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PRESS RELEASE

Dunstable Air Cadets to build hovercraft

On Monday 23rd February 460 Dunstable Squadron Air Cadets took one big step closer to the start of their latest project - to build a fully functional 2-person hovercraft. With a generous grant of £5,000 from the Bedfordshire & Luton Community Foundation the Air Cadets will start to build the 4 metre reinforced fibreglass hovercraft during March in a hanger at RAF Henlow, and hope to finish it and be ready for test "flights" late this summer. Look out for the hovercraft at local events including carnivals.

The hovercraft project represents just one of the many and varied activities that the Dunstable Air Cadets will be taking part in during the coming year, as well as their normal training including camps at RAF stations, flying, gliding, shooting, parades and other projects.

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, visit our web site at www.dunstable-aircadets.org or visit the Squadron any Monday or Thursday evening.

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(1) Mark West, Chief Executive of the Bedfordshire & Luton Community Foundation, presents the cheque to Air Cadet Sergeant Joseph Marr and Cadet Danielle Murphy on behalf of the Squadron.

