other side of the alley. right in the front of the alley was where the
baseball fields were. go futher down the side walk away from the alley was where the
school was. we use to go to the bubble gym which was across from the school.

we lived on wheatly dr and use to go to the "wooden park" all the time. friday nights
we would go the AYA for the dances.

we knew alot of the SPs "peace keepers" and in 1984 i was on the baseball team that
won the UK championship for the second year in a row. my dad coached that team.

i saw james bond in real life too, the best part of the movie is seeing the car crashing
through gate 1 and seeing my dads office in the background.

i use go with a girl name amy bird who's dad i belive was the wing commander at the
time. that means i sat vip during the air shows, that was cool.

i use to walk to the post office all the time for mom, but before i stop at the canteen
and get my daily jaw breaker which was located across the street from the shopete.
we would always past the post office to go to the movies, where i think whole base
went to see ET for the first time.

if you went to school with me or you know my parents please contact me i would love
to hear from you and i am sure my parents would love to chat.
Sunday 11/17/2002 8:48:57am

Name: DANNY JURISTA

E-Mail: jurdan@earthlink.net

City/Country: mountain top pa. usa

Comments: was there from dec 77 to dec of 79 20th sps

Sunday 11/17/2002 0:09:31am

Name: Dan Francis

E-Mail: daniel.francis@hurlburt.af.mil

City/Country: Ft. Walton Beach, Fl

Comments: Hello everyone. It has been some time since I've written in the guest book. Just wanted to say hi to all the Upper Heyford people. Recently moved to Florida and am injoying it. Really miss all the people and friends I partied with all over England, was one of the best times in my life. Take care and the Double Nickle (55th) was the best (84-86).

Saturday 11/16/2002 2:24:30pm

Name:

E-Mail:

City/Country: Ireland

Comments: i think upper Heyford is cool i have played baseball/ fastpitch there a couple of times and I was always intereested in the history behind it and the things that would of happened their. The web sites cool but i wish there was a picture of the baseball diamonds gym etc because they most of been real different compared to now.

Friday 11/15/2002 10:02:42pm

Name: Roy "Rock" Chismar

E-Mail: Lonewarrior53@aol.com

City/Country: Philadelphia, PA
Comments: I was stationed at Heyford from 1974 - 76. I was with the 20th Avionics Maintenance Squadron, Comm-Nav-ECM (CNPA) Shop. I remember the old Barrack we lived in, even with a new paint job, you could still see the old World War II camo. Of all the places I've been since, I miss England, and London the most, maybe someday I will go back, Cheers Roy

Thursday 11/14/2002 2:24:06pm

Name: Steve Goodfellow

E-Mail: 

City/Country: USA

Comments: I miss drinking at the NCO Club on the weekends and fighting through the long line for kebabs when the club closed. There was nothing better than a kebab after getting buzzed up! I miss the kebab lady and her little trailer outside the club

Thursday 11/14/2002 0:11:08am

Name: Sheila Breslin

E-Mail: uklady_91042@yahoo.com

City/Country: Sierra Vista ,AZ,USA.

Comments: My husband and I were at UH twice. His name is Vincent Breslin. He was a crew chief in the 55th from 6/70 until 4/73. the second tour was 8/88 until 6/91, and he was the wing historian then, having crosstrained out of OMS into History in May 1977 while we were at RAF Alconbury. We would love to hear from anyone who knew us back then. I would especially like to hear from some of the other British wives from the 70s. Some of the couples who were our friends then were the Johnsons, the Jacksons, Bunkers, Hills, Longs, and Temples to name a few. It is very gratifying to see so many people in this guest book who loved UH. I hope to go home to England next year for a visit, and if I do, I would love to visit Heyford again. We would love to hear from anyone out please.

Sunday 11/10/2002 2:32:51pm

Name: Jerry Szyperski

E-Mail: bujaja@accesstoledo.com

City/Country: Oregon,Oh USA
Comments: On the day before Veterans Day I would like to say Hi and best wishes to all the people who served there.

We may have had an enjoyable time there, but we had a serious job to do.

Best wishes to all.

Ski UH 55-58

Friday 11/08/2002 9:45:50am
Name: Les Haines
E-Mail: LESLIELesHaines@aol.com
City/Country: Bovey Tracey Devon England
Comments: I was in the RAF, stationed at Upper Heyford from 1947 to 1948 (until I went out to Germany on the Berlin Airlift). In those days the station was known as "No. 1 Parachute & Glider Training School", we had Dakota's, Horsa gliders & the CO's Spitfire. I have a plaque of the station badge but can not see how to send a photo of it to you as yet,
Regards to all who have served at U/H
Les Haines

Wednesday 11/06/2002 2:55:08pm
Name: Vincent C. Breslin
E-Mail: vincent.breslin@netcom.army.mil
City/Country: Sierra Vista, AZ, USA
Comments: Duane:

I still have copies of the pink covered, 1990 anniversary edition that I personally researched and wrote while serving as the 20th TFW historian. My visits to libraries in Upper Heyford, Bicester, and even Oxford formed the basis for much of what I was able to piece together, but nothing was more inspiring than the interviews I conducted with local villagers who "remembered" the early days at RAF Upper Heyford. Thanks for the website memories.

Tuesday 11/05/2002 11:59:07am
Name: Wes Mason
E-Mail: wesmason56@hotmail.com
City/Country: Richmond Va
Comments: Looking for Keith Evans. He worked in the chow hall from 1977-1980. He then x-trained to Secure Comm at Kelly AFB then went to Pease NH, Anderson Guam and after that I lost contact. His wife was Teresa and worked in the old base hospital as a volunteer. Anyone out there know where they are today? Hello to Pam Davis, Bobbie Glemser, Donna Copp and the rest of Medical Material from that time. 915x0 rule.

Saturday 11/02/2002 3:29:59pm
Name: chris
E-Mail: savo@supanet.com
City/Country: Coventry England
Comments: What a great web site. I am one of the members working on restoring the huskie 4535 at the midland air museum Coventry England. Work has now started on reskinning the booms to replace the corroded metal, also replacement instruments are being replaced and remade. The exterior of the aircraft is being stripped down in sections and treated. To be made ready for the top coat of paint. Hopefully we can send some pictures at regular intervals to show the restoration in progress. I hope this will be of some interest and use for your web site.

Friday 10/25/2002 7:20:18pm
Name: Clarence Cruse
E-Mail: clarence@whycruse.com
City/Country: USA
Comments: Stationed at Upper Heyford from January 69 to December 71

Friday 10/25/2002 6:22:56pm
Name: Jonathan Sayers
E-Mail: fencer_js@yahoo.com
City/Country: Reading, UK
Comments: I have just added a new page of very rare pictures to the RAF Greenham Common site under the title of “Looking Back at The SAC Years”. The 31 pictures on the page date from 1951-1964 when the base was under use of the Strategic Air Command
and feature various aircraft at the base through those years: B-47s, KC-97s, B-36, B-45, C-47 and others.

I have also been sent some remarkable aerial pictures of the base in the 1950s as well as some of aircraft ground control equipment at Greenham. If you have any pictures of you may be able to contribute also, please let me know. The new page can be found from the homepage:

http://www.megspace.com/politics/greenham/index.htm

My thanks for your support of the site. Please let others know.

Yours sincerely,

Jonathan Sayers
RAF Greenham Common Webmaster
**Comments:** I served there from 1974-1978 with 20th Transportation Sqdrn. I mainly worked the Flightline.

**Wednesday 10/23/2002 8:52:30pm**
- **Name:** Cristy Spears (KNABEL)
- **E-Mail:** pystol102@webtv.net
- **City/Country:** Trinidad, Co USA
- **Comments:** My father is Chuck Knabel, we lived in Upper Heyford from 80-84. My brother is Jeff Knabel and my Sister Lorrie Knabel. I am Cristy, I was the Mascot for the SKY KINGS while over there. What a great time. I miss those days. Anyone who may remeber me or a family member Please get in touch. It would be great to hear from you. I have found Many Friends in the last few months. Still looking for "STU", or THE TOWEL BOY, he was the kicker for the SKY kings and a friend.

**Thursday 10/17/2002 8:46:55pm**
- **Name:** Jay B. Johnson
- **E-Mail:** Johnson Jay B SSgt 302 FS/MAOA
- **City/Country:** Phoenix, Arizona
- **Comments:** I was stationed in The 55th between Aug.1987 to Sept. 1989.

**Thursday 10/17/2002 5:23:13pm**
- **Name:** Karen E. Montgomery
- **E-Mail:** kelaine_2@msn.com
- **City/Country:** Hampton VA, USA
- **Comments:** I miss the hospitality and genuine warmth of the British people. My daughter was born in Oxford, an event that will forever be in my memory. The good times we had and comraderie and closeness all of us who were stationed there during my tour of duty.
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<td>King George, VA</td>
<td>My father served there between 1961 and 1965 as part of the 3918 CAMS. He was a T/Sgt at the time. I have fond memories there as a little boy. This site brings tears to my eyes (in a good way). Thanks, Duane.</td>
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<td>Pineville, Louisiana</td>
<td>I did my 2 years at Heyford just like many of you. Lots of great memories on and off the base. Cheers!</td>
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<td>Phoenix, AZ</td>
<td>My dad was stationed at UH '74-'77 and we lived on base. I LOVED that base and the time I spent there. This site brings back great memories, and it's great to read the stories submitted by all of you who were stationed there.</td>
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Saturday 10/12/2002 3:06:24pm

Name: Chris Goodall

E-Mail:

City/Country:

Comments: Just wanted to say hello to all my old friends from the fightin 55th! If any of my friends from the blue specialist section remember me please drop me a line. Duane, thanks for the website, It looks great.

Chris

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Thursday 10/10/2002 1:31:37pm

Name: Steve Field

E-Mail: brandondog@supanet

City/Country: London

Comments: Your website is excellent and really informative. I am currently writing a fictional adventure book about what it would be like to be an English kid on a US base in the UK. What would be the things different and awe inspiring? The food, smells, sounds etc. Anyone who has grown up on a base would know what was really memorable and exciting to a 10 year old. Please E-mail me with any good stories, thanks very much. Steve

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Saturday 10/05/2002 4:46:56pm

Name: Alec Leverton

E-Mail: levo@supanet.com

City/Country: Bicester, UK

Comments: Just stumbled across this site. Have always lived within hearing range of Heyford and as a child remember standing at the end of the flightline watching the aircraft coming in to land over Ardley.

A great site and so pleased everyones time at Heyford was so fondly remembered.

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<td>Comments</td>
<td>WOW.. Great Times and a wonderful site I must say. I was a military brat and was there from 68-73 , My father was a firefighter John Aucoin if you know him. We lived off base for a short while then moved on base.. I spent all my high school years there and OOO the great memories. Always wonder what happen to all the people I met there, I was a teenager and remember LOTS.. for now, lol Looking for missing people that I enjoyed a lot of good times with. write anytime. Great Site.. Thanks for bring back the memories,,!!</td>
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Name: Nelly Navarro-Britt
E-Mail: ROBnNELLY@aol.com
City/Country: Austin, TX

Tuesday 09/24/2002 1:32:31am

Name: Duane Park
E-Mail: uhwebguy@hotmail.com
City/Country: Plano, Texas USA
Comments: I just wanted to say that it's a REAL TREAT for me to read everyone's guest book entries! I am currently overwhelmed with updating, maintaining and adding web pages to this web site at the moment, and am sorry that I can't respond to everyone personally. I hope and trust you all will bear with me, your friendly neighborhood UH webmaster. = )

As of this month (Sept. 2002), the web site is only 2 years young! Many of you have seen and helped this web site grow from 1 web page to a whopping 50 web pages! There is MUCH more to come, and as long as I have your financial support I will continue to volunteer what skills I have to compile, update and maintain this web site free of charge to all who visit the web site.

I also want to thank each of you for making this web site what it is today, and I am excited in finding out how it will look over the NEXT two years!

Many of you have gone out of your way to bring never-before-seen photos, news articles and historical documents to the enjoyment of your fellow UH personnel. But SPECIAL thanks go out to all of the many British enthusiasts who send me photos, patches/emblem images and golden nuggets of information that I can pass on to all of the USAF and US Army personnel who served at RAF Upper Heyford.

