

GLIDING HERITAGE CENTRE

Aircraft Summary Sheet



BOCIAN 1d (BJD)	
Manufacturer	<u>Szybowcowy Zakład Doświadczalny (SZD)</u>
Year of manufacture	1960
Registration marks	BGA 998, BJD
Airworthy	Yes
History	1960 – Purchased new by private syndicate based at RAEGC. - The second Bocian to be imported into the UK.
Notable flights	1960 - National gliding competition at Lasham - 140 miles (225 km) from Lasham to Callington - by J.E. Torode 1962 - National gliding competition at Aston Down. Often participated in aerobatic displays.
Restoration history	Refinished in present colour scheme in the late 1960's. Damaged in trailer during the storm of 1987 and restored to flying order by a group at Lasham - at which time the 1-E canopy was fitted
Other	Affectionately known as "Bertie"



Bocian (BJD) at Lasham (Colin Simpson)



Roy Procter & Nick Hughes & family!



Bertie Bocian as 196

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