# Ohio Region Chapter News May 2023





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### As always, Some News from National.

AirVenture dates 2023: July 24 – 30

## EAA AirVenture Cup Race Applications Now Available



Applications to enter the 2023 EAA AirVenture Cup Race – the 25th edition of the cross-country flight event – are now available online. The annual AirVenture Cup begins at 9 a.m. CDT on Sunday, July 23, when more than 70 aircraft are

expected to travel the course of over 400 nautical miles. The round-robin course starts and ends in Wausau, Wisconsin.

The race concludes a weekend of aviation activities at Wausau Downtown Airport, the starting point of the air race. Many participants travel on to the EAA AirVenture Oshkosh at the conclusion of the race.

The EAA AirVenture Cup Race provides pilots and aircraft builders an opportunity to race their aircraft in a safe and fun environment, all while promoting aviation in and over the communities where the races are held. The first race in 1998 started in Kitty Hawk, North Carolina, with 10 aircraft and has grown to be the major aviation event it is today, drawing thousands of spectators.

The AirVenture Cup Race is a timed race, with participants competing against the clock. Aircraft and pilots are divided into categories based on their certification, landing gear configuration, and engine size. Each class has first, second, and third-place awards. All event activities are weather dependent.

Interested participants are encouraged to submit their applications as soon as possible. To learn more about the race and to access a race application, visit the EAA AirVenture Cup Race website at <a href="https://example.com.nih.gov/AirVentureCupRace.com">AirVentureCupRace.com</a>.

## **EAA Wants You!** (To be an air tours maintenance officer...)



Traveling throughout the country, hanging around historic warbirds, and meeting enthusiastic visitors — if that's your kind of gig, EAA has just the thing. We are currently filling several volunteer positions for TAMOs (Tour Aircraft Maintenance Officers) for our B-25 Berlin Express and, in the future, the B-17 Aluminum Overcast.

What does it take? A current airframe and powerplant certificate, with radial engine experience helpful. Also, a team-first attitude and the ability to work in a courteous and friendly way with air tour crews, flight passengers, and ground tour visitors since you'll be part of the traveling air tour operations team.

#### Among the responsibilities':

- Committing to at least two tour segments of 13-16 days during the flying season.
- Using manuals, tools, and equipment to perform maintenance tasks in accordance with FAA regulations and EAA's high standards.
- Climbing ladders and moving from ladders to wings for refueling and oiling aircraft daily. You'll be on ladders for extended periods working on engine components as well.
- Ability to work on aircraft even in hot weather, and able to bend and move freely in cabin areas. You'll be asked to lift up to 50 pounds.

Your uniforms will be provided, and some travel expenses are covered for this volunteer position. You'll be part of a team that is eager to share the stories of the aircraft and the brave crews that flew them. And as an EAA TAMO, you'll meet people across America who want to discover more about the airplanes and their legacies.

Tour schedules traditionally run from April through October.

Interested? We'd love to talk with you about an unforgettable aviation experience. Contact John Hopkins at EAA by email (<a href="mailto:ihopkins@EAA.org">ihopkins@EAA.org</a>) or by phone (920-426-4875).

# Yellow Ribbon Honor Flight Honors Veterans as Part of AirVenture 2023 Activities



One of the most emotional and poignant moments of EAA AirVenture Oshkosh each year will return in 2023 as 100 Vietnam War vets will take a Yellow Ribbon Honor Flight to Washington, D.C., on July 28 as part of AirVenture's annual salute to veterans. The 70th annual EAA fly-in convention is July 24-30 at Wittman Regional Airport in Oshkosh.

Veterans from the Vietnam War will be honored as they travel to the nation's capital to tour war memorials at no cost to them. The veterans will return to Oshkosh at the conclusion of the Friday afternoon air show and thousands of people will welcome them back home and give them the recognition they deserve.

"The Yellow Ribbon Honor Flight is traditionally one of the best events of AirVenture week and this year is fitting as part of our 'Vietnam Remembered: 50 Years Later' schedule of activities," said Rick Larsen, EAA's vice president of communities and member programming. "We are proud to produce an event that honors what Vietnam veterans did for this country and be able to provide them an experience of a lifetime."