You guys (and Gals!) are the best!

Again, many thanks,
Monday 09/23/2002 11:51:54pm
Name: Greg Lee
E-Mail: catmdaddy@yahoo.com
City/Country: Nashville, Tn
Comments: I served in the 20th SPS B Flight from Dec 1981-1983. I would like to hear from anyone that was in the unit then. Please send an email it would be great to hear from some of you.

Monday 09/23/2002 11:16:19pm
Name: Greg Lee
E-Mail: catmdaddy@yahoo.com
City/Country: Nashville, Tn
Comments: I served with the 20th SPS from Dec 1981-1983. It was great to see pictures and remember those days. I am currently on Active Duty with the Air National Guard 118th SFS/Combat Arms. Thanks for the Memories. I proposed to my wife there in 1983 and we have been happily married since. God Bless America.

Sunday 09/22/2002 2:36:58pm
Name: JOHN F. KREMS
E-Mail: JETERYANKEELOVER@YAHOO.COM
City/Country: SUMMERVILLE, S.C.
Comments: Thank you so much for this web site, it brought back so many great memories of my tour. My tour was from 1977-1982. I was assigned to 20 AMS/CRS Squadron, Photo shop. My truck call sign was Gold 3 and during exercises I would shack avionics parts for the Snoopy Shack if they had a Red Ball on a aircraft during launches. One day I was heading back to the old AMS Sqd to get more spares when my left rear tire along with it's axel came out of the rear end when I made the turn. I called the snoopy shack and told them I was no longer shaking parts. I want to say hello to those I knew and
hope all is well. I saw the Avionics reunion photo on this site and it was great to see you guys. If someone out there reads this that remembers me please feel free to E-mail. Take care.

Thursday 09/19/2002 8:43:10pm
Name: John Moniz
E-Mail: jmO751@cox.net
City/Country: East Providence R I. 02915 U.S.A.
Comments: Great Site, thrilled to find it. I was stationed at Upper Heyford from 1951 to 1954 and served with the 3918th Food Service Sqd, they were the best three years one could wish for. Oxford Northampton and other towns were visited, great pubs and the Brits really treated us good. I also married a Northampton girl. Anyone who was there on the base during those years feel free to E-mail me; I would like to hear from you. Cheers Mates.

Wednesday 09/11/2002 12:44:39am
Name: Mario Warnaar
E-Mail: horus'webmaster@tiscalimail.nl
City/Country: the Netherlands
Comments: Enjoyed my "landing" interesting website and great set of photos. I'm a former military (Royal Netherlands Air Force) K-9 handler and was stationed at Soesterberg AFB. Worked together with the security police members of the 32nd TFS. Untill 1994 the 32nd also known as the "Wolfhounds" was stationed at the base.

Sunday 09/08/2002 8:39:57pm
Name: Clarke McKeever
E-Mail: laquisa@peoplepc.com
City/Country: Ellenwood, Georgia, U.S.A.
Comments: From 1973 to 1976 assigned to 79th Tac Ftr Sqn. If the personnel office at the squadron is the same. I am the one that painted the Tiger in the office. Really miss my team, Col Houck, Col Pawlik, Capt Boogan, Sgt Wingate and others. Appreciate the site and hope to join in the next reunion. I am looking for a dear friend named Sgt Thaddius Wingate. And also Tsgt William Murray. Peace, Clarke
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Sunday 09/08/2002 7:52:13pm

Name: Floyd Whittle
E-Mail: floydy@earthlink.net
City/Country: Dover, NH
Comments: I was in FMS Nov ‘69 Jun ‘74.

Friday 09/06/2002 5:54:38pm

Name: Ray "Lew" Lewis
E-Mail: pintofhooky@hotmail.com
City/Country: Portland, Or
Comments: Engine troop 86-rivit workforce then crew chief till 92 in the 55th, anyone remember partying in Nottingham? Had a great time (well most of the time)

Thursday 09/05/2002 1:32:29am

Name: Andrew Todd
E-Mail: atodde@hotmail.com
City/Country: Ocracoke Island, North Carolina, USA
Comments: I was born and raised in Ardley. Grew up in the flight path and have fond memories of all the jets as a child. My father still works at U.H. Web site is awesome.
Wednesday 09/04/2002 7:23:42pm

Name: Vincent A. Tasciotti
E-Mail: blackguard@operamail.com
City/Country: Pleasant Valley, NY
Comments: I forgot to mention that I was in the 20th BHS working in the CBPO in the Records Dept. I left in April ’83 for The 3750th ABG at Sheppard AFB, TX. There I worked in Classification & Training.

Monday 09/02/2002 9:31:58pm

Name: Ralph DeStefano (Fat Ralph)
E-Mail: ralshell@msn.net
City/Country: omaha, ne. formerly from n.j.
Comments:

Saturday 08/31/2002 4:36:33pm

Name: mike prival
E-Mail: mikeprival9@msn.com
City/Country: oregon usa
Comments: I was a Crew Chief in the 55th TFS from 1987-1991. Looking back I wouldn't trade it for anything. Like Duane said we all complained while we were there but we sure do have a lot of good memories from that place. Unfortunately for me, I left just before the Gulf War started and to watch it on television rather than being a part of it was very hard for me. But I can remember one special day during alert, between all four sections of the TFS, we launched 110 fully loaded nuclear ready aircraft in less than 10 hrs. The base comander was so pleased with the 20th that he gave us all the next day off! Oh yeah!Needless to say we spent some time at the Three horseshoes that day!

Friday 08/30/2002 8:02:46pm

Name: WINSTON GROVER
E-Mail: wcg@wiktel.com
City/Country:
Comments: Hello,

What a great article in USA Today about Upper Heyford, I think its a great idea to make it a memorial/museum. Was assigned to the 20th SPS/SPOL-C 1987-90. Have found a few old friends, love to hear from more of you. PeeWee, lost contact...Anyone else, let me know where you are at and what your doing!!

Take Care,

Grover

Friday 08/30/2002 2:45:05am

Name: Brian B. Egan
E-Mail: bbegan@attbi.com
City/Country: Corvallis, Oregon
Comments: Great site... what a treat to stumble onto it.

Served 70-74 in 20th AMS PMEL. Seems like yesterday. Love to hear from/about Dick Duffek, Charlie Ott, Chuck May, Lee Ginn, Ben Pye, David Keyles, Woody Wanczak.

Greetings to Jim Doherty... first memory of UH is climbing off the bus to be met by you and Russ Crandall. "Welcome. Now get a haircut." I was 2nd E-3 PMEL guy there, "old timers" hadn't gotten used to the idea!

Greetings also to Larry Whitlock. Fun times playing blackjack while kitted out in our chem-proof suits... you knew how to run an alert!

My Aylesbury lass and I just hit 30 years... the Brits know how to build 'em to last, don't they!

Cheers,
Brian

Monday 08/26/2002 10:03:34pm

Name: Katherine (Brookshier) Dohse
E-Mail: doecdoe@peoplepc.com
City/Country: Spotsylvania, VA USA
Comments: My father was stationed at Upper Heyford from July 1959 to July 1962. He has signed the guest book also. Would love to hear from anyone who was there during that time
frame. Went to London Central High School, Bushy Park all 3 years we were there (as a dorm student). Went back in Oct. 1998 and plan on going back this Oct. to see as much of the base as I can. Hope to be able to get on the base this Oct., anyone have information about the base being open to the public now?

Sunday 08/25/2002 4:51:45pm
Name: TOM RYAN
E-Mail: coltomiv
City/Country: BOSTON, MA., AREA
Comments: Just found this site, was there 68-71 love every minute of 3 years 6 months 19 days and 11 hours but who counted til discharge thanks you. Was in Supply NORS Control. Anyone out there eg. Terry Horstead... give a shout on E-Mail.

Friday 08/23/2002 9:45:10pm
Name: Robert L. Brookshier, CWO-4 USAF Retired
E-Mail: rbrookie@earthlink.net
City/Country: Albany, GA. USA
Comments: I was Base Personnel Officer for the 3918th Air Base Group from July 1959 to July 1962. Would appreciate hearing from some of the old SAC personnel that was at Heyford at that time.

Friday 08/23/2002 7:38:14pm
Name: Steve Covington
E-Mail: chowhound1@hotmail.com
City/Country: Portland, Oregon
Comments: Hey World-wasn’t able to get a reunion for the 20th cops together-personal reasons was the main one. Anyone interested in next summer maybe. Also does anyone remember a Capt Mike Tinsley-he made FULL BIRD. I tink he is retired. Anyone know where he lives let me know. Talk to ya all latter.

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<td>Just wanted to say hello to all the fellow former CRS Avionics folks from building 299. I'd also like to remind/inform everyone that there is a reunion in it's early planning stages and, if you're interested, to check out the &quot;reunion&quot; hyperlink on this site. If you ever get into Pensacola--Give me a call at work at 850-452-3824 or DSN 922-3824. Hope to see you where ever the reunion may be. Bob Lutz.</td>
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<td>Hospital Supply 10/76-10/78. Ohhhhh! What a squadron the hospital squadron was.......what a barraks.......24/7 as I recall. Tim MacDonald, Sam Crowley, Dean Thayer, and others too numerous to mention. Send an em. Great mems.</td>
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Comments: Stationed at UH from JUL 79 - JUL 81. Assigned to the 20th AMS, Green Section (North 2 Bay), CNPA. Read the article about UH in today's paper (8/18/02). It got me thinking about UH again, so I decided to see if there was a website. This site brought back allot of great memories. I actually recognized quite a few of the people found within the photographs posted on the site. Cheers!

Saturday 08/17/2002 11:28:36pm

Name: Gil Davis Jr.

E-Mail: hotairline@hotmail.com

City/Country: Torrance, CA

Comments: My father, now living in Albuquerque, NM, retired in 1962 after 22 years in the Army air Corps and Air Force. He is Lt Col Gilbert Davis, and was stationed at Upper Heyford from 1952-1954. They lived in Oxford and I was born in Swindon. More later after I interview him a bit....

cheers....

Friday 08/16/2002 3:47:33pm

Name: Pete Messina

E-Mail: Messinap56@AOL.com

City/Country: Asheville, NC


Tuesday 08/13/2002 10:59:21pm

Name: DONNA LAMARCA DAUER

E-Mail: dunaluna@aol.com

City/Country: OCALA, FL

Comments: WORKED 20TH TFS SUPPLY OJT WHILE IN HIGH SCHOOL - 1975. LOVED EVERY MINUTE OF IT. ANYONE HEAR FROM GARY LEPINE, WALT AFIECK OR BENNY TORRES?
Tuesday 08/13/2002 6:23:04pm
   Name: Jason Galloway
   E-Mail: bowak45@hotmail.com
   City/Country: Atlanta, GA
   Comments: Webmaster....excellent site. It really brought back memories of my tour there from 88 - 91 with the "Snake Pit" parties in the CRS dorm, using the DCM's air horns at the football games, Lisa/Doreen and the rest of the "Etiquette" ladies getting embarrassed by the "the boys"....Billy, Kaz, and the rest of the crew.

Tuesday 08/13/2002 1:49:54pm
   Name: Andrew Purdin
   E-Mail: apurdin@purdin.net
   City/Country: Xenia, Ohio, USA
   Comments: This web site is great and wonderful. I was stationed at RAF Upper Heyford from Feb. 1983 - 1985. The time I spend there was some of the best. I had always wondered what had happened to the base and looking at some of the pictures brought back many memories. The pictures are also very sad. It was a great base.

Tuesday 08/13/2002 12:05:00am
   Name: Jonathan Sayers
   E-Mail: fencer_js@yahoo.com
   City/Country: Reading, UK

   I am also looking to hear from Col. Richard Riddick, also ex F-111 pilot at UH and commander at Greenham, 1988-1990. All are welcome to visit my website.

