

WARREN FARM RADIO FLYERS



This is the September 2025 Newsletter.

We had some great flying days last month. The weather was a bit windy a lot of the time, but we got some good weekends in!

The landing strip has been mown by the council to remove the ragwort and is in great condition.

As ever, it would be useful to have a few more members, so if you know anyone who is keen to try model flying, bring them along for a trial flight.

With the improving weather, we are seeing more members flying. We had excellent weather 22nd to 24 August which tempted more flyers than usual down to the field.

As the Summer continues, remember that we never get aggressive towards people who walk across the field (or want to sit in the middle of the field) when we want to fly. We explain that we pay the council to mow the field for us, and could they move to the side while we are flying. If they refuse, there is no point in taking the argument further. We have printed letters from the council explaining the situation. Remember that any serious incident could lose us our field – even if we are blameless.

On another topic, I know that occasionally we damage an aircraft. If this happens to you, can you drop me an email giving me a few details of the damage incurred and the cause of the accident. That way we can check for common causes and improve safety generally.

Finally, as Autumn approaches some of us will return to the building board (and some of us never left it!). If you are working on an interesting project, send some pics for future newsletters.

Oliver returns to university soon. We will miss his flying skills but look forward to seeing him again when his studies allow!

Below are a few photos from August.

Paul

By the end of August, we had got some great flying days in! Here are some examples.



Paul flew the Retreat several time (as did Oliver and Jack!) It has great handling and is now my preferred trainer.



Good selection of planes on August 23rd! Paul's twin got into the are (thanks to Oliver) and flew beautifully! Its next flight will also feature the ducted fan!



Ther Capiche got a few flights in during the month. Always exciting!



Wayne got this model up during a break in the weather (which the rest of us missed!).



Luca's flying is coming along rapidly with Richard's help!



Oliver's Yak flew brilliantly. It was a bit too windy to fly Paul's Storch, which has a habit of shedding struts and spars even on a good landing.