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Well folks, the paranormal has now arrived within SUFOG with 4 extra pages looking at the paranormal and the stranger side of life. The 4 pages are going to look at all things paranormal with a strong look at ghosts on a local level with SUFOG members own experiences and stories of their ghostly encounters. But obviously this needs members input and I hope that readers will support this new section with press cuttings, reviews and your own experiences.

This edition of the SUFOG Magazine has a large feature on press cuttings that have swamped us. This is a strong area that I am going to concentrate more on and over the coming months, I will be featuring press cuttings from the past and up-to-date and share my collection of over 11,000 press cuttings dating back to 1947. Also, I am looking a UFO sightings from Hampshire and last month I started listing the UFO reports on my card database from the Isle of Wight and I will work my way through my database of sightings so that you can build up your own collection of Hampshire UFO reports. This is a database that I have built over many years and

is a unique thing and I want to share it with members and readers of this magazine.

There is a mixture in this edition of UFO reports, articles, press cuttings and UFO quotes. These I found going through an old magazine that I have and I find them fascinating and show how peoples attitudes at ideas have changed over the years and also in these quotes, what others may be hiding from us.

In the paranormal section, group PRO (Public Relations Officer) Ernie Sears kicks off with his ghostly encounter with a dog and will hopefully be one of many other stories / encounters that Ernie has had in his life time.

I would like to hear your comments on the new section and any constructive criticism would be gratefully received as I want to get this section right and I need you to tell me what you think, good or bad.

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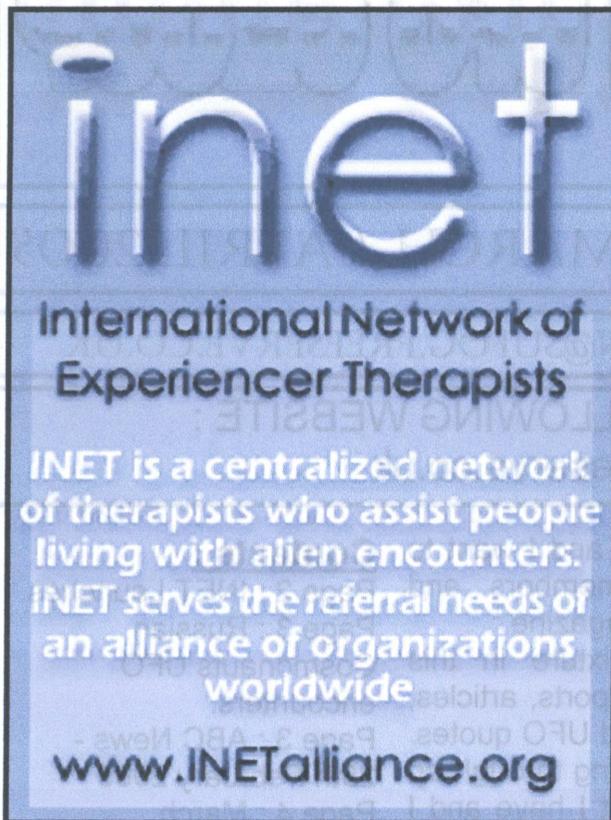
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### INET launches

**Press Release:** *INET launches; made possible by alliance of organizations*

On behalf of the International Contact Support Network (ICSN), the John E. Mack Institute (JEMI), the Organization for Paranormal Understanding and Support (OPUS), and, we hope, other organizations to be announced, I'd like to briefly share news about an effort we have allied for:

We are coming together for the purpose of maintaining a master network or directory of therapists who service the "experiencer" population -- people whose lives have been deeply affected by alien encounters or similar extraordinary experiences. We are allied for a priority that supersedes any of our varying opinions and beliefs about aliens: helping people-in-need without pathologizing them.

It is our collective intention to broaden this alliance to include other groups in the United States, Canada, and abroad that have each been attempting to maintain their own regional lists of clinicians. Each

group will then invite the therapists they know and trust into the network, which we have dubbed the International Network of Experiencer Therapists (INET).

This network is owned by no one but serves many. Furthermore, it is a secure network, accessible only by representatives of each group of the alliance and by the therapists themselves. (Therapists can also use INET for secure communication between colleagues).

Currently, OPUS and JEMI have begun to invite the therapists whom they know into INET, and others are making preparations to do the same. At this time we would like to invite interested parties -- representatives of organizations who have similar needs and similar clinical lists -- to please contact any of us for more information on how to ally with this effort for the benefit of all.

I hasten to mention that this secure network is entirely free, and if that sounds too good to be true, be assured that truth can indeed be stranger than fiction. (We have several people to thank for making this possible, but I want to keep this announcement brief).

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### Visitation over the Vatican...

"Light Over Vatican: early in the morning before the Pope's funeral, a huge light appeared over the Vatican. The object was taped via network feed and appeared live on many US TV stations." (It appears that the death of the Pope intrigued other worldly people as well?)...



Soviet Cosmonaut Saw UFOs in Space  
Soviet astronaut, USSR Hero Vladimir Kovalenko spent 217 days of his life living in space. The astronaut does not exclude the existence of extraterrestrial civilizations. "When I was working at the Salyut orbital station, I saw something strange in a porthole one day. The object was the size of a finger. I was surprised to see it was an orbiting object," Kovalenko said at the press conference in Moscow.

The astronaut added he called his partner Viktor Savinykh to take a look at the unidentified object in space. "It was hard to determine the size and the speed of an object in space. That is why I can not say exactly, which size it actually was. Savinykh prepared to take a picture of it, but the UFO suddenly exploded. Only clouds of smoke were left. The object split into two interconnected pieces. It was reminiscent of a dumb-bell. I reported about it to the Mission Control immediately," the astronaut said. "The Soviet press headlined the event widely. Soviet newspapers and magazines published a lot of articles and messages about it, but they were mostly critical articles. Journalists excluded the existence of the extraterrestrial reason," Kovalenko was quoted as saying. The astronaut said nobody knows, what happened that day, when he saw the strange object in space. "It was probably a UFO, but it was definitely not mysticism - two people watched it at the same time," said he. When on Earth, Kovalenko learned specialists had registered considerable radiation emission the day the astronaut saw the object. "I do not believe it when astronauts say they have never seen anything extraordinary in space," concluded Kovalenko. Thanks to Pravda - 16/08/04.

### ABC News : 25th February 2005..

Aliens and UFOs have been such a staple of American pop culture it's hard to believe the fascination only began about 50 years ago.

It started with a spark of interest, exploded, and continues to this day in a constant burn.

The UFO era began on June 24, 1947, with a recreational pilot named Kenneth Arnold, says Jerome Clark, author of "The UFO Encyclopedia."

Clark describes Arnold as a guy with not a lot of imagination. He didn't read science fiction. He didn't have any occult interests. "He lived pretty close to the ground, mentally," Clark told ABC News.

So, Clark says, when Arnold saw nine disc-shaped objects flying at some considerable speed over Mount Rainier in Washington, the pilot thought that he was witnessing a secret military experiment.

Arnold died in 1984, but in an interview at the time, he said the objects "looked something like a pie plate that was cut in half with a sort of a convex triangle in the rear. I'd be glad to confirm it with my hands on a Bible, because I did see it."

The press called the nine objects Arnold described "flying saucers." Because Arnold was regarded as a credible witness, Clark said the press didn't believe he was making up the story.

### **Sightings Spike...**

In the next two or three weeks there were many hundreds of sightings, Clark said.

In response, the Army Air Force (the precursor to the U.S. Air Force) launched an investigation, and on Sept. 23, 1947, Gen. Nathan Twining categorically stated "the phenomenon reported is something real and not visionary or fictitious."

It was the beginning of the Cold War and Americans feared a national security problem that airspace was being penetrated by the Soviet Union. The government established a full-time office to investigate the sightings, and quickly came to realize that they were not dealing with Soviet aircraft. Nothing man-made performed like the reported flying saucers.

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## MARCH ROUNDUP - NICK POPE...

Welcome to the March 2005 round up of news and views on UFOs, alien abductions, crop circles, ghosts, the paranormal, the unexplained, the weird and the wonderful.

### Daily Mail UFO Article

Media interest in UFO documents and files released under the Freedom of Information Act continues, and many national and local newspapers have run features on the subject. I was commissioned by the daily Mail to write a full page article on this, which duly appeared on February 2. The article covered the history of the Ministry of Defence UFO project, and highlighted some of the most interesting sightings that the Department has investigated.

### Newcastle Science Festival

I will be speaking at the Newcastle Science Festival on Saturday March 12. Details of the festival can be found at :

<http://www.newcastlesciencefestival.co.uk> while the hyperlink <http://www.newcastlesciencefestival.co.uk/eventdetail.asp?e=49> should take you to brief details of my presentation. I spoke last year at the Cheltenham Festival of Science and have previously debated the subject at the Dana Centre, which is part of the Science Museum in London. I always welcome the opportunity to discuss the UFO phenomenon at a science event, as it presents an opportunity to explain that UFOs can and should be the study of serious study, done in line with proper scientific methodology. If you can get to Newcastle, I look forward to seeing you.

