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## PRESS RELEASE

### Bedfordshire & Cambridgeshire Wing Ball

186 Guests attended the Annual Bedfordshire & Cambridgeshire Wing Ball which took place on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> October at Mitchell Hall, Cranfield University.

The Guests of Honour included the Regional Commandant, Group Captain Jon Ford and the former Beds & Cambs Wing Admin Officer Mr Steve Herod, who retired recently from his post within the Wing.

Following the dinner the Officer Commanding Beds & Cambs Wing, Wing Commander Paul Bower listed the achievements for the Wing during the year, as well as Squadrons and Cadets that have achieved notable successes including CWO Lindsay McGregor from 2331 (St Ives) Squadron, F/S Ross Catchpole from 104 (City of Cambridge) Squadron, the winners of this years Wing Field weekend 2331 (St Ives) Squadron, and 104 (City of Cambridge) Squadron Band. He also thanked all the Staff, Civilian Committee members and Staff that have dual roles within the Wing for their efforts during the year, as well as the organiser of the Wing Ball, Flt. Lt. Jayne Treutlin and her team.

Following this Wg Cdr Bower made a special presentation of an Elite Barbecue to the former Wing Admin Officer Mr Steve Herod for his nine years service to the Wing, thanking him for his untiring effort which was always achieved with a sense of humour.

Gp Capt. Jon Ford then presented Mr Steve Herod with a certificate from Commandant Air Cadets, for his meritorious service within the Corps. Flowers were presented by the Cadet Warrant Officers from 104 (City of Cambridge) and 1220 (March) Squadrons to Mrs Gail Bower and Mrs Vicky Herod.

Cadets from 207 (Cranfield) Squadron acted as stewards during the evening forming a Guard of Honour on arrival and assisting with the raffle. The evening concluded with a Disco courtesy of 207 Squadron.

Wg. Cdr Paul Bower said "It was a superb evening, a chance for members of the Wing to relax and enjoy themselves".

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Photo 1 Attendees

Photo 2 Presentation by Wg Cdr Paul Bower to Mr Steve Herod

Photo 3 Presentation by Gp Capt Jon Ford to Mr Steve Herod



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