



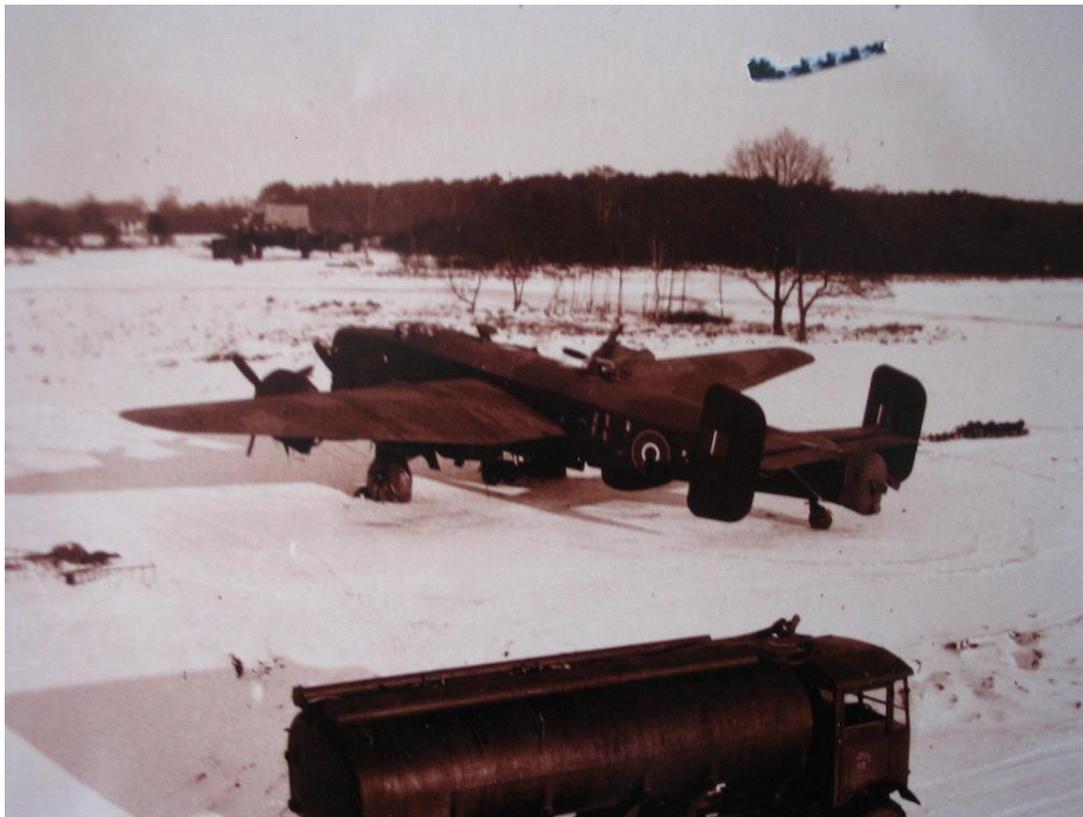
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MERRY CHRISTMAS and A HAPPY NEW YEAR

From Halifax 57 Rescue (Canada)

To all our Members and Supporters, we wish you all the best as you enjoy the Christmas season and New Year's festivities with your families and friends.

Once again Halifax 57 Rescue (Canada) felt we should share this top secret photo captured by an RCAF photo unit in England in December 1944. If you look closely at this Halifax of RCAF 432 Squadron at dispersal at Eastmoor airfield, just above the Halifax, you will see the "UFO" taking off from the officer's mess which is situated behind the grove of trees across the field. Amazing that the commander of this UFO should be caught out in broad daylight but delays do happen and there was a war on!

If Santa had known how rare these aircraft were, and he had a Halifax factory, I am sure he would stuffed one in a sock for us (that would be one heck of a sock!). However, we must carry on to find one for ourselves.

Even after our banner year of 2011, with the Malta and Bristol Bunker discovery and recovery of critical parts for our Halifax from abroad and at home, we must keep thinking of our ultimate goal, our RCAF Halifax in the deep - LW170.

In January of 2012 (next month) I will be getting back to you with all our deliberations and plans that we will be diligently working on to find our RCAF Halifax, the rarest combat aircraft in Canadian aviation history.

We hope you will remain with us at Halifax 57 Rescue (Canada) and continue to support us as we move forward into these exciting times in the New Year for the Halifax Project.

Remember, we leave no Halifax behind!

MERRY CHRISTMAS and JOYEUX NOEL

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