### Species III

I have been doing some promotional work in respect of the forthcoming rental release of the new collectors edition DVD of the cult sci-fi movie Species III. The DVD will be released on March 28, and stars Natasha Henstridge and Sunny Mabrey. As anybody who has watched Metropolis or Barbarella will tell you, sex and sci-fi mix very well. Species III is a case in point. Look out for the DVD with its numerous special features, and for various UFO and alien related articles coinciding with the release. Sci-fi and horror fans alike will love this.

### Aliens: Why They Are Here

Sunday Times cultural commentator Bryan Appleyard has a new book published in March, examining the UFO and alien abduction phenomenon in a cultural context. Although not yet received for review, the book - published by Simon & Schuster - is bound to provoke debate. More on this next month.

### Blue Book Archive

The United States Air Force UFO research effort, codenamed Project Blue Book, was the big brother, so to speak, of the UK project that I stewarded from 1991 to 1994. The archives are extensive, and still a great resource for anyone with a serious interest in UFOs. Check out :

<http://www.bluebookarchive.org> for access to this fantastic ufological resource.

### The Hijack - Remote Viewing Novel

Thriller author Duncan Falconer has written several best-selling novels dealing with terrorism and special forces. He knows his stuff, as they say. His book The Hijack, apart from being an exciting read, covers the subject of remote viewing. Alternatively known as psychic spying, this technique has been tried by various governments, to see if they can use it to locate submarines, drugs caches and other items of interest. When I ran the UK UFO project I had a steady stream of people volunteering to psychic spy for their county, simply because my office became the focal point for anything weird and wonderful. It is interesting to see the concept worked into a novel, especially one so gripping as this. Check out <http://www.andrewlownie.co.uk/books/falconer.duncan/hijack.shtml> for further details.

### X-Conference 2005

The second X-Conference, organised by Stephen Bassett, will be held on April 22-24 2005, in Washington DC. Check out <http://www.paradigmclock.com/X-Conference/X-Conference.htm> for details of the conference, and check <http://www.paradigmclock.com/> for details of the wider UFO disclosure orientated work undertaken by Stephen Bassett. The details of the participating speakers are now firming up and include Stanton Friedman, Ann

Druffel, Robert and Ryan Wood, Jaime Maussan, Michael Salla, Paola Harris, Richard Dolan and Alfred Webre.

### **Psychic Detective**

The TV show Psychic Detective is looking for people who have had a mysterious death or disappearance in the family, with a view to engaging a psychic medium to look into the case. I am not involved with this show, and sceptics would doubtless regard this as exploitative, but some people may want to engage in this, and one should never prejudice the results. The TV production company can be contacted by email on [psychic.detective@ipmtv.com](mailto:psychic.detective@ipmtv.com) or telephoned on 020 7515 2332.

Nick Pope has a website, which can be accessed at [www.nickpope.net](http://www.nickpope.net)

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Then two experienced commercial pilots, Clarence Chiles and John Whitted, reported their own encounter with a UFO immediately after it happened over Alabama on July 24, 1948.

They said it was a cigar-shaped object, perhaps 100 feet long, flying faster than any aircraft they had ever seen. It had two rows of windows and they could see lights inside and orange-red flames shooting out of the tail.

Air Force investigators trusted the testimony of these experienced pilots. More pilot accounts emerged.

In the fall of 1948, Air Force investigators sent a top-secret report to Gen. Hoyt Vandenberg, the Air Force's chief of staff, saying Earth was being visited by alien spaceships.

### **Threat to National Security...**

Vandenberg remained unconvinced. The Air Force wanted the flying saucer phenomenon to go away, but the popular fascination with mysterious flying objects was growing.

In 1952, the Air Force received more UFO reports than any other year in history. "Most alarmingly, the sightings were focused on Washington D.C.," Clark said. "At least three

radar systems in Washington, in the area, were picking up unidentified targets." It looked like the most important airspace in the country was being penetrated.

An Air Force Air Intelligence Report in December 1948 said there was a public hysteria.

The reports of flying saucers had become an indirect threat to national security, said Robert Goldberg, author of "Enemies Within: The Culture of Conspiracy in Modern America." So many calls were clogging the Pentagon's communications channels, the nation was being left vulnerable to a Soviet attack, he said.

President Truman ordered the CIA to make recommendations on how the Air Force should handle the UFO problem.

The CIA convened a panel headed by the physicist H.P. Robertson. The panel said it was important to remove the aura of mystery from the UFO phenomenon, so that people would no longer take them seriously and would stop reporting them.

Flying saucers were to be made the subject of ridicule. But it proved impossible to control the public interest. One of the most respected publications in America, Life magazine, published photographs of a UFO taken by a farmer in its June 26, 1950, issue.

Hollywood further inflamed the public appetite with movies like "The Day the Earth Stood Still" (1951) and "Earth Versus the Flying Saucers" (1956).

Interest continues to this day. Recent years have seen an explosion of interest in the form of books, TV shows like "The X-Files" and movies like "Independence Day."

A remake of "The War of the Worlds" the H.G. Wells classic that Orson Welles turned into a radio broadcast that terrified U.S. audiences in 1938 is even due to hit theatres this year.

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### UK UFO Reports...

Reported to AlienExistence via contact form.

Date : 6th February 05

Location : Devon

Time 19:45 - 19:50.

Cloudy in West and North. Clear in East and South.

I was taken an after-meal walk around village lanes that circum-navigate Woodbury Salterton. Walking along Honey Lane, in an East-West direction.

A bright flash occurred underneath the distant clouds ahead of me; the flash lasted about 8-10 seconds. When the flash had nearly vanished, a cross of lights was left at its centre (two white or yellow vertical, two blue or green horizontal). When the flash had completely disappeared, the lights shot upwards into the clouds, at great speed. There was no sound from where I was situated.

I have since discovered that the flash was seen by another individual (the husband of one of my wife's work colleagues), who was driving through Chudleigh at the same time - Chudleigh is about 15 miles West of Woodbury Salterton.

It appears that the large flash occurred very close to Chudleigh; no other lights were seen, and there was no noise i.e. thunder, bangs, explosions or any electrical discharges.

There was also no reported electrical storms in Devon either that day or night.

I have never seen the like before; it is my first ever UFO sighting - I was alarmed.

**The Evening Telegraph, Peterborough, Cambridgeshire, UK.. 14th February 05...**

Unexplained Sightings: UFO hunters closer to the 'X files' truth

The truth is out there, and it could be closer than ever.

A UFO enthusiast plans to use the Freedom of Information Act to access previously secret government documents to uncover the truth behind unexplained sightings of flying objects around Peterborough.

Michael Hoffman, of Bruces Close, Conington, near Peterborough, who runs the UFO research group Sky Lights, hopes that the release of so-called "X files" held by the Ministry of Defence (MoD) will finally shed light on why there have been so many alien sightings in the area.

He said: "I think the Act will give us quite a lot of information about UFOs, and it is something our group will definitely use.

"The MoD will not be very forthcoming with information and will find ways to block it, not release it. But I will use the Act to get information.

"They have a Freedom of Information Act in the USA, but still manage to hold stuff back which they want to keep a secret. I hope it will be different here."

This week, the MoD released secret papers under the Act showing that 91 sightings were recorded last year in the UK, including a report of "four dull red lights" hovering above Peterborough.

The latest files also revealed that a government meeting was held to investigate the existence of aliens in June 1951, but dismissed sightings of UFOs by RAF personnel, as well as a series of reports of "luminous bodies" by members of the public.

Minutes of the Government's Flying Saucer Working Party show that they regarded the pursuit of UFOs to be a "singularly profitless enterprise" and recommended no further investigation of mysterious aerial phenomena.

However, a spokesman for the Peterborough Paranormal Society was not convinced that the Act would yield any great discoveries.

He said: "It depends what they release, but normally they just black out anything controversial.

"In the '80s and '90s there were a lot of sightings around Peterborough, but that is probably because they have been testing new aircraft in the area.

"We concentrate more on ghost sightings and have not had any reports of UFOs since we set up a few years ago."

Anyone who has witnessed any strange flying objects can contact Michael Hoffman.

#### The paranormal in Peterborough

The first UFO sighting in Peterborough occurred in 1909 when two police officers reported a strange object hovering above the cathedral. It is thought to have been an early Zeppelin craft.

A Peterborough postman claimed a pyramid-shaped cosmic craft performed acrobatic tricks just yards above his head. Thomas Thompson, of Lincoln Road, Peterborough, said he witnessed the glowing orange spaceship at a friend's house, in St Neots, in 1981.

A jet black triangular-shaped UFO hovering above the A47, between Peterborough and Wisbech, in November, was seen by a student, his girlfriend, his mother and a friend, in November 1997.

Bizarre crop circles, hundreds of metres wide, appeared at Sibson Airfield, near Wansford, in 1990.

Brian Dunnett, from Netherton, saw strange lights in the sky at his Heaton Close home, in 1995.

Two black shimmering discs were spotted gliding above Millfield, Peterborough, in November 1997, by Graham Palk, of Gladstone Street.

