



Forthcoming Club Events, March 2024

Club Nights are held at Begbroke Village Hall, Begbroke Lane, Kidlington, OX5 1RN, 7.30 p.m. - 10p.m.
Club business (if any) commences at 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated.

PLEASE NOTE THAT UNTIL CONFIRMED ALL EVENTS ARE PROVISIONAL.

Wednesday 20 March 2024 Club Night: Guest Speaker, Tony Gaunt, 'The History and Development of the Martin Baker Company'. Martin Baker of course are famous for their ejector seats so this promises to be an interesting evening. Feel free to bring a guest along so we have some good numbers for this.

Wednesday 17 April 2024 Club Night:- Fun flying on the Begbroke Field

Saturday 27th April 2024 Port Meadow event:- Spring Duration + Fun-fly. P-30, E20, 36" glider, Frog Senior, Rubber Scale Duration. Full details @ <https://oxfordmfc.bmfa.club/club-events/>

Wednesday 15 May 2024 Club Night: Fun flying on the Begbroke Field

Wednesday 19 June 2024 Club Night: Fun flying on the Begbroke Field

Saturday 13th July 2024 Port Meadow event:- Midsummer Scale All-Day Fly-in (open to BMFA members) + Competitions. Scale glider, Rubber Scale Duration, Flying only, IC/CO2/Electric, Rubber. Full details @ <https://oxfordmfc.bmfa.club/club-events/>

Wednesday 17 July 2024 Club Night: Fun flying on the Begbroke Field

Saturday 3 August 2024 Port Meadow event. Cloud Tramp mass launch @ 5.00 PM followed by the Hi-Start RC Assist FF Glider competition, 5.30 to 7.00. Rules for this are at <https://oxfordmfc.bmfa.club/event-rules/>

Wednesday 21 August 2024 Club Night: Fun flying on the Begbroke Field

Saturday 7th Sept 2024 (note date change) Port Meadow event:- Autumn Duration + Fun-fly. Vintage & Classic Glider up to 55" and Classic A1, Coup D'Hiver, Vintage & Classic British Rubber Kit Revival, Catapult Glider, Rubber Scale Duration. Full details @ <https://oxfordmfc.bmfa.club/club-events/>

Wednesday 18 Sept 2024 Club Night: 'Cartoon Foamie Warbirds' introduction, demo & kits collection

Wednesday 16 Oct 2024 Club Night: *Mini-talks by club members*

Wednesday 20 Nov 2024 Club Night: AGM

Wednesday 18 Dec 2024 Club Night: Fish 'N' Chip supper

Wednesday 15 Jan 2025 Club Night: 'Cartoon Foamie Warbirds' flying and judging

Wednesday 19 Feb 2025 Club Night: External Speaker

Wednesday 19 March 2025 Club Night: Bring a Model evening. Bring along your latest creation to display/show off/chat about.

On shorter summer evenings flying may start earlier, in which case you will be notified in advance. If the weather is unsuitable, or when the light goes, we will meet informally in the Hall. For further information please contact Bob Lee (lee_bob2@yahoo.co.uk)

Postal Events

The Under 25" Vintage Cabin Postal Competition will be run during 2024 in three rounds, slightly later in the year to make it easier for some members to enter: Round 1 runs from 1st May to 30th June, Round 2 runs from 1st July to 31st August, and the final round 3 runs from 1st September to 31st October inclusive.

Flying times on Port Meadow

The times below apply to IC powered models only – silent flight at any time.

All flying activities must comply with the Rules for Flying on Port Meadow and any Covid-19 social distancing requirements.

Monday	10:00 hrs to 20:00 hrs or sunset*
Tuesday	10:00 hrs to 20:00 hrs or sunset*
Wednesday	10:00 hrs to 20:00 hrs or sunset*
Thursday	10:00 hrs to 20:00 hrs or sunset*
Friday	10:00 hrs to 20:00 hrs or sunset*
Saturday	10:00 hrs to 20:00 hrs or sunset*
Sunday	13:30 hrs to 18:00 hrs or sunset*

Note: * whichever occurs first