










Welcome to CAT17

CAT 17 at Finningley


-  Great to be up North
-  Thanks to Kevin and team
-  Make sure you've paid or you won't get your lunch!
-  Honesty rules apply in building 2
-  Talks program – more relaxed than previous years
 - But be on time & Mobile on silent
 - We are recording this so use the mic for any Q+A
 - Streaming is on but reliant on EE mobile
-  Make sure you see all the demos and use the facilities
-  Evening meal – be there at 7:30



Agenda - Saturday

Saturday			
	10:00	Doors Open	
	10:00	Show and tell and Portsdown clinic	<i>Informal hands on session</i>
	12 noon	SMD workshop introduction - Kevin G3AAF	<i>For those interested in workshop</i>
	13:00	Lunch	<i>SMD workshop runs during lunch</i>
	14:00	Welcome - Noel G8GTZ	
	14:15	Introduction to optical comms - Bernie G4HJW	
	14:45	Portsdown update and Q&A - Dave G8GKQ	
	15:30	Coffee break and Portsdown competition judging	
	16:00	Portsdown competition results & BATC awards	
	16:15	DigiTwist - An Experimental Low Cost Satellite Tracker - G4EWJ	
	17:00	Session closes	
	19:30	Informal dinner at the Reindeer Sandtoft	

 Demos


 Test equipment

 BATC shop

 Portsdown Clinic

Agenda- Sunday

Sunday			
9:30	Antennae test range introduction (will run during the day)		
10:00	5.6 GHz ATV - how to get on a new ATV band easily - G8GKQ		
10:30	Coffee Break		
11:00	10GHz DATV experiences - Noel G8GTZ		
11:30	DATV on the ADALM-Pluto – Charles G4GUO		<i>By Skype</i>
12:15	Lunch		
13:00	DATV best practices - PAs and filters		
13:45	Eshailsat update - Dave G8GKQ		
14:00	The Goonhilly project - Noel G8GTZ		
14:30	CAT17 Closes		
17:00	Site closes		

 So make sure you pay your £10 and enjoy yourself!

