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## **PRESS RELEASE**

# **NO BLISTERS FOR BASSINGBOURN**

Six cadets from 2484 (Bassingbourn) Squadron have enjoyed a well earned rest after completing the annual Cadet Spitfire March in Kent on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> May.

The cadets joined their peers from different squadrons across the region to take part in the gruelling 25km march, starting and ending at Dibgate Army Training Camp in Folkstone. The route took in many interesting sites along the South Downs, including the Battle of Britain Memorial at Capel Le Ferne, which overlooks the English Channel.

The cadets completed the march in five and a half hours in the hot weather enjoyed over the bank holiday weekend, with no blisters suffered at the end.

Cadet Flight Sergeant Phillip Dymoke-Grainger (18) said *“Everybody really enjoyed the march and it was particularly enjoyable to visit the Battle of Britain Memorial as part of the experience”*.

There was a definite sense of achievement upon completing the route, and everyone who finished the course was presented with a medal and certificate.

2484 (Bassingbourn) Squadron is open to young men and women aged between 13 and 17 years old. We meet on Mondays and Wednesdays between 18:45 and 21:45 at Bassingbourn Barracks. For more information please contact 01763 249156.

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**Notes to editor**

Photo: From L-R Cdt Stewart, Cdt Priest, Flight Sergeant Dymoke-Grainger, Cdt Weavers, Cdt Dean and Cdt Turrell

