

**ROTARY TO PAY TRIBUTE TO WORLD WAR TWO VETERANS
AT VICTORY IN EUROPE AIR SHOW, IMPERIAL WAR MUSEUM DUXFORD**

Saturday 7 May and Sunday 8 May 2005

Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland will pay tribute to World War Two veterans at the Victory in Europe Air Show at the Imperial War Museum Duxford on Saturday 7 May and Sunday 8 May 2005. Rotary Clubs have agreed to try to identify at least two veterans in their communities and to arrange to take them with their partners to the air show. Rotarians will give both physical and financial assistance to the veterans to enable as many as possible to participate in this unique celebration.

Rotary International celebrates its centenary this year. An exciting day at Duxford is an appropriate way to celebrate not only the Rotary International Centenary but also the 60th Anniversary of the Victory in Europe.

Rotary Clubs are challenged to find and provide for at least two veterans and their partners. For every four paying Rotarians, one veteran and his/her partner or two veterans will be admitted free.

This very special Celebration will include VIP style hospitality with a special marquee with every facility. It will include direct access to the Flight Line Walk to see a line up of amazing historic aircraft close up as well as admission to the flying displays.

This veteran's initiative has been planned by the Rotary Club of Cambridge and fellow clubs in the District who have many years experience of events at Duxford. Any veterans who are interested in joining in this celebration at Duxford should contact their local Rotary Club or Victor Bugg 01223 891250. e-mail

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The tickets for the day cost:

Gold Pass only:	Adult	£40.00	Children	£20.00
Gold Pass with lunch:	Adult	£57.00	Children	£37.00

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The following website will give you more information about Duxford and the air show:
www.iwm.org.uk/duxford (also note American Air Museum and links)

Notes to Editors

Rotary is an organisation of business and professional men and women who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards, and help to build goodwill and peace in the world.

Members carry out this work in their community and/or overseas by giving their time and their expertise. A Rotary Club is open to men and women who are business, professional or community

leaders who want to use their experience for the benefit of others. Rotary celebrates its centenary on 23rd February 2005.

For general information on Rotary in your area, contact the local Rotary Club President, details from Robin Freeman telephone 01789 765411

For information on Rotary see www.rotary-ribi.org