

RAF To Put On Their Biggest Show

BATTLE of Britain Week, which begins today, will be the "biggest thing the R.A.F. has yet put on for the public."

One of the highlights will be the opening of 75 stations to the public on Saturday—15 more than were "at home" for the sixth anniversary last year—and almost every type of aircraft will be on show.

The week begins with the two fly-past displays tomorrow. In the morning 130 planes led by a Hurricane, representing the men and aircraft that fought in the battle, will fly over London and the home counties, and in the afternoon 70 will fly over the southern and south-western counties.

The fly-past will be controlled from No. 11 Group underground "ops." room at Uxbridge—where the Battle of Britain was directed, and all next week (except Thursday) this top-secret room will be open to the public.

One hundred feet below the surface this "fortress" will be open from 2.30 to 4 p.m. and from 7 till 8 p.m. each day. On Saturday it will be open from 2.30 to 4 p.m. and from 6 to 7 p.m.

Admission will be 1s. for adults and 6d. for children.

Veterans On Show

During the week two Battle of Britain planes—a Hurricane and a Spitfire—will be on show in the Horse Guards Parade and with them will be two of the latest R.A.F. planes, a Vampire and a Meteor.

Among Saturday's shows will be one at Biggin Hill, where Mr. Winston Churchill will watch 80 A.T.C. cadets gliding.

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