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# WIN a Red Arrows prize package worth £1,000

To celebrate the successful launch of the Royal Air Force Museum's 'Names on a Plane' fundraising campaign, museum bosses are giving members of the public the opportunity to win a Red Arrows prize package worth £1,000. The winner will see their name written on the wings of a world famous RAF Red Arrows Hawk Jet, that will fly throughout the 2017 display season!

For one spectacular season of air shows and celebrations, the underside of a Red Arrow Jet will display names chosen by members of the public who have contributed to this unique campaign, including one lucky competition winner who will also receive an exclusive personalised prize bundle.

In addition to their 'Name on a Plane', the winner will receive a commemorative RAF Bluey with a special message from the Reds; a personalised die-cast Corgi Red Arrow Hawk Jet with their chosen name; a limited edition 'Names on a Plane' pin badge and a complimentary one year RAF Museum membership package, packed with added benefits. 'Names on a Plane' is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity from the RAF Museum for everyone to be a part of the RAF's history and to add to the lasting legacy of the prize, the competition winner will see their chosen name on the digital wall in the Members Room at the RAF Museum London - opening in 2018.

The competition is now open and to be in with a chance of winning this fantastic prize, all you need to do is head to the RAF Museum's website **www.rafmuseum.org** and answer a simple question. Entry is free of charge and all correct entrants will go into a prize draw and the winner will be selected at random. The competition closes at midnight on Sunday 19 June 2016, so aviation enthusiasts are encouraged to enter now so they don't miss out.

The campaign will raise funds for the museum's RAF Centenary Programme which will see the RAF Museum celebrate and commemorate the centenary of the Royal Air Force in 2018, through a major transformation of its visitor experience at its London site, sharing the RAF story on site and online.

For more information about the campaign and the naming packages available, which start from donations of just £30, visit **www.namesonaplane.org**. The Royal Air Force Museum is a registered charity, Charity Number 244708.

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- Admission to the Royal Air Force Museum is free of charge.
- RAF Museum images & logo available at: http://www.rafmuseum.org.uk/research/media-vault.aspx
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## About the RAF Museum's RAF Centenary Programme:

2018 marks the centenary of the Royal Air Force. The award-winning RAF Museum will celebrate and commemorate this anniversary through a major transformation of our visitor experience sharing the RAF story on site and online.

A multi-million-pound transformation of the RAF Museum's London home will welcome visitors to discover a new green heart of the community in Colindale, reflecting the historic RAF Hendon airfield. New, innovative galleries will explore the first 100 years of the RAF, its roles today and invite visitors to imagine its future contribution and technology. A new digital sharing project will promote a conversation with a global audience and help connect people to the RAF story.

## **About the Heritage Lottery Fund:**

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