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RYANAIR HOLDINGS PLC Form 6-K August 14, 2003

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of August 2003

RYANAIR HOLDINGS PLC (Translation of registrant's name into English)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F..X.. Form 40-F....

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2 (b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes ..... No ..X..

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-

RYANAIR SETS NEW PASSENGER RECORDS ON UK/IRELAND ROUTES

Ryanair, Europe's No. 1 low fares airline, today (Thursday, 14th August 2003) announced record passenger traffic on 55 routes, including Ryanair's Irish routes for July 2003.

Statistics for July 03 confirm Ryanair is the No. 1 choice on routes to/from Ireland, and routes throughout Europe.

RYANAIR - NEW RECORD PASSENGER NUMBERS - JULY 2003.

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ROUTE TOTAL PASSENGERS CARRIED - JULY '03

DUBLIN - LONDON 144,000

DUBLIN - BLACKPOOL 6,500

KERRY - LONDON 12,600

Ryanair's Head of Communications, Paul Fitzsimmons said:

"July has been a bumper month for Ryanair across our entire network, with new monthly passenger records set on 55 of our 125 routes. This year Ryanair will carry almost 24 million passengers across 16 countries, and in July, Ryanair also became the first low fares airline outside the U.S. to carry more than 2 million passengers in one month. To date Ryanair has carried more than 65.5 million passengers!

"Ryanair's passenger growth confirms that Ryanair is delivering what consumers want - lowest fares, and Europe's No. 1 record for punctuality and customer service."

Ends.

Thursday, 14th August 2003

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## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

RYANAIR HOLDINGS PLC

Date: 14 August 2003

By:\_\_\_/s/ Howard Millar\_\_\_\_

H Millar

Company Secretary & Finance Director