

**Bob Middlemiss and Buzz Beurling**

R.G. "Bob" Middlemiss (on the left) and George Frederick "Buzz" "Screwball" Beurling, October 1943, somewhere near Headcorn, England. Beurling spent time teaching the best how to be better. Middlemiss benefited from Beurling's advice. In 2005 Bob Middlemiss explained to Dean Black, why Beurling's hat seems so messed up. The right-hand side of the brim seems damaged. Middlemiss admitted Beurling took him on a shooting demonstration, out in the pasture, presumably hunting rabbits. As Beurling described "leading the target" to Middlemiss' surprise, Beurling pulled off his own peak cap, tossed it high into the air, raised the shot-gun and fired. Beurling's hat was peppered with about 12 pellets. He never bothered to get a new one. The lesson was perfect, for Bob. We lost Bob Middlemiss today, 31 July 2013, aged 94. We Shall Remember Him.

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