This is the ninth year that the Yellow Ribbon Honor Flight has originated at EAA AirVenture Oshkosh under the auspices of Old Glory Honor Flight of Appleton, Wisconsin. That non-profit organization has organized dozens of Honor Flights since 2009 with a dedicated group of volunteers. Those flights have included special flights to Pearl Harbor and to Vietnam.

"Each Honor Flight mission is a special occasion, but the ability to be a part of EAA AirVenture always creates unforgettable moments," said Diane MacDonald, the executive director of Old Glory Honor Flight. "Honoring our local Vietnam veterans out of EAA AirVenture is such a highlight; being witness to the enthusiasm, respect, and appreciation from the world's aviation enthusiasts when the flight returns to Oshkosh is such an incredible sight to see and it means the world to the men and women who get to experience it."

American Airlines is again supplying an aircraft for the flight, which is flown by an all-volunteer crew of American Airlines pilots and cabin attendants.

Old Glory Honor Flight will be inviting veterans who are currently on their waitlist. <u>More information about Old Glory Honor Flight</u>, which accepts donations, is available on the organization's website.

#### **Ultralight/Homebuilt Rotorcraft Pattern Altered Slightly for AirVenture 2023**

Due to expansion of aircraft parking at the south end of Wittman Regional Airport, the <u>ultralight/homebuilt rotorcraft flight pattern</u> for EAA AirVenture Oshkosh has been slightly altered for 2023. The changes will create a more standard pattern for those using the Fun Fly Zone airstrip, home for ultralights, homebuilt rotorcraft, light planes, balloons, and the Twilight Flight Fest.

The new pattern will maintain its parallel course with County Highway N but will then make a northeast turn toward the airport and Wittman Road. That replaces the hard north turn followed by an east turn prior to reaching Wittman Road. The remainder of the pattern will remain the same.

The change was made to create an additional safety margin, as expanded South 40 aircraft parking has been established in a previously unoccupied area in the southwest sector of the airport. More information on this ultralight pattern change will be part of this year's <a href="#">FAA</a>
<a href="#">NOTICE to Air Missions (NOTAM)</a> for AirVenture that will be released later this spring. EAA will also be supplying other pilot resources for full understanding of the new pattern in advance of AirVenture 2023, including a webinar to be held in June.

<u>Ultralight/Homebuilt Rotorcraft Pattern Altered Slightly for AirVenture 2023 | EAA AirVenture News</u>

Have you shopped at the EAA store? There is a treasure trove of items there. You can even get

2023 AirVenture merchandise early! Did you miss getting something from last year's AirVenture. Here is the place to get it. From clothing to pilot supplies. Stop by the website and shop before they are gone.

https://www.eaa.org/shop

# **EAA** Webinars



5/3	Booted Out of Annual	Mike Busch
5/9	The P-6 Hawk	Chris Henry
5/10	A Look at Clouds	Prof. H. Paul Such
5/15	Stop Dreaming and Stary Flying – 12 PM	EAA Staff
5/15	Flight Simulators 101 – Leveraging a Home Simulator	Chris McGonegle
5/16	How to Pass the Private Pilot FAA Written Test – 12 PM	Bret Koebbe
5/16	How to Save Time & Money in Flight Training – 2 PM	Larry Bothe
5/16	Become a Professional Pilot; Which Path is Best?	Paul Maloy
5/17	Getting Back in the Left Seat - 12 PM	Jamie Beckett
5/17	Getting Started in Ultralights – 2 PM	Timm Bogenhagen
5/17	Pass Your Checkride (Part 1 of 2) – The Oral	Larry Bothe
5/18	Preparing to Attend a Flying Start Event – 12 PM	David Leiting
5/18	Pass Your Checkride (Part 2 of 2) The Practical	Larry Bothe
5/19	FAA Medical Certification and You – 12 PM	Tom Charpentier
5/19	Conquer the Checkride – 2 PM	Loren French
5/24	ATC & You: Communicating with Confidence & Clarity	K. Gorman & W. Smith
5/31	Introduction to Hot Air Ballooning	Gary Brossett

# All webinars are at 7:00 pm CDT unless otherwise noted.

Webinars are free, but registration is required as space is limited. You can also review any of the previous webinars.

