

The sighting took place in St Austell on 30/10/18 between 2100- 2200hrs. The objects were observed by a retired couple Anne and Dennis.

They both witnessed the first object which they described as being a large orange sphere above the roof tops of the houses opposite their car parking space at the corner of Highfield Avenue.

Looking across the street the object was positioned at 11,0 Clock and approximately 1 mile high. They were unable to determine how far away the distance was from them, but confirmed that it was moving slowly westerly from the direction of the Asda supermarket and then changed direction towards Mevagissey.

Both agreed that there was no sound or obvious blinking lights, but it seemed to move in slow motion. They described the sphere as emanating a universal subtle orange glow, which Anne described as almost carrot colour; they could not determine any brighter areas, differing colours, lights or markings.

Dennis stayed longer to watch the object as it disappeared behind the rooftops across the street; from his perspective it measured larger than the opposite chimney pots, but it did not reappear believing that it continued towards Mevagissey and out of sight.

The couple described the weather that night as being calm and fairly clear. After approximately 45 minutes had elapsed, Dennis went out to the back garden to call in their cats for feeding. The garden slopes upwards from the property so Dennis was standing at a higher vantage point near the back fence when he happened to glance up and saw two more identical objects.

He immediately called for Anne who came out of the back door to see Dennis pointing towards the sky. She too looked up and saw the objects just above the trees at the rear of the property. They estimated them to be at least 100ft high and in relation to the buildings and rooftops from their position Anne described them to be the size of beach-balls, 6-8ft apart and slightly offset.

Both agreed that they did not feel anything or hear anything; in fact they recalled everything to be silent, no traffic noise or rustling of leaves. Neither felt panicked or was scared and described their experience as quite surreal. They continued to watch the objects for a further 5-10 mins (neither thought to get their mobile phone from the house), the objects rose slowly vertically until they became too small to see.

They confirmed that the second two objects were exactly the same as the first that had been seen nearly an hour earlier, all circular with clearly defined edges glowing orange without a halo effect. Anne added that they reminded her of the shop sign/logo of Lidl the local supermarket.

The couple confirmed that they had not taken any medication or alcohol at the time of the sighting. They have not noticed any physical side effects or reoccurring dreams and they did not believe that the objects were aware of their presence.