Tuesday 08/13/2002 8:06:54am
   Name: Peter Crafts
E-Mail: pmcrafts@hotmail.com
City/Country: Northern Virginia
Comments: I was at Heyford from 76 to 78, FMS engine shop, had too much fun! Like everyone else, some of my fondest memories and fun times are tied to the base, the people and the surrounding areas. I took my wife and kids to Heyford back in ’00, showed them the base, it was all fenced in with warning signs everywhere. Went inside the fence anyway and showed them the old hospital, FMS barracks, Bloke Canteen etc. A Bobbie let us in the flightline side of the base, got to race down the runway in the rented Ford wagon, showed the kids one of the hardened shelters. The 3 shoes was closed, the canals overgrown, you could tell the closing of Heyford had quite an effect on the local economy. So Sad!

Monday 08/12/2002 8:07:50pm
Name: David Gorney
E-Mail: david.b.gorney@marsh.com
City/Country: New Orleans
Comments:

Monday 08/12/2002 6:31:18pm
Name: Dr. John W. Hall
E-Mail: pookie@pop.gamewood.net
City/Country: Danville, VA
Comments: Glad I stumbled onto this website. It brings back memories. I particularly was impressed with the realistic photo of the 20TAC Hospital, circa 1970. I served in the medical squadron in 1971-1972. I would like to hear from some of the guys who served with Dr. Pine, Dr. Greenfield, and the others during the early 70s. Are there any reunions from time to time?

Monday 08/12/2002 6:10:34pm
Name: Jon Goldenbaum
E-Mail: jon@polyfiber.com
City/Country: Riverside, CA
Comments: I was a pilot at Heyford from 1975-1978. Flew in the 79th, later wing Stan Eval. Great
times. Lived up by Banbury in Chacombe, made lasting friends.

Saturday 08/10/2002 11:58:15am

Name: Cathie  
E-Mail: cathiebartlett@yahoo.co.uk  
City/Country: Cheltenham  
Comments: Does anyone know the present location of Allen Searle stationed approx 83/84. would love to hear from him and catch up on the news. If you know please let me know, hope life has been kind.

Thank you  
regards Cathie

Tuesday 08/06/2002 12:56:12am

Name: Richard Lakeman  
E-Mail: rlakeman@comcast.net  
City/Country: San Rafael, Ca.  
Comments: Hello from an old timer. I was at U.H. from June 1958 to Nov. 1960 with the 3918th Combat Support Group (SAC). I was in the 11th Aviation Depot Squadron. We had rooms in barracks #75. Col. Kenneth Schultz was base commander. I worked for Capt. Allyn Linquist Supply Officer. Major Joe Bennett was squadron commander. Our mission to have B47s on alert. Sad to see base closed. I was back for a visit in 1993 saw it before it closed. Those were great times and enjoyed my trips to London on the weekends. Really enjoyed the web site. good job Duane. Cheers

Monday 08/05/2002 10:18:48pm

Name: Roger E. Lindberg  
E-Mail: rogerlindberg@charter.net  
City/Country: Redding, CA, USA  
Comments: I was here 1962-1964. Married an Oxford girl Just celebrated 39 anniv. Any 3918 Combat Defence Sqdn. guys out there
Monday 08/05/2002 10:50:40am

Name: Rob Soriano

E-Mail: res0esvb@verizon.net

City/Country: Tampa, Florida

Comments: Hi everyone! Stationed at RAFUH Sep 87 thru Sep 93. Worked in Supply War Readiness Bldg. 3135 on the Flightline. Also worked at the NCO Open Mess part time (Cook) when Chief Black and Sean (Catering Manager) had the realm. During that time we had the best club in USAFE! If anyone remembers Scottie the waitress, she’s now working at Tesco in Bicester. Our daughter Nadia went to school at Croughton and now stationed there (dependent) for two years.

Sunday 08/04/2002 11:35:44am

Name: Paul Francis

E-Mail: paul.francis30@ntlworld.com

City/Country: Ware, UK

Comments: The http://rafupperheyford.4t.com web site may be of interest to anyone who is interested in UH operations and architecture. There is a history of the base, details of construction and many photos of buildings taken in 1996. For those interested in RAF Alconbury, the site http://rafalconbury.4t.com, might be worth a visit.

Friday 08/02/2002 11:37:29pm

Name: Melvin L Cooler

E-Mail: different89@earthlink.net

City/Country: Kathleen Ga. USA

Comments: I was stationed at Upper Heyford 1986-90. Really enjoyed my tour there. Many Many wonderful memories. Thanks

Tuesday 07/30/2002 6:05:48am

Name: paul francis

E-Mail: paul.francis30@ntlworld.com

City/Country: England

Comments: This is a great site, but come and have a look at mine on RAF Upper Heyford as well!
http://rafupperheyford.4t.com  It is based on a historic building survey carried out in February 1996 for Cherwell District Council. The site is not finished yet, but contains an operational history, details of construction and about 40 photographs of buildings. The web address is as above (no direct link yet) - thanks.

Thursday 07/25/2002 9:43:45pm
   Name: William Chenausky
   E-Mail: bchenausky@cmbrewer.com
   City/Country: Phoenix, AZ
   Comments: I attended high school at Upper Heyford and miss the place like never before. God Bless Upper Heyford and England. I was there 1984-1985.

Tuesday 07/23/2002 9:49:26pm
   Name: Dave Ohnmacht
   E-Mail: DOhnmacht@aol.com
   City/Country: Littleton, Colorado
   Comments:

Monday 07/22/2002 1:20:30pm
   Name: Darlene Rathell
   E-Mail: drathell@hotmail.com
   City/Country: Thomasville, NC USA
   Comments: I was stationed at Heyford from Dec 1988 - 1990 and worked in p&d and also was a sp augie.....Anyone remember me please email. Name was Daut before marrying Dennis Rathell (SPS).

Friday 07/19/2002 3:58:12pm
   Name: Wes Mason
   E-Mail: wesmason56@hotmail.com
City/Country: Richmond, Va  
Comments: Was stationed there from 1977-1980 in Medical Supply at the old hospital. My best assignment. Looking for any hospital folks from that time and also Keith and Theresa Evans. He was an E-4 cook and she volunteered at the hospital.

Tuesday 07/16/2002 10:37:36am  
Name: Walt McCarthy  
E-Mail: wcmsawm1@aol.com  
City/Country: Las Vegas  
Comments: I was at Heyford from 1982-1994, working in almost every area of aircraft weapons possible, inshop to flightline and back. Many fond memories. Just found this web-site and already found an old co-worker. Still go back there for a visit every once in a while.

Monday 07/15/2002 3:00:11pm  
Name: Pat Bell  
E-Mail: bellp@anad.army.mil  
City/Country: Weaver, Alabama  
Comments: I was in the 20th MMS from 9-75 through 9-77. I was assigned to the gun shop. Great web site; brought back many good memories. Great memories and great friends.

Tuesday 07/09/2002 5:50:10pm  
Name: Chuck Stockard  
E-Mail: Invasivtec@aol.com  
City/Country: Arizona  
Comments: I went to Heyford High School my junior year. We were stationed at Greenahm Common. My step Father ran the Officers and NCO Club at Greenham and Welford 1969-1971. 7551st Combat Support Group.

Monday 07/08/2002 1:47:10am
Name: Mike Cash  
E-Mail: mcash@sierratel.com  
Location: Oakhurst Ca.  

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Monday 07/08/2002 0:31:27am

Name: John Galletta  
E-Mail: john@pitpassgroup.com  
Location: California  
Comments: I was at UH from 1983-1988. While there I was at the 77th, 20 TFW/DO & Det 9 7000 Cons. I made many friends and I thoroughly enjoyed my stay. I have many fond memories of my time spent there and still consider the experiences life lasting.

Although I've maintained contact with most of my friends, I am, however, trying to locate some buddies that I haven't heard from since leaving UH. If anyone knows the whereabouts of then LT's Will Miles, Leif Berge, Randy Parker, Eric Matthewson and Capt Jeff Mullette, please let me know. I'd also like to locate (then Sgt) Chuck Benz from 20TFW Intel and MSGT Early. I've never laughed as hard or played as hard since I last saw them. It would mean a great deal to me to be able to speak with them and catch up on things.

I'm very happy to see such a wonderful site dedicated to the best USAFE duty assignment. I hope that it will continue to grow in content and that more and more former UH "alumni" will visit and relive the time they spent in the Cotswolds. Cheers!

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Tuesday 07/02/2002 3:55:55pm

Name: Mac McIntire  
E-Mail: Dusty40@earthlink.net  
Comments: Alive and well on a sailboat in California!

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Thursday 06/27/2002 9:13:24pm

Name: Clayton Pfeuffer
E-Mail: hdmgb@hotmail.com

Location:

Comments: Heyford was my first station, served in the NDT Lab (Field Maint.) from June 76-june 78.

Thursday 06/27/2002 1:31:37pm

Name: Janet M. Coe
E-Mail: Shadaux@aol.com
Location: Jacksonville, FL
Comments: Sister to Stephen P. Mock

Tuesday 06/25/2002 12:44:13am

Name: Charles Jones
E-Mail: cjones@hdnet.k12.mo.us
Location: Aurora, MO
Comments: I was only on Upper Heyford for a short TDY from Lakenheath. I was NCOIC, Victor Alert.

Friday 06/21/2002 4:45:26pm

Name: Cleatus T. Slaven
E-Mail: agnes@ez2.net
Location: Sun City, Ca
Comments: This is a wonderful site and brings back many memories of the area to me and my family. Thanks for all the effort!

Friday 06/21/2002 12:34:15am

Name: Simon Lack
E-Mail: minkey53uk@yahoo.co.uk
Location: Banbury, UK
Comments: I am looking for 2 particular families who lived in Banbury between about 1980 and 1983.

The first one is the last name of Rose. There was Steve, Ellen and Kim Rose, Kim being the daughter (born roughly 1968) and Steve worked at Upper Heyford. They originally came from Texas or Louisiana.

The second family had the last name of Louk (may have had an 'e' on the end). They were called Troy, Madeline, Lori and Randell. Troy worked at Heyford and Lori and Randell were his children. They would both be about 32ish by now.

If anyone knows them or remember them, please email me on 'minkey53uk@yahoo.co.uk'.

This is really desperate and I would love to find either or both of them.

Simon

Thursday 06/20/2002 12:38:56am
Name: Ronald VanDyne
E-Mail: lucky5eddie@netscape.net
Location: Omaha, NE
Comments: Checking back in again. So many names and so few faces.

Duane, 3 former mates from UH have contacted me via this site, thanks for the site and all the great work.


Sunday 06/16/2002 8:45:46am
Name: oliver ayres
E-Mail: olympheyford@aol.com
Location: upper heyford
Comments: Its so borring around here now.
    come back usafe.
Sunday 06/09/2002 4:43:49pm

Name: Robert J. Lutz
E-Mail: lutzrj22062@hotmail.com

Location: Pensacola, Florida
Comments: Just checking in again on the site--I trust other former Heyfordians are doing well. Any former F-111 Avionic (CRS) types want to get a reunion together, let me know. Pensacola, though not centrally located, does have some nice beaches and evening entertainment. If you ever come my way, e-mail me and we’ll set something up.

Robert J. (Bob) Lutz

Sunday 06/09/2002 2:26:13pm

Name: Kevin Randig
E-Mail: krandig@austin.rr.com

Location: Taylor, Texas
Comments: I was stationed at Heyford from 88-90. I worked in the 42AMU Gray Section EF-111A’S specialist flight M/A. I work with Jeff Antwine, Jose “Tito” George, Greg Swenson, Travis Woodley, Chris Hernandez and David Zeigler. I hung out with Joe Craft from red section, Larry Lawson of yellow section, Mike Dodd phase dock, Bobby Sanez blue red section, and Rick Goresch phase docks. Ben Adcock and Aaron Scott were my room mates. We had some good times. If you know any of the above people let me know! I have kept in contact with some people.

Monday 06/03/2002 11:07:40pm

Name: Jim C. Jarrells (Ssgt)
E-Mail: j.jarrells@rocketmail.com

Location: Lexington, KY
Comments: I can’t begin to tell you the warm feeling I got when I ran across this website; so many stories, so many memories. I was so intrigued, I actually went through all 130 pages of the guestbook looking for the names of former friends. I was stationed at UH in the 20th Services Squadron from January ’90 - January ’94. No one, and I mean no one on the base partied like the Airmen of the 20th SVS Squadron. We had to; we managed all the clubs. Between the Ravens Loft and the Lamplighter Inn, I believe we met everyone staioned at UH at some point. And of course, who could forget those “office meetings” at the NCO Club on Friday’s during the Gulf War? I really miss
Heyford. I moved back to "Heyford Park" in 1999-2000, but it wasn't the same. Thanks to all of you for your memories. If anyone still remembers me, please give me a shout. I'd love to hear from you. Keep up the great work on the website.