To register for one of the webinars go to: Webinars (eaa.org)

### EAA Chapter 1625 Chillicothe (SE Ohio) Ross County KRZT

Please check out our Facebook page for the latest up to date information <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/2221359754604751/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/2221359754604751/</a>
Or check out our website at <a href="https://chapters.eaa.org/eaa1625">https://chapters.eaa.org/eaa1625</a>

Our next meeting on Saturday, May 6 will be held in Chillicothe, OH at the Airport (KRZT). We will meet at 9 AM in the Terminal. We will have a brief board meeting before starting our regular meeting. We will be discussing more about the upcoming year. Everyone is welcome to come to our Board meetings. We hope you come out and participate as we welcome your comments, suggestions, and ideas. Visitors are always welcome.

Our Chapter dues are \$10.00 per year. Checks (made out to EAA Chapter 1625) can be mailed with your information such as Name, address, email, phone, EAA National #, aviation interests to Darlene Ford 2776 Kenilworth Rd. Columbus, OH 43219.

You can email us at FirstCapitalAviators@gmail.com or call us at 614-557-1170

# EAA Chapter 1629, Marysville, OH Union County Airport (KMRT)

As always you can visit our website at <a href="http://eaa1629.org">http://eaa1629.org</a> for the latest up to date information. You can also check our Facebook page at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/MarysvilleEAAChapter1629/">https://www.facebook.com/MarysvilleEAAChapter1629/</a>

Also if you would like to renew your membership or join the Chapter, you can do so in one of three ways: To renew your membership with a credit card or PayPal go to the following link: <a href="https://eaa1629.org">https://eaa1629.org</a> and click the Join or Renew link on the left.

Mail a check for \$10.00 made payable to The Marysville EAA Chapter 1629 to Marysville EAA Chapter 1629 760 Clymer Rd. Marysville, OH 43040 Or you can bring a check for \$10.00 made payable to the Marysville EAA Chapter 1629 or \$10.00 cash (Correct Change preferred) to any of the Marysville EAA 1629 functions.



You can contact us for more details on the IMC Club meetings via email. Dr. Michael Stretanski, President of 1629 is our Coordinator along with Andrew Hale and me, Darlene Ford as co-coordinators. Email <a href="mailto:marysvilleeaachapter@gmail.com">marysvilleeaachapter@gmail.com</a>

Our next IMC meeting will be on Wednesday, May 17 th. Our speaker will be Ron Mayer. Many of you already know Ron. Ron will be doing a presentation combining the following topics.

- 1. Checklist usage for all phases of flight custom vs off the shelf checklist
- 2. Effective preflight and PAVE
- 3. Effective passenger briefing

You can check out the Facebook page also, EAA Chapter 1629 IMC Club.



EAA Chapter 1629 will be hosting their second young Eagles Rally of the season on Sat, May 20, 2023, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM at the Marysville Airport (KMRT) located at 760 Clymer Rd. Marysville OH 43040

Contact: Andrew Hale Phone: -614-570-2920 Links: Email | Website

Free airplane rides for Kids 8 -17 years old Register at http://YoungEaglesday.org Registration opens one month before the event. A parent or guardian must be present at the rally with the youth and sign a waiver form.

#### eaa1629.org

If you are a pilot and would like to fly Young Eagles, be sure to contact us for more information or go to <u>Young Eagles Day - Registration System</u> and register to be a pilot or you can contact us for more information. This is another opportunity for those pilots who are trying to get to 30 kids before AirVenture to earn that special polo shirt.



Meetings are held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month at Zanesville Municipal Airport (ZZV). We start gathering around 5 to talk and have some refreshments. The meeting will start at 6:00 PM. All are welcome to attend. Come on out to see what we do and hopefully you will join the Chapter. You do not have to fly Vintage Aircraft to join. Please think about coming out to join us. We are an aviation friendly club where there are no strangers.

#### !! SAVE THE DATE!!

On Saturday, May 6, we will have a guest speaker doing a presentation, and it will start at 1:00 PM. Ronald Manual is with the Historical Aircraft Squadron at LHQ (Lancaster, OH). He is a retired USAF and HAS member. Ron has such an impressive background in aviation. The places he has been. Wow! I look forward to talking to him more. Ron will be talking about what an aircraft owner is permitted to do as far as maintenance is concerned on their aircraft. This will be a very informative presentation and could save you several hundred dollars! Especially if you own an older aircraft. Be sure to let us know if you will be attending so that we can plan the refreshments accordingly. Lunch will start around noon. I will have Ron's bio sheet on hand to pass out and other hand out sheets from our good friends at the FAA.

