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Talking Point



A word from Anne and Pat - Directors of BUFORA (Ireland) Branch

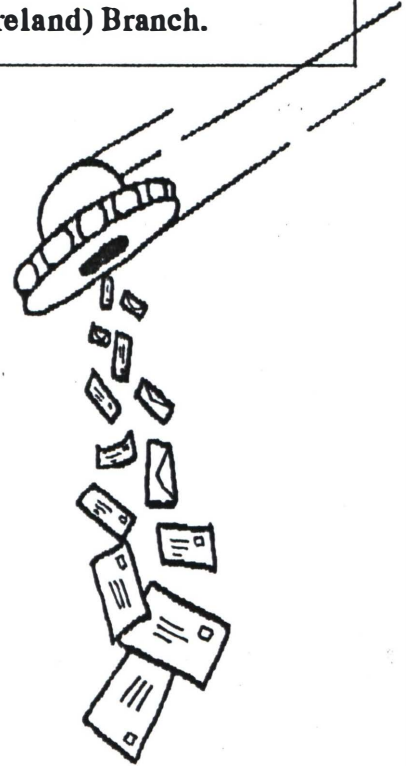
Hello and welcome from Anne and Pat to our First edition of BUFORAs (Ireland) Branch Journal. Yes, we have finally made it to print, and it came about rather unexpectedly. Since last June we have been extremely busy trying to get BUFORA (Ireland) Branch off the ground, this has not been easy as we have 'encountered' some problems along the way. Every child has it's problems until it grows up and ours was no exception, what we needed more than anything else was an extra person, based in or near Dublin, who had access to a computer that was capable of doing all sorts of wonderful things; someone who could help us with the day to day running of BUFORA (Ireland) Branch.

One day we received a letter from a young man in Bray, Co. Wicklow, who introduced himself as Karl Morris. He told us that he was a member of BUFORA in England, but that he would love to help us run the Irish section of

BUFORA. Karl has access to many computers and was 'over the moon' when we asked him if he would be our P.R.O. for Southern Ireland. So this first edition of the BUFORA (Ireland) Branch Journal is mainly due to the hard work which Karl has put in on layout and design. Pat and I are delighted to welcome Karl to BUFORA (Ireland) Branch and you will be seeing a lot more from Karl in future issues of our Journal.

In the meantime, this first issue contains some Irish UFO cases from our files, over the coming months we will also produce articles relating to all aspects of UFOlogy and we hope to have a special section for BUFORA members to air their views. We also intend to hold our first BUFORA meeting in Dublin in the near future, all details of future meetings will be published in this Journal. All correspondence for the magazine only to the editor at the address on the inside cover.

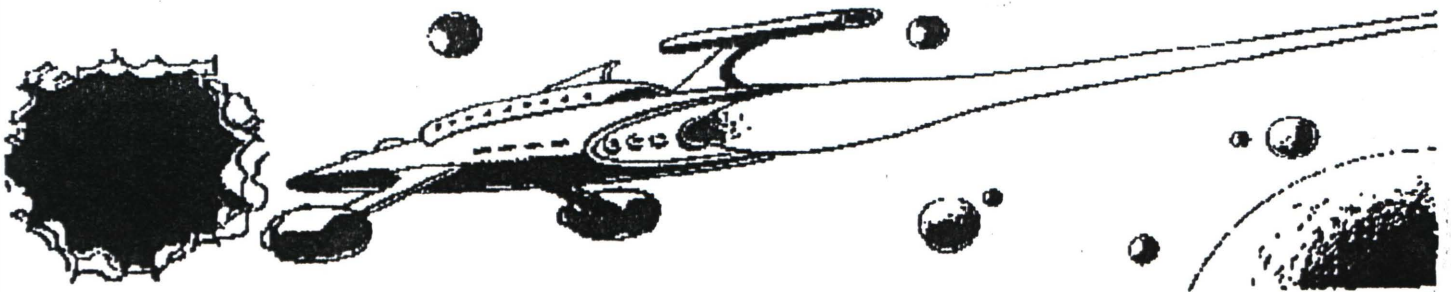
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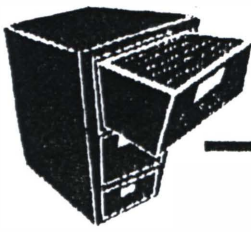


Our next issue will have a letters page, if you have something to say - write!