Monday 06/03/2002 5:14:57pm

Name: Mel Gherardini
E-Mail: melgiii@aol.com

Location:
Comments: Looking for old friends. Michael Coons, email me; melgiii@aol.com

Monday 06/03/2002 2:21:18am

Name: Michael Bischoff
E-Mail: bischoffm@hotmail.com

Location: Alaska
Comments: I was at Heyford from Aug 79 to Sep 82. My daughter was the second child born in the new hospital. I worked in in Blue then we changed to Red during the 20th 520th split of the maintenance squadrons. My wife Alice worked in Yellow 1.

Saturday 06/01/2002 11:28:28pm

Name: Russell Davison
E-Mail: rdavison@optonline.net

Location:
Comments: It was great looking at the pictures. I was at the base in '64 -'65 with the 20th MMS. Many fond memories.

Saturday 06/01/2002 7:36:32pm

Name: Sparky Kincaid Allen
E-Mail: allen58@llnl.gov
Location: Livermore, CA
Comments: If you really appreciate this web site and its great master, don't forget to make a fiscal donation! Here's to all the lambs (2 and 4 legged) at RAF Croughton.

Monday 05/27/2002 0:01:53am
Name: Scott
E-Mail: wordo98@cox.net
Location: Eglin AFB, FL
Comments: Love the site, @#$%! I miss that place. Thanks for the pics

Saturday 05/25/2002 10:10:01am
Name: Wayne Mutza
E-Mail: waynewrite6@aol.com
Location: Milwaukee, WI
Comments: Seeking information, photo material and emblems of HH-3 and F-111 aircraft, units and operations for book research. Excellent tribute to those who served at UH.

Friday 05/24/2002 3:40:42am
Name: Bill Williams
E-Mail: whwilliams8@aol.com
Location: Isle of Anglesey. Wales
Comments: Have looked at several pages of Guestbook - none that were stationed there in WW2. I was there for while awaiting posting to Barford St.John where we did our flying training on the good Wellington (Wimpey) bombers. 1944.
Wednesday 05/22/2002 2:57:33pm

Name: Randy Harris
E-Mail: ranphan@cox.net

Location: Pascoag, RI

Comments: I was stationed at UH 10/83 - 10/85 and worked in the ATD (flight simulator). I was among the last group to work in this area as the AFSC was turned over to civilian contractors Air Force wide. During my time in the UK I played in a GI band known as Sleeper with Paul Joski, John Jurenec & Mike Socrates. If anyone has heard of or from John & Mike I'd love to hear from them. Also Steve Collins was another buddy I played music with. A special hello to all fellow barracks rats in the CRS dorm. We had some of the best BBQ's ever! You were a great bunch of guys and I remember you all fondly.

Sunday 05/19/2002 7:13:31am

Name: ChrisRose
E-Mail: chrisrose@hotmail.com

Location: Delaware

Comments: Thank you so much for this site because it has enabled me to find "mates" that I haven't heard from in years! I was in the FMS/CRS Sheetmetal shop from 1981-1984 and I retired in 1998. Heyford was by far the best assignment ever and I hate to see what has become of her. Keep up the good work on the site. For all you sheetmetal troops out there, drop me a line sometime!

Friday 05/17/2002 1:40:49pm

Name: Jonathan Sayers
E-Mail: fencer_js@yahoo.com

Location: Reading, Berks, UK

Comments: I am looking to make contact with Colonel R. Riddick, formerly of the 55th TFS at UH in the mid 1970s. He went on to become Commander of the 501st TMW at Greenham Common.

I am also looking for anybody who served at RAF Greenham Common or RAF Welford. Does anybody have photos of the F-111s detached to Greenham Common in the Summer of 1976 please?
Thursday 05/16/2002 4:02:51pm

Name: David Douglas
E-Mail: SEE OTHER ENTRY

Location: SJAFB, NC
Comments: I WORKED IN THE NDI LAB FROM MAY 86 TO MAY 89. WOULD LIKE TO TALK TO SOME OF THE OLD GANG DURING THAT TIME PERIOD. BOWLED AND PARTIED. LONG LIVE THE LEGEND OF HEYFORD.

Thursday 05/16/2002 3:52:55pm

Name: David Douglas
E-Mail: dwd64@hotmail

Location: SJAFB, NC
Comments: I was there from May 86 to May 89. Loved to bowl and meet new friends. Anyone out there. Heyford Rules. Thanks for the best part of my career so far.

Wednesday 05/15/2002 10:30:23am

Name: Susan Galpin
E-Mail: sgalpin@dmbinc.com

Location: Another quick reference that might remind you of my Dad, Col. Galpin. He got a black lab from a former fighter pilot there in 1974. He named the puppy Duke. The guys in maintenance constructed a wonderful sweater for Duke with sleeves fashioned just for a dog's figure! The back had DUKE written in white on blue tape, on the shoulder areas were colonel insignias and a F-111 TFW patch on the back.

Saturday 05/11/2002 4:47:56pm

Name: Susan Galpin
E-Mail: sgalpin@dmbinc.com

Location: I was in college state-side when my dad, Col. Harry T. Galpin and the rest of my
family went to Upper Heyford in 1971. Dad died in Nov. 2001 and his ashes were interred in Arlington on April 26, 2002. I'm just doing some research -- would love to hear of any stories -- the good, the bad or the ugly - from any of you who knew him. He was Deputy Commander for Maintenance, 20th Tactical Fighter Wing, RAF Upper Heyford from around the period 1972 - 1977. At this moment, I recall only one notion he shared... that was... that the men and women in his command were nothing but the best and that any success he had was due, in large part, to a good master sargeant.

Friday 05/10/2002 5:58:19pm
Name: Scott Kobold
E-Mail: mtckrbckr@hotmail.com
Location:
Comments: I served in the US Navy from 1993 to 1997. I was obviously not stationed at this installation, but my honorable Grandad, Gramma, two aunts and Mom were. I just wanted to add an entry to share the pride and admiration I have for my Gramma and Grandad. Both served their beloved country selflessly in WWII and beyond- my Grandad as a B-17 tailgunner and my Gramma as a faithful wife and mother. I am so greatful to have grown up and grown close with the two of them my whole life. Every generation that follows theirs owes a great debt of gratitude. Thank you Gramma and Grandad, you'll live forever in my heart. Scott http://www.kbqa.org

Thursday 05/09/2002 2:42:24pm
Name: Sharron A. Sparks
E-Mail: tainan61@yahoo.com
Location: Topeka, KS
Comments: My father was station at UH RAF station from 1952 to 1956. I attended the elementary school on base. There was no high school during those years, the kids went to Bushy Park or maybe Lakenheath (not sure which) during the week and were bussed home on weekends. The only name I can remember was a classmate named Kenneth Squires. Also, I had a friend named Dawn but I've forgotten the last name.

Wednesday 05/08/2002 10:32:04pm
Name: SSGT John R. Hall
E-Mail: john@knowledgebuilders.com
Location: Oneida lake, NY  
Comments: Served at UH 1970-74

Wednesday 05/08/2002 6:28:46pm  
Name: Bob Pahl  
E-Mail: saber523@bellsouth.net  
Location:  
Comments: Flew the last F-100 from RAF Wethersfield to UPH in May 1970 while in the 55th TFS. Had a second tour in the 55th from ’73 - ’76. Have wonderful memories of the area and my tours in the 20th.

Wednesday 05/08/2002 9:12:12am  
Name: Jon M. Buntenbah  
E-Mail: jonandgina@earthlink.net  
Referred By: Friend  
Location: Myrtle Beach, SC, USA  
Comments:

Tuesday 05/07/2002 8:05:03am  
Name: Chuck Kovach  
E-Mail: oops227@optonline.net  
Location: Middlesex, NJ  
Comments: I was stationed at UH from ’67’70. Was a crew chief on 101’s & F4’s. I recall the bus rides to and from Oxford, the 'Wimpie' Burgers and the The Wheatsheaf Pub. Also live off base for a while at the 'Tadmarten House Farm.'
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<td>Monday 05/06/2002</td>
<td>William Pouch</td>
<td><a href="mailto:bpouch@aol.com">bpouch@aol.com</a></td>
<td>Queens, New York City, New York</td>
<td>With 66th TRW from 1966 to 1969. Assigned to 66th A&amp;E Squadron. Stationed in Laon AB France 1966 and RAF Upper Heyford from 1966 to 1969. Great site. I intend to develop some scenery of RAF Upper Heyford for MICROSOFT Flight Simulator 2000 and 2002. The info I found on this site will be a tremendous help for accuracy. I will continue to peruse thru the guest book to see if any of my comrades in arms show up. I will forward additional details about myself for inclusion in the roster page.</td>
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<td>Sunday 05/05/2002</td>
<td>James Hornby</td>
<td><a href="mailto:James@hornby119178.freeserve.co.uk">James@hornby119178.freeserve.co.uk</a></td>
<td>Stowmarket, Suffolk</td>
<td>This a great site. I was stationed in the 520AGS from 1984 to 1991. Anyone care to get in touch with me please do.</td>
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<td>Saturday 05/04/2002</td>
<td>Pete and Kate Street</td>
<td><a href="mailto:peteandkatestreet@btinternet.com">peteandkatestreet@btinternet.com</a></td>
<td></td>
<td>We are searching for Larry Hansee who was stationed at Upper Heyford during the 1980's. Does anyone know of his whereabouts? Please let us know.</td>
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Friday 05/03/2002 9:38:19pm

Name: Karen Gilchrist (Howerton)
E-Mail: klholmes@hotmail.com

Location: West Chester PA
Comments: I was in UH from 1976-1978 I was in the 20th FMS Electric Shop. Had the time of my life in those couple years. This web site is fantastic. I still keep in touch with my ex-husband Duke Howerton and Jim (JD) DiFerdinando. Who were also in the Electric Shop during those years. I'd like to hear from anyone who was there while I was.

Wednesday 05/01/2002 7:45:41pm

Name: L.Wally Cox
E-Mail: lv1125@lvcm.com

Location: Las Vegas
Comments: I lost your web page from my bookmarks and haven't had it for a while, thank God my daughter had it and I finally have you back. The changes I find are quite refreshing, I enjoy your web site immensely, brings back old and fond memories.

Wednesday 05/01/2002 7:22:59pm

Name: Renee Varnell
E-Mail: reneeandchad@hotmail.cm

Location: Tulsa, Oklahoma
Comments: I am looking for anyone who knew my husband, Chad Varnell. He was stationed at Upper Heyford in the early 90's.

Tuesday 04/30/2002 1:03:26am

Name: Lisa Murty (maiden name: Ewing)
E-Mail: MeowScha@aol.com

Location: Bend, Oregon
Comments: I am looking for anyone who knew my dad, Rick Ewing. Please email me if you can give me ANY information.
Monday 04/29/2002 9:11:37pm
Name: John Dowell
E-Mail: JohnDow@Ameritech.net
Location: Cleveland, Oh
Comments: What an awesome website! I worked in the 20th AMS and lived off base in a small town of Charlbury. Had the most enjoyable time of my life at Heyford. Thanks for the great pictures and memories.

Sunday 04/28/2002 3:29:43am
Name: Nicholas W.
E-Mail: n.emigholz@attbi.com
Location: Renton, Washington
Comments: This is a wonderful website! I will check it out for new information, regularly. From June of 1974 through September of 1977, I was the Senior Intelligence Officer for the 79th TFS. Warm greetings to everyone who remembers me and serious kudos to this site's webmaster! Thank you for your professionalism.

Sunday 04/28/2002 1:58:29am
Name: Barbara Williams nee New
E-Mail: blokebar@msn.com
Location: Las Vegas Nevada
Comments: I would like to give you my new e-mail address. My previous entry is on page 117 dated 12-29-2000. Anybody who remembers me or my late husband T.Sgt. L.A. (ZEKE) Williams, please get in touch. I met my husband at the old Douglas House in London in 1962, when he was stationed at Woodbridge, he was from Detroit.