Also, you will be able to pick up a copy of the revamped Tailwinds newsletter if you do not have an email address on file. If you would like to be on the email list to receive it, please send me an email at <a href="mailto:DAFord1957@gmail.com">DAFord1957@gmail.com</a>





Zanesville, OH 43701

#### "Aircraft Owner Maintenance Items"

Topic: Learn What Maintenance Tasks an Owner Can Complete. On <u>Saturday, May 6, 2023</u>, at <u>13:00 Eastern Daylight Time</u>

Location: Zanesville Airport Hangar 4 862 Airport Road

Select Number: GL07121826

**Description:** This seminar will share insights into the maintenance tasks aircraft owners can perform. Teaching Points; - Preventive Maintenance versus Repairs that an A&P must perform. - Annual Preparation

To view further details and registration information for this seminar, <u>click here</u>. <u>https://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/event\_details.aspx?eid=121826</u>

#### EAA Announces Inaugural Learn to Fly Week – May 15 to 20

Aspiring aviators will have the opportunity to discover multiple pathways to becoming a pilot as EAA presents its inaugural Learn to Fly Week on May 15-20.

Beginning May 15th, expert flight instructors and representatives from various aviation organizations will present free, interactive webinars. These webinars will cover topics from starting flight training, saving time and money in flight training, preparing for the FAA written exam, to passing the check ride, and so much more. While the live showing of these presentations will be open to the public, the recordings will be archived for EAA members to view at their convenience.

Learn to Fly Week will conclude on Saturday, May 20, with Flying Start events hosted at chapters across the country. EAA's Flying Start program allows EAA chapters to welcome, encourage, and educate new aviation enthusiasts about the fun, freedom, and accessibility of personal aviation in their local area. Following a short presentation about learning to fly, attendees will be offered a free introductory Eagle Flight to experience the spirit of aviation firsthand.

"Becoming a pilot is a dream for many, but few know where to start their journey. Learn to Fly Week was created to help encourage aspiring pilots to take action and begin the pilot training process," said David Leiting, EAA Eagles Program Manager. "Our goal is to show attendees how accessible achieving their dream actually is." Leiting also added that inspiration from this event stemmed from packed forums at the Learn to Fly Center at EAA AirVenture Oshkosh 2022, as well as the success of other EAA virtual events like Homebuilders Week and Virtual Ultralight Days.

Combining the educational forums from the Learn to Fly Center and the connections and inspiration found at Flying Start events, EAA Learn to Fly Week is the latest effort in the ongoing effort to help aspiring pilots achieve their dream of flight.

Sporty's Pilot Shop is the presenting sponsor of Learn to Fly Week. Sporty's will be participating in multiple webinars and offering product discounts during the week.

Full webinar schedule and more details on Learn to Fly Week can be found at **EAA.org/LTFWeek** 





# EAA Chapter 402 Newark-Heath Airport Treneff Field, KVTA

EAA 402 is in its 51st year of existence!

Progress is being made on the FBO and Maintenance Hangar at VTA! The interior progress is also moving along and the FBO operation may be able to move in as early as April this year. George Fackler, the airport operator, has mentioned numerous times that the users of the airport, including EAA 402 members, should be grateful to Terry Treniff, the Airport Board, and the Licking County Commissioners for such a nice facility as this is going to be. Upcoming events Chapter Scholarship Opens April 20 Flying Start (Eagle Flights) May 20 Young Eagles Rally June 10 Fly-In Pancake Breakfast August 26 Young Eagles Rally Sept. 23 Holiday Banquet Dec 5

This should be a fun event. Come out and join us!

Young Eagle Event @ Yankee Air Museum (KYIP): We are super-excited to announce the addition of a Young Eagles event on May 20. This event will be conducted jointly with EAA Chapter 1351, the Tuskegee Airmen, who are based at Detroit City Airport. All we have to do is provide pilots and ground crew. If you wish to be a pilot for this event, please make sure you are current with the EAA Youth Protection Program (...and give the EAA 20-30 days notice). An update will be sent out as soon as the event shows up on <a href="yeday.org">yeday.org</a>. This event will be held at the gleaming new Yankee Air Museum maintenance hangar (the Roush Aeronautics Center) Located at the SE corner of airport property. The facility has a ramp that is about 50% larger than Ann Arbor's SE ramp. At planning meetings, we realized that the airside would involve more taxiing, but no bottlenecks when compared to events at ARB. I even learned that 5-23 is long enough that the controller may allow two aircraft on the runway simultaneously (land long or land numbers). I'm hoping each of us brings robust energy to the event.



#### FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT

At East Side, Willow Run Airport 47884 D At East Side, Willow Run Airport 47884 D Street Belleville, Mi 4811

YankeeAirMuseum.org

(734) 483-4030

# 2260 International Parkway North Canton, OH 44720 330-896-6332

#### https://mapsairmuseum.org/

MAPS Air Museum is an internationally known museum of aviation and serves as a center of aviation history for Northeast Ohio. The museum features exciting educational displays of its collection of acquired artifacts, interactive exhibits, and historical archives in its own library.

#### **Call for Volunteers!**

MAPS relies heavily on volunteers for many tasks. If you have some time to volunteer, please consider doing so. They have a significant need for volunteers to work in their gift shop. If you like talking to people and have some free time, consider volunteering. Contact Bob Hollis – hollis.robert@mapsairmuseum.org or call 330-896-6332

#### Speaking of Volunteers...

Occasionally, when asked a question by a visitor, the person responding might say, "I'm just a volunteer." At MAPS, there is no such thing as 'just a volunteer!" With a minimal number of paid staff, volunteers are the backbone of the organization and without them, the doors would close!

Each year, Independent Sector, headquartered in Washington, DC, gathers data and conducts research on volunteerism in the nonprofit sector. The results of the research provide nonprofits a way to calculate the value of volunteer time. For 2022, the estimated national value of each volunteer hour is currently \$ 29.95. With MAPS volunteer hours logged at 45,428 for 2022, that is a dollar value of \$ 1,360,569! That is nothing short of amazing!

Save the Date!!



Saturday, Sep 2, 2023 Fly/In Cruise/In - Marion, Indiana, Marion, IN

Marion, Indiana Municipal Airport (MZZ), Marion, IN

Cruise/In will be held Saturday, September 2nd, 2023 at the Marion, Indiana Municipal Airport MZZ. The action starts early at 7:00am and runs until 2:00pm. This annual event features antique, classic, homebuilt, ultralight, rotorcraft, and warbird aircraft as well as vintage cars, trucks, motorcycles, fire trucks, autocycles, military vehicles and tractors. An all-you-can-eat Pancake Breakfast is served! With all proceeds benefitting the Grant County Rescue Mission

Contact: Ray Lowell Johnson Phone: 765-664-2588

Website: http://www.FlyInCruiseIn.com

# EAA Chapter 421 Urbana Ohio

#### **Monthly Chapter Gatherings:**

First Saturday of Each Month at 10:00 AM Grimes Field Airport - I74, Champaign Aviation Museum, 1652 N. Main St. Urbana, OH 43078

**Chapter Contact Information:** President, Mark Curtner 937-726-1244

or mcurtner@ohiohipoint.com

#### **GRIMES FIELD (174) URBANA, OHIO UPDATE**

- **1. Mid America Flight Museum of Texas Restoration Shop** currently with a New Standard they have restored and are now finishing. Monday thru Friday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm) They now have a Beechcraft B-18 on site. Volunteers are always welcome!
- **2. Grimes Flying Lab Museum,** which has one of Grimes's original Beech C45 aircraft that flies at special occasions, events, July 4<sup>th</sup>, etc. and examples of many of the lights and equipment that Grimes built (Hours April thru November Saturdays 10 to 1)
- **3. Champaign Aviation Museum** Building B-17 Champaign Lady, flying B-25 Champaign Gal, Stinson, Fairchild, COD1 (Hours Tuesday thru Saturday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm)

#### Grimes is the only Airport in the U.S. with 3 museums.

- **4. Grimes Airport Café** New Owners Mindy & Chat Orahood same great food, adding some new dishes. Still making pies 100% from scratch, crust, filling, etc. (Hours Tuesday thru Saturday 7:00 am to 8:00 pm, Sunday 8:00 am to 2:30 pm)
- **5. Ohio Hi Point Career Center** (Bellefontaine) has an aviation class here. Champaign County high school students attend class for the first half of the day, then after lunch attend workshop/class here at Grimes where they learn about aviation. (Pilotage, maintenance, administration, riveting, etc.)

