

NTU - The Top Twenty Hour Elite

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1. H.Shannon 1995 yr. 22:05 h
2. E.Anslow 1994 yr. 21:21 h
3. H.Shannon 1994 yr. 21:11 h
4. H.Culter 1992 yr. 21:10 h
5. J.Lamb 2001 yr. 21:00 h
6. I.Elstrob 2002 yr. 20:52 h
7. E.Anslow 1991 yr. 20:51 h
8. G.Pilot 1984 yr. 20:46 h
9. M.Healy 2001 yr. 20:42 h
10. H.Shannon 2006 yr. 20:41 h
11. J.Boden 1975 yr. 20:40 h
12. J.Varndell 1992 yr. 20:40 h
13. A. Watton 2002 yr. 20:40 h
14. V.Mignott 1994 yr. 20:35 h
15. J.Lamb 1998 yr. 20:33 h
16. C.Clarke 2002 yr. 20:32 h
17. V.Mignott 1995 yr. 20:27 h
18. A.Gough 2010 yr. 20:27 h
19. S.Sayers 1990 yr. 20:26 h
20. J.Lamb 1997 yr. 20:25 h
21. S.Sayers 1990 yr. 20:22 h
22. A.Downes 1990 yr. 20:21 h
23. J.Boden 1974 yr. 20:20 h
24. E.Anslow 1989 yr. 20:20 h
25. G.McStravick 1993 yr. 20:20 h
26. D.Sutherland 1994 yr. 20:19 h
27. G.Warwick 1994 yr. 20:19 h
28. V.Mignott 1999 yr. 20:18 h
29. J.Lamb 1999 yr. 20:16 h
30. H.Shannon 1992 yr. 20:15 h
31. T.Brooks 2002 yr. 20:15 h
32. I. Elstrob 2007 yr 20:15 h
33. D.Walker 1999 yr. 20:14 h
34. N.Stinton 1990 yr. 20:13 h
35. K.Stevenson 1990 yr. 20:12 h
36. R.Thomas 1991 yr. 20:12 h
37. C.Bristow 1994 yr. 20:12 h
38. M.Camplin 1996 yr. 20:12 h
39. J.Jones & Son 1974 yr. 20:10 h
40. V.Mignott 1997 yr. 20:10 h
41. H.Shannon 2000 yr. 20:10 h
42. H.Shannon 2004 yr. 20:10 h
43. B.White 1995 yr. 20:08 h
44. W.Owens 1999 yr. 20:08 h
45. A.Newton 1972 yr. 20:07 h
46. M.Pace 1990 yr. 20:07 h
47. H.Shannon 1995 yr. 20:07 h
48. J.Gee 1996 yr. 20:07 h
49. H.Shannon 1998 yr. 20:07 h
50. P.Tooth 1999 yr. 20:07 h
51. B.Dunsheith 1990 yr. 20:06 h
52. L.Hopcrofi 1997 yr. 20:06 h
53. E.Fenton & Son 2008 yr. 20:06 h
54. D.Morgan 1973 yr. 20:05 h
55. N.Stinton 1989 yr. 20:05 h
56. R.Coleman 1992 yr. 20:05 h
57. R.Laverty 1995 yr. 20:05 h
58. M.Camplin 2008 yr. 20:05 h
59. M.Camplin 1990 yr. 20:04 h
60. G.Hughes 1978 yr. 20:03 h
61. E.Anslow 1989 yr. 20:03 h
62. J.Varndell 1989 yr. 20:03 h
63. M.Price 1992 yr. 20:03 h
64. J.McDonald 1992 yr. 20:03 h
65. M.McManus 1994 yr. 20:03 h
66. P.Tooth 1995 yr. 20:03 h
67. T.Caldwell 1996 yr. 20:03 h
68. H.Shannon 1996 yr. 20:03 h
69. P.Haswell 2002 yr. 20:03 h
70. V.Mignott 2002 yr. 20:03 h
71. D.Black 2006 yr. 20:03 h
72. R.Burrows 1971 yr. 20:02 h
73. E.Plester 1983 yr. 20:02 h
74. M.Ware 1984 yr. 20:02 h
75. T.Rosbotham 1985 yr. 20:02 h
76. E.Anslow 1993 yr. 20:02 h
77. B.White 1995 yr. 20:02 h
78. E.Anslow 1996 yr. 20:02 h
79. B.Webber 1998 yr. 20:02 h
80. D.Kelly 2001 yr. 20:02 h
81. H.Shannon 2003 yr. 20:02 h
82. S.Bradley 1987 yr. 20:01 h
83. S.Sayers 1988 yr. 20:01 h
84. P.Bowden 1989 yr. 20:01 h
85. M.Price 1994 yr. 20:01 h
86. N & S Williamson 1995 yr. 20:01 h
87. S.Sayers 1997 yr. 20:01 h
88. D.Bertenshaw 1998 yr. 20:01 h
89. V.Mignott 1998 yr. 20:01 h
90. S.Morris 1998 yr. 20:01 h
91. P.Tooth 1999 yr. 20:01 h
92. H.Shannon 2002 yr. 20:01 h
93. K.Wright 2002 yr. 20:01 h
94. S.Pprice & Sons 2007 yr. 20:01 h
95. W.Lovatt 1963 yr. 20:00 h
96. T.Rosbotham 1984 yr. 20:00 h
97. J.Johnson 1985 yr. 20:00 h
98. D.Bertenshaw 1997 yr. 20:00 h
99. T.Veater 1998 yr. 20:00 h
100. J.Lamb 1999 yr. 20:00 h
101. T.Veater 2002 yr. 20:00 h
102. T.Veater 2006 yr. 20:00 h
103. D.Black 2008 yr. 20:00 h
104. D.McCullough 2010 yr. 20:00 h