Saturday 04/27/2002 5:30:22pm
Name: Carl R Crabb
E-Mail: crcrabb@yahoo.com

Location: Haysville, KS

Comments: I really enjoy this website. I keep checking on what's new every couple weeks or so.
Keep up the good work.
Upper Heyford '78-'81
OMS Yellow 2 Expediter
Swing Shift Old SAC Ramp
and Old Dead Runway Tree

Saturday 04/27/2002 7:42:37am

Name: Mary Widmar

E-Mail: scottw1977@msn.com

Location:

Comments: I would like to find out if anyone on this site knows my husband?

Charles J. Widmar (Captain)
Special Weapons Officer (Supply) 1954-1957
3918th AB Group--1st ADS Squadron
RAF Upper Heyford, England

Please email me @ scottw1977@msn.com

Thank you,
Mary Widmar
(702) 647-5975

Monday 04/22/2002 9:34:59pm

Name: Steve Cooper A1C

E-Mail: stevenjill@charter.net

Location: Vincennes Indiana

Comments: I was at Heyford from 1987-1989. I was an aircrew Life Support Tech. with the 77TFS.
Sunday 04/21/2002 10:40:51pm

Name: Jim Preece
E-Mail: Prej@aol.com

Location: Austin Texas

Comments: I was wandering about on the internet and typed in Upper Heyford and low and behold, the Site appeared. I served at the base with the 801st Engrs. July 1950 - July 1952. I am very impressed with it all and will return, to the site. Cannot return to the location for a visit but wish I could. Fifty years ago I took a leave, went to Ireland and got distracted with a young lady. We have now been married for 48 years. I think about my time at UH frequently and am happy to have been a part of it all.

Jim (Dad) Preece

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Sunday 04/21/2002 8:10:44am

Name: JOHNNY GREEN
E-Mail: jgreen6855@aol.com

Location: Jacksonville, Arkansas

Comments: Was at Heyford from 70-74. Worked as Admin in Det 2, 40th ARRW to closing in 1972. Then worked in Wing Commander's Office as Admin for both Generals Norris and Ahmann. Have been back twice on vacation. Sad to see it closed.

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Friday 04/19/2002 8:28:00am

Name: Dick Dove
E-Mail: Dickdove@aol.com

Location: Wokingham Berks UK

Comments: I spent several months at UH in 1940 as an AC2 RAF Flight Mechanic on Heyford & Hereford bombers engaged on leaflet dropping over Germany after leaving training school at RAF St. Athan

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Monday 04/15/2002 9:23:49am

Name: Robert L. Caudill
E-Mail: rlccenter@wfol.net
Location: Upper Heyford from Feb. to July '85 as part of the McClellan AFB DFT (Depot Field Team). After the TDY my family came over and we toured England for a month with Kidlington as our base. I loved every minute of it.

Sunday 04/14/2002 7:37:25pm
Name: Joel Rackley
E-Mail: joel.rackley@verizon.net
Location: PA, USA
Comments: I was stationed at a Comm site near there 73-76.... these pics really take me back

Sunday 04/14/2002 4:57:24pm
Name: Jonathan Sayers
E-Mail: fencer_js@yahoo.com
Location: Reading, Berks, UK
Comments: The Upper Heyford site just keeps on getting better. Please have a look at my site dedicated to the USAF base of RAF Greenham Common in Berkshire, UK. http://www.megspace.com/politics/greenham/index.htm

Saturday 04/13/2002 11:53:56am
Name: Brian Cleary
E-Mail: mrvfw4647@aol.com
Location: back home CALIFORNIA
Comments: I sure miss the base and all the wonderful people that I had the pleasure to work with and party with, I'm glad someone put this nice sight together, I dont miss being an SP Augie Doggy ha ha ha, i was in the 20th Supply Sq, SUPPLY INSPECTOR, for the racc, rams, wrm, dazz, meas, ect, if anyone that knows me or of me ha ha ha please feel free to contact me and lets talk about our old memories, GOD BLESS YOU ALL AND GOD BLESS THE USA! ps I'm glad not to have the @$#%& WING RE-CALLS ha ha ha.
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<td>Location: Lancaster, CA</td>
<td>Comments: I was at UH Sep '74 to Sep '76. I have just reviewed several pages of this guestbook and see no references to The Horse and Groom in Caldecott or Hopcrofts Holt on the Banbury Road. These were our number one party places! The Sandells, Allan and Pam were our wild and crazy hosts! It is sad to see the condition and use the base has been put to. As with others, my time at UH was golden. Especially a lady from Royal Leamington Spa, Shirley! Sadly, I did not treat her as well as I should have. This is a great site and I will be back. I welcome all who want to drop me a line.</td>
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<td>Location: Grand Prairie, Tx</td>
<td>Comments: My father was 1st Sgt of CES from 9-1960 to 1963. We lived at 64A Eady road. I spent my teenage age years there before I went into the Marine Corp. UH didn't have a high school then. We were shipped off for the week to Lakenheath. It was the best time of my life. I only which I could find the gang I hung out with.</td>
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<td>Location: bicester</td>
<td>Comments: I've been coming onto this site 4 a while now and have watched it grow from strength 2 strength. Duane has done a great job and I've been honoured 2 have so many photos published on this great site. (I'll try and keep them coming). When I walk around heyford today it upsets me because I remember how it used 2 be. Such a waste. The runways r filled with cars as far as the eye can see, and the local hangouts such as the NCO Club, the bowling alley and various diners r crumbling. The Hospital stands there silent and ghostly, and the dorms still hold many paintings that tell a story by themselves. If any 1 has a particular request 4 a photo (murials and such like.) I will try my best to get them and post them 2 the webhost. I would like to capture some memories 4 u all</td>
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before it is all gone forever..

Friday 04/05/2002 3:44:11pm
Name: Ian
E-Mail: menace@2uall.fsnet.co.uk
Location: Upper Heyford
Comments: first of all i just wanna say thanks to duane for a great site keep it up. i been livin up here for about two years now and still go for walks around the site taking photos for the site with my friend marty bindloss i still love this place even though i was only a young lad when it was operational my sister married a serviceman and she used to bring me up here every now and then and i certainly miss the atmosphere and the noise of the planes, and @#$! i have to travel miles now to get a decent air show!!!!!!! come back u guys sort it out. lol. any how if anyone wants any photos let me know and i will get them for you anywhere on the base. you all take care. c ya ian

Friday 04/05/2002 3:00:53am
Name: Michael Hopp
E-Mail: akitalover2002@aol.com
Location: Montana
Comments:

Wednesday 04/03/2002 1:30:50pm
Name: Charles Clark
E-Mail: cwclark@ashland.com
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Homepage URL:
Referred By: Search Engine
Location:
Wednesday 04/03/2002 6:14:26am  
**Name:** SSG Michael J. Tracy  
**E-Mail:** michael.tracy@catc.7atc.army.mil  
**Location:** combined arms training center Vilseck Ge  
**Comments:** Yes, I was an Airman First Class back in the 70's at Upper Heyford. I wasn't a real smart young man back then, but age and time have made me smarter and now I am a SSG in the US Army. I wish that I could have gone back onto the Air Force but alas they did not take prior service when I came back on active duty, but it sure made me appreciate the time that I did have as an Airman.

Friday 03/29/2002 4:56:48am  
**Name:** Pamela Hedrick  
**E-Mail:** mudmag4@hotmail.com  
**Location:**  
**Comments:** This site is wonderful. My Father was stationed here at the SAC in 1955. He was in the 376th squadron. I told him about this site and he was surprised to say the least! His name is Robert Hedrick. If anyone out there was in the same squadron and remembers him, please e-mail me. Thanks!

Friday 03/29/2002 1:26:02am  
**Name:** George R. Turner  
**E-Mail:** turner1sgt@cs.com  
**Location:** Knoxville TN/USA  
**Comments:** I served with Btry C, 4th AAA Bn, 32nd Arty Brigade at UH from 1954-1957. I grew from a boy to a man, and from a Private to a Sargeant. I consider my tour at UH as my college education. I first heard "Sixteen Tons" on the jukebox at the Bloke Canteen on base and heard Little Richard and Elvis music for the first time at the Carfax(?)a dance hall on the second floor in Oxford. First heard Fats Domino in a little pub in Bicester. Shot a lot of darts in the pub in LH. I spent many hours riding in a deuce and a half from our gunsite on the outskirts of the runway for showers and chow. My time in England was so enjoyable it inticed me into making the military a career. I retired in 1974 as a First Sargeant. I truly hope that before my time on earth is up, I get the opportunity to visit England. I guess the older one gets, the more nostalgic he gets. Great site, really enjoyed the photos of the base.
Keep up the great work.....Memories are made of this.....George

Wednesday 03/27/2002 0:04:02am

    Name: James (Yatko) Alexander
    E-Mail: jamesaofufp@prodigy.com

    Location: Allentown Pa. U.S.A.
    Comments: I check the site almost every day since I found it! I have gotten an e-mail from my very first roomate Paul Goldie (This is to let him know I did get his first message and replied at length but I guess it didn't get through. And that I just re-e-mailed the message to the new address he sent!) I have also heard from Fred Wyatt, a great guy I served with on "A" Flight and in the Security Police Training Section. Keep up the excellent work Duane. I also do remember Steve Covington, I believe he was at U.H. when I arrived Feb. 1977. Signing Off. James Alexander

Tuesday 03/26/2002 12:52:23am

    Name: Bernie Hurford
    E-Mail: hurfords@tinyworld.co.uk

    Location: Epsom,Surrey,England
    Comments: I am writing a book about the influence that has been made on my life by the Americans I have known at school and of course, at the American air bases during the twenty years I supported the Upper Heyford Skykings football team. Having read the anecdotes from members of the SPS web-site, I would like to ask for further stories. If anyone has anything they would like to share which shows the humour, dedication and professional attitude associated with the U.S. Air Force for inclusion, please e-mail me. Duane has very kindly agreed to read through the part I am writing about RAF Upper Heyford before it is submitted for publication, to ensure I don't tread on anyone's toes!

    Regards, Bernie Hurford.

Tuesday 03/26/2002 10:42:41am

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    E-Mail: awsomegreeneyes@aol.com
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<td>Stationed at RAF Upper Heyford 1970 to 1976 - still photographer at photo lab - mother in law Jean Cordingley was secretary at Base Ops married to her daughter - Diane for 28 years now - got married at Souldern - great to see this web site listed in</td>
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Thursday 03/21/2002 5:38:13pm

**Name:** Mark Bergeron  
**E-Mail:** kidatheartlb@yahoo.com  
**Location:** Sulphur, Louisiana  
**Comments:** I was at Upper Heyford from 1990 till 1993. I helped to send the last F-111 away when the 79th Fighter Squadron closed. I spent 9 years in the Air Force and this assignment was by far the most exciting. I met some of the best people there and I still keep in touch with a few. I will also always consider myself to be a 79th FS Tiger.

Tuesday 03/19/2002 3:51:49pm

**Name:** Julie Johnston  
**E-Mail:** juliemsjohnston@hotmail.com  
**Location:**  
**Comments:** Hello  
I'm Julie. My home town is Bicester and I met some pretty amazing people during 1977 - 1980....  
Since then I have moved around a lot and actually lived in your wonderful country for 4 years.  
Looking at the web page has bought back all sorts of memories. They were truely fantastic times. Where has time gone?  
I regularly go back to Bicester as my family are still there. Upper Heyford still holds special memories.  
We were a bunch of British girls and guys that met some great people and it's great to read about the times you spent in our country.  
Julie
Name: Charles Deason  
E-Mail: chardeas@bellsouth.net  
Location: Huntsville, Alabama  
Comments: I was at UH from Dec, 1953 to Mar, 1954. TDY with the 22 Bomb Wing. It was the enjoyable period I spent in the Air Force. I am looking for a Denny Dunn from Wisconsin or a Billy Eubanks from Kansas. Thanks, Charlie.