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The orange ball

Report: Pat Delaney & Anne Griffin

We received this letter direct from Jenny Randles. From her letter it appears that the witness had two sightings on two different occasions.

The first sighting took place when the witness was 17 years old and living in Clonsilla, Co. Dublin which is situated 8 miles N.E. of Dublin City and not as built up at that time unlike it is now.

At the time of the sighting 22 years ago, Clonsilla was a small village with about 30 houses or so. The witness, whom we shall call M, states at that time he had no interest whatsoever in UFOs. He was mainly interested in Football, Fishing and Mountaineering.

First Sighting

In October of 1971, M was returning from a local football match in Blanchardstown, which is approximately 2 miles from Clonsilla. It was getting dark, the sky was clear and M and some of his friends were about one mile from the village. While passing some woods, in a clearing to the East, M and friends saw a bright orange ball moving slowly from a westerly/easterly direction. It was about 10 o'clock high in the sky. As the witness lived quite close to Dublin Airport, he was well used to aircraft coming and going during the day and night and would not mistake it for anything else.

The object remained in sight for about five minutes. M and his

friends ran to an old water tower where they climbed up to get a better view of the object. From their vantage point they could see the object as it headed towards Dublin City and out to sea. On returning home, M informed his parents as to what he had seen. M is convinced that it was not a weather balloon as the wind was southerly and the object had moved West to East.

M forgot about his experience for a while until a year later when he was travelling down to the country by train. He happened to see a report in the newspaper whom the man in front of M was reading, about a huge red ball that had been sighted by an Aer Lingus Pilot. The pilot had observed the object coming from the East coast of Ireland and travelling toward the Welsh coast. At that moment M recalled that the object which he and the pilot had observed must have been one and the same thing.

Second Sighting

The second sighting happened 6 years later, in 1977, when M was driving a car near the Sliabh Na Mon Mountains in South Tipperary. he spotted a red light which was high in the sky over the mountains. He stopped the car and got out to have a look. At first, he thought it might be a light of an aircraft but while watching it a while he noticed that the object was stationary. The sky was

overcast with high ice clouds in the advance of coming rain. Suddenly, the light turned white and got hazy as if it was moving upwards into the clouds and disappeared. M waited for a while but nothing appeared again.

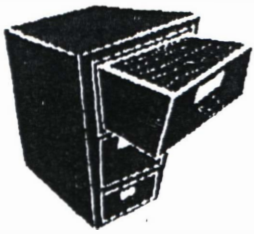
Explosions

The witness goes on to say that he moved to Co. Tipperary in 1978 and over the years he has heard a mysterious explosion which caused dogs to bark frantically. M talked to some people about these 'explosions' but nobody could explain anything to him. He describes the sounds like 'distant thunder' without lighting which sometimes effects television reception in the area. He has also seen other lights in the sky and these also remain a mystery to him.

INFO	Name: N/A (BUFORA Member)
	Address: Ballingarry, Co. Tipperary
	Age: 17 (At time of 1st sighting)
	Date of sighting(s): Oct.1971, 10:00pm 1977 (Second)
Location of sighting(s): Clonsilla, County Dublin and Sliabh na Mon - Mountains, Co. Tipperary.	

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500 Year Old Alien

Report: Pat Delaney and Anne Griffin

The above is the headline of an American Newspaper which appeared on the 21st April, 1992. According to the report of the story (received by us from America), the alien was captured after its spaceship landed on the deck of a Navy Aircraft Carrier on the 12th August, 1991.

From the picture of the Alien that appears in the article he looks like a child of about three to four years of age. But the astonishing thing is he claims to be five hundred years old. If we are to believe that this story is true, and as Ufologists we must not dismiss it out of hand and we must also keep an open mind on the story, then we can only say, that this is living proof that there are Extraterrestrials coming to visit us from other worlds.

