



## Cleaners flying high at RAF Cosford Museum

These cleaners certainly must have a head for heights.



### Workers suspended from ropes as they clean the planes on display at Cosford's RAF Museum

They are experts who have been roped in to help clean aircraft displays at the RAF Cosford Museum. During the clean the museum will remain open to visitors who can see the high-flying team from Total Access in action.

The team will also be inspecting the suspension cables supporting the aircraft in their flying display positions. Workers have been wearing harnesses and suspended from ropes connected to the metal rafters of the building of the museum at Cosford.

The crew will be cleaning the eight suspended aircraft in the Cold War section of the museum, as well as working on some of the larger planes which are on the ground but are difficult to access.

The Cold War exhibition features 19 aircraft, tanks, vehicles, models and memorabilia, and is the only place in the UK where people can view Britain's V-Bombers, the Vulcan, Victor and Valiant. There are more than 70 aircraft throughout the museum, and some of the bigger aircraft have also had to be cleaned from above.

Michelle Morgans, a spokeswoman for the RAF Cosford Museum, said:

“It is something we do every year, usually in January because it is a quieter time of year.

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