

The Heritage Team at the Battle of Britain Museums, Uxbridge and Bentley Priory

The Heritage Team were again privileged to be invited to take the wartime display to both Museums. At Uxbridge **John Shere** and **Keith**, ably supported by **Paul Norris** and **Paul Wakefield** from **Newhaven Fort**, manned the display on Wednesday, 15th September which was their Battle of Britain 'families Day'. They were in their usual position on the balcony at the top of the stairs leading from Reception to the floor of the Museum. Much interest was shown by visitors and questions answered. The two photographs show John Shere and Paul Wakefield talking to visitors.

At **Bentley Priory** on Saturday, 18th September, **Simon Craine**, **John Shere** and **Nicola Craine** manned the display on the Terrace outside the café in the sunshine, visitors sitting at tables under umbrellas made for a pleasant atmosphere. They had many visitors who asked questions and some were taught how to use the Post Instrument. The photograph shows them with the display. We already have the date for the 2022 event, 17th September!

I show my support for Bentley Priory on this day by acting as a volunteer, this year manning the Vintage Sales Table with a fellow volunteer, the daughter of John Derry who was killed at the air show at Farnborough in 1952.

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