

Other pioneering aviators also came to Shellbeach at this time. These included Charles Rolls, (co-founder of Rolls Royce) and JTC Moore-Brabazon, who made several important flights whilst there. He won a prize for being the first British pilot to fly a circular mile in a British built aircraft with a British engine.



Whilst at Shellbeach, Brabazon was also well known for allowing "Icarus II" to be the first pig to make a flight in a plane!