The UK Microwave Group wishes to announce a "Microwave Radio Workshop for Beginners" to be held in Wimborne, Dorset on Saturday, 30th of September 2006. This is the second of several such workshops that are to be held in the coming months under the auspices of the UK Microwave Group. This second meeting will be organised by UK Microwave Group committee member, Paul Marsh M0EYT.

The workshop will be an introduction to amateur microwaves. Please note that it is NOT intended for those already experienced in this part of the spectrum. However if you are interested in trying out the microwave bands but so far haven't done so, then this workshop is for you! It is expected that the workshop will appeal to those living in the Dorset, Hampshire, Wiltshire and surrounding areas, but attendees from other regions are very welcome if they think it's worth the journey!

The full programme of activities is not yet finalised but will include:

- An introductory presentation on Microwaves
- A talk on simple 10GHz transceivers including a demonstration
- A talk on Microwave Antennas suitable for amateur radio
- A talk on the Dorset based microwave beacon complex
- Practical demonstration and hands-on experience of microwave contacts at 10GHz
- How to find information about amateur microwaves
- The UK Microwave Group and it's microwave newsletter "Scatterpoint"

FRARS is located in the grounds of the Cobham Sports & Social Club - this offers reasonably priced food and drink, and is only a short distance from the Club HQ. There is a nominal sum (£1) for non-member entry into the bar.

Attendees will be strictly limited to 20 due to space limitations.

It is essential to register with the organiser, Paul M0EYT, well beforehand, who can provide further details. Paul can be reached by phone on 0845-193-0050 or emai: m0eyt @ ntlworld.com