- **6. EAA Chapter 421** meets Hangar 6, first Saturday of each month. All are welcome. More info https://www.facebook.com/eaachapter421
- **7. Champaign County Pilots' Association** meets first Wednesday monthly at Champaign Aviation Museum, library/training room All are welcome

Located at Grimes Field (I74) in Urbana, Ohio. The Museum's purpose is to restore and preserve aircraft specifically but not limited to the aircraft of World War II. It is also the intent of the Museum to operate these aircraft for static and flying displays. Stop in for a visit!

Exciting times are ahead! New events and activities are coming up for the museum and our B17 project!

Museum Hours: Tuesday-Friday: 9 a.m.- 4 p.m.; Saturday: 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.; Closed Sunday and Monday

Tour groups or for other times, please call the museum for information. 937-652-4710 Admission is FREE. Donations are welcome in assisting efforts in the restoration rebuild of the B-17 project and maintenance of the facility.

http://www.facebook.com/pages/CAM-Champaign-Aviation-Museum/121903357954105 Champaign Aviation Museum is located on Grimes Field as well as the Grimes Flying Lab the Airport Cafe! What a fantastic way to spend a Saturday checking out history! Fly in or drive in!

2023 Calendar of Events for Grimes

May 24th, Capital Wing of the Commemorative Air Force TBM-3 Doris Mae here offering rides. https://commemorativeairforce.org/aircraft/12

June 10th, Champaign County Pilots' Association annual Pancake Breakfast (proceeds fund scholarships for aviation career path students)

July 4th, Rotary Chicken Dinner, Arts Council Concert, Rotary Fireworks

July 8th, EAA Chapter 421 Young Eagles Day - free introductory flights for kids 8 to 17 to introduce them to aviation.

July 24 & 25, Ageless Aviation Dreams Foundation here giving rides to Veterans of local Masonic Homes <a href="https://dreamflights.org/">https://dreamflights.org/</a>

August 19, MERFI (Mid-Eastern Regional Fly-in & Car Show) General Aviation Fly-in with Pancake Breakfast & Bi-plane Rides

September 8 & 9, Champaign County Hot Air Balloon Festival - Hot Air Balloon launch & glow (weather permitting), Food Trucks, Beer and Wine Garden, Vendors, Kids Activities

September 21 thru 25, Moving Vietnam Wall will be here \*\*More as it develops\*\*





The WACO Air Museum located at 1865 S. Co. Rd. 25A, Troy, OH will be closed on

Wednesdays. Here are our new hours of operation:

 Mon
 09:00 AM - 3:00 PM

 Wed
 Closed

 Thur
 09:00 AM - 3:00 PM

 Fri
 09:00 AM - 3:00 PM

 Sat
 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Sun 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Eric A. Combs, Museum Operations Manager, WACO Air Museum

937-335-9226 www.wacoairmuseum.org

WACO Aircraft Factory was the one manufacturer of civil aircraft in the country in the 20's 30's.

The museum preserves the factory and employees. (1WF)



EAA's local Chapters 1095 is about people, bringing together individuals interested in learning more about aviation as well as sharing their own knowledge.

Chapter members are involved in a variety of social and educational activities, including Young Eagles rallies, fly-ins, building seminars, and more, to build awareness in the community.

**EAA Name Tags** if you would like to order name tags for your members or at least your officers please check out Chapter 1095's website. These name tags are very professional looking and hold up well. <a href="https://chapters.eaa.org/eaa1095/eaa-name-tags">https://chapters.eaa.org/eaa1095/eaa-name-tags</a>



# Philanthropy at Work

Over the past three decades, EAA's Young Eagles Program has flown more than 2.3 million young people. Tom Pobrezeny created the program to introduce and inspire kids in the world of aviation through their first free ride in an airplane. See the impact of the Young Eagles program:

Your generosity to the EAA Aviation Foundation helps to sustain programs like EAA's Young Eagles. For more information on how you can support industry-leading programs like this, visit EAA.org/Give.



Upcoming Gathering - Monday, May 1, 2023.

**Youth Meetings:** First official youth workshop on April 27th about safety wiring. After that May 25th. Meeting at 5:30 PM at the Noblesville Airport where we regularly meet.

Volunteers: We have a 3rd grade field trip on May 16th at the Metro (KUMP) airport. We are looking for volunteers to help with the 75 kids in the morning and another 75 kids in the afternoon. How exciting!

