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## **1094 SQUADRON VISIT THE ONLY FLYING VULCAN BOMBER**

Yesterday (Sunday), Cadets & Staff of 1094 (Ely) Squadron of the Air Training Corps got a exclusive access to the UK's rare flying museum, the Avro Vulcan at Bruntingthorpe aerodrome in Lincolnshire.

The cadets were kindly invited to be guinea pigs in a hanger tour which opens to the public (next weekend) 23rd November. The cadets got the chance to get up close and tour the aircraft. "Being that close to the aircraft was fantastic, the fact that this aircraft is still flying is a marvel to all the effort the team at Bruntingthorpe are putting in." – said Civilian Instructor, Chris France.

As part of the visit the cadets were shown round the rather cramp cockpit of the Vulcan by an ex RAF electronics engineer who flew in operational service in this aircraft. The cadets could ask questions about the real conditions endured by the crews flying the aircraft.

This shows the extraordinary work that the Vulcan crews did in their part to keep our country and its values safe. It is her role of a peace keeper which needs to be celebrated and the reason the Vulcan needs to keep flying.

To support the Vulcan or if you would like to tour the aircraft visit: [www.tvoc.co.uk](http://www.tvoc.co.uk). If you are between 13 - 18 and interested in aircraft, flying, shooting and lots more, how



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about joining the Air Cadets visit: [www.1094sqnatc.org](http://www.1094sqnatc.org). For further information please ring 01353772100 (24 Hr Answerphone) or email [enquiry@1094sqnatc.org](mailto:enquiry@1094sqnatc.org) The Squadron is always looking for new recruits & now offers a fast flowing, structured training regime for both new Cadets & Staff at its Headquarters in Heaton Drive, Ely.

## **Picture Captions**

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