

# A BOMBER COMMAND MUSEUM OF CANADA BULLETIN

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Bristol Hercules Sleeve-Valve Radial Engines powered most Halifaxes, all Stirlings, most Wellingtons, and Lancaster Mk II's.

Our Hercules Team successfully evaluated, rejuvenated, and started one of our six Hercules Engines last Saturday -a major accomplishment that sees our museum now having running examples of both of Bomber Command's main engine types.

Stand by for our 2013 Hercules Engine Run-up Schedule that will be posted on our website soon.

Watch a video of the start-up at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SwyDoyfLZFI>.  
If you're wondering how a Hercules Sleeve-Valve engine works watch the animation at [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\\_vrvep\\_YOio](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_vrvep_YOio) .



If you'd like to watch Merlin Engines being run-up on our Lancaster, the first Engine Runs of the year are this Saturday (the 20<sup>th</sup>) at 11:00 and 2:00.

[http://www.bombercommandmuseum.ca/event\\_merlinrunups.html](http://www.bombercommandmuseum.ca/event_merlinrunups.html)

Our 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Commemoration of the Dambusters Raid is just a little over three weeks away. View or download a poster at <http://www.bombercommandmuseum.ca/> .

The museum is now open daily (9-5) for the summer with eleven new display panels.

Hope to see you at the museum soon.

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