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UFO probe into discs

UFO researchers are investigating a motorist's claim that he saw metallic discs flying down East Mayne, Basildon.

The 12-inch diameter discs were moving at about three feet above the road and 25 feet behind the car in front.

The same day, Saturday, five white objects and red, green and blue lights were seen over Southend. At one stage a stream of light was beamed down on to the sea.

Anyone else who had sightings is asked to contact the UFO hotline on Basildon 286079.