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PRESS RELEASE

VAMPIRE TAKES SHAPE WITH HELP FROM MARCH CADETS

Cadets from 1220 (March) Squadron Air Training Corps have spent some of their summer nights at the Fenland and West Norfolk Aviation Museum, working on the Society's DeHavilland Vampire.

The DeHavilland Vampire had been apart for some 8 years but in 2008 year the Society received a donation to build a poly tunnel to house amongst other things the Vampire.

This year the cadets have been cleaning and preparing the aircraft over the last few months ready to put the wings back on the central fuselage. A bright Saturday in late August saw a milestone in the aircraft's restoration when cadets and museum volunteers bolted the wings back on and for the first time in many years the Vampire sat on its own wheels. There is still a long way to go but it's a great step towards the aircraft being restored.

For further information on 1220 log onto the website at www.1220atc.org.uk .

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Attachments:

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