

UFO experts probe Notts night sightings

INVESTIGATORS from a national society are looking into the "spectacular" number of claimed UFO sightings in the Nottinghamshire area.

And from a huge number of independent reports, it is now possible to agree on a general description of the UFO — or UFOs — seen all over the region from Newark to Codnor last Wednesday.

Dozens of people have phoned the *Post* to say they saw strange lights in the sky.

And all are remarkably similar in description and all fit a probable time scale.

It would appear there were two identical UFOs — one following the other with a couple of minutes between them.

Attention

Most reports describe one brilliant white light

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and other lights. The UFOs were low and flying very slowly.

It was obvious to all the witnesses that it was not a normal aircraft and it immediately drew their attention.

Most reports say there was a deep humming noise, faint but distinct.

All agree that the object was huge, much bigger than normal aircraft.

Most say a jet aircraft was seen shortly after the UFO.

Edward Fell, of Bridge Street, Long Eaton, was driving home when he saw lights in the sky.

"There was a very bright white light coming towards me and five red lights along the side.

"I knew it was huge, 20 or 30 times the size of a normal aircraft and it made a distinctive deep throbbing noise."

Anthony Heron, of Kimberley Road, Borrowash,

said: "There was one very bright white light with four red lights on its right hand side."

Workers in a Sawley yard also saw the UFO. "One went over, it had a row of four lights at the front," said Robin Howe, of Long Eaton.

Ben Maslin, 12, of Bramcote Road, Beeston, saw the first UFO at 5.02pm: "I went to tell my next door neighbour but when she came out, it had gone. We were looking up into the sky and the second one came over."

Spectacular

Denis Harriman, chief investigator of the National UFO Investigation Society, said: "This is very spectacular. We have even had sightings from an airman at RAF New-
ton."

Mr Harriman wants to speak to all witnesses and can be reached on 033 17 4961.

Police and traffic controllers at East Midlands Airport received a number of calls but have no explanation for the sightings.