Of course, the sceptics will be the first to examine the picture of the Alien very closely and would come up with answers such as 'This is a child wearing make-up and his craft is only a model of a spaceship such as the type that is used in Science Fiction Movies.' If this is so, how do they go about proving their statement? Why would the Military and the U.S. Government go to so much trouble to make someone up like an Alien, get someone to create a model of a spaceship, set it down on one of their Aircraft carriers and take a photograph of the Alien and the craft?

It appears that this scenario is highly unlikely, in view of the fact that the U.S. Government and the Military are prone to keeping such events secret as they do not usually tell the public and the world of their great 'discoveries'.

The only reason that this American paper got the story was that a highly placed CIA source risked his career and possibly his life by 'blowing the lid off it' to the paper concerned. He also provided a photograph of the Alien and its starship. If the Alien was just a mere child with make-up then the CIA man would be very stupid to risk his career and his life for such a claim. Besides, what would he stand to gain? Nothing! except perhaps embarrassment, humiliation and disgrace if the story is false or made up. There is much too much at stake for mankind, planet Earth and the welfare of the Universe if we dismiss it out of hand.

So what was the Alien's reason for visiting America? and why land on a U.S. Naval Carrier in the Pacific on the 12th August, 1991? Why did he wait until now? Did he know that he would be held in a secret facility in Washington D.C. where he would be questioned by the CIA about certain things? What did they talk about - and what did the Alien answer? Apparently, it emerges, that the Alien told the CIA Agents that he was from the Planet Elnar in the Andromeda Galaxy. He is three feet tall and is aged 500 years old. His IQ is 400 and he speaks every language on Earth. (We, Pat and Anne, are willing to bet that he would not know how to speak Gaelic...)

His eating habits are quite unusual too and his diet consists of blackberries and goat's milk. This, at least, tells us something about his home planet of Elnar. The climate is obviously suited to allow growth of blackberries and is possibly similar to Earth's climate. It is possible also that Elnar could have some goats on

it otherwise our friend would not be able to drink goat's milk by the gallon. Which leaves us with the question were the goats abducted from the Earth or did they 'create' these animals as an exact replica of the ones on Earth? This is not so surprising as it sounds - it is a possibility that must be considered.

What about the Alien's meeting with U.S. President George Bush (also mentioned in the article) and in an Election Year too! One can only speculate what kind of conversation took place between the two? Did he pledge support for George Bush or did they simply discuss the state of our planet, or the U.S. Government cover-up about UFOs etc.

The great Prophet and 16th Century Seer Micheal Nostradamus has predicted that Aliens will appear on Nationwide Coast to Coast U.S. TV in May of 1993 and will give interviews to the media. Has the Alien some connection with this prophecy of Nostradamus - was he warning George Bush to be prepared for this forthcoming event. Alas! we will never know.

What we find so amazing and fascinating is the fact that he told us something about himself - but one wonders why he didn't tell the CIA Agents his name. Perhaps it was something unpronounceable, or if he had a family or what did he work at? Are there others of his race living on Elnar? We might add, that Official CIA, Navy and White House Spokesmen will neither confirm nor deny the Source's report. Are Extraterrestrial creatures finally beginning to make contact with us? Are channels of communication starting to open up between Earth and the outer galaxies of space?

Are we, after so many years of technological and scientific ignorance, realising that we should not be afraid to listen to what we have to say unless of course, they mean war, and then we go about trying to defend ourselves against them if they prove to be not of a benign nature.

One thing still remains unclear concerning the above: Is the Alien still being held at this secret facility in Washington D.C.? Was he returned to his ship after he was interrogated by the C.I.A. Agents? How did they treat him? Is he still alive? Will he be used as a ploy in the U.S. War games with Russia and the other powerful nations of this world or will he teach them about perfect health and how to achieve it and how to live a longer life and live to be five hundred years old. Somehow, teaching us mere Earthlings about the secrets of Immortality, we don't think, would catch on, especially with the way we are treating our Planet Earth by poisoning it very slowly and killing off its inhabitants.

