

WARREN FARM RADIO FLYERS



Paul Notley has now completed his Utility vintage model – details below.

SEPTEMBER AT WARREN FARM

FIELD CONDITION

The runway is due to be mown very soon, however we are still struggling to keep up with the rabbit holes. We are now wondering if the rabbits are secondary, with foxes being the main culprits.

The toilet has now been cleaned of graffiti, however the door is bent as a result of further vandalism. It is still serviceable, and will not be replaced until we are satisfied that the vandalism has ended, probably when the schools reopen after the summer break.

NEW MODEL ON THE FIELD

Paul Notley recently appeared with the latest addition to his fleet of vintage-style models.

The “Utility” was designed by Allen Hallet in 1946 for free-flight, and has been adapted for modern 3-channel radio gear. With a wingspan of 54ins (1.37m), it purrs around on an old OS20 four-stroke engine.

The model was built from plans supplied by Ben Buckle Kits. Construction is mostly Balsa Wood, with a covering of Oratex fabric.

It is refreshing to know that “Proper Aeromodelling” is still alive and well in the current climate of ARTF models, foamies and pre-enjoyed models from a variety of sources.



AND FINALLY

Please do not forget to complete the BMFA/CAA survey, which could affect the future of all model flying activities in the UK.