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Volume 11 in the MP3 Audio History of Ufology Series is now available. Titled, Swamp Gas, it is the history of the 1966 Michigan Flap controversy and Dr. J. Allen Hynek's passing gas remark to the media. The disc contains nine recordings with a total running time of 5.5+ hours. Please visit my website for ordering instructions at: [www.fadeddiscs.com](http://www.fadeddiscs.com)

#### Millstone, Kentucky, USA

Thursday March 17, 2005 11:07 pm.  
Millstone, Ky. A Large Black Object, oblong, with rounded corners, and no lights on or coming from the object. A large rumbling, (slight vibration) sound coming from the object. The night was very clear, and a sky full of stars. Temp at 33 degrees F. I was asleep, and a very large explosive sound awakened me. I live in Coal mining country so I know by the sound that this was not a surface or underground mine explosion. The sound was too different. I went outside to see what had caused the noise, and I heard a new sound start. A very loud, large rumbling noise made me look up. The sound just started, it did not start low and get louder, the sound just started, very loud, and seemed to stay at the same level.

A very large, oblong object, seemed to be solid, no wavering around the edges like a cloud or smoke. Shape stayed constant. The sky was full of stars, and that is the only way I could determine the shape of the object. There was no light coming from the object, and none of the outside light reflected off the object. I tried to get a picture, but the object was so dark, all of the pictures turned out black. It seemed to be just a little ways above the hill tops, but with the object so dark, an exact height can't be determined. I can estimate the length to be about 270 feet, approximate based on the width of the hills in front and in back of my house. Width of the object, is a little harder, it seemed to be about 1/3 width of the object as compared to the length. It was moving very slowly, and I watched for about 3 minutes. The sound continued all the time the object was in sight, then the object was not there, and the sound stopped. There was an object, and then it was just gone. No take off, not waving lights, no anything. The object just was not there. Since it was so dark, I could not tell if the object accelerated upwards, or even if the object moved sideways. Any ideas as to what this was are very welcomed.

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**Netherlands – Disks Chasing  
Each Other**

On February 22, 2005, at 3:45  
PM, two disks were reported that  
were about as long as a car and  
white with vertical stripes on them.  
Thanks to Peter Davenport Director,  
[www.nuforc.org/](http://www.nuforc.org/)

**SUFOG DIARY - 2005..**

**20th April : Ghosts.**

**18th May : SUFOG Material**

**15th June : Abductions**

**20th July : Area 51**

**17th August : Crop Circles**

**(20th - 21st August :  
SUFOG Avebury Trip)**

**21st September : Anti Gravity**

**19th October : Mystery Animals**

**16th November :  
TV based UFO Special**

**14th December : Famous Cases**

**January 2006 :  
Cattle Mutilations**

Please contact the Editor before the above dates to  
confirm that the Sky Watch / Meeting are still going  
ahead. This is because Sky Watch's are likely to be  
cancelled / changed due to weather conditions, and  
other commitments that the editor is not aware of at  
the time of publication of the newsletter..

**UFO'S Over Hampshire...**  
**(Isle of Wight 1950 - 2002) (Part 2).**

**DATE : 15th MARCH 1959**

LOCATION : SHANKLIN  
 TIME : 07.15  
 WITNESS : UNKNOWN

SLOW MOVING, SILVERY DOMED DISC

SOURCE : ESSEX UFO GROUP DATA BASE

**DATE : 8th JULY 1960**

LOCATION : SHANKLIN  
 TIME : 22.50  
 WITNESS : UNKNOWN

SLOW MOVING ORANGE SPHERE

SOURCE : ESSEX UFO GROUP DATA BASE

**DATE : 11th NOVEMBER 1960**

LOCATION : SHANKLIN  
 TIME : 19.00  
 WITNESS : UNKNOWN

SLOW ROTATING BLUE/GREEN LIGHTS

SOURCE : ESSEX UFO GROUP DATA BASE

**DATE : OCTOBER 1966**

LOCATION : SANDOWN  
 TIME : 18.25 HRS  
 WITNESS : MR G.COOPER AND WIFE.

OBJECT WITH WHITE CENTRE SURROUNDED BY A GLOWING BLUE RING, VERY HIGH ALT.DROPPED OUT OF CLOUDS, HOVERED. DISAPEARED AT SPEED.

SOURCE : I.O.WIGHT CHRONICLE 4.11.1966  
 FSR VOL 12. NO 1 JAN/FEB 1966

**DATE : JULY 1967**

LOCATION : WHIPPINGHAM SCHOOL  
 TIME : UNKNOWN  
 WITNESS : 2 SCHOOLBOYS

37FT WIDE UFO, HOVERING AT 500FT FROM THE SCHOOL. 12FT SWATHE OF FLATTENED BARLEY JUST BELOW SPOT OF WHERE UFO SEEN HOVERING. CONTINUOUS 'WHIRLIGIG' PATTERN OBSERVED IN THE DESTRUCTION OF THE CROP.

SOURCE : UFO MAGAZINE MAY/JUNE 1999

**DATE : 27th JANUARY 1970**

LOCATION : RYDE  
 TIME : 11.20  
 WITNESS : UNKNOWN

SLOW MOVING ORANGE SPHERE

SOURCE : ESSEX UFO GROUP DATA BASE

**DATE : 10th SEPTEMBER 1970**

LOCATION : COWES  
 TIME : 23.00  
 WITNESS : UNKNOWN

HOVERING WHITE/RED CIGAR

SOURCE : ESSEX UFO GROUP DATABASE

**DATE : 26th NOVEMBER 1972**

LOCATION : SHANKLIN  
 TIME : 00.20  
 WITNESS : UNKNOWN

SLOW MOVING ORANGE SPHERE

SOURCE : ESSEX UFO GROUP DATABASE

**DATE : 1975**

LOCATION : ADGESTONE FARM, BRADING  
 TIME : 06.30 A.M.  
 WITNESS : TOM REYNOLDS (FARMER)

TOTALLY SILENT CRAFT, 100FT LONG, 30FT WIDE... 150FT ABOVE THE GROUND, DIPPED DOWN OUT OF VIEW.

SOURCE : UFO MAGAZINE MAY/JUNE 1999

**DATE : 14th JANUARY 1976**

LOCATION : RYDE  
 TIME : 08.15 A.M  
 WITNESS : A QUANTITY SURVEYOR

GLOWING BRILLIANTLY ORANGE, WHIRLING HITE LIGHT UNDERNEATH. 1 MILE AWAY AND 1,000 - 15,000FT ALTITUDE. SLOW SPEED HEADING NORTH.

SOURCE : BUFORA JNL VOL 4 NO 12 03/76

ALSO UFO MAGAZINE MAY/JUNE 1999.

**DATE : 14th JANUARY 1976**

LOCATION : RYDE  
 TIME : 00.40 A.M.  
 WITNESS : MR RIDDELL AND WIFE

GLOWING LIGHT, 30 MPH, DARK ROUNDED OBLONG PASSED OVERHEAD. 100FT LONG, 50FT WIDE. ALTITUDE 300FT. ACCELERATED FANTASTIC SPEED. (SEE THORNEY ISLAND 13.1.76)

SOURCE : BUFORA JNL VOL 4 NO 12 03/76  
 ALSO UFO MAGAZINE MAY/JUNE 1999



*NEWSPAPER REVIEWS*  
*BY ERNIE SEARS.*

A sudden explosion of items from the UK media partly inspired by a new book by prolific author Bryan Appleyard .."Aliens.. Why they are here" .. publishers Scribner. What looks intriguing mostly turns out to be falling between two or three, stools, which was confirmed when Bryan appeared on THIS MORNING (ITV1) with an alleged pretty believable abductee.

The **Andover Advertiser**, 4th March. carried a headline 'Emerald Green football UFO leaves motorist puzzled', 10 a.m. Sunday 20th Feb...."seemed to be buzzing and appeared to be falling towards the ground" THE ANDOVER Advertiser followed this up on the 11th March with two more witnesses who claimed to have also seen the green object on the same day and same time. one thought it might be a meteorite (colour and trajectory right) and the other described a bright shiny light coming down to the ground but also suggested it was a meteorite.

The **SOUTHAMPTON ECHO** reported a football sized ball of light going off and on over Swaythling, Southampton, It 'blacked out' and then re-appeared. over Southampton Airport. No date or time given but Echo was for the 5th March.

**THE DAILY MAIL** of March 4th had Critics Choice. reporter Christopher Hudson devoting a whole page to covering Appleyard's book with the usual headline asking the usual question 'Are there really little green men?' and answers his own question with a good description of a standard "grey"! 'Also located in crop circles and mutilation of livestock'. Fair enough! Seems author Appleyard asks why hasn't the alleged vast scale of abductions etc begs the question 'where are they, then? SUFOG members all shout HERE please!

