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17th Leeds International UFO Conference [UK]

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The 17th Leeds International UFO Conference will be held at the University of Leeds, Northern England, over the weekend of 11 - 13 September.

Staged in the University's splendid Conference Auditorium, proceedings begin on Friday evening, 11 September, with our annual presentation of 'Moving Images', depicting some of the best UFO footage gleaned down the years, plus an advance screening of segments pertaining to the new TV documentary based on the Varginha Incident, to be broadcast later in the Autumn.

This is also an opportunity to meet some of our guest speakers in an informal atmosphere over drinks and light refreshments.

Doors open Friday evening at 5.30pm - the screenings begin at 6.30pm and we end at 10.00pm.

Admission to 'Moving Images' is just =A35.00 at the door.

It's perhaps mentioning at this point that car parking is free on all three days and the main car park itself is positioned right alongside the Conference Auditorium, situated at the top of Calverley Street, which runs past Leeds Town Hall and the General Infirmary.

On Saturday, doors open at 9.30am and proceedings begin at 11.00am with a lecture by Nick Redfern, one of Britain's most accomplished UFO researchers and author of 'Covert Agenda' and 'The FBI UFO Files'. Nick's attention to detail and facts, supported by hitherto classified UFO documentation gleaned from home and abroad, has been a revelation.

After lunch, we welcome leading American abduction researcher Yvonne Smith, who will relate specific cases she has personally handled and offer an insight into her counselling techniques and methods. Yvonne's slide presentation is quite something, but she will also be showing some unique video tape to augment her lecture.

Following a short break, Britain's Russel Callaghan will demonstrate how the modern computer has helped unravel several puzzling mysteries concerning alleged UFO footage & photographs.

Russel will be showing some exclusive footage from Britain & Australia, and highlighting possible links to objects contained on the footage, albeit filmed continents apart. He will attempt to do the same with footage taken recently in Brazil, to that taken over Hawaii by USAF officials.

Our last speaker is Mexico's Jaime Maussan, who requires little introduction. This will be Jaime's first major lecture presentation in Britain, and as a consequence, will undertake to show as much UFO footage as possible in what will be the first of his two-part lectures.

Proceedings are set to end at 7.30pm.

Admission for the Saturday is just =A310.00. Concessionary rates are available, priced at =A37.50, for youngsters under the age of 16; senior citizens; student card holders; the unemployed.

On Sunday, doors open at 9.30am and proceedings begin at 11.00am with a lecture by Andy Rackham, a Senior British Air Traffic Controller at Leeds & Bradford International Airport.

Andy played a key role in helping us to try determine the origins and make-up of two large and extremely bright low-flying objects which were seen to travel over Northern England on the evening of 2 February this year. These objects were filmed in the process and seen by thousands of eye-witnesses, but failed to be detected on his airport's radar.

Andy will not only cover the events of that night, but explain how radar and civil airports in particular, may not be the automatic solution to such over flights as people imagine. Interestingly, he will also reveal details about an alleged UFO crash in the Indian Ocean while he was stationed there.

After lunch, Ananda Sirisena, who hails from Sri Lanka, will present the latest news and images sent back from Mars Global Surveyor. Although there has been heated debate ever since NASA asserted that 'The Face' on Mars was in all likelihood of natural and not extraterrestrial origin, with few exceptions a balanced argument as to who may be right, and who may be wrong, has been sadly lacking.

Ananda's scientific approach looks at both sides of the equation, and the audience will be all the better informed at the end of what is always a fascinating and articulate presentation.

After a short interval, Graham W. Birdsall, editor of Britain's UFO Magazine, will introduce a variety of topics that will form a global overview of the UFO situation and related subjects. In particular, he will focus on NASA's 'Origins' programme and the threat from space of near-Earth objects.

Finally, the 17th Leeds International Conference comes to a close with the second of Jaime Maussan's lectures. The very latest UFO footage will be shown on our giant in-house screen (complemented by state-of-the-art audio/visual technology), and afford an excellent view of images that have set Mexico alight in recent months. Jaime will include the new footage taken of huge formations of objects, often numbering 50 - 100, recorded by no less than 15 independent eye-witnesses at distances apart.

Proceedings are set to end at 7.30pm.

Admission for the Sunday is just =A310.00. Concessionary rates are available, priced at =A37.50, for youngsters under the age of 16; senior citizens; student card holders; the unemployed.

* Those adults wishing to attend both Saturday & Sunday, can do so at the discount price of =A315.00.

In keeping with similar events sponsored and organised by UFO Magazine, those attending will find:

- * Unrestricted viewing throughout the auditorium
- * Light Refreshments available throughout proceedings in the restaurant
- * A no smoking policy within the building
- * A range of UFO Merchandise & special weekend offers
- * A team of highly professional audio/visual technicians to

oversee all lectures

TO APPLY FOR TICKETS:

Tickets may be ordered in advance (numbered seating on the Saturday & Sunday) by one of the following methods:

- * Our World Wide Web site (Conference Booking Form - Credit Card Holders Only) <http://www.ufomag.co.uk>
- * Our 'FREEPHONE' service 0800 068 7281 (UK Credit Card Holders Only)
- * Credit Card Holders can also dial our general office 01943 850860 (Overseas dial 44 1943 850860)
Mon - Fri 9.00am - 5.30pm (24-hour answerphone out of hours)
- * Our general FAX number may also be used 01943 850637

You will find information as to how to obtain a free accommodation guide from Leeds Tourist Office, detailed travel & route map, timetable and speaker biography's, enclosed with your tickets.

Should you have any queries, please don't hesitate to contact our general office.

Thanks for taking the time to study this announcement, and hope to see you at Leeds.

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