WHERE TO GO

Easter and the May Bank Holiday are coming up, and there are plenty of options if the weather is reasonable. The start of the Spring Bank Holiday (Saturday 29–Sunday 30 April), sees the first show of the year in the UK at Popham, in the shape of the Microlight Trade Fair. The LAA will be in attendance and it offers a great opportunity to blow the dust off after what seems to have been a long, cold winter.

A week before that is the Wessex Strut's 40th anniversary fly-in (Sunday 23 April), combined with the first Meet the LAA Day. Members (and non-members) are invited to come along and ask questions, or simply have their say with members of the LAA Board and staff.

If you're feeling competitive, or simply wish to test your nav skills, why not take part in the Royal Institutive of Navigation's Top Nav competition? The competition is set to take place at four venues – White Waltham, Goodwood, Conington and Bodmin – on the same date, Saturday 6 May.

Our thanks to Dave Wise and the RAeC for the use of their events data. Further event details, with many web links, are available from the RAeC website at *http://events.royalaeroclub.org*

If you're involved in planning an event and wish to have it included in these *Where to Go* listings, please email the relevant details to *dave.wise@btinternet.com*

APRIL

1	**Fenland** VAC Daffodil Fly-in
1	**Pocklington** GASCo Safety Evening
2	**Old Sarum** Vintage Sunday Fly-in 01722 322525
4	**Snitterfield** GASCo Safety Evening
4-9	**Lakeland**, Fl (N) EAA Sun 'n Fun fly-in
5-8	**Friedrichshafen** (D) AERO GA Exhibition
6	**Netherthorpe** GASCo Safety Evening
8	**Turweston** BP&BC Beagle Pup 50th Anniv Event [PPR] 01280 705400
8	**Old Sarum** BWPA Ladies Fly-in 01722 322525
8	**Shobdon** HAC Ladies Day Fly-in
8	**Duxford IWM Flight Safety Day [PPR-slots] 01223 833376**
9	**Popham** Jodel Fly-in 01256 397733
9	**Shobdon** Facebook GA Community Fly-in [amended date]
8-9	**Saint Dizier** (F) Aero Retro Flea Market
12	**Hawarden** GASCo Safety Evening
15	**Lee-on-Solent** LFA Luscombe Fly-in [PPR – no road access] 01329 824748
15	**Barnoldswick** GASCo Safety Evening
15-16	**Easter** Easter Fly-in at Easter [PPR]
21-23	**Sywell** Eurostar Fly-in
22	**Sleap** VPAC Vintage Piper Fly-in
22	**Bodmin** FOG Charity Children's Flying Day 01752 406660
22-23	**Leicester** RRRA Handicap Air Race
23	**Henstridge LAA Wessex Strut 40th Anniv Fly-in & Meet the LAA [PPR the day before] 01963 364231**
23	**Bicester** Sunday Scramble Classic Cars & Fly-in [PPR]
23	**K2 Centre**, Crawley Gatwick Air Enthusiasts Fair 01403 252628
25	**Liverpool Airport** GASCo Safety Evening [Pre-register]
28-May 8	**Tunis-Zaghouan** (TS) Microlight/ULM Tour of Tunisia
29-May 1	**Montelimar** (F) Precision & Rally Flying Competitions
29	**Turweston** VAC Spring Fly-in [PPR] 01280 705400
29-30	**Popham Microlight Trade Fair 01256 397733**
29-30	**Ha'penny Green** Radial & Trainer Fly-in
30	**Old Buckenham** Classic Wings & Wheels Event [PPR]
30	**Dunkeswell** LAA Devon Strut Fly-in 01404 891643

MAY

1	**Popham** Aero Auto Jumble & Fly-in 01256 397733
6	**Antwerp** (OO) ASA Antwerp Aviation Fair Sale
6	**White Waltham** RIN Topnav South Competition-London
6	**Conington** RIN Topnav South Competition-North
6	**Goodwood** RIN Topnav South Competition-South
6	**Bodmin** RIN Topnav South Competition-West
6-7	**Northrepps** Ex-Military Fly-in
6-7	**Breighton** Aerobatics Competition
6-7	**Carrickmore**, NI CFC Micro & STOL Fly-in
6-7	**Igualada** (EC) Aero Sport Exhibition
6-8	**Commerveil** (F) Loire ULM Competition
7	**Popham** Van's RV Fly-in 01256 397733
7	**Old Warden** Shuttleworth Air Show
7	**Breighton** Fly-in & Aerojumble [PPR]
7	**Kempton Park** Heathrow Aircraft Enthusiasts Fair 07956 430048
11-13	**Biggin Hill** Elite Lifestyle Exhibition
12-13	**Henlow** DH Moth Club Flying Forum
13	**Breighton** VPAC Vintage Piper Fly-in
13	**Eggesford** LAA Devon Strut Fly-in
13	**Duxford** IWM Photography Day
13	**Tatenhill** East Staffs FC Aerobility Charity Fly-in
13	**Lee-on-Solent** LFA Gyro Fly-in [PPR – no road access] 01329 824748
13-14	**Barton** City Airport Summer Fly-in
13-14	**Preston Capes** Microlight Competition
13-14	**Epernay** (F) Precision & Rally Flying Competitions
13-14	**Amiens** (F) LAA Fly-out to 20,000 Leagues in the Air Fly-in & Display
13-14	**Teuge** (PH) RRRA Handicap Air Race
14	**Taghmon** (EI) ILAS Breakfast Fly-in
14	**Abingdon** Air & Country Show
14	**Compton Abbas** Pooley's Day Fly-in [PPR]
14	**Seething Canard** Fly-in [PPR] 01508 550453
19-21	**Argentan** (F) Precision & Rally Flying Competitions
20	**Old Warden** Shuttleworth Evening Air Show
20-21	**Northrepps** NNAC 90th Anniversary Fly-in
20-21	**North Coates** Spring Fly-in 01472 388850
20-21	**Newark** Museum Hastings & Shackleton Event 01636 707170
21	**Popham** LAA Andover Strut Fly-in 01256 397733
21	**Old Buckenham** LAA & Homebuilt Fly-in [PPR]
21	**Wellesbourne** Save Wellesbourne Airfield Fly-in
21	**Stow Maries** Wings & Wheels Event [PPR] 01245 329358
21-27	**Le Mans to Epinal** (F) Tour De France ATL
22-24	**Geneva** (HB) EBACE Business Aviation Conference & Exhibition
25-28	**Abbeville** (F) Bulldog & Chipmunk Meet & Formation Practice
25-28	**Calvi** (F) Flight into Springtime Rally
25-28	**Hoganas** (SE) Piper Cub Fly-in
27	**Compiegne** (F) Jodel Fly-in
27	**Durham Tees** Tees Valley Air Show
27	**Bodmin** Ladies Day Fly-in & Hangar Dance 01208 821419
27	**Little Gransden** Aerobatics Competition
27-28	**Antwerp** (OO) Museum Stampe & Aircoupe Fly-in
27-28	**Duxford** IWM Spring Air Show
27-28	**Glenforsa**, Mull Annual Fly-in [PPR] 01680 300377
27 & 29	**East Kirkby** Lincolnshire Aviation Heritage Centre, Lanc, Tanks & Military Machines Event
27-29	**Popham** Socata TB Owners Club Fly-in 01256 397733
27-June 9	**Isle of Man** Isle of Man TT Motor Cycle Races
28	**Wellesbourne** Help Save Wellesbourne Fly-in
28	**Bruntingthorpe** Museum Cold War Jets Open Days [to be confirmed]
29	**Bidford-on-Avon** Charity Wings & Wheels Show [PPR] 01789 778807