**THE TIMES** of the 15th March features Appleyard himself writing a full page in the T2 section on 'why I don't believe my eyes' which reveals he sums all the "evidence" up as 'not real', and a 'constructed fantasy'...much of it from trained civilian and Service witnesses, as well as those of us who cannot believe the "official" answers! He DOES have a point, though.... as indeed other forward thinking writers and investigators do, in that what we see is compared with the kind of world we construct around us a "real", whereas it is our "minds" that have left behind, "lost", what more advanced species treat as "normal"...thus we label them "aliens". Difficult for most to grasp.... An interesting book by Appleyard. I originally intended to buy it. Not so enthusiastic currently! My own "mind" has undoubtedly taken on new vistas over some sixty years or so...once described by me as "rubbish" It's pretty open...so.....?

**THE DAILY MAIL** of April 6th uses a variation on the "usual" eye catching headline with "NO, WE ARE NOT ALONE", with Professor Barrie Jones, Professor of Astronomy, THE OPEN UNIVERSITY, getting his astronomical opinions over on nearly a full page, which left me fuming with the word "crap"! No so much his learned theories backed by his personal observations of our universe which convinced him that extraterrestrial civilisations 'DO EXIST' NO.....Jones trots out Einstein's theories on the speed of light and affirms no one can reach us from out there. Currently. The professor says 'aliens are terrifyingly like us.. and we'll find them within ten years'. We might be GONE by then! Needless to say, I got off a both barrels letter to the MAIL. Oddly, it was returned TWICE as address not known! I checked it both times.. absolutely correct.. so what were they up to? Returned again....exact copy.. and to date no problems! But hold on" A very small rebuttal to Barrie Jones...so small it fluttered off my desk!.. in the 8th March in the MAIL Letters from a Geoff Chapman of West Camel, Dorset, saying 'what nonsense' and 'Open University researchers playing

games on their computers' and 'life will never arise on non-living matter on any planet where conditions are suitable'. See? "CRAP", just as I said!

Carrying on from Ernie's reviews, the following items landed in my lap and I was not able to pass them onto Ernie in time... Steve G (Editor)...

**The ANDOVER ADVERTISER...** on the 8th April another local Andover resident saw the object report in the 4th and 11th March copies of the Advertiser.. 'Another Andover Advertiser reader saw the UFO which has been described as a blue/green fizzing object with a tail.

'Wendy cummins spotted it on 20th February at Buttermer, north of Vernham Dean. She has seen similar objects on two previous occasions'.

**The NEWS OF THE WORLD** of the 10th April 2005 carried an item that just showed what people will do to try and get out of a speeding fine (This is the type of person that 'P' me off. I recently had someone locally receive a parking ticket, who just removed it from the windscreen and threw it on the ground. Just to 'P' them off more, I stuck it back on again!!!!). Anyway, the article went 'UFO Set off speed cam'... A driver caught by a speed camera had an out-of-this-world excuse. He claimed he put his foot down after spotting a UFO. Other reasons given to Northumbria cops included a tailwind pushing a car - and low-flying aircraft triggering the camera.

**THE DAILY MAIL** of the 12th April had a letter headed 'Not of this world'... Professor Barrie Jones's conclusion that 'we are not alone' (Mail) isn't as far-fetched as it might seem. Archaeological research in the past 100 years in Iraq, Iran and Palestine has unearthed thousands of scrolls throwing more light on mankind's distant past.

These inscriptions say a race from the planet Marduk arrived on Earth 450,000 years ago.

According to the texts, civilisation took off 6,000 years ago. They describe great

advances in architecture, with the building of cities such as U, Babylon and Nineveh, the cultivation of crops, and the growing importance of law and order, medicine, mathematics, science and education.

Marduk is indicated as the 12th planet. How did ancient people know of the other 11? It is thought the planet Marduk was last seen 2,000 years ago, so its next appearance to the people on earth will be around AD3,400.

Astronomers throughout the world are getting excited about the discovery of a large planet beyond our solar system.

Kevin Houghton,  
Eastbourne,  
E. Sussex.

**The Daily Telegraph 16th February 05...**

QED: MoD Comes Clean At Last Over Those little Green Men... Robert Matthews

While the world celebrates the apparent rapprochement between Israel and the Palestinians, a glimmer of hope can be detected in the long-running dispute between another two factions: the scientific community and believers in UFOs.

For more than half a century, the debate over UFOs and whether they really are alien spacecraft has been characterised by wild-eyed zealotry and a refusal to listen to reasonable argument - and that's just the scientists. Those who believe that UFOs really are alien spacecraft show a preference for conspiracy theories over critical reasoning. Part of the problem has been the official attitude towards reports of UFOs, which has been decidedly sniffy. It is now clear that this has been a bit of a pose. Following a request made under the Freedom of Information Act, the Ministry of Defence last week released the details of more than 80 UFO reports made by military personnel and members of the public in the last year.

The MoD pointed out that it has thousands more reports on file - thus confirming the long-standing claims by UFO buffs that "the authorities" knew far more than they let on. It has to be said that the reports are risibly mundane: "strange lights in the sky" over Whitstable, a saucer-like object over Stoke on

Trent, a "bright light" over Barry, South Wales. Indeed, some UFO enthusiasts now claim there is a new conspiracy in which only the ho-hum sightings are released, while the MoD keeps the juicy stuff to itself. Rather more interesting, however, was the official statement accompanying the release of the documents, in which the MoD declared that it remained "totally open-minded" towards the issue of aliens and UFOs.

This seems a long way from attitude of the Government working party which in 1951 dismissed the idea of taking UFOs seriously as "a singularly profitless enterprise". The new receptive attitude is in line with that taken by the authorities in a growing number of countries, including Belgium, Chile and France.

There are signs that the scientific community might also be getting over its aversion to the notion of aliens visiting Earth. In recent years, a number of academics have made public their frustration with the dismal level of debate on the subject, and have sought to rectify it. An independent group of American scientists is responsible for the first paper arguing for the existence of UFOs to appear in a serious academic journal in 25 years.

Writing in the Journal of the British Interplanetary Society, the group claims that advances in scientific knowledge have made the case for alien visitation stronger than many might think.

For example, sceptics have argued that while life may well exist elsewhere in the universe, the probability that it is both intelligent and relatively close to Earth is extremely low.

Yet as the authors of the paper point out, since the mid-1990s, several methods for faster-than-light travel have been put forward in serious physics journals, thus undermining the argument that the sheer size of the universe makes alien visitation implausible. The authors concede that while possible in principle, no practical scheme for faster-than-light travel has yet been put forward.

Even so, some advanced civilisation could have succeeded, which prompts the authors to point out another recent discovery. Last year a team of astronomers showed that stars capable of supporting life in our galaxy are typically a billion years older than the Sun. If so, this could mean that aliens may be as far ahead of us as

we are compared to primordial bacteria. None of this proves that UFOs are real, of course, but it does show that some of the standard arguments used by sceptics do need sprucing up. Even so, for those of us taking a broadly agnostic stance, the fact remains that there is still no compelling evidence that UFOs are alien craft.

Yet in the most disconcerting of all their arguments, the authors of the JBIS paper claim that all those dodgy photographs and spooky encounters may be yet further evidence for the reality of aliens. They argue that all those brief encounters of the third kind may be part of a deliberate long-term strategy by the aliens to ease us all into accepting that we are not alone. Some scientists have argued that the proof of the existence of aliens could be very traumatic for human society.

Frankly, it is not half as worrying as discovering we are the target of a cosmic campaign run by little green spin doctors.

### **The Shropshire Star... 17th February 05..**

#### **File On UFO At Airbase Opened**

A real-life Fox Mulder who spent years looking into UFO sightings across the country has revealed one of the most sensational cases he ever investigated was in Shropshire.

Nick Pope, who was a UFO desk officer for the Ministry of Defence from 1991 to 1994, said an incident at RAF Shawbury was one of the most important. he says: "One of the most sensational cases I ever investigated related to an incident that occurred in the early hours of March 31, 1993."

He said the UFO was described to him as a "vast, triangular craft only marginally smaller than a jumbo jet.

### **The Sunday Mail... 20th February 05..**

#### **Phone Home**

Is this really a picture of a UFO over Stirling? A flying saucer-shaped trick of

the light being shot by video phones?

By George Mair

The dramatic rise in the number of flying saucers reported over Scotland is caused by... video phones.

The illusion of an extra-terrestrial force is sparked by the phones being pointed into the sun.

This creates an image of a blurred object that appears to hover before flashing a 'ray gun' into the ground.

Steve Bird, 36, spotted what he thought was an alien craft last Tuesday, as it apparently hovered around 40ft in the air.

He was walking on the Dumyat hill, overlooking the Wallace Monument, near Stirling, when he captured what he thought was incredible footage on his mobile phone.

It shows a blurred shape remaining static in the sky as light sweeps below.

Salesman Steve, of Cornton, Stirling, said: 'I decided to walk to the summit of Dumyat because it was such a nice morning.

'It was around 10.30am when I stopped for a rest near the top and decided to take my phone out to capture the view over Stirling on video.

'I pressed the record button and, within seconds, spotted this shape on the screen.

'It hovered in the sky, about 100 metres away from where I was standing, then tilted and flew off to the left. Then it was gone.

'When I put the phone down, I had to sit down on a rock to compose myself.

'I was shocked and could hardly sleep that night for thinking about it.

'It was the shape you normally associate with flying saucers, with a ridge around the middle.'