Let's face it, even if we did live to be five hundred years old, somehow, the prospect of having to live on Earth (if it is still there) at that age is terrifying. Perhaps if we were able to live on another planet in another galaxy at least we can be sure that somewhere in the vast regions of deep dark space, our new civilizations waiting for us to discover them. Someday, perhaps we will.

AN ALIEN GALLERY



THE BUSINESS—Visitors to Rachel, Nevada are greeted by this grim-faced faced 'grey,' a logo of the public bar and restaurant closest to 'Area 51.'



CLEAR MESSAGE—Proprietors Pat and Joe Travis have a reputation of managing the premier watering hole for Area 51 workers, who meet here to quaff a few brewskies and exchange little alien tales.

INFO

"The alien is highly intelligent & in spite of being incarcerated, he is said to be most co-operative and is talking freely with our agents and other powers-that-be, including (former) President - George Bush..."
Quotation from a highly placed CIA Source



**If you have any unusual photos
send them to the Journal**



Reviews

Looking for books on the UFO phenomenon in Dublin city is like looking for a town in Ireland without a pub (and that is impossible!). With some of the finest book shops in Europe it is rather strange that these same Dublin book shops are lacking in this area of what is today a very popular and highly marketable topic. When you do stumble upon a book on the UFO phenomena it is usually in a 'New Age' section - is this a 'New Age' topic? I have found UFO books in 'Sci-Fi' sections and, best of all, 'Religion' sections! So, when I came across 'Alien Liaison' by Timothy Good in an 'Astronomy' section you can imagine my utter un-amazement...

I purchased the Hard Back edition on the strength of Tim Goods last book 'Above Top Secret' without referring to the blurb on the back-cover. If you do happen to read the blurb, you will be tempted to read a couple of pages before you buy it, testimony to this claim were two students who both casually picked up a copy and read the back-cover, that was enough to entice them to read a while. When a book claims to 'prove beyond reasonable doubt' it is usually a good read because it has been well researched, and as with 'Above Top Secret', 'Alien Liaison' is no exception.

Alien Liaison by Timothy Good

Reviewed by Karl Morris

The book, as the name suggests, is about aliens. It provides evidence that UFOs have been recovered, are being test flown and that alien bodies, some perhaps living, have also been recovered and 'contact' has been established. It starts with a well written chapter containing various reports of UFO sightings and ends with the John Lear report in which Lear states that the U.S. Government made a 'deal' with an alien species (EBEs). This 'deal', amongst other things was said to have given permission for alien experiments to take place in exchange for information and technology - these alien experiments were on humans and cattle. This leads to chapter 2 in which the cattle mutilations are examined.

I Found chapter 3, 'Colorado Breakthrough' which tells the story of a ranch in the Rocky Mountains of Colorado and the owners experiences quite scary. This is one story which you shouldn't read at night! The book goes on to tell of the International (and U.S. Presidential) connection with alien beings and of recovered alien craft, with a now mandatory mention of the Roswell Incident. The most interesting part of the book for me was the story of Robert Lazar, a scientist who worked in the Top Secret S-4 area in the Nevada desert. He claims to have been working on an alien propulsion unit and has seen alien craft 'test flown' at the base. This is by far the

most concrete evidence (if true) that the U.S. government has alien hardware. Robert Lazars' description of the alien propulsion unit is also fascinating to read, as is his experiences in S-4.

The book is well written with Tim Goods careful attention to detail, the facts are presented clearly and I came away satisfied that the book did what it set out to do. The only thing I would liked to have seen would be more on the Groom lake site (S-4), maybe in the future Tim? (Oh! and if you could have given a copy of the Robert Lazar interview on video with each book... some people are never satisfied!)

