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There is now sufficient interest in UFO'S and Crop Circle Phenomena in the Derby area to warrant the production a first newsletter for prospective members of our study group.

It seems probable that we will be able to commence regular monthly meetings in the coming Autumn and I would like to receive your comments in locating a possible venue. At a later date, we will draw up membership forms and get down to the business of running a scientifically orientated group.

The matter of financing such a group is always a consideration, but if we can keep our running costs to a minimum, then this should present no great problem.

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CURRENT "EVENTS"  
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UFO activity appears to be at a low ebb in this area, although the "crop circle" season is now with us as you will see from reports below.

I have recently been interviewed by the Derby Evening Telegraph and I believe that an article is imminent on my investigations into UFO and crop circles, I am also due to take part in a chat programme again on BBC Radio Derby (10.45am 16th July). By these means, it is hoped to generate some further interest in the area.

Possibly we will learn of new "undiscovered" circles and to hear of past and present UFO incidents that people may have experienced. It is often the case that witnesses have experienced an event and are reluctant to speak about it until they realise that there are scientific groups of people who will take them seriously and listen to their story in confidence.

From past experience, I know that there are numerous witnesses who "have never told anyone before" about their experiences and there are many amazing cases that have come to light over recent years.

Let it be plainly understood, that there is evidence to support the fact that our planet Earth has been and is still being regularly visited by alien beings. Not only one species, but several! Some are described as

"friendly" and appear to view us with pity, while others seem intent on some evil unknown purpose and treat us as interesting specimens.

When we are able to meet as a group and discuss various cases and the evidence, then you will be able to draw your own conclusions!

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#### CIRCLES IN NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

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Owing to the shortage of time and space, I will condense events to date:

On the 8th of July, I was contacted by the Nottingham Police and informed of a crop circle event at Carlton-on-Trent, North of Newark. I discussed the event by telephone with the farmer, before my wife and I called on him the following day (9th July).

We were taken to a field of wheat, where four "circles" were visible on a South facing slope. We proceeded into the field and studied the wheat pattern, took dimensions, collected samples of the crop, plus a control sample 30m away. The main centre circle was approx 35'dia (some variation) and the three surrounding circles varied between 15' to 18' in diameter. All wheat flow was anti-clockwise.

After completing the inspection, the farmer informed me that two "dumbell" shapes had appeared on a neighbouring farm at Sutton-on-Trent and he duly directed us to the farm and later to the wheatfield concerned.

The larger dumbell had appeared on the 4th of July and the smaller dumbell on the 8th of July. Again measurements, samples and photographs were taken, but because the area had been trampled by sightseer's, the analysis of the event was more difficult.

On returning home that evening, a message awaited me, informing me that a "Pictogram" (unusual shaped event) had occurred at Mansfield. I met Mark Hayward (Chairman UFO Group Mansfield), who took me to the site. This time the crop was Barley.

The event was unusual and had numerous "pointers" (or known indications) that this was a genuine incident and not a hoax. Again, measurement, samples and photographs were take, but this time we had the opportunity of "dowsing" the site (checking for a geo-magnetic power using metal rods). The results were quite startling, the power in the two main circle area's was so strong that it made my (and other people's) fingers "tingle" on the metal rods. There was a strong indication of a NE to SW "Ley Line" or similar power at the site.

Crop head samples have now been sent to Nottingham University of analysis and it is hoped to report results at a later date.

We have now heard that a field at "Husbands Bosworth" Leics. has produced a circle for the third year in succession! More news later! O.Fowler.