Steve's view is backed by Scotland's self-styled UFO expert, Ron Halliday, who has been investigating paranormal phenomena for more than 20 years.

He confirmed a string of reports based on phone videos. The Stirling University-based expert, who is also chairman of Scottish Earth Mysteries Research, said: 'The shape of the UFO is consistent with other alien sightings across the world.'

We asked researchers to get to the bottom of the UFO mystery.

Gordon Ridley, senior lecturer in photography at Glasgow College of Printing, said: 'I believe

the footage came about due to sensor burn-out when the picture was taken into the sun.

'The limited sensor in a camera phone cannot cope with the brightness and a solid black blob appears in the image in the middle of the bright area.

'The rays coming down can be explained by the flares created from photographing into the sun, causing the sensors to overload.'

Mr Ridley's views are shared by Sunday Mail picture editor Andy Hosie.

He said: 'The flare is caused by sunlight shining directly into the lens. The blurred shape stays static and is probably due to some sort of burn-out with the camera.

'But the fact these are 'low quality' images which are very difficult to analyse adds to the intrigue.'

Scotland is regarded as one of the world's UFO hotspots. Bonnybridge, just 10 miles from Stirling, has the highest number of reported UFO sightings in Britain, with dozens of unexplained phenomena every year.

Residents there have also claimed the greatest variety of spaceships, describing everything from flying saucers to hovering cigars.

Locals have previously campaigned for their town to be twinned with Roswell, in New Mexico, where - it was claimed - a spaceship came down in 1947 and was taken to a secret military base.

### UK/ENGLAND - BLACK TRIANGULAR CRAFT...

**NOTTINGHAM** -- On February 2, 2005, at 11:40 AM, the observer was outside having a cigarette and looked up to see a triangular black object move across the sky very fast and I couldn't stop staring, then, it went vertically upwards and vanished.

UFO Quotes

"The matter is the most highly classified subject in the United States Government, rating higher even than the H-bomb.

**Canadian Government memorandum, classified Top Secret (1950)**

"... we have lost many men and planes trying to intercept them."

**General Benjamin Chidlaw, Air Defence Command (1953)**

"I am convinced these objects do exist and that they are not manufactured by any nation on Earth."

**Air Chief Marshal Lord Dowding (1954)**

"Behind the scenes, high-ranking Air Force officers are soberly concerned about the UFOs. But through official secrecy and ridicule, many citizens are led to believe the unknown flying objects are nonsense."

**Admiral Roscoe Hillenkoetter, former CIA Director (1960)**

"I am aware that hundreds of military and airline pilots, airport personnel, astronomers, missile trackers and other competent observers have reported sightings . . . These UFOs are interplanetary devices systematically observing the earth, either manned or under remote control, or both."

**Colonel Joseph Bryan, CIA (1960)**

"We appeal to all viewers to send us details of any observations of strange flying craft. This is a serious challenge to Science, and we need the help of all Soviet citizens."

**Dr Felix Zigel, Moscow Aviation Institute (1967)**

"I must say that if listeners could see for themselves the mass of reports coming in from the airborne gendarmerie, from the mobile gendarmerie, and from the gendarmerie charged with the job of conducting investigations, all of which reports are forwarded by us to the National Centre for Space Studies, then they would see that it is all pretty disturbing."

**Robert Galley, French Minister of Defence (1974)**

"... It is still classified above Top Secret. I have, however, heard that there is a plan to release some, if not all, of this material in the near future."

**Senator Barry Goldwater, Chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee (1975).**

"As the [Iranian Air Force] F-4 continued pursuit south of Tehran, a second brightly-lit object detached from the original UFO and headed straight for the F-4 at a high rate of speed. The pilot attempted to fire an AIM-9 missile at the new object but was prevented by a sudden power loss in his weapons control panel . . ."

**U.S. Air Force Security Service report, classified Secret (1978)**

"The U.S. President said that if the Earth faced an invasion by extraterrestrials, the United States and the Soviet Union would join forces to repel such an invasion . . ."

**President Gorbachev, Grand Kremlin Palace (1987)**

"I occasionally think how quickly our differences worldwide would vanish if we were facing an alien threat from outside this world. And yet, I ask, is not an alien force already among us . . . ?"

**President Reagan, United Nations General Assembly (1987)**

"... When that truth of alien intervention in our planet's affairs and our ongoing contact with an alien culture is finally revealed, it won't be frightening even though it will be a shock."

**Colonel Philip Corso, who served on President Eisenhower's National Security Council staff (1997)**



*MAGAZINE REVIEWS*  
*BY ERNIE SEARS.*

Quite a nice influx, however late, this issue, and here we go :

**MAGONIA** used to be the flagship of noted French author Jacques Vallee, his name for the mysterious dimension where UFO's and allied enigmas might have originated from in those far off days. So when our Steve handed me a copy of a magazine emblazoned with **MAGONIA** on the pink cover I fell upon it ravenously. With the prestige name of John Rimmer as Editor, how could we go wrong. It wasn't until halfway through a leading article by Andy Roberts that bells rang! A writer and self admitted sceptic on matters UFO and allied to Dr. David Clarke now being featured in the hallowed name of **MAGONIA**? Ah well, press on! Andy is obviously well versed in the realms of the hippie movement, Glastonbury, etc, and quotes Neil Oram's viewpoint of UFO's becoming a religion 'and a common sacrament to everyone who's tripped', writer Jon Michel of course had lots of influence on the whole movement and eased many into the Fortean phenomena field, often via drugs and such which while certainly encouraging such things as meditation and exercising the power of the mind anew never

actually "reproduced" what a "close encounter" of craft and crews can do for one. So let me leave that subject... controversial to some, **THE TRUTH** to many like me. The magazine contents carry the not unexpected sometimes scornful discharges at "normal" UFOlogists and "normal" **EVENTS**... the alleged X-Conference scheduled for the 22-24th April at the Hilton, Washington DC, Columnist **THE PELICAN**'s article humour includes 'you'll probably agree that some UFOlogists are potty'. True, so are sceptics, debunkers, almost totally. Further, 'sadly, when confronted with the powers who could offer them the secret of the universe, all too often they settled for a spell which would get them into the knickers of the local barmaid'. SEE? However, knowledge is the thing we strive for, if **Magonia** is your interest... exchange or subscription scheme, try John Rimmer at 5 James Terrace, Mortlake Churchyard, London, SW14 8HB. Subs are £9.50 for 6 issues.

**THE AUSTRALIAN UFO BELLETIN** March 05 sports it's usual attractive coloured cover. Packed with information... some amazing... from down under, contents include Paul Norman's 'On the UFO trail'... with stories of pilots investigating UFO reports from the Grampian Mountains, but keeping their mouths firmly shut as to what they encountered! A USA crop circle 'not a prank' says Jeffrey Wilson, an experienced circle investigator with a masters degree in general science, and director of the Independent Crop Circle Researchers Association. Jeffrey says out of the 250 crop circle reports he has collected since the 1990's, one in five are clearly the work of pranksters. The **Early Years** compiled by Clive Yates, has three extremely interesting encounters from the USA and Australia in 1958 and 1967. The Nantuckett, Massachusetts, 1958 one featured a hovering and manoeuvring oval shaped craft over Nantuckett Island, witnessed at about 8,000 feet by the crew of the local Steamship Authority vessel. The greyish craft was stationary for about a minute then shot off out of sight at a rapid rate of speed. More sighting reports from Victoria, Queensland, Tasmania, South Australia, follow. Space means one can't give fuller details of this excellent magazine, handy pocket size, well organised, printed, etc. obtainable from the Victorian UFO Society, Po Box 1043, Moorabbin, Vic. 4189, Australia. V.U.F.O.R.s President Judith Magee.

**UPRI NEWSLETTER** from Ireland headlines on the front page on a 'UFO that hovered over Dublin Hospital on Tuesday March 1st'. Oval shaped and carrying bright green lights approached and then hovered for about an hour from 8 p.m. at least two witnesses. No mention of

it's eventual movements. New Alien base in the Himalayas? A revolutionary new anti-gravity system? Massive Chinese and Indian military activity each side of the mountains. UFO sightings in the vicinity, ability to hover silently and vanish instantly. UPRI Newsletter covers a whole range of phenomena in its 32 pages... the Turin Shroud, new evidence. Haunted Homes. December 26th tsunami reveals ancient city with carvings. Who killed JFK... will science tell us now? Much more !

UPRI Newsletter... from PO Box 7041, Harmonstown, Dublin 5, Ireland... Subscriptions : Quarterly 20 Euros, 20 US Dollars or £15.00 sterling.

**UFO MONTHLY.COM**... issue 10, March. Another excellent downloaded copy... fills a gap sorely needed although "local" reports squeezed out. However, there's always our own SUFOG MAG! Now even more items. OK, Gary Heseltine does a good job, I reckon. Wartime Foo fighters. The 1970 Barr Beacons UFO Flap. Details of the 2nd Irish Conference. The Russians and Iran struggle against the invasion of UFO's. The USA's ABC news broadcaster for forty years, Peter Jennings, says at the end, he realised 'that many of these people who had these experiences were the very people... police officers, pilots, military personnel, and ordinary citizens... who we regard as being trustworthy, and, not only that, very valuable to our society because they protect us' YEAH! Further, French physicists claim to have found out how UFOs "fly" and have built a model, that demonstrates how electromagnetism and nuclear energy produces 1,000 million watts of energy! Brazil releases files on 1977 UFO flap. Elsewhere in the UFO MONTHLY.com Gary tells us that the Brazilian Air Force compelled a physician to lie about UFO's! Phew! A greatly informative issue! As is the **APRIL UFO MONTHLY.COM** which intriguingly tells all about the Moon explorations from the very mouth of astronauts who list their earthbound encounters too. Now, this is very strange, since Gillian... a SUFOG member, passed on material downloaded

from the internet this very week of "UFO Sightings by astronauts", quoting Major Gordon Cooper, Ed White and James McDivitt, James Lovell and Frank Borman, Neil Armstrong and Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin, Donald Slayton, Major Robert White, NASA pilot Joseph A Walker, Commander Eugene Cenan, NASA's Maurice Chatelain, NASA's pilot Walter Schirra, NASA's Maurice Lovell, NASA's Scott Carpenter, Pete Conrad and Richard Gordon. The above persons pull no punches according to this website material, some of which I am already aware of which you too may be. But such stuff as photos taken in space, near and on the moon, a "communication" from huge craft "parked" on a moon crater. Armstrong is quoted among a mass of material here as saying "we were warned off"... allegedly in a message he sent to NASA Control. Much more in seven pages of similar information. Now, whatever one THINKS, would, as Gary Heseltine says in the same magazine, professional pilots, astronauts, LIE? And HIS coverage is not so dramatic but dramatic enough! Now, as if to focus ones mind on the subjects today's Daily Mail... 15th April 05, has a full page article on a new book "Moondust : in search of the men who fell to earth". No mention of the foregoing events. Concludes with : 'it may not have been rational to go to the Moon, and man may never go there again. But, like all great adventurers, it was born of it's time'.

Personally, I add up all my encounters since 1924 with an OOB, then "ghosts", healing, communication with, and one to one, with the "dead" (JUST ONCE) one to one with "aliens" a number of times, a vast library here that adds to my knowledge and confirms those experiences and confirms I'm not plain nuts! And much more, reinforced by the daily tissue of LIES we are being fed by politicians who I rumbled years ago, service authorities ditto, they lie IMMEDIATELY at the first mention of "UFOS". They lie because they cannot handle THE TRUTH. Who can blame them? Well, I UNDERSTAND them... but we, the struggling citizens of this once beautiful world, DESERVE to be told the truth... how otherwise do we trust or respect those who are allegedly in charge of our well being, our

DESTINY, be it what it is. This may be our one last chance to regain the PATH we strayed off. Our individual and collective minds must be harnessed. There are those, earthly, such as Gary Heseltine, and otherwise, who are feeding us the knowledge, confirming what many of us are already aware of, too.

**THE INDEPENDENT** on Sunday 17th April featured a front cover picture of a UFO on it's the 'Sunday Review Magazine' and then a further 6 pages on the release of MOD Files on the UFO subject. 'The British X-Files.. Revealed at last , the truth about the day aliens paid a flying visit to suburbia'... 'They've been locked away for years. Now the Freedom of Information Act has allowed access to a mountain of remarkable documents detailing UFO Sightings across Britain. From the ambassador who spotted a pear-shaped object trailing golden sparks, to the engineer who saw an 'aerial circus' above next door's bungalow, we present extracts from our very own X-Files'.. The article covers a further 5 pages of sightings taken from the MOD Files including drawings from report made between 1975 - 1977. This is a fascinating look at the Files that ALL UFOlogists knew that the MOD have, but what about the ones that they have, but are still covered under the Official Secrets Act and those they will never release. In one of the replies to a report, J. McBlane (MOD) said.. 'As I explained we cannot undertake to pursue our research beyond our defence interests'.. Funny thing is, why did Nick Pope investigate sightings by visiting witness and contact witnesses if the sightings were not of a defence significance? Were the sightings that Nick Pope investigated and reported on in his books a 'threat to the defence of the United Kingdom'? No doubt, there are files tucked away that will never see the light of day because the MOD is controlled by far higher authorities.

PRESS CUTTING FROM THE PAST...

## Trooper Claims Egg-shaped UFOs Orange Colored

VALPARAISO, Ind. (UPI)—Indiana State Police Trooper John Rashke told his Dunes Park headquarters superiors in a written report today that he watched two "egg-shaped objects of orange color with a bright glow in the center" spinning through the sky Sunday night.

Rashke said he saw the objects about two miles apart in the vicinity of the Valparaiso Armory around 9:42 p.m. He said three other cars stopped and the six occupants verified seeing the same thing he did as he watched through binoculars.

Rashke said at one point a fragment appeared to break away from one of the spinning objects and disintegrate. The objects were about 1,000 feet above the earth and moving slowly southwesterly, he said. They vanished out of sight about eight minutes later.

**UFO SIGHTING REPORT**

**ALTON  
HAMPSHIRE  
ENGLAND**

**June 22nd 2002**

Location: Near Alton, in Hampshire in the united kingdom.

Date: June 22nd at 9:35 p.m. (in evening)

Approach Direction: from an easterly direction

Departure Direction: did not see UFO leave.

Witness Direction: SOUTH

Description: saw bright white circular ball drop through dark cloud it was saucer-shaped and was morphing all the time i.e. changing size and shape flashed out several times at me then changed into large circular ball then tiny ball before dropping into dark cloud when it came out the other side it was circular and round and particularly bright white color it also glowed orange on and off then it completely disappeared only to slowly re-materialize in amongst dark cloud whilst I was filming it. it also swayed from one side to another and then it appeared to turn itself inside out! before dropping out the bottom of cloud and hanging stationery in clear sky above very dark cloud's.

Color/Shape: bright white, round then saucer-shaped

Height & Speed: Not fast, 15 thousand feet from the ground perhaps more.

TV/Radio/Press: Showed video footage to some-one at local news-paper offices.

Source : UFOINFO

**World News & UFO Reports...**

Source: The Canadian UFO Survey  
21st February 2005...  
<http://www.geocities.com/area51/rampart/2653/2004survey.html>

The 2004 Canadian UFO Survey: Summary of Results

There were 882 UFO sightings reported in Canada in 2004 C or more than two each day.

There were about 31 per cent more UFO reports in 2004 than 2003. The number of UFO reports filed per year in Canada has been increasing steadily since 1998.

Records show that more than 5,000 UFO sightings have been officially reported in Canada since 1989.

Alberta, Manitoba, Ontario, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Newfoundland and Quebec all had all-time record high numbers of UFOs reported in 2004.

In 2004, about 15 per cent of all UFO reports were unexplained. This percentage of unknowns falls to about seven per cent when only high-quality cases are considered.

Most UFO sightings have more than one witness.

The typical UFO sighting lasted almost 20 minutes in 2004.

The most important findings of this study include the fact that the number of UFO sightings in Canada has increased over the past sixteen years, and 2004 saw an all-time record high number of sightings reported. People continue to report observing unusual objects in the sky, and some of these objects do not have obvious explanations. Many witnesses are pilots, police and other individuals with reasonably good observing capabilities and good judgement. Although most reported UFOs are simply lights in the night sky, a significant number are objects with definite shapes observed within the witnesses frame of reference.

Popular opinion to the contrary, there is yet to be any incontrovertible evidence that

some UFO cases involve extraterrestrial contact. The continued reporting of UFOs by the public and the yearly increase in numbers of UFO reports suggests a need for further examination of the phenomenon by social, medical and/or physical scientists. Mexico – Multiple Sightings...

On March 20, 2005, UFO researcher Ana Luisa Cid photographed a spherical object in Mexico State's Tlalnepantla Municipality. Days later, she discovered that the helicopter shown in the image belongs to the police authorities and it was flying at low altitude to monitor disturbances with area street peddlers. The spherical object became apparent when she downloaded the images to her computer.

On March 22, 2005, aviation technician Alfonso Salazar, from the Radio Red news station reported that a spherical UFO had been reported as hanging motionless over the vicinity of Tlalnepantla, Mexico State.

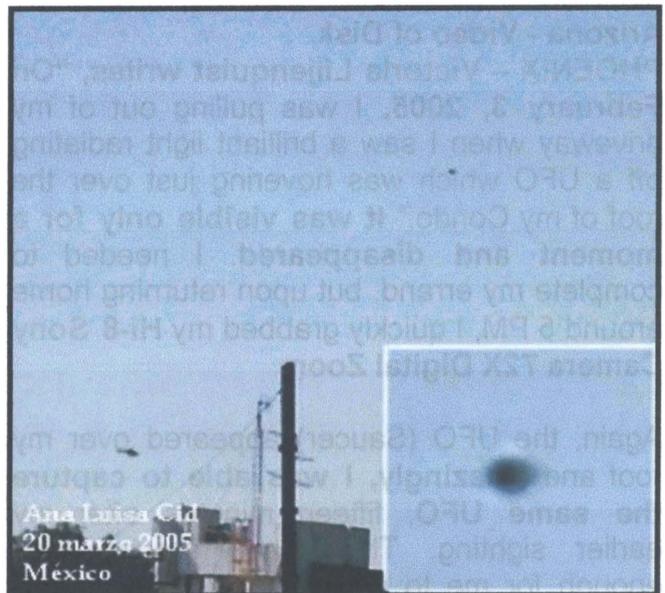
On, Alfonso Salazar and Carlos Guzmán (renowned Mexican UFO researcher) were interviewed to issue an opinion on the subject.

