

TRIPLANE TO TYPHOON 100 YEARS AFTER TAKE OFF EXHIBITION



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England's first officially recognised air display took place on land just South of Squires Gate Blackpool on 18th October 1909. Thousands came from all over the country and for the first time they saw heavier than air machines take to the skies. You could just imagine the excitement of seeing a heavier than air machine actually getting off the ground.

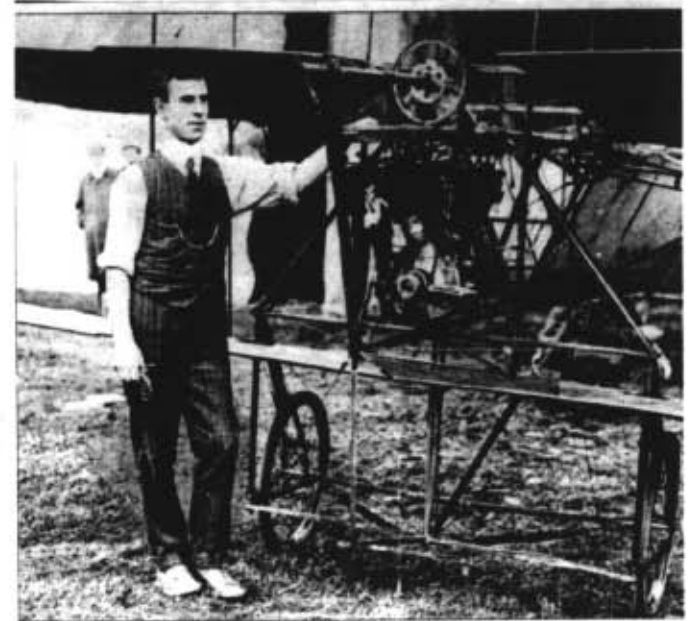
All those thousands of spectators would have gone home completely amazed and inspired, some of them would become aviators of the future, getting involved in design and construction.

Starting with Alliott Verdon Roe the first English man to build and fly an all English plane leading to the creation of Lancashire factories making thousands of planes.

This is a tribute to all those aviation designers embracing the latest technologies and the courage of the test pilots right up to the present day.

Using aviation historical material together with the North's leading heritage groups and fantastic scale models we will tell you the story of 100 years of aviation success from the **Triplane** to the **Typhoon**.

Looking forward to seeing you at our Exhibition in St Annes on the Sea 17th October 2009.



AVIATION PIONEER: Alliott Verdon Roe with his triplane in Blackpool

