

# PILOT'S FLYING



## LOGBOOK

**Name:** Sgt Betty Jones

**Year:** 1943

**Location:** No. 12 Ferry Pool  
ATA Cosford, Shropshire



| Date     | Flying Log   |
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| 13.02.43 | <b>Aircraft:</b> Supermarine Spitfire MK1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Single seat [REDACTED]</li> <li>[REDACTED] 7.7mm machine guns, [REDACTED] in each wing</li> <li>Top speed: [REDACTED] mph</li> </ul>              |
|          | <b>Observations:</b> What an exciting day! I flew from RAF Cosford to RAF Boscombe Down to deliver a Spitfire to No. [REDACTED] Squadron for Pilot James [REDACTED]. Rumour has it he is going to be awarded the [REDACTED] Cross. |
| 15.02.43 | <b>Aircraft:</b> [REDACTED] Defiant MK1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>[REDACTED] seat fighter</li> <li>All armament located in a [REDACTED] turret behind the cockpit</li> <li>Manufactured in [REDACTED]</li> </ul>      |
|          | <b>Observations:</b> Today I delivered the Defiant to the No. [REDACTED] Polish Squadron - what brave chaps they are! Combating the Luftwaffe in the [REDACTED] of Britain. The aircraft will mainly be flown at night.            |



You have found Sgt Betty Jones' pilot logbook; however some of the key information has been redacted.

Looking at the aircraft and the information boards in the Test Flight and War in the Air Hangars, can you fill in all the blanks and complete her logbook?

| Date     | Flying Log   |
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| 20.02.43 | <b>Aircraft:</b> [REDACTED] Wellington B MK X <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The rear turret has [REDACTED] 7.7mm machine guns</li> <li>Wingspan: [REDACTED] m</li> <li>Maximum [REDACTED]: 6706m</li> </ul>   |
|          | <b>Observations:</b> My mission for today was to deliver [REDACTED] the Wellington. Its nickname comes from the Popeye cartoons, how funny! The Wellington is being used less and less these days. This one will eventually head to North [REDACTED] as a [REDACTED] aircraft.                                 |
| 21.02.43 | <b>Aircraft:</b> Junkers [REDACTED] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This aircraft is a [REDACTED] all-rounder</li> <li>The engines were made by [REDACTED]</li> <li>[REDACTED] for FUG 212 Lichtenstein C-1 [REDACTED]</li> </ul>   |
|          | <b>Observations:</b> Jolly exciting night at RAF [REDACTED]. A [REDACTED] Junker was flown over the North Sea and landed here! It was flown by a Luftwaffe (German) crew, who were unhappy with the Nazi regime. Our British scientists are going to study its [REDACTED] equipment and see what we can learn. |