#### **Business 6:00 PM**

This is where we take care of official business. All are welcome but there are many who do not find this of much interest. Often people will wait and join us for the Pitch-In or the Program.

- Call to order.
- Approval of Minutes

- Reports of Officers
- Other business
  - Youth Initiative

#### Pitch-In 6:30 PM

The main course is brought by one or more volunteers. They are reimbursed for the cost of food materials. Pitch-In means other people bring a side dish, dessert, or contribution of some sort. We have bottled water, or you can bring your own drink. If this is your first time, or you are a guest or presenter, then just come and enjoy a meal with us.

May: Allan G will do tenderloins

June: Brittany M and Jodie G main dish

July: August:

September: Rob M



# THE SPIRIT OF AVIATION Chapter 1600

Delaware, OH

Meetings: 2nd Wednesday 7:00 PM

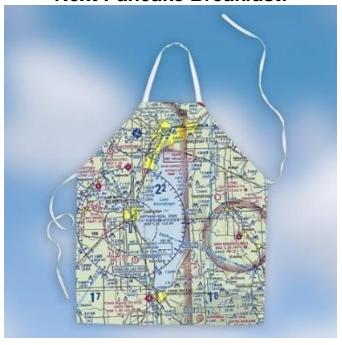
Meeting Location: Delaware Municipal Airport (DLZ) Terminal Building

1075 Pittsburg Drive Delaware OH 43015

Saturday May 13th - A Double Header - 8-11AM Pancake Breakfast, 9-12 Young Eagles Rally (our first of three for this year).

Saturday May 20th - EAA Learn to Fly Day. We are hosting a Flying Start Event in the Jet Stream Hanger - Ken Hagen is Chairing the event.

# Order a Customized Apron for your Chapter's Next Pancake Breakfast!



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https://www.chartitall.com/



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Or call Dewey at 937-877-0837 to set up a private air tour from the Deweydrome!



July 15-16 we will have another fun-filled event. We are looking forward to seeing you all this year. Antique airplanes, paper rockets, RC airplanes, peddle plane pylon racing, food, and much more for us to all enjoy. We will update website over the next week or two.

Www.barnstormingcarnival.com



We are a local chapter of Women in Aviation International, based in Dayton,
Ohio – where it all began.

To learn more or if you have questions, email us at womeninaviationhuffmanprairie@gmail.com

WAI offers free student membership, and our chapter offers free participation as well. If interested in membership please reach out to our chapter, WAI offers many benefits to students and young adults entering the aviation industry.

#### Some other upcoming events for the Chapter are:

#### **Events:**

May 20th @10am Quarterly Membership Meeting, Greene Co Airport.



Central U.P. of Michigan

Home of the Yoopers



EAA Chapter 55 at Mason Jewett Field (KTEW) in Mason, MI meets the second Saturday of each month in our hangar on Mason Jewett Field (KTEW). We serve a complimentary breakfast (free will donations accepted) from 8am-9am. We will have a short business meeting at 9:30am.

Our meetings are generally followed with an aviation themed program except that in June, July, and August, we adjourn our meeting to host a Young Eagle Rally.

Our Dawn Patrol Pancake Breakfast will be Sunday, June 11th, and our Mason Aviation Day will be Saturday, August 19th.

Fly-in and Drive-in Visitors are always welcome to attend the breakfast, the meeting, or both. Aircraft parking is available at our hangar and at the terminal ramp.



#### Open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. seven days a week.

**FREE** Admission & Parking 1100 Spaatz Street Wright-Patterson AFB Ohio 45433 (near Dayton) (937) 255-3286

From James Senft, Director of the Central High School STEM Aviation Program located at the Westosha Central High School in Paddock Lake, Wisconsin. The Burlington Municipal airport (KBUU) serves as home base for all flight operations.

Please visit our website <u>www.falconaviation.org</u>

Click to Enter https://rafflecreator.com/pages/63842/vans-rv-12-plane

Local News Story https://www.fox6now.com/video/1135492

Eagle's Nest Projects Wisconsin (ENP WI) foundation ENP WI is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization that provides the financial backing to run the Central High School STEM Aviation Program

Eagle's Nest Project Wisconsin is running a sweepstakes to raise money for our next airplane, student scