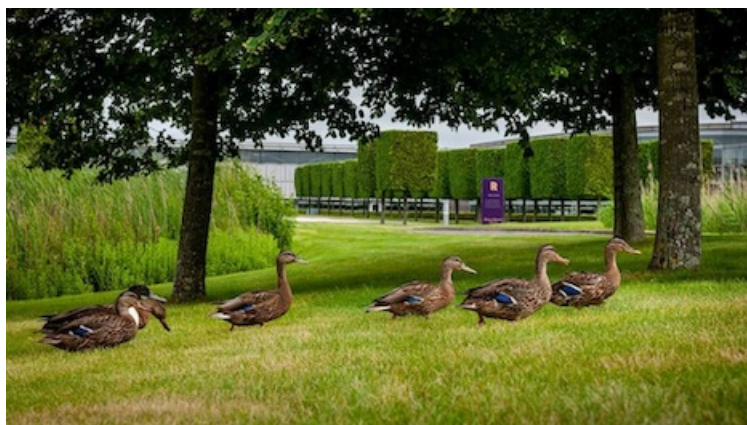


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The ducklings have been nursed back to health, reared to adulthood and now enjoy the grass and ponds of the Goodwood site. Image credit: Rolls-Royce

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