Top 5:

1. H.Shannon 11 x 20 hours plus
2. V.Mignott 8 x 20 hours plus
3. E.Anslow 6 x 20 hours plus
4. J.Lamb 5 x 20 hours plus
5. S.Sayers 4x 20 hours plus
 - M.Camplin 4x 20 hours plus

Statistics :

In the period from 1963 until 2010 they have flown 104 times over 20 hours in NTU.

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It was in the 1986 Yearbook that I helped to compile the number of 20 hours plus from 1912 to 1985, which, in a span of 73 years, was 15. Since to date from 1985 it has been achieved 89 times. What has puzzled me for a number of years is that although 20 hours has been achieved all over England, Wales and Northern Ireland it has never been achieved in the Bristol area, although

at one time boasted more NTU flying members than anywhere and really good Tippler Fanciers. Over the years I have upset quite a few in stating that the birds were good enough maybe the owners were not. Maybe some other reason, weather, winds or location. Perhaps there is someone out there who has the answer. Any way here is a full list of 20 hours plus.

22.6.1963.....	W Lovatt	Hanley	*20.00
20.6.1971.....	R Burrows	Llangamlet.....	*20.02
18.6.1972.....	A Newton	Thurmaston.....	*20.07
17.6.1973.....	D Morgan.....	Bonymaen	20.05
23.6.1974.....	J Boden	Handsworth.....	*20.20
23.6.1974.....	M Goughlin.....	WNFS	20.15
23.6.1974.....	J Jones & Son	Bryn.....	20.10
22.6.1975.....	J Boden	Handsworth	20.40
18.6.1978.....	G Hughes.....	Derby.....	20.03
19.6.1983.....	E Plester	Birmingham.....	20.02
17.6.1984.....	G Pilot.....	Manchester.....	*20.46
17.6.1984.....	M Ware	Springfield.....	20.02
17.6.1984.....	T Rosbotham.....	Mountainview	20.00
23.6.1985.....	T Rosbotham.....	Mountainview	20.02
23.6.1985.....	J Johnson.....	Bentley West.....	20.00
21.6.1987.....	S Bradley	Tipton	20.01
22.5.1988.....	S Sayers	Birmingham.....	20.01
21.5.1989.....	E Anslow.....	Dudley	20.03
18.6.1989.....	P Bowden	Handsworth	20.01
18.6.1989.....	J Vardell.....	West Belfast	20.03
18.6.1989.....	N Stinton	Handsworth	20.05
18.6.1989.....	E Anslow.....	Dudley	20.20
17.6.1990.....	M Camplin	Springfield.....	20.04
17.6.1990.....	B Dunseith	Ulster.....	20.06
17.6.1990.....	M Pace.....	Warley	20.07
17.6.1990.....	K Stevenson.....	Alvaston	20.12
17.6.1990.....	A Downes	Handsworth.....	20.21