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Monday 03/18/2002 3:16:33pm  
Name: Louise  
E-Mail: louisemwn@aol.com  
Location: Connecticut, USA  
Comments: Hi, looking for Rick Belt - left UH 1981.  
Great site - well done!

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Friday 03/15/2002 9:24:49am  
Name: Phil Ashley  
E-Mail: phil2552@yahoo.com  
Location: NYC  
Comments: Looking for Sgt. Lawhead-Heyford 61-63

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Thursday 03/14/2002 5:26:30pm  
Name: Mrs. Lesley Maxfield  
E-Mail: l.maxfield@ntlworld.com  
Location: 5 miles north of Lincoln  
Comments: Does anyone know who would have copies of old year books - 1952? I have just found my GI father, but sadly he has Alzheimer’s and remembers very little of his time here. I am trying to see if Upper Heyford, Molesworth, Mildenhall, etc have access to year books to see if they could look through them for me to see if he is listed in any of them. I no longer have any family to help piece his history together.
From bits of info I have I think he worked on the repairs and extensions to the runways. That would suggest the 801st/802nd and 803rd EAB.

Any help you could give, or any suggestions where copies of these books are kept, would be really appreciated.

Many thanks,

Mrs. Lesley Maxfield

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Wednesday 03/13/2002 1:17:19pm

Name: Gerard A. Cavallo
E-Mail: Cbigwood1@aol.com

Location: Det 6 Tinker AFB OK
Comments: Rank at UH SSgt
Aug 84 - Apr 93
20 CRS Automatic Test Stations

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Monday 03/11/2002 6:26:38pm

Name: Robert J Lutz
E-Mail: lutzrj22062@hotmail.com

Location: Pensacola, FL
Comments: Thought I'd drop in again and say hello to all the former Heyfordians.

Loved my Upper Heyford assignments (82-85 & 86-89) where I still hold my fondest memories of the 21 years spent in the AF.

E-mail at lutzrj22062@hotmail.com

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Saturday 03/09/2002 10:25:12am

Name: Tracy Hawkins
E-Mail: tracyjhawkins0410@aol.com

Location: Upper Heyford - England
Comments: Well, I am amazed at how many people have left their mark here. It saddens me as I feel as though you have all been let down by the way the Airbase has been left. It truly is a great loss. The Three Horse Shoes Pub in the village is now two houses, Do any of you remember the picture/moto "Sleep Tight Tonight Heyfords on Alert"? Well for 23 years of my life I remember those alerts!! Having been brought up here and still living locally, I am happy to let any one know about the many changes which are always going on, feel free to e-mail me and I will get back to you, The Base will never be the same again and I thank you all for the great memories you have left us with.

Thursday 03/07/2002 7:24:30am
Name: Ken Anderson
E-Mail: ken.anderson1@ntlworld.com
Location:
Comments: 20th SPS 1979-1984

Wednesday 03/06/2002 9:58:23pm
Name: Mike Kaplan
E-Mail: mike.kaplan@f-111.net
Location:
Comments: Everett Davis from Plattsburgh? (1982+)

Wednesday 03/06/2002 2:39:11pm
Name: Steven Higa
E-Mail: steven.higa1@ntlworld.com
Location: Oxford England
Comments: I was a Master Crew Chief on F-111 68-030, I spent my 'Heyford' time, between 1985 and 1992, 79 TFW Alpha flight. Anyone there? Please.

Wednesday 03/06/2002 1:18:30pm
Name: Everett R. Davis
E-Mail: erdavis1@bellsouth.net
Location: Atlanta, Ga.
Comments: B-Shopper, 20th AMS from 1975 to 1980. This was my first duty assignment out of Tech. school.

Wednesday 03/06/2002 1:18:17pm
Name: Everett R. Davis
E-Mail: erdavis1@bellsouth.net
Location: Atlanta, Ga.
Comments: B-Shopper, 20th AMS from 1975 to 1980. This was my first duty assignment out of Tech. school.

Tuesday 03/05/2002 1:37:58pm
Name: Noel Perry
E-Mail: leonfilac2@hotmail.com
Location: Monterey CA
Comments: This is one of the joys of modern technology. Thanks so very much. I didn't know there was a 1954 yearbook with my picture in it, but Don W. Lewis saw my name on the duty roster & sent me the 3918th USAF Infirmary pages that he scanned. I'm wondering if there is a similar document for RAF Brize Norton. I'd like to catch up with Tad Turner if so.

Sunday 03/03/2002 10:00:34am
Name: Fred Stewart
E-Mail: FSstaw78137@aol.com
Location: Fontana, Ca.
Comments: Great website! I was at UH 62-64 with Headquarters Squadron, 3918th Combat Support Group. I worked in base reproduction (printing and duplicating). If you needed anything printed, I probably did it. Does anybody remember Sara Harry who worked in the Red Cross office? I worked in the same building. We were right in front
of Headquarters building on the main road that intersected the base. Also, does anybody remember “Taylor's Taxis” in Bicester? I remember having breakfast Sunday mornings at the Three Horseshoes....steak and kidney pie, and a pint of cider. What the hell was I thinkin'? Would love to hear from anybody...Fred.

Wednesday 02/27/2002 11:16:36am

Name: Darlene Rathell (Daut)
E-Mail: drathell@hotmail.com

Location: North Carolina
Comments: Stationed at Heyford from Dec 1988-1990. Worked in 20th Supply P&D section and also sp augmentee. Looking for old friends in supply and SPS.

Tuesday 02/26/2002 8:17:24pm

Name: Brian Bradley
E-Mail: bradley_brian@emc.com

Location: Boston, MA
Comments: Hey,

I am once again off to England in a few weeks. I will make my yearly pilgrimage back to Upper Heyford. I will hate see it torn down.

The Three Horse Shoes was no longer there, as of my trip in March of 2001.

Does anyone know how to get a hold of Ed Wildner or Scotti Morrison??

Tuesday 02/26/2002 7:13:40pm

Name: Greg Davis
E-Mail: gregor49@email.com

Referred By: Just Surfed In
Location: Winchester, VA
Comments: Wow- surfing thru this site brought back a flood of memories- and nearly all of them good ones. I spend almost four years, or my whole tour at Upper Heyford. Grew up a lot at UH! I miss the fish and chips from a little place over in Bicester, and going to
RAF Bicester to the Gliding Club almost every free moment on the weekends. I was an air traffic controller and was sorry to see that nobody else in the RAPCON or Tower guest book had checked in. Well, we were pretty isolated from the rest of the base after all. I had a wonderful little house in an obscure village south of Oxford (West End House, Murcott, Charlton on Otmoor) and I DO miss my lovely little girlfriend Lynn. The Aero Club was a great place to hang out, and the flying was great over there (and cheap, too!) After I left the AF, I got into the ANG and flew Warthogs for the next 20 years, I still never had as much fun as I did as a three or 4 striker at Heyford. Sorry to see that it had to come to and end......OK, Henry, if you read this, I'm going to KYDITD...

Tuesday 02/26/2002 6:36:23pm
Name: Jonathan Sayers
E-Mail: fencer_js@yahoo.com
Location: Reading, Berks, UK
Comments: Duane's site just keeps getting better, thanks for all your hard work. I am the webmaster of a similar site on RAF Greenham Common, a USAF base 1941-1992. I welcome you all to visit my site and sign my guestbook.
http://www.megspace.com/politics/greenham/index.htm

Tuesday 02/26/2002 6:17:15am
Name: Lee Rivers
E-Mail: jekylllee@hotmail.com
Location: Kunsan Korea
Comments: I was stationed at Heyford from Oct-85 to Oct-91, assigned to the 42 AMU as a Crew Chief. If I could only turn back the clock. Those were the best times of my life. So many great memories, so many great TDYS. If they hadn't closed the place, I'd still be there now. "BOY!!" Do I miss the COLDWAR!!! (EF-111A) "If you can't shoot it, JAM IT!!"

Tuesday 02/26/2002 0:06:20am
Name: Angie Pynes Wise
E-Mail: angielpn@alaweb.com
Location: Samson, Alabama
Comments: I was a dependant spouse of Charles A. (Tony) Pynes 20th SPS "B" Flight. We were stationed there from 1981-1984. Our daughter Heather was born @ Heyford. Thanks for the memories and the opportunity to share Heather's birthplace with her, otherwise she would have never seen it. God Bless!
I remember the first winter @ Heyford was the worst in 20 years. If anyone in the "B" flight remembers us, would love to hear from you.

Monday 02/25/2002 8:54:53pm
Name: Richard Knibbs
E-Mail: rawk_iharder@yahoo.com
Referred By: Just Surfed In
Location: Texas
Comments: I was born on this airforce base on January 16, 1983...and one day I will return.

Saturday 02/23/2002 4:30:10pm
Name: Richard Rupert
E-Mail: richrupert@juno.com
Location:
Comments: Served there from March 1980 to May 1982. I have pictures to share and planning a trip there in the fall of 02.

Saturday 02/23/2002 1:38:47am
Name: Ken Ribble
E-Mail: kcribble@cybermesa.com
Location: Rio Rancho, New Mexico
Comments: RAF Upper Heyford was my first duty assignment as a brand new lieutenant (May 89 - Jun 92), and it's still my most memorable. While there, I was assigned to the 42nd AMU (Ravens), and 20 EMS (AMMO!), and both the on-duty and off-duty memories will always stay with me (especially many a night hanging out and pub crawling in Oxford...anybody remember the Brewhouse, the Head of the River, or the Turf
Tavern?). Well, I'm not the single young bachelor I was in those days, and over the past few years, I have taken my wife on vacation to England a number of times, and each time we've made a point of visiting Upper Heyford and Oxford, so that I could share with her the places that created so many fond memories. Now SHE also wishes Upper Heyford was still open, so we could go back and live in that wonderful pocket of England. Terrific website; keep up the great work!

Friday 02/22/2002 9:24:26pm
**Name:** Paul DeHart
**E-Mail:** pdehart@columbus.rr.com
**Location:** Westerville, Ohio
**Comments:** Stationed at RAF Croughton from Oct 1972- Oct 1974 at the base comm center. Made a lot of BX runs from Croughton to Upper Heyford. I made a return visit to Upper Heyford in 1991 and was impressed with the new BX/Commisary. I can't believe the base is now closed, very sad. RAF Croughton is still alive and kicking. It would be nice if someone would create a RAF Croughton web site as well. Thanks for the memories of Upper Heyford.

Friday 02/22/2002 4:02:46pm
**Name:** Steven Higa
**E-Mail:** steven.higa1@ntlworld.com
**Location:** Oxford, England
**Comments:** I would like to say hello to all my friends.
Crew Chief of 68 - 030 SSGT Steven Higa

Thursday 02/21/2002 8:53:43am
**Name:** Tom Kershaw
**E-Mail:** tom@brackley17.freeserve.co.uk
**Location:** Brackley17
**Comments:** I worked at UH from 1974 to 1983. Started with cmc fixing the appliances and ended up at repro fixing the oce photocopiers. I remember working on the base as some of the best times I had.
Beer busts out at various sites.
The 4th of July celebs at the school.
The old guy who sold 12 inch polish sausages from his cart.
Happy days.
I work in the London area now as a computer systems engineer but I will always remember my days at the base.
I was very sad to see it close and the departure of our American colleges.
I made many friends and still keep in touch with some of them back in the states.

Monday 02/18/2002 8:32:04pm
Name: Craig M. Happ
E-Mail: happcm@aol.com
Location: Moody AFB, GA
Comments: I was the spec flt chief in the 77th AMU/77th FS from 1990-93. My dependent wife, Bea, was the CC Secretary at the 20th EMS. Great times. Worked hard to take the 77th AMU from worst to first right before we deactivated. Loved bedding down the AMP aircraft. Member of Gunsmoke Team in 1992, hard work by a bunch of dedicated people doing it on a shoestring. Retired as SMSgt in 96. Currently working for Boeing. Would love to hear from any of my old coworkers/friends!

Monday 02/18/2002 4:35:11pm
Name: James G. Taylor
E-Mail: Jim_Taylor@atk.com
Location: Blue Springs, MO

Monday 02/18/2002 4:07:03pm
Name: James Kendzierski (Ski)
E-Mail: james@ufotestpilot.com
Location: Colorado Springs, CO
Comments: Just wanted to inform my old unit that all the efforts have not gone waste. We did an outstanding job. We ended the most dangerous war in the history of mankind. Thank
you all on this Presidents Day Holiday.

