

**Promotion****Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :**

9th Feb. 1968

- A. V. ARNOLD (2548301).  
 D. H. BENNETT (608201).  
 R. BOGG (684999).  
 R. S. BURROWS (4231509).  
 T. S. CALDWELL (3526554).  
 B. V. CHAMBERS (4230736).  
 G. B. COLES (587965).  
 A. C. DOBBS (608411).  
 J. T. GALYER (4231165).  
 J. W. M. HEAD (608342).  
 S. J. HERBERT (4230898).  
 B. E. JONES (4231056).  
 B. N. KUMARIA (5200402).  
 P. N. PRESLAND (608367).  
 R. N. TODD (586341).  
 G. A. WESTON (3516745).
- N. J. ASHLEY (685631). 6th Mar. 1968.  
 28th Mar. 1968  
 M. J. BETTELL (4231560).  
 M. H. JONES (4231529).
- S. SHAW (2617836). 1st Apr. 1968.  
 15th Apr. 1968  
 T. N. ALLEN, B.Sc. (2619498).  
 R. L. DILWORTH, B.Sc. (2603186).  
 R. J. LUMB, B.Sc. (2619512).  
 D. PIKE, B.Sc. (2619294).  
 A. STEWART, M.A. (2619772).  
 R. E. WEDGE, B.Sc. (2611614).  
 D. W. SMITH, B.Sc. (508336). 16th Apr. 1968.

**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :**

1st Apr. 1968

- J. COURCOUX (4232988).  
 P. C. HOOD (4232948).  
 A. V. PAYNE (4232890).  
 S. K. PERRY (4232956).  
 B. T. WILDEY (4232985).

12th Apr. 1968

- M. W. BOLTON (4231309).  
 D. J. E. MANN (4232229).

**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (Ground Branch) :**

9th Feb. 1968

- F. D. JAMES (3137513).  
 B. SIDEBOOTHAM (682981).

**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer (Ground Branch) :**

- A. J. CLARE (4335525). 2nd Apr. 1968.

**Regrading****Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :**

24th Feb. 1968

- R. B. BREWER (4335855).  
 T. W. LEWINS (4233397).  
 J. A. SMITH (4335866).  
 R. W. SMITH (4335850).

**Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer W.R.A.F. :**

- L. E. CHILD (2797548).

**Grant of Acting Rank**

Air Commodore F. R. R. BIRD, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C., is granted the Acting Rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 11th Apr. 1968.

**Transfer between Branches**

Flight Lieutenant F. W. BRIDGES (1399190) is transferred to the Engineer (Photography) Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 1st Jan. 1968.

**Transfer to Reserve****Flight Lieutenants :**

11th Apr. 1968

- B. J. CORRANS (5200000).  
 W. K. CHECKLEY (4180309).

**Retirement**

Air Commodore A. G. DUDGEON, C.B.E., D.F.C., retaining the rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 6th Apr. 1968.

Group Captain W. G. DEVAS, C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. 13th Apr. 1968.

**Wing Commanders :**

I. MACDONALD, A.F.C. (131984). 30th Mar. 1968.

L. de GARIS, A.F.C. (58129) (at own request). 1st Apr. 1968.

**Squadron Leaders (at own Request) :**

30th Mar. 1968

- J. W. BEALE, M.B.E. (141764), retaining the rank of Wing Commander.  
 C. E. SIMPSON, D.F.C. (47523).  
 J. BRENNER, D.F.C., B.E.M. (146952). 5th Apr. 1968.

L. L. TUKE (3039472). 7th Apr. 1968.  
 Squadron Leader F. W. LISTER, D.S.O., D.F.C. (112404) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force Service). 12th Apr. 1968.

**Flight Lieutenants :**

- J. L. COUPER (168390). 1st Apr. 1968.  
 D. E. BRENNAN (583756). 6th Apr. 1968.

15th Apr. 1968

- P. G. CROZIER (197082).  
 P. G. H. GARNER (3511821).  
 H. V. THORNLEY (200762).

**Flight Lieutenants (at own request) :**

2nd Apr. 1968

- J. A. S. D'AVOINE (55909).  
 G. R. STONE (1399829).

6th Apr. 1968

- R. T. BARCLAY (1343921).  
 T. F. GOSTELOW (574073).  
 A. H. W. THRASHER (3504455). 9th Apr. 1968.  
 A. D. A. PETERS (1324946). 11th Apr. 1968.

12th Apr. 1968

- D. G. ALLEN (195218).  
 A. NOBLE (173453).

**Commission Relinquished**

Pilot Officer P. G. STAMP (689245). 9th Oct. 1967 (on appointment to a Permanent Commission in the Engineer Branch).

Acting Pilot Officer C. J. GARIFF (4233196). (On appointment to a Short Service Commission in the General Duties (Ground) Branch.) 1st Jan. 1968.

**Commission Resigned**

Flying Officer H. B. ADAMS (4231472). 16th Mar. 1968.

**Pilot Officers :**

- R. C. McMILLAN (4231836). 8th Mar. 1968.  
 J. J. M. MCFADYEN (4232499). 12th Mar. 1968.

**Commission Terminated**

Flying Officer G. C. COATES, B.Sc. (508244). 2nd Apr. 1968.

Acting Pilot Officer W. I. C. MATHIE (423323^). 30th Mar. 1968.

**ENGINEER BRANCH****Appointment to Commission (Permanent)****As Flight Lieutenant (General List) :**

David William STONE, B.Sc. (507567). 30th Jan. 1968.

**As Pilot Officers (General List) :****Flight Cadets.**

1st Mar. 1968

- John BATES (688153).  
 Geoffrey Cave DEARDEN (608742).  
 Peter Frank DOBBS (608778).  
 Alan EVANS (688399).  
 Anthony Vernon HALL (688310).  
 Gavin Anderson JOHNSTON (608752).  
 Mohammed Hafeez MAAN (688097).  
 John MARCUS (688272).  
 Rex Anthony Dwyer NORRIS (608744).  
 Patrick Somerville James ROWLEY-BROOKE (608786).  
 Peter Graham SUMMERS (609433).  
 David Anthony Lloyd TOMBESON (608805).  
 Anthony John VAREY (608751).  
 Peter Ernest WEIGHT (688264).  
 John Christopher WILDMAN (687915).  
 Peter WITHERS (608759).  
 Gerald James WOODLEY (608762).  
 Brian WOOLSTENCROFT (688447).

**As Acting Pilot Officer (General List) :**

Flight Cadet Ian David NIXEY (608826). 1st Mar. 1968.