17.6.1990	S Sayers	Birmingham	20.26
20.5.1990	N Stinton	Handsworth	20.13
20.5.1990	S Sayers	Birmingham	20.22
23.6.1991	R Thomas	Walsall	20.12
26.5.1991	E Anslow	Gospel Oak	*20.51
24.5.1992	J Varndell	North Belfast	20.40
21.6.1992	N Stinton	Handsworth	20.01
21.6.1992	M Price	Birmingham	20.03
21.6.1992	H Coulter	Ulster	21.10
21.6.1992	J McDonald	Dudley	20.03
21.6.1992	R Coleman	French Park	20.05
21.6.1992	H Shannon	Ulster	20.15
20.6.1993	V Mignott	Nottingham	20.02
20.6.1993	H Coulter	Ulster	*20.15
20.6.1993	G McStravick	Antrim	20.20
23.5.1993	E Anslow	Five Ways	20.02
19.6.1994	M Price	Birmingham	20.01
19.6.1994	M Camplin	Springfield	20.02
19.6.1994	D Sutherland	Southwick	20.19
19.6.1994	C Bristow	Willenhall	20.12
19.6.1994	G Warwick	Southwick	20.19
19.6.1994	V Mignott	Noningham	20.35
19.6.1994	H Shannon	Ulster	21.11
22.5.1994	M McManus	West Belfast	20.03
22.5.1994	E Anslow	Springfield	*21.21
18.6.1995	N&S Williamson	Ulster	20.01
18.6.1995	P Tooth	Derby	20.03
18.6.1995	H Shannon	Ulster	20.07
18.6.1995	B White	Gleadless	20.08
21.5.1995	H Shannon	Ulster	*22.05
21.5.1995	V Mignott	Nottingham	20.27
21.5.1995	R Laverty	West Belfast	20.05
21.5.1995	B White	Gleadless	20.02
26.5.1996	T Caldwell	Ulster	20.03
23.6.1996	M Camplin	Springfield	20.12
23.6.1996	J Gee	Birmingham	20.07
23.6.1996	H Shannon	Ulster	20.03
23.6.1996	E Anslow	Springfield	20.02
22.6.1997	J Lamb	Belfast	20.25
22.6.1997	V Mignott	Nottingham	20.10
22.6.1997	L Hopcrofi	Birmingham	20.06
22.6.1997	S Sayers	Dudley	20.01

22.6.1997.....	D Bertenshaw	Tyneside	20.00
21.6.1998.....	J Lamb.....	Belfast	20.33
21.6.1998.....	H Shannon.....	Ulster.....	20.07
21.6.1998.....	B Webber.....	Handsworth.....	20.02
21.6.1998.....	D Bertenshaw	Tyne & Wear.....	20.01
21.6.1998.....	V Mignott.....	Nottingham.....	20.01
21.6.1998.....	S Morris.....	Springfield.....	20.01
21.6.1998.....	T Veater	Lakeside	20.00
23.5.1999.....	V Mignott.....	Nottingham.....	20.21
23.5.1999.....	P Tooth.....	Derby.....	20.01
23.5.1999.....	J Lamb.....	Belfast	20.00
20.6.1999.....	V Mignott.....	Nottingham.....	20.18
20.6.1999.....	J Laamb.....	Belfast	20.16
20.6.1999.....	D Walker.....	Willenhall.....	20.14
20.6.1999.....	W Owens	Ulster.....	20.08
20.6.1999.....	P Tooth.....	Derby.....	20.07
18.6.2000.....	H Shannon.....	Ulster.....	20.10
17.6.2001.....	J Lamb.....	Belfast	21.00
17.6.2001.....	M Healy	Lakeside	20.42
17.6.2001.....	D Kelly	Lakeside	20.02
26.5.2002.....	C Clarke	Bentley West.....	20.32
23.6.2002.....	I Elstob	Tyne & Wear.....	20.52
23.6.2002.....	A Watton.....	Bentley West.....	20.40
23.6.2002.....	T Brooks.....	Willenhall.....	20.15
23.6.2002.....	P Haswell.....	Lakeside	20.03
23.6.2002.....	V Mignott.....	Nottingham.....	20.03
23.6.2002.....	H Shannon.....	Ulster.....	20.01
23.6.2002.....	K Wright.....	Lakeside	20.01
23.6.2002.....	T Veater	Lakeside	20.00
20.6.2004.....	H Shannon.....	Ulster.....	20.10
18.6.2006.....	H Shannon.....	Ulster.....	20.41
18.6.2006.....	D Black	Wearside	20.03
18.6.2006.....	T Veater	Lakeside	20.00
17.6.2007.....	S Pprice & Sons.....	Dudley.....	20.01

All the 20 hours plus shown was flown under NTU Rules. The ones starred are World Records broken under NTU Rules. Harry Shannon tops the list with TEN 20 hours plus topped by his world record – 22 hrs 5 mins.

An interesting point in my statement on 20 hours not being achieved in the Bristol Area – A Newton and V Mignott achieved 20 hours after moving out of Bristol.

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