

– THE –
SIR KEITH PARK
– MEMORIAL CAMPAIGN –



APRIL NEWSLETTER - 'Thank You for Your Support to Date'

Dear Supporter,

Our campaign continues with the following events as detailed in this newsletter. Thank you for your help and support so far. Please read through the information below and do contact us if you wish to.

I believe we will continue to build on the excellent start to our campaign and ensure we continue to apply pressure to the relevant authorities to achieve our aim of a suitable permanent memorial site to Sir Keith Park on the 4th Plinth in Trafalgar Square.

The 'Sir Keith Park Memorial Campaign' website has been updated with a list of individuals who have signed the website petition. If you would like to view these names then please click or type in the following link <http://www.sirkeithpark.com/petition.aspx>.

Please forward on the email or the links to the petitions to anyone who you think might support our campaign and sign either, or preferably both, petitions. NB: The No. 10 Downing Street Petition only displays the latest 500 signatories.

We will continue to keep you informed of any upcoming events.
Thank you again for your continued support.

Terry Smith

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Update

Friday 7 March 2008

Launch in Trafalgar Square of the Sir Keith Park Memorial Campaign with a full size replica spitfire. Attendees included: WWII RAF Veterans; Leigh Park, the great great niece of Sir Keith Park; Terry Smith; Mark Field MP; Brian Paddick the Liberal Democrat Mayoral Candidate; RAF Representatives; various Press and Media (see pictures under future events). More pictures available on website:
http://www.sirkeithpark.com/image_library.aspx

Friday 7 March 2008

Launch of Sir Keith park Memorial Campaign Website www.sirkeithpark.com containing an online petition, information on Sir Keith Park and various images of spitfires and hurricanes in motion (the site received approximately 2000 visits in its first week)

Tuesday 18 March 2008

House of Commons, Westminster, London. An Early Day motion supporting the campaign was made available for all MPs to sign to show their support. **'EDM 1206, Sir Keith Park Memorial Campaign'** Raised by Mark Field MP and co-sponsored by the following MPs (in no particular order) Peter Bottomley MP, Lembit Opik MP, Colin Breed MP, John Spellar MP, Julian Brazier MP. This EDM has cross-party support and currently has **36 MP signatures**. Please check and see if your own MP is listed. If not please contact your MP and ask them to support the campaign. Link to UK Parliament Website:
<http://edmi.parliament.uk/EDMi/EDMDetails.aspx?EDMID=35432&SESSION=891>

Wednesday 19 March 2008

Petition submitted to the No. 10 Downing Street website, asking the Prime Minister to: 'instruct his Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport (under the Public Statues Act (Monopolies) - 1854)' to support the Sir Keith Park Memorial Campaign for a memorial statue to Air Chief Marshal Sir Keith Rodney Park, GCB, KBE, MC and Bar, DFC, RAF... (Apologies to our New Zealand and Overseas Supporters unable to place their names on this petition). Link to No. 10 Downing Street Petitions:
<http://petitions.pm.gov.uk/SirKeithPark/>

Future Events: April 2008



Launch of the Sir Keith Park Memorial Campaign 7/3/08

Friday 18 April 2008

Unveiling of Sir Keith Park Memorial Statue maquette (a representation of the final statue by Roderick Burgess)
SEE ATTACHED INVITATION

Monday 21 April 2008

Sir Keith Park website updated with photo's of the maquette and unveiling event

Tuesday 29 April 2008

Ex-Battle of Britain Spitfire and Hurricane fly to, and land at, Biggin Hill SEE ATTACHED INVITATION

Wednesday 30 April 2008

Sir Keith Park website updated with photo's of the Battle of Britain Spitfire and Hurricane flying to Biggin Hill

May 2008

Visit to New Zealand by Terry Smith - details will be made known as soon as they are confirmed



The Spitfire of Solent Sky Aviation Museum 7/3/08

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