Rating: 9/10



Author Timothy Good

Next Issue: Review of his latest book "Alien Update"

Editorial



Phew! here it is, the very first issue of the Journal from the Irish Branch of BUFORA. This launch issue is just a sample of what we hope will become the definitive (and so far the only!) Irish UFO Journal, it is also a chance to show that Ireland is not just a land full of green grass and Guinness, that serious UFO research does take place here and that we should not be brushed aside when it comes to participating in this research, even if up to now the only sightings that have gained Ireland any recognition have been the religious apparitions, may I also add that I have never seen a Leprechaun or heard the howling of a Banshee...

The main aim of the Journal is to publish Irish sightings and to promote the UFO Phenomenon in Ireland but also to inform readers of World events. It is also another outlet for the fight against secrecy regarding the UFO cover-up which is being conducted by the major powers of this planet, for the secret they so expertly keep is one that all humanity should know about.

Many people are sceptical about UFOs, but remember, there were sceptics who did not believe the world was round, did not believe a man could be put on the moon... Sometimes we forget that we live on a planet, we worry about getting by from day to day, these daily routines seem insignificant

when you look up at the stars at night and wonder if there is anybody else out there? If you are a sceptic and are reading this Journal, read it with an open mind, if you do not have an open mind, then maybe through the pages of this and other issues we will open it for you.

Karl Morris (Ed & P.R.O.)

About BUFORA Ireland

BUFORA, the Headquarters in England, was founded in 1962 as a federation of UFO groups throughout the UK. Many of these groups were formed in the 1950's. These included the British Flying Saucer Bureau, founded in 1952, which is believed to be the UK's oldest UFO group. In 1962 the group was known as the British UFO Association, changing its name in 1964 to the present British UFO Research Association (BUFORA). In 1989 BUFORA Ireland was formed under the Directorship of Pat Delaney and Anne Griffin.

In April 1992 we were affiliated to BUFORA England, and are now officially known as 'BUFORA (Ireland) Branch'. BUFORA (Ireland) Branch is registered under the Data Protection Act, and amongst other things our membership records are held on a computer data base. (It is the policy of BUFORA (Ireland) Branch

NOT to release membership records to third parties.)

Membership is open to all who support the aims of the association, and whose application is approved by the Council of Management.

The aims of BUFORA (Ireland) Branch:

a) To encourage, promote and conduct unbiased scientific research of the Unidentified Flying Objects (UFO) phenomena throughout Ireland and England.

b) To collect and disseminate evidence and data relating to Unidentified Flying Objects (UFOs).

c) To co-ordinate UFO research throughout Ireland and to co-operate with others engaged in such research throughout the world.

Overleaf is an Application Form for membership of BUFORA (Ireland) Branch. You may photocopy the Application Form. If there is anything else you would like to know about BUFORA (Ireland) Branch please do not hesitate to write to the Public Relations Officer.





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Application Form

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The Back Page

We hope you enjoyed this first issue of the Journal, and although a little on the slim side, I can assure you that issue 2 will be crammed to bursting point (I never exaggerate!), here is a sample of issue 2:

* The Mysterious man of Crumlin (a village in Dublin) shopping centre - full case report.

* International and Local (Irish) news.

* If we receive any, a letters page.

* More Irish case files, International stories and reviews, so until issue 2 - Keep watching the skies!

Here is a small list of publications which are recommended by BUFORA (Ireland) Branch, if you are looking for a good introduction to the UFO Phenomenon or are a more mature reader, these books are well written and researched and cover most UFO associated topics:



* Phenomenon by John Spencer - Published by FUTURA

* Communion/Transformation by Whitley Strieber - Published by Macdonald

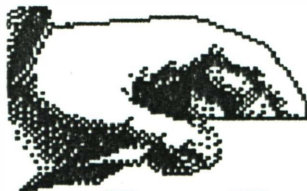
* Sky Crash by Randles/Street/Butler - Published by Grafton

* Above Top Secret by Timothy Good - Published by Grafton

* Alien Liaison by Timothy Good - Published by Century

* Flying Saucers - Serious Business by Frank Edwards - Published by Citadel Press

If you have read a good book on the UFO Phenomenon, why not write a review of it for this Journal? Send articles to the editorial address.



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We would appreciate help in compiling International News and Local News for this section of the Journal - All those who contribute will be credited. Thanks.