

NEWSLETTER

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FROM THE EDITOR

And into 2017

The weather is not being kind to us at the moment with rain and snow blizzards to say the least. Hopefully, we will be in the full bloom of Spring by the time of the EBG BBQ which kicks off the start of the season and the Easter antics – watch out for those Easter Bunnies!

We have a full diary for the Club outings so don't forget to check your emails for updates and booking information – you don't want to miss out.

Hope you enjoy reading the articles and if you have any news let us know.



Start of Season BBQ
Sunday 9th April
1.00 p.m. onwards



Good food!



Good company



*and the
Chance to go flying on
one of our
'120 experiences''*

To book your space:

info@ebghelicopters.co.uk

Flyer to follow so don't forget to check your email

A blue and white helicopter is shown in flight against a clear blue sky. The EBG Helicopters logo is at the top. A large banner across the middle reads 'SPECIAL OFFER' in yellow and 'FOR SIX MONTHS ONLY' in white on a black background. Below the banner, it says 'Offer available from 1st December 2016'. At the bottom, it reads 'DON'T MISS THIS GREAT DEAL TRAINING AND SELF FLY HIRE IN THE G2 FOR THE SAME PRICE AS R22 CALL EBG HELICOPTERS ON 01737 823 282'.

Only 3 months to go!

Don't leave it too late to book
phone 01737 823 282
to take advantage of this great offer



Did you know?

The Boeing 767 sucks in enough air through its engines to fill a Good Year Blimp in 7 seconds.



If you have any interesting articles or news items, please email them to

"info@ebghelicopters.co.uk"

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Attention ALL Pilots and SFHs



Please note: these prices are effective as from 16th January 2017

2017 PRICES

From 16th January 2017

| | | <u>R22</u> | | <u>G2</u> | | <u>R44</u> | | <u>EC120</u> | | <u>EC130</u> | |
|-----------------|----------|------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------|------------------|--------------|-----|
| | | DUAL | SFH | DUAL | SFH | DUAL | SFH | DUAL | SFH | DUAL | SFH |
| Pay As You Fly | BAND "A" | £305 | £240 | £350 | £295 | £485 | £420 | £620 | £545 | £865 | N/A |
| | | | | | | | | | Safety Pilot Req | | |
| £3000 Block Fee | BAND "B" | £285 | £220 | £330 | £275 | £465 | £400 | £600 | £525 | N/A | N/A |
| | | | | | | | | | Safety Pilot Req | | |
| | | Charged | Charged | Charged | Charged | Charged | Charged | Charged | Charged | Charged | |
| | | Datcon | Datcon | Datcon + 0.1 | Datcon | Datcon + 0.1 | Datcon | VEMD + 0.1 | VEMD | VEMD + 0.1 | |

Mandatory 2017 Club Membership £20.00

Landing Fee £33.00

Circuit Fee £17.00

Safety Pilot £70.00 Per Hour

You will need to sign a Deed of Indemnity before Self Fly Hiring an aircraft.

| | |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| LPC £200 plus Dual Charge | Type Rating £250 plus Dual Charge |
| Ground Exam Fees £50 | Gen Flight Test £350 plus Dual Charge |

All Prices Exclude VAT

Trial Lessons From £199 (inc VAT)

London Sight Seeing £140 (inc VAT)



A woman at a gas station noticed a spaceship landing in front of her. An alien stepped out of the spaceship and started to pump gas into it. The woman noticed the letters "U.F.O." printed on the side of the ship. She turned to the alien and asked "Does U.F.O. stand for Unidentified Flying Object?"

The alien answered, "No, it stands for Unleaded Fuel Only"

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UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS – NOT TO BE MISSED

| DATE FOR THE DIARY | FLY AWAY DAY |
|----------------------------|---|
| 5 th May | Go-Karting at Lydd |
| 2 nd June | Heli Expo at the new location of Wycombe Air Park |
| 16 th June | Pub Trip – to be advised |
| 21 st July | Le Touquet Remember to book this trip early as it's very popular |
| 21 st September | Museum Trip – to be advised |

See you on the 9th April at the Start of Season BBQ where more information on the Club Outings will be available.

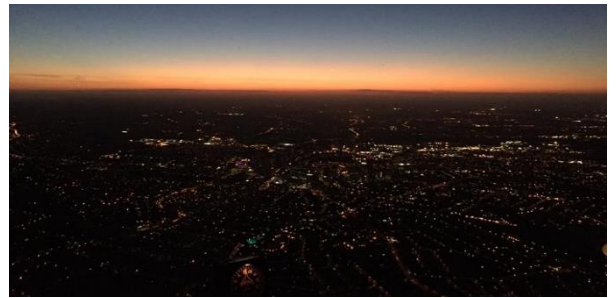


When the going gets tough
The tough go flying!



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A Night Flight with EBG Helicopters



These photographs of the London skyline were taken on a night flight.

To get the real impact of the view and quality of the photographs

Visit the EBG Helicopters Facebook Page you won't be disappointed!

PILOT NOTICEBOARD

CAP 1415-NCO

Would all Pilots make themselves aware of CAP 1415 Part NCO which applies in the UK from 25th August 2016. This order applies to non-commercial flights in other than complex motor powered EASA aircraft. Please familiarise yourselves with this directive which can be located via the web:

<https://publicapps.caa.co.uk/docs/33/CAP1415-NCO-QuickGuide.pdf>

In simple terms, all flights conducted within “EASA Land” must now have on board an ELT or PLB. All our aircraft are equipped with an ELT/PLB. Please make checking this part of your pre-flight routine.

Legal Requirement

Please remember if you are flying you need to **bring your licence and photo ID on all occasions** (This is now a legal requirement)

And finally, Congratulations to

The students below have achieved the following passes:



Anne-Marie Goodwill
Solo Flight in R22



Paul Reid
Solo Flight in R44



Gavin Mullard
Solo flight in G2



Simon Callesen
Type Rating in EC120

We didn't have a photograph of Simon in action so have included a picture of the helicopter he will be flying on his return to Scandinavia