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**POST HISTORY- CASTLE MARTIN / ST TWYNELLS**

**@ 1940**

**@1959 &1982**

**OBSERVATION POST OPENED: July 1940**

**IDENTITY (IE 'CALL SIGN'):**

**July 1940 - Nov 1953 28.2/(Unknown)**

**Nov 1953 – Oct 1968 13/E3**

**Oct 1968 - 1982 13/G3 (admin Identity only – not used operationally)**

**1982 Letter/Number identities ceased – Operational Numbers only used**

**OPERATIONAL NUMBERS: (Introduced for data processing)**

**Dec 1967 – Oct 1968 13/ (Number unknown)**

**Oct 1968 – 1982 13/42**

**1982 - Sep 1991 13/36**

**GRID REFERENCE:**

**July 1940 - 1962 R915984**

**July 1962 - Sep 1991 R942975**

**Map 1" - 151**

**Map Metric - 158**

**TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION:**

**Jul 1940 – May 1945 – Standard Hut + commencing with Self-Build**

**Replaced if required by permanent structure during war.**

**May 1945 – Jan 1947 Site not officially used**

**Jan 1947 - 1962 Original Observation Post reused.**

**Jul 1962 – Sep 1991 Standard ROC Monitoring Post in use.**

**HEIGHT above Sea level of Monitoring Post + 200ft (61m from 1987)**

**COMMUNICATIONS:**

**Landline July 1940 – Sep 1991**

**July 1940 - 1960 ish Field Telephone using switched public lines.**

**1960'ish 1981 AD3460 Teletalk**

**1981 – Sep 1991 AD8010 Loudspeaker Telephone**

**1982 Private Wire installed (Circuit No 20205 )**

***Key; underlining indicates highly likely but no official documentation of that item.***

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