

The Royal Observer Corps Museum

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POST HISTORY- PONT-ERWYD

OBSERVATION POST OPENED: September 1940

IDENTITY (IE 'CALL SIGN'):

Sep 1940 – Nov 1953 28.1/O2

Nov 1953 – Oct 1968 13/Q4

Oct 1968 - 1982 13/A1 (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 13/10

1982 - Sep 1991 13/13

GRID REFERENCE:

Sep 1940 - 1961 N750810

1961 - Sep 1991 N753820

Map 1" - 127

Map Metric - 135

TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION:

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

Replaced by permanent structure sometime during war.

May 1945 – Jan 1947 Site not officially used

Jan 1947 - 1961 Original Observation Post reused.

1961 - Oct 1963 Assumed Structure relinquished on change of site.

Oct 1963 – Sep 1991 Standard ROC Monitoring Post in use.

HEIGHT above Sea level of Monitoring Post + 1000ft or 305m

COMMUNICATIONS:

Landline Sep 1960 – Sep 1991

Sep 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 20200)

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

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