Monday 02/18/2002 3:34:14am

Name: Shirley Williams (was Watts)
E-Mail: gareth@loadsakids.fsnet.co.uk
Location: England
Comments: I worked at Heyford in the 80's first in the NCO Club then the Officers/Top4, as a cook. I am trying to contact some people I worked with. Renea Alvarado, who was married to an airman, John Jasper who's father was in the airforce they lived on base. Mamasan Whyatt, her husband was in the airforce and I think one of her children also. If you are out there please get in touch!!!

Sunday 02/17/2002 8:30:55pm

Name: Ron Groves
E-Mail: rgroves@elp.rr.com
Location: El Paso, Texas!
Comments: The 3 best years of my military career was at Upper Heyford. Also 1 of the worse thanks to Capt. "rick-o-shea rabbit"!! The Col. was right, at the first sight of hostilities he was going to shoot you! To all of the NBC Cell augies that I sent looking for "Little Quikie on the Green" Thanks for the good humor! ROFLMAO!! To all the other 90+ augmentees, thanks again for your hard work and effort during the 1988 NATO-USAFE Evals.

Friday 02/15/2002 11:54:38pm

Name: Lt Col Mark Mullen (then a Capt)
E-Mail: mark.mullen@keesler.af.mil
Location: Keesler AFB, MS
Comments: I was assigned to UH from June 92 to April 94. I was the last Medical Service Corps (MSC) officer assigned to the 20 MDG/620 Medical Squadron, and was the last Administrator of the Hospital/Clinic. As many others have said on this website, UH was one of the best assignments I have had during my career. It was close to everything--London, Warwick Castle, Oxford, etc... And, the culture of the base was outstanding! The MSCs assigned to UH, while I was there, were the closest bunch I have ever
been associated with. Who can forget Capt Frank (Mr Diplomacy) Ali. Frank is now working IMIT at the DoD level. Capt Jean Wallace is now at Eglin and will be PCSing to OSAN AB in a few months to serve as the SGA/MDSS/CC. Capt Pfaffenbichler is now at the Air Staff and has married and has 3 kids! Lt Col Steve Pribyl (now Col-retired), the last “true” hospital administrator of the 20th Medical Group, is now up in Minnesota working for the Mayo Clinic the last I heard. He was the best boss I ever had! What a great officer!

I am currently the Chief Operating Officer at DoD Health Service Region 4 (TRICARE Lead Agent Office).

And who can forget Col Jim Kinney, the last SGH at UH? What a great MD and man. He is now assigned just a few blocks from me at the Keesler Medical Center and is doing really well.

Does anyone out there know what happened to Col Gary Erickson, the last true MDG/CC? I assume he has retired. If you know where he is, please let me know.

It is indeed sad to view the pictures of what once was a proud and productive AFB. I cannot believe the Brits are not using the base hospital productively. What a waste. What a shame...the hospital facility is an outstanding facility.

Kudos to the creator of this website. It is fantastic!

Thursday 02/14/2002 12:50:29am
Name: Gary Pietrok
E-Mail: sabertooth20002001@yahoo.com

Location: Mt. Home Idaho
Comments: Served with the 55th in the early 90’s. I consider it one of my best assignments. Good work on the site. Great pics. Keep it up.

Wednesday 02/13/2002 9:18:53pm
Name: MIKE CARPENTER
E-Mail: SLOTCARMAN1@JUNO.COM

Homepage Title: Just Surfed In
Homepage URL: MICHIGAN, FREEZING MY BUTT OFF!

Referred By: Just Surfed In
Location: MICHIGAN, FREEZING MY BUTT OFF!
Comments: LOOKING FOR ANY OF THE GUYS THAT WERE AT HEYFORD IN 1975-1977 IN THE 20TH FMS. I KNOW YOU ARE OUT THERE, JIMINSON, SQUIRES, DAVIS, HESSLER, LOTT, STEVENS, GOMEZ. REMEMBER WE TOOK READING LESSONS, LETS USE THEM!
Wednesday 02/13/2002 1:17:30pm

Name: Art Modgling
E-Mail: irmamm@omniglobal.net

Location: Kerrville, Texas

Wednesday 02/13/2002 1:29:53am

Name: Paul Goldie
E-Mail: thegoldie@msn.com

Location:
Comments: Thanks so much for bringing back some of the best memories of my life. Keep up the great work.

Tuesday 02/12/2002 3:58:10pm

Name: Micky Dunn
E-Mail:

Location: NY, Brooklyn
Comments: I served for many great years and would like to thank the people of Britain so much. Not only did they make us feel welcome (especially the girls) but i would like to add that all their personnll i worked with were a credit to all armed forces worldwide. Im so glad were on the same side. Hank, no you didnt win that bet man. Stacey did. Oh and i think that lyndsey should give james $20. because hes cool. there you go james.

Thursday 02/07/2002 4:22:45pm

Name: Lana Burns (formerly Burns-Weaver)
E-Mail: chested1@aol.com

Location: Las Vegas, Nevada
Comments: I was stationed at Heyford from 1990-1993, formerly married to Micheal Weaver with the 20th Supply Squadron.

Thursday 02/07/2002 1:55:57pm
Name: Francis DEAN Wilson
E-Mail: fd_wilson54@hotmail.com
Location: Lawrence, KS
Comments: My wife Shannon and I were in Upper Heyford from 1992-1994. I was in the 20th CES Squadron. We would love to hear from anyone who we knew from our tour there.

Wednesday 02/06/2002 10:43:50pm
Name: John Tillman
E-Mail:
Location:
Comments: I stopped by RAFUH in late December 2001 while on vacation, getting to show my wife and son where I had been stationed. The current reality I saw was in stark contrast from my memories! I watched a farmer moving hay into an aircraft shelter for storage...saw the cars (and cars, and cars) parked on the flightline...saw some buildings in great shape (obviously occupied) and some clearly showing their neglect (the hospital, the BX). A beautiful day...quiet, breezy, clear, cold. There was an everpresent and inescapable stillness about the whole base. I didn't get to see the fire stations up close like I had hoped...I was told that station 1 (flightline) is storing cars and station 2 (by post office) is being occupied by some buisness. The NCO club and adjacent dorms are fenced off and look like they'll probably be coming down soon. The F-100 and F-105 appear to be in great shape, now being displayed at Croughton's main gate. Times clearly have changed. Though I'm sad to see RAFUH in the state it has become, I could still easily see through her scars. It was a poingant goodbye to a place that occupied two years of my life.

Tuesday 02/05/2002 10:11:55pm
Name: Gene Sannes
E-Mail: yrsannes@msn.com
**Location:** Lancaster CA  
**Comments:** I spent a great time as a Flight Chief in the 18 TRS from 1967 and stayed with the aircraft until we took them to Shaw AFB. Our Son was born at Ruislip, and we had many good friends there. I would like to hear from Zip Zepeda, Andrew and Linda Leivense, Norman and Jill Parenteau, and others.

**Tuesday 02/05/2002 4:26:32pm**  
**Name:** Jim Larrowe  
**E-Mail:** jlarrowe@yahoo.com  

**Location:**  
**Comments:** Served - 1968 - 1971 - 66th Supply SQ,- WRSK Section

**Tuesday 02/05/2002 2:08:25pm**  
**Name:** Willie Kramer  
**E-Mail:** hsllads1@earthlink.net  

**Location:**  
**Comments:** 20th MMS Loader/Lead Crew 1977-1979.  
Recognize almost every face and name on your 20th MMS page. I'll try to find some old stuff to send you. Great site!!!

**Monday 02/04/2002 11:53:47am**  
**Name:** Colonel Thomas J. Price, USAF, Ret.  
**E-Mail:** flyboyprice@cox-internet.com  

**Location:** Louisiana, USA  
**Comments:** Enjoyed my visit to your site. A very detailed and informative site that reflects a lot of time and hard work to put together.  
I was never stationed in England. Visited there once from Loan Air Bsse, France, to show our Martin B-57 to the folks at the British Electric Plant what modifications we(Martin Aircraft Co.) made to their Canberra, a twin engine jet light bonber.  
Again, I enjoyed the visit with you.  
Tom Price
Monday 02/04/2002 2:37:34am

Name: Hensley, Daniel L. SGT 77thAMU
E-Mail: KDHRanch@worldnet.att.net

Location: 

Saturday 02/02/2002 10:03:19am

Name: Nick Czifrik
E-Mail: nczif@aol.com

Location: new hampshire
Comments: Great site! Came to UH from Laon AB France with the 66th Combat Support Group in Sept 66. Worked for Lt Col Deutch in Base Personnel. Great times: at the Pub, in Oxford, shooting hoops with Bill Bradley at the gym (yeah, the guy that ran for President), signing in the "birds" from Coventry, etc. at the Airmen's Club, playing for the Base soccer team all over England (home games at Croughton), characters like Herman Mappus from 96 South Carolina, Tidd, Jim Maender, Sgt Keller; slot machines @ the R&G Club, 25 cents for a Heineken, bologna & onion sandwiches at the bowling alley, midnight chow upon return from the Pub, alerts, etc. All positive influences in later life. Memories fade...but what is recalled is forever imbedded. Wheels Up!

Friday 02/01/2002 5:32:37pm

Name: Paul Berthelot
E-Mail: dragonswizardz@yahoo.com

Location: Vandenberg AFB CA
Comments: Super site! Heyford-best kept secret in AF!!!! Sandy & I thoroughly enjoyed our tour there (Jan 86-MAR 90) - easily the best years in my 24-year career. Sorry we left. Worked at CBPO for Maj Justet & then Maj John "Mad Dog" Miller. Exercises spent in command post shelter with a superb team. Working with cmd leadership (Col Manning, Col Downer, Col Shirley, CMSgt Martinez.) Remembrances: Libyian raid & aftermath - armed entries & barbed wire everywhere on base; Lockerbie; consecutive "best CBPO in USAFE" awards; a super group of CBPOees to work with (especially Catherine); the comraderie & hard work; & many more. Retired in Jan 97 as MSgt & my only regret is that I couldn't have spent my entire career at Heyford.
Friday 02/01/2002 1:46:26pm

**Name:** Curt Lenz, assistant webmaster/historian

**E-Mail:** Curt.Lenz@FB-111A.net

**Location:** CONUS

**Comments:** Always wanted to get stationed at UH or RAFL. Things just didn't work out that way. This site is very well done! Can anyone PLEASE help? I'm seeking a 77TFS, 42ECS, and 20TFW scarf. Willing to buy or trade. Thanks! GOD BLESS AMERICA.

