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## PRESS RELEASE

### Dunstable Air Cadets win Netball Gold

The girls of Dunstable Air Cadets have been crowned Netball Champions of Bedfordshire and Cambridgeshire after winning Gold at the recent Wing Open Championship at RAF Brampton. Winning all 6 of their league games, conceding only one goal, the team of Cadet Warrant Officer Emma Crawford, Flight Sergeant Lauretta Matthews, Sergeants Louise Crawford and Keyleigh Pettit, Cpls Nicola Simpson and Rhian Dickerson, and Cadets Lydia Cooper, Megan O'Dwyer and Rosanna Watling went on to win their semi-final 7 – 1 against the second place team from the other league to reach the final. In a hard fought game against Oakington, they finally came out top, winning 2 -1 to take the Championship Trophy.

Dunstable Air Cadets will be entertaining the crowd before Dunstable Town Council's Charity Firework Display at Bennett's Recreation Ground on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November in aid of the Royal Air Force Association. Following their successful swimming pool drill sequence in 2005 that raised over £1500 for the charity, the team will perform a series of 'groundabatics' re-enacting the display of the RAF Aerobatic Team, the Red Arrows. The 'sound and light' display will be an exciting prelude to what has become the best firework display in the local area, so go along and support both the Town Mayor's charities and the Royal Air Force Association at this fun evening for all the family.

Dunstable Squadron are currently recruiting so, if you are aged between 13 and 16 years of age with a sense of adventure why not contact Flt Lt Mick Bell on 01234 307776 or at [atc460sqn@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:atc460sqn@yahoo.co.uk), visit our web site at [www.dunstable-aircadets.org.uk](http://www.dunstable-aircadets.org.uk), or visit the Squadron any Monday or Thursday evening.

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*Photograph 1 - Dunstable Air Cadets Netball Team*  
*2 - Cadet Lydia Cooper shoots the winning goal*

