

New Details added to East Boldre Flight Shed diorama

Enhancements have been added to the diorama of the 1/350th scale WWI East Boldre diorama, depicting the three 'Flight Sheds', the Bessoneau hangar and adjacent buildings, which include the Officers' Mess, half of which survives to this day as East Boldre Village Hall.



The stable blocks were essential to the daily running of the training airfield, as a horse and cart was the primary means of transport for stores, equipment, ammunition and food supplies.



At one time, late in the war, there were six stable blocks built, but in 1917 only four existed, as shown in the aerial photograph, taken at the time.



Horses and grooms have been added, to make the stables look more realistic and to provide some scale to that part of the diorama. The resin model horses were sourced from 'The Dorset Print Man', where they are able to use resin 3D printing to create any possible shape. A ball point pen has been included in the photograph (top left) for scale.