On Easter Thursday March 24, 2005, Mrs. Malena Mendieta reported to Professor Cid that she had witnessed strange low-flying lights near her window in the Patera Vallejo neighborhood to the north of Mexico City. These lights emitted a buzzing sound that impressed her greatly. This sighting took place during early morning hours and she was in the company of her daughter.

On Good Friday, March 24, 2005, Alfonso Salazar and Salvador Guerrero managed to observe and record a spherical object over eastern Mexico City that suddenly changed speed and trajectory exactly as the Crucifixion was being reenacted in Ixtapalapa.

Note: the photos show the respective sightings by Prof. Ana L. Cid and Salvador Guerrero.

On March 26, 2005, an aviation technician reported a spherical object emitting white lights in the city's southern region, flying at high altitude from south to north. Translation (c) 2005, Scott Corrales, Institute of Hispanic Ufology (IHU).



**GUERNSEY CHANNEL ISLANDS** -- A RAF intelligence officer wrote to tell me that her job was to assess, plot, monitor and record UFO activity in the late 1950s and early 1960s.

She writes, "I remain completely convinced of extra-terrestrial communication/presence, and of the fact that there is a higher intelligence, and that there are many more dimensions to our existence than we humans on earth can comprehend." It is plainly obvious that governments will suppress any and all information: and all of this for again obvious reasons. But there has to be an awakening very soon, for everyone; there are many many voices to be heard. Confidentiality has always been part of my moral-code but I really feel that anything which affects this planet, our universe and ultimately, the whole solar -system/s affects us all."

### Arizona - Video of Disk

**PHOENIX -- Victoria Liljenquist writes, "On February 3, 2005, I was pulling out of my driveway when I saw a brilliant light radiating off a UFO which was hovering just over the roof of my Condo." It was visible only for a moment and disappeared.** I needed to complete my errand, but upon returning home around 5 PM, I quickly grabbed my **Hi-8 Sony Camera 72X Digital Zoom.**

Again, the UFO (Saucer) appeared over my roof and **amazingly, I was able to capture the same UFO,** fifteen minutes after my earlier sighting. They hang around long enough for me to run in to get the camera. After filming for 5 minutes, I came inside to examine my footage. I also captured two other orbs.



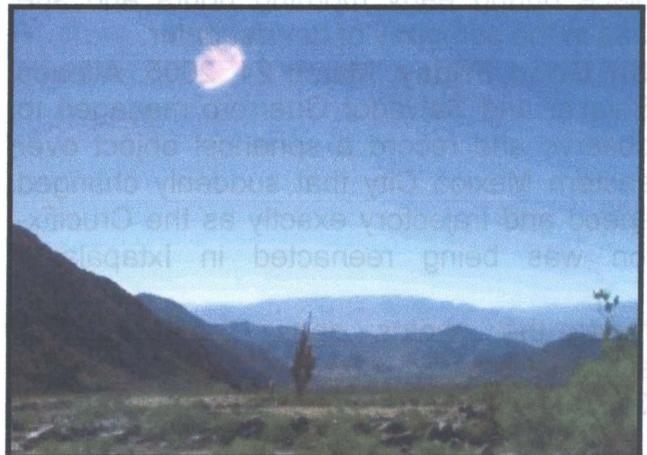
### Turkey – UFO and Alien Being

**ANTALYA, Turkey - Sirius UFO Space Sciences Research Centre reports, "While scientists and UFO researchers arguing about the existence of "extraterrestrial life," at Antalya, 45 people claimed they saw a UFO." The Santral district inhabitants claimed that they witnessed UFOs landing on the backyard of the Fatma P'r'lt' Primary School and saw an alien being getting out of the unusual craft. In the principal's office, crying, Murat Esici (age 11), one of the witnesses who had a very close observation says, "He was emitting red**

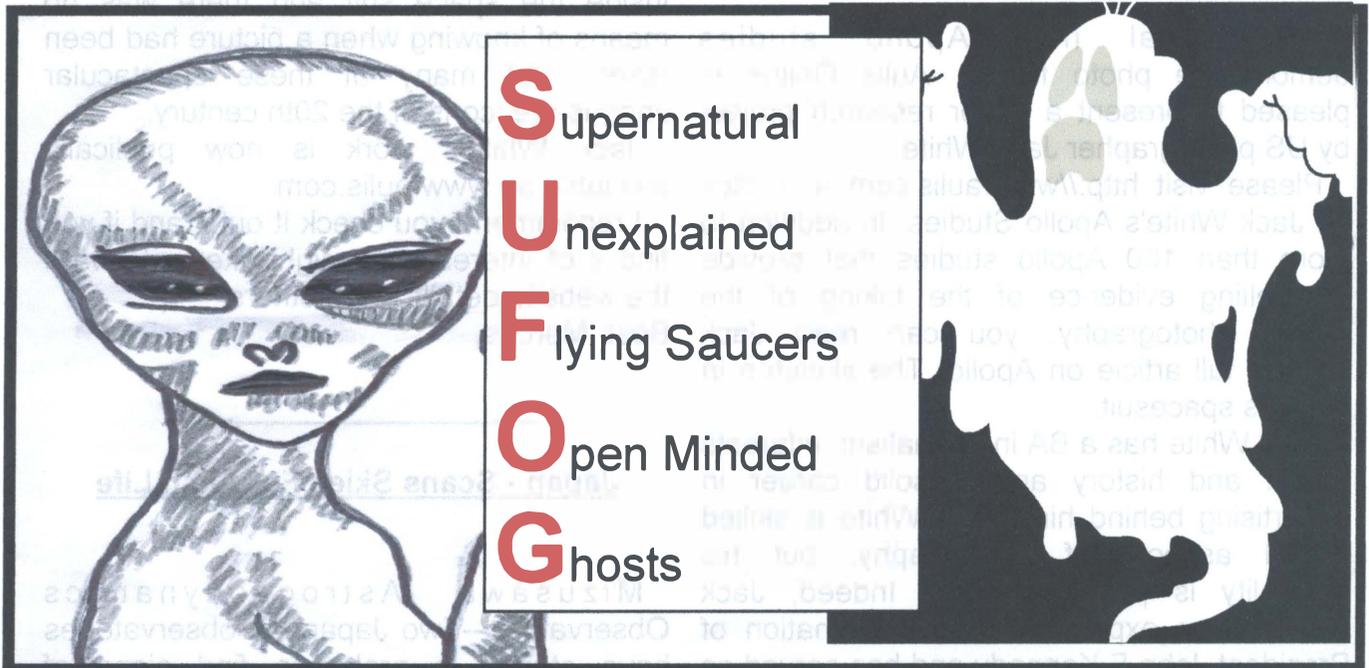
rays from his eyes . His hands and feet were iron. He had a very big head and he was 1.80 meters long." Its said that he temporarily lost his voice immediately after his sighting. Students Zeynep C'p'nar and Nalan D'nmez also claimed they saw an unusual craft and an alien beside it. "His eyes and hands were red and a red light was emitting from his eyes."

President Haktan Akdogan is flying to the area and will attempt to talk with the 45 people who saw the UFO and the alien being . After the bulletins which were broadcast on the national television channels' prime time news and national news papers such as Milliyet, Aksam, and Posta, our president Haktan Akdogan made a phone conversation with Antalya Governor Ertugrul Dokuzoglu and decided to go to the area to investigate the incident more closely. Thanks to [www.siriusufo.org](http://www.siriusufo.org)

**MONTE NEVADO – INEXPLICATA -** The Journal of Hispanic Ufology has sent the photo of a saucer-shaped object of tremendous size that was photographed by mountain climber Guillermo Martin. The photo was taken in November 2004, at Las Pailas, an inhabited location halfway up to the summit at an elevation of 3,500 meters of Nevado de Cachi, one of the greatest challenges for South American climbers. Thanks to Scott Corrales, Institute of Hispanic Ufology



THE PARANORMAL HAS ARRIVED IN SUFOG...



This is the first issue of the SUFOG newsletter that incorporates an extra 4 pages covering the paranormal side of life. This is the first one and I have started with a group members ghostly encounter with a dog PRO Ernie Sears and I hope that other members will share their experiences within the paranormal (Names do not have to be supplied). It is hoped that members will send in not just their own stories, but articles from the press and especially local newspapers that many of people in Hampshire may not see. It is also hoped that by including this section in the newsletter, that we may get new members and that it will appeal to a wider group of people. We can only try and it is group members that will make this a success by keeping your eyes and ears open and send in bits and pieces that you may also hear on radio or see on the TV. For this to work I need your input so please think of sending something in for the next edition of the newsletter due out on the 15th June 05. Please send me anything that you feel can be included no later than the 1st June to give me time to get it in the newsletter. If I do not get it in, it will appear in the next edition.