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Friday 02/01/2002 3:11:03am

**Name:** Chris Darker

**E-Mail:** cdarker@shasta.com

**Location:**

**Comments:** 20th SPS Best assignment I ever had. Miss you guys on "D" flight Security from 1978-1980.

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Thursday 01/31/2002 2:36:03pm

**Name:** Kristine (Sullivan) Landrus

**E-Mail:** kris.landrus@zurichna.com

**Homepage Title:**

**Homepage URL:**

**Referred By:** Friend

**Location:** Aloha, Oregon (near Portland)

**Comments:** Super website! Brings back a lot of memories. I was stationed in the Fightin’ 55th as a jet engine mechanic from December 1989-October 1991, and then I worked as a civilian at Pass & ID and we stayed until the base closed (unfortunately, Darrin and I split up in 1995, he was also a jet troop in Blue Section). That was an odd feeling watching everything slowly fold up and turned back over to the UK. Lots of great TDY's and lots of great parties. Yeah, we worked hard, but we played hard, too! If anyone remembers me, it would be great to hear from you.
**Name:** Jonathan Sayers  
**E-Mail:** fencer_js@yahoo.com  
**Location:** Reading Berks, UK  
**Comments:** Duane, your site gets better and better and is still an inspiration. My Greenham Common site is a poor second compared to yours. If any of you were at Greenham or knew people there, please visit my website on the base at: www.megspace.com/politics/greenham/index.htm

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**Tuesday 01/29/2002 8:44:48pm**  
**Name:** Chris (Erv) Cheshire  
**E-Mail:** cc225@bellsouth.net  
**Location:** Fernandina Beach, Florida  
**Comments:** Duane, I served at upper heyford from 1981 to 1983. I tried to send you an e-mail to put me on the duty roster but it wouldn't work. Help me if you can. Thanks

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**Monday 01/28/2002 7:39:36pm**  
**Name:** THOMAS L KELSO  
**E-Mail:** THOMASKELSO@WEBTV.NET  
**Location:** INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA  
**Comments:** GREAT SITE !!! I WAS STATIONED AT UPPER HEYFORD FROM APPROX MAY 1967 THRU DECEMBER 1969 PART OF 66 A&E PHOTO RECON 18TH SQUAD. I WAS THERE WITH JEFF (DUCK) ARNOLD, SGT LESSARD, FRED WHEATLEY, SGT WESCOTT, SGT HYDE, JOEL VOSINE, BRIAN MORRIS, RICHARD OLSSEN, JIM FUSTINO, HENRY WATSON, SGT ALEXANDER, ED KRAUSE, SO MANY OTHERS BUT THE YEARS HAVE TOOK IT'S TOLL ON THE MEMORY BANK. AGAIN I WANT TO SAY GREAT SITE,GOOD PICTURES, IT REALLY CHANGED AFTER 1970.
Monday 01/28/2002 6:54:32pm

Name: Pablo and Sandra (Dennie) Puente
E-Mail: spdennie@prodigy.net

Location: Abilene, Texas
Comments: Stationed at UH from 81-85. Married in Bicester by local JOP in 83. I was vehicle dispatcher and worked in Fleet Management in Trans and Sandra worked MICAP in Supply. We both have fond memories of UH. We were both members of the Comaradas Club the whole duration of our tour. Love to hear from any one who might remember us.
Anyone remember the old Audio Photo club? Bought some cool stuff there. And yes we still remember hearing the 111’s taking off and rattling our windows in base housing in Bicester.
Website and pics bring back a lot of memories, thanks guys, great job.

Monday 01/28/2002 9:29:52am

Name:
E-Mail:

Location: Staten Island, NY
Comments: was at UHRAF TDY w/3rd SRS ca1955

Monday 01/21/2002 4:44:52pm

Name: Thomas H. Booth Msgt. 20SPS
E-Mail: Gail30@msn.com

Location: Olympia Wash.
Comments: Signing in. Was at UH 78-82. Lived in Anglo Housing in Bicester-17 Burns Crescent. My wife Gail was a substitute teacher and youth soccer coach. My son and dau, T. John and Stefanie went to Bicester Elementary School in the housing area. Great times with wonderful friends. I didn't like the alerts but otherwise duty was great. The British people were friendly (have some close friends), the countryside was magnificent. The Pubs outstanding. I remember the Barleymow in Lower Heyford. The Horse and Groom and the Fox and the Hounds. I could go on but won't. This is a great site which brings back many memories. We would like to hear from anyone who knows us.
Monday 01/21/2002 3:07:50pm

Name: Marie
E-Mail: mariem128@cox.net

Location: Arizona
Comments: Just a note to let you know this is my new e-mail address it's not @home.com any more

Sunday 01/20/2002 1:43:13pm

Name: W. Brian Beal
E-Mail: pbbeal2@mitec.net

Location: Council Bluffs, Iowa
Comments: I just happened to get an idea to look up upper heyford while surfing one day to find this treasure. I felt really sad to see the base in this condition it is now. I would like to go back and visit in the near future. I dont miss the alerts, but I do miss the fun, friends, and experiences that I had while stationed there. I want to thank you duane for this idea of preserving a part of my life so that I can share these memories with my family and friends. Thanks again and may God Bless you

W. Brian Beal

Saturday 01/19/2002 5:56:03pm

Name: Barbara Williams
E-Mail: blokebar@msn.com

Location: Las Vegas Nevada
Comments: Just wanted to update my e-mail address, it is now blokebar@msn.com I am listed on page 98. It still brings a tear to the eye, Skyking games, Douglas House and all the great memories.

Saturday 01/19/2002 10:31:07am

Name: John ‘Gary’ Cooper
E-Mail: john@cooper286.fsnet.co.uk
Homepage Title: Splashdown on the Equator
Thursday 01/17/2002 2:42:06am

**Name:** Carl R Crabb  
**E-Mail:** crcrabb@yahoo.com  
**Location:** Haysville, KS  
**Comments:** Just a quick note to update my new E-Mail address, my old server up and quit. It's now crcrabb@yahoo.com. I was OMS Yellow 2 Expediter '78 to '81. Cheers

Wednesday 01/16/2002 10:01:53pm

**Name:** Steve Covington  
**E-Mail:** chowhound1@hotmail.com  
**Location:** Portland Oregon  
**Comments:** Does anyone remember Capt Mike Tinsley-C flt Commander then retired as a full bird? Anyone know where he is-last i knew he was TAC IG. Would like to hearfrom him if anyone knows his where abouts is.

Wednesday 01/16/2002 0:41:35am

**Name:** karen aughinbaugh(kaz)  
**E-Mail:**  
**Location:** dallas tx  
**Comments:** them were the good ole days! i am a banbury girl who had the time of my life at heyford i was one of the lucky ones, met a wonderful american in banbury at the local pub and he introduced me to little america. he got orders back to the states and sent for me to join him we were married for only a short time, *#!* happens what can i say. i
came back home to banbury for a short time and still partied hard at heyford every fri and sat me and my sis got to see how americans really partied common sence would have told them to close croughton not heyford , heyford was so much bigger. i am now residing in tx with my new husband who is a true gentleman, what is it about these "yanks" they certainly have a way with the women dont they? true charmers thats for sure. i can only speak for myself though cause i always seemed to find mr right, i feel sorry for all the promises some of the other british women were made and left behind with a promise "i'll be back for you" many of those promises were broken leaving behind broken hearts and babies who will only know their dads as an american gi who was stationed at raf upper heyford so those of you who are out there maybe you need to fulfill that promise atleast for the kids sakes hec yeah heyford was the best time ever but SOME of you guys had the best time at the expense of some poor british girl who got her heart broke. clear your consience and prove me wrong. anyways duane you have done a fantastic job its a shame they closed the base but im sure croughton will be a nice assignment i have spoke with my friends they said croughton is getting bigger, ya never know there ma y be another heyford afer all. thanks for the memories the laughter the love the tears the place really helped me grow. Heyford will ALWAYS remain in my heart.

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Tuesday 01/15/2002 9:43:16pm

**Name:** Rob Boothe  
**E-Mail:** rboothe@granis.net  
**Location:** Pensacola, Florida  
**Comments:** Well, I loved the site. I had the best years of my AF time at Heyford. It's a shame to see it a parking lot. Glad to see a few names I remember in the guest log. I worked Corrosion, then Sheet Metal and finally ABRD from 88 till 93, when we shut it all down. I went on to Altus, and became a Shirt. I retired in 97 and opened up a Lanscaping company. I'd love to hear from old friends. I keep in touch with a few. Thanks for the site, Rob

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Tuesday 01/15/2002 6:09:14pm

**Name:** Mark W. Foreman  
**E-Mail:** p53enfield@hotmail.com  
**Location:** Brooks Alberta Canada  
**Comments:** Made many friends through hunting, shooting and fishing with the rod and gun club during my 3 tours at nearby Ordnance Depot Bicester through the 70's, 80's and 90's. I ran the Bicester Garrison Sporting Clays Club for a couple of tours and made many great American Service friends some of whom i am still in touch with and others who i would like to hear from again. My Canadian wives sanity was saved by the donut
outlet next to the bowling alley, as it was her treat to eat there at the weekends or whenever she had withdrawal symptoms for a taste of home. Never could get a good game of snooker in the all ranks club but sure loved to beat you all at pool! Thanks for the memories.

Monday 01/14/2002 9:52:57pm

Name: James Alexander
E-Mail: jamesaofufp@prodigy.com

Location: Allentown Pa.
Comments: When I was stationed at Upper Heyford, my name was James A. Yatko.I had it changed because no one could pronounce it, spell it or remember it.I think the site is great. I'm really happy to find it.I am actually in the picture, "A" Flight-QRA submitted by Fred Wyatt. I even remember the majority of the guys names!

Sunday 01/13/2002 9:33:43pm

Name: Mike Kaplan
E-Mail: mike.kaplan@fb-111a.net

Referred By: Search Engine
Location: Barksdale “Barkatraz” AFB, LA
Comments: Hey Duane
Front page looking good! I'm glad to be back in the USA and happy to be browsing the site again!

Sunday 01/13/2002 3:43:39pm

Name: Chris Rowe
E-Mail: Rightshoe1@aol.com

Location:
Saturday 01/12/2002 1:34:29pm

Name: Keith L. Barfield  
E-Mail: taz1961@isoa.net

Comments: Mr Park,  
I know enlisted guys dont like being called mister, so forgive me. I was assigned to D flight Security from 79-81 and didnt know how much I liked England until I was sentenced to Minot. Anyway A guy from my hometown was assigned to B flight I thought you might know him Charles Steve Lovell. It was amazing that 2 boys from a small town in south Ga. ended up at the same base in England. Anyway thanks for the site, it does me more good than you will ever know THANKS- Keith

Friday 01/11/2002 3:28:15pm

Name: MSGT (RET) Harry G. Marcum  
E-Mail: hgmarcum@hotmail.com

Location: Lake City, Fla.  
Comments: Brings back a lot of memories.I was the Chief of Metals Technology (Machine shop&Welding). I was stationed at heyford twice from 1979-82 and 1990-93.I retired from the AF when I left.

Tuesday 01/08/2002 2:04:31pm

Name: Frank Campos  
E-Mail: fcampos57@hotmail.com

Location: New York  
Comments: Just was reviewing some of my old haunts and I happened upon this page. I was stationed at RAF Croughton from 1979 to 1981 but often visited RAF Upper Heyford for various things...commissary, BX, NCO club...there was not much...It is nice to see that I can still rekindle my memories and that I enjoyed my time in England....Frank Campos
Monday 01/07/2002 8:36:11pm

Name: Albert Floyd
E-Mail: rooney71_72@hotmail.com
Location: Platte City Mo. USA
Comments: I was stationed at RAF Upperheyford from 72/74 with the 20th SPS K-9. It's great looking back at places were I lived and where my son was born

Monday 01/07/2002 8:04:32am

Name: Christian LaPolt
E-Mail: clapolt@lycos.com
Location: New York
Comments: It was great to see the photo's of the Base. I am sure we all agree that there were some fabulous times had there. I was with the 20th CRS (Autos) 1991-1993, if anyone want to drop a line feel free.

Sunday 01/06/2002 9:09:44am

Name: Dennis Altman "Scooter"
E-Mail: tdlaltman@aol.com
Location: Was at heyford from 70 til 73. Phase insp.77tfs Lived at Manor Farm with BigO,Nick,Knapphead. Lots of fun, great memories. IF anyone remembers those times email me. Would like to get in touch with a few of you especially BIG O

Saturday 01/05/2002 10:20:17am

Name: Ray Barker
E-Mail: jera000@hotmail.com
Location: Upper Heyford
Comments: I was told by a friend about the site, it really does bring back the memories of past years. Thank you. How come no-one got a photograph of the "best" PUB in town, The Barley Mow
The G.I.'s made up some of our darts team. What would we have done without you guys. Thanks again for this.

Saturday 01/05/2002 10:08:07am

Name: Ken Moser
E-Mail: K4s1750@aol.com
Location: Texarkana, TX.

Friday 01/04/2002 8:27:46pm

Name: Paula J. Schlumbrecht
E-Mail: PaulaSchlum@aol.com
Location: Florida
Comments: I have many fond memories of my tour at Upper Heyford from 1984-1986. I was the Executive Officer for the 79th Tactical Fighter Squadron. I have many wonderful memories of good times with my Tiger family. It was an experience of a lifetime. Tiger! Tiger!

Thursday 01/03/2002 4:58:48pm

Name: Dave Vogl, Col, Ret.
E-Mail: dave@tfkmedia.com
Location: Los Angeles
Comments: Great site ... it brought back many wonderful memories. I'll see if I can find any old pictures.