

The "Dogfight" only lasted about 10 minutes and none of those missing were ever found. On returning to base the squadron was released from further

operations and they returned to West Malling. Next day they received seven new replacement aircraft. On 21st July they were posted back to Scotland.

Boulton Paul Defiant



HERITAGE OPEN DAYS

Thursday 8th to Sunday 11th September 2005

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Heritage Open Days, organised by English Heritage and the Civic Trust every year, celebrates England's fantastic architecture by encouraging free access to buildings that are usually closed to the public or would normally charge an admission fee.

Dover has a great wealth of historic buildings, but only some are normally open to the public such as Dover Castle, the Maison Dieu and the Roman Painted House. The Dover Society thought that it was about time Dover made an effort to have more buildings open, if only for a few days. As a result five buildings will be open this year. The Dover Society is coordinating publicity both nationally through the regional booklet and the on line service produced by Heritage Open Days and locally using local press and radio. Details of opening times are:

St Edmund's Chapel Thursday 8th to Sunday 11th September 10am to 4pm

Maison Dieu House Thursday 8th and Friday 9th September 10am to 4pm

Archcliffe Fort

<i>(guided tours)</i>	Saturday 10th September	10.30am to 11.30am & 3pm to 4pm
	Sunday 11th September	3pm to 4pm

Unitarian Church,

Adrian Street	Sunday 11th September	11am to 3pm
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Grand Shaft Staircase Saturday 10th & Sunday 11th September 10am to 4.30pm

The Drop Redoubt will also be open at a small charge.

Hopefully, many of our members will take up this opportunity. It is a new initiative for The Dover Society and, if successful, we hope to increase the number of properties participating next year.