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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **UP UP AND AWAY!**

Young Air Cadets from 2484 (Bassingbourn) Squadron have continued their commitment to local good causes by supporting the Royston Rotary Clubs annual kite festival held on Therfield Heath on the outskirts of Royston.

Whilst estimated crowd of 5000 saw six hours of entertainment in the arena by a wide variety of kite fliers, cadets undertook a variety of tasks such as setting up the display areas, litter picking though out the day, assisting to dismantle the event stalls, as well as filling in numerous rabbit holes on the Heath! The cadets were keen to support the event which raises money for local charities, of which Bassingbourn Squadron is one.

President of Royston Rotary Club, Jonathan Berks, said *"it was a marvellous day, as usual the people of Royston, and from further afield, turned out in large numbers to enjoy a great family day out and enabled us to raise money for worthy causes"*

Sergeant (ATC) Gemma Cox, 2484 (Bassingbourn) Squadron media and communications officer added *"The kite festival is an annual event in the Squadron calendar, the bond between ourselves and Royston Rotary Club is very strong and we look forward to working close with them in the near future"*

**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 or visit our website [www.2484aircadets.co.uk](http://www.2484aircadets.co.uk)**

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### **Notes to editor**

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