In the next edition, I hope to include the couple of experiences that I had down in Victoria Park. This is the site of a military hospital (Pulled down in the 70's and only the chapel is now left. But the chapel has its own

stories to tell and especially the close encounters that go on there. I also hope to include some ghostly pictures in the next edition and I will leave it up to you to decide if they are real or not. I have a lot of material that I am going to include in the forthcoming issues. This includes the ghost 'body in the coffin' photograph which is spooky to say the least. I hope also to get the group Secretary to relate the story of the ghost stake-out and the amazing audio tape of strange noise and goings on recorded in a sealed room.

In future issues, I will look at other local areas that have a ghostly connection. There is Netley Abbey, ghostly monks and much more. If you have a local ghost story to tell, then let me know. I will also tell my personal stories of the ghostly candle and then there is the encounter of world war one at the Chapel where I go back in time and become part of history.

Like many UFOlogists, I have encountered 'The other side' with ghostly encounters and encountering strange beings that I cannot explain. Have I become 'too involved' with the paranormal or are UFOlogists susceptible to the 'other side'. I must admit, that many group members I know have had encounters with the other side and hopefully they will share their experiences within these pages..

### Apollo landings - Fake or not?

Sensational new Apollo studies demonstrate photo fakery. Aulis Online is pleased to present a major research project by US photographer Jack White.

Please visit <http://www.aulis.com> and click on Jack White's Apollo Studies. In addition to more than 100 Apollo studies that provide compelling evidence of the faking of the Apollo photography, you can read Jack White's full article on Apollo: The skeleton in NASA's spacesuit.

Jack White has a BA in journalism, interests in art and history and a solid career in advertising behind him. Jack White is skilled in all aspects of photography, but his speciality is photo analysis. Indeed, Jack White is an expert on the assassination of President John F Kennedy and has served as photographic consultant to the US House Select Committee on Assassinations (HSCA) during the hearings. White has published videotapes on his studies of the assassination and was also a consultant on the Oliver Stone film JFK. Jack White's Apollo Studies are a revelation and provide yet further evidence of the faking of the Apollo record.

You are probably aware of my (Marcus) interest in the Apollo question: Did the Apollo astronauts get to the Moon and were the photographs taken there by the named astronauts, or not?

In early February I was interviewed on the USA coast-to-coast-am radio show by George Noory. As a result I was put in contact with Jack White. He has studied all the Apollo EVA pictures and as a photo-analyst has identified many disturbing inconsistencies in the Apollo record.

The number of photographs allegedly taken on the lunar surface during the 6 Apollo landings is far too large to have been done in the time available considering all the other tasks that were supposed to have been carried out as well.

These photos were all supposedly taken with Hasselblad cameras which had no viewfinder, no exposure meter and manual operation of the focus, aperture and shutter

rings whilst wearing armoured gauntlets. The shutter button was not visible from inside the space suit and there was no means of knowing when a picture had been taken. Yet many of these spectacular images are icons of the 20th century.

Jack White's work is now publically available on [www.aulis.com](http://www.aulis.com)

I recommend you check it out....and if you find it of interest you might like to forward the website details on to others.

Best Marcus.

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### Japan - Scans Skies For Alien Life

Mizusawa Astrogeodynamics Observatory --Two Japanese observatories have started a probe to find signs of extraterrestrial life using radio and optical telescopes, in Japan's first government-backed search for aliens. "I don't think it would be any wonder if life like us exists somewhere else as space is vast," Mitsumi Fujishita, radioastronomy professor at Kyushu Tokai University, said. The five-day search is being done jointly at the Nishi-Harima Astronomical Observatory, and the state-run Mizusawa Astrogeodynamics Observatory in northern Japan. The Mizusawa observatory is using a radio telescope with a diameter of 10 metres to try to find radio waves. The Nishi-Harima observatory, with a two-metre reflector telescope, aims to detect light. They will focus on the area near the Hydra constellation where a US researcher detected radio waves in 1988. Japan is drafting an ambitious space program, with a goal of a manned station on the moon by 2025, after successfully sending a satellite into space last Saturday. - AFP

# I brought back the patter of little feet



I was between homes in the early eighties and lodged for a while in an old victorian house in my village of Netley Abbey, on the outskirts of Southampton.

The house had retained its splendid victorian atmosphere and the very kindly old landlady added her own personal touches to the scene.

She was accepted as being one of the village's characters whenever she went out, but in the house such things as dust, cobwebs and spiders were left regularly undisturbed.

The food was 'just like Mum's' and the bedding was always spotless so you could quickly accept her few failings for the otherwise overwhelming comforts.

Another of the special features of the house was her cute little Yorkshire terrier which was called "Yorkie," a bit smelly, which was probably not all his fault, as some of the carpets he sat on were rarely cleaned.

One evening I was in the poorly lit and darkly painted kitchen making myself a late sandwich and coffee.

I had left Yorkie shut in the lounge with the landlady.

Then a movement in the darkened passage caught my eye.

'Hello Yorkie, how did you get out.' I asked of the little dog scurrying towards me and going behind me, presumably to his dog bowl.

Finishing my supper preparations I turned, calling Yorkie to follow me and went back into the lounge

When I opened the lounge door I was amazed to see the little dog sitting looking at me with his ears cocked as I had been calling his name.

I asked the landlady how Yorkie had got out.

She said he hadn't been anywhere and he had remained in the lounge all the time I had been out of the room.

I then told her of the dog I had seen in the kitchen and in so doing I recalled that it somehow didn't look exactly like Yorkie.

It seemed to have a "mane" of some kind and when I described it a bit further my landlady got up out of her chair and pulled out a dusty

photograph album. On turning the pages she showed me a photo of the little animal I had seen.

She said it was her "Griffon" a breed of dog I had never heard of and it had died seven years previously.

After that first encounter we would often hear the patter of his little feet running down the stairs and my landlady would remark that it was her little Griffon.

She said that she had not experienced any visits from him before I had moved in and as I am a medium and a healer I had obviously brought him back.

For me that was a first, but now I know that not only human spirits return to communicate with us, pets also return as well, especially where there was lots of love.

**Ernie Sears, Southampton**



**PARANORMAL MATTERS**  
**BY ERNIE SEARS**

"Is anybody out there?" asked the almost two page article in THE TIMES of April 9th 2005. Now that's a headline we're quite used to seeing in the UFO area, while the subtitle, 'Mediums are pulling in huge crowds, business takes advice from spirits, why is a passion for the paranormal now NORMAL?' confirms SUFOG's decision to add a section to our title and, subsequently, our magazine. The article, covers the recent London Scientific and Medical Conference, email info@scimednet.org, and was written by Celia Dodd, who said she was 'probably the only sceptic among an eager audience of mostly women from all over the country. Well known to many, Gordon Smith opened the all day seminar Celia was 'unnerved' by a spot on reading, including dates, given her by a middle aged Lancashire medium. Tickets, by the way, were £75! Little details from the event describe television companies featuring paranormal programmes, Celebrity Most Haunted on Living TV, even a "spoof" medium on BBC3. Leaving audiences puzzled by what is REAL? Universities can offer a PhD on the subject. Dr. Peter Fenwick, who I'm acquainted with, works on near death experiences.. which I'm also aware of!

Alright...enough for now. You who read this...and hopefully you'll be submitting articles too to SUFOG paranormal section.. should see, be aware, you are contributing something powerful and positive to WHY we are here, even if the group is struggling a bit at times.. Shared POWER.. is AWESOME when used for the EIGHT reasons IT HEALS spiritual and mental and physical illnesses.

**Please send in  
 Any material that  
 You think will be  
 Most apt to fill these Pages...  
 personal experiences  
 Or from the press...**

**ICE CIRCLES IN CANADA**

**CATHARINES, ONTARIO** – These ice circles were seen in January, 2005, but were not reported until February 26, 2005. Circular spots along with other more random shapes in ice and snow covered Welland Canal. While quite possibly simply areas where the ice has melted, the near-perfect circular shapes of many of them is interesting, including the sharply-defined edges. These were found just before the canal was drained.

**Ice Circular Phenomena** -- There are also other types of "circular phenomena" which may or may not be related to the crop formations. The ice rings and circles are a now much-debated phenomenon themselves; most found in Canada and elsewhere in recent years have been on small ponds and lakes. Like crop circles, most have appeared overnight, although there are various theories as to how these may be natural in origin, involving underwater vents or currents affecting the surface ice, in particular those rings with diffused edges or "splash patterns." In some cases though, the rings have been almost perfect circles, cleanly incised into the ice with smooth, sharp edges, such as at Delta, Ontario in 2000. Most of these have been on thin surface ice, too thin for a person to have walked on. There are currently eleven known reports in Canada since the 1970s. Thanks to the Canadian Crop Circles Research Network: <http://www.cccrn.ca/>

