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Local Train Station: Blackpool Squires Gate (5 mins walk)

By Road: M55 Motorway Junction 4 follow signs for A5230 and Airport

Buses To Blackpool Squires Gate: 1, 11, 17 (5 mins walk)

Tram: Starr Gate (10 mins walk)

Open March – October (check website for more details)

Admission Charges: Adults (16+) £6.00

Children (age 8+) £4.00, under 8's FREE

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OUR HISTORY

The Lytham St Annes Spitfire Ground Display Team was established in 2009 to help raise funds for the RAF Memorial now located on Fairhaven Lake in Lytham St Annes. In 1940 the residents of the Borough of Lytham St Annes raised funds to purchase Spitfire W3644, sadly shot down in 1942. A full size replica of the Aircraft now sits at the centre of a Memorial at Fairhaven Lake (FY81BD)



WHAT IS THERE TO SEE IN HANGAR 42?

Our four marks of Spitfire and the Hawker Hurricane are all currently being restored with original parts to a high standard. For a small additional fee of just £5.00 you can sit in the cockpit of our Mark IX "Lucy" and have a number of unique photographs taken to remember your visit. You can learn about the restoration of our rare fleet of RAF Airfield vehicles, from the Volunteers who care for them and see how you could help. On all open days our Volunteers host talks on our various exhibits and the wartime stories of the Fylde Coast. The stories behind our recovered exhibits of WW2 aircraft crash wrecks, both Allied and Luftwaffe, will also bring the realities of aerial combat to life.

FUTURE PROJECTS

By visiting you are helping raise funds towards a number of future restoration projects with plans to return an operational aircraft to the Hangar in the future. We are keen to widen our community involvement giving opportunities to young and old to help maintain and restore our Aviation Heritage. We have a collection scheme and welcome donations of WW2 RAF artefacts large and small as well as financial donations towards our projects.

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