Meet the committee

 **Noel G8GTZ = Chair**

- Shop
- ETCC TV rep

 **Frank MOAEU**

- CQ-TV editor

 **Clive G3GJA**

 **Rob G8NXG**

- Mem sec

 **Dave G8GKQ**

- Forum admin
- Contests*

 **Graham G3VZV**

- President

 **Dave G8ADM**

- Secretary

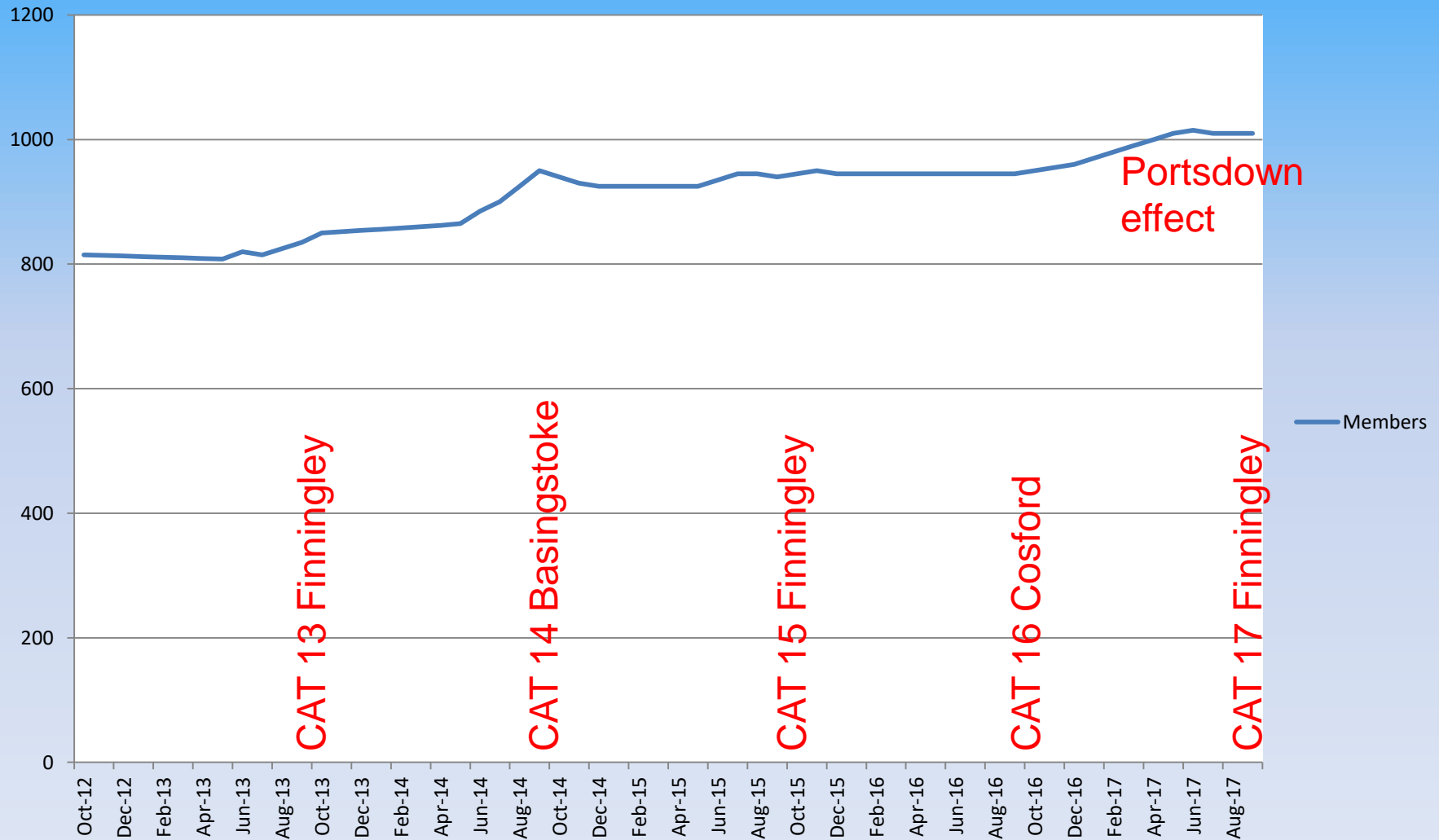
 **Brian G8GQS**

- Money

 **Ian – G8XZD**

- Publicity

Membership still growing 😊



Members

 Total membership = 1,011

- CAT 16 = 934
- thank you Portsdown!

 UK = 739

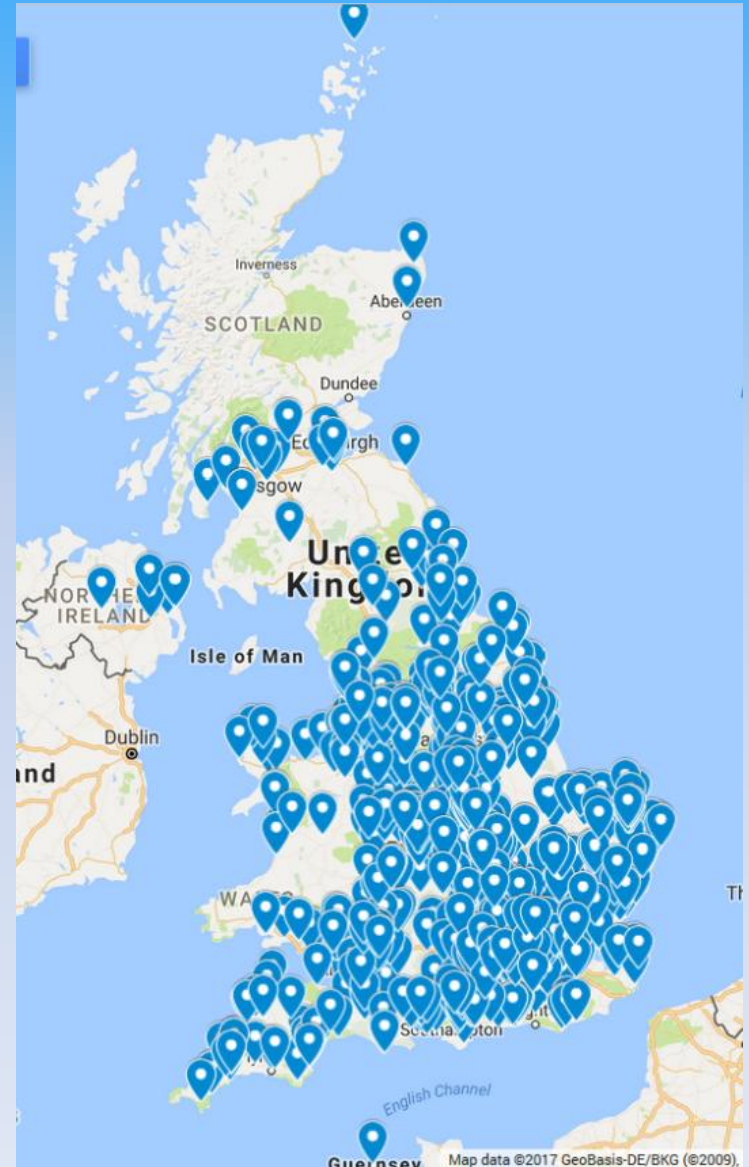
 USA = 100

 RoW = 260

- Australia = 72
- France = 55

 The shop has been incredibly busy!

- 100+ Serit tuners in 3 months!






Dave G8AJN



BATC on-line

-  Thanks to Ian G8XZD our Facebook and Twitter accounts are very active!
-  Youtube channel has replaced the batc.tv archive
 - Youtube is free and offers unlimited storage
 - Able to cross link to your channels
 - Interesting material including CAT presentations
-  There is a lot of traffic on the forum
 - Average of 5+ posts a day
 - Use the RSS feed to keep up to date!
 - <http://www.batc.org.uk/forum/feed.php>
-  And don't just post on line, please send us an article for CQ-TV!








The website....!

-  Finally getting somewhere - honest!
 - development Inspya is complete
-  Wordpress based with plugins
 - membership management, ecommerce
-  Now in implementation phase
 - 4 people went on training last week
 - Demo this weekend
-  Streamer is complete – using it today
 - Finalising integration with website
-  We will migrate all your data except password
-  We are hoping to go live before Christmas
 - It will be very scary pressing the button!



Website and you



-  Site will be down for < 24 hours
 - Including streamer
-  Front page URL / Address will remain the same
-  You will receive an email asking you to log in
 - Mailchimp will be used for future all member emails
-  You WILL need to reset your password on new site
 - The reset process WILL work!
-  Integrated forum
 - Public can view but only members can post
-  Integrated streamer
 - HTML5 and mobile
 - Repeater channels will be a separate user
-  We will need your help and understanding!!!!

Your BATC

 A great year for the ATV community

 But how are we doing?

- Using your funds to drive the ATV community forward
- Have your say – we need more feedback!
- And CQ-TV content!

 BGM next year

- Think about standing for committee

 And of course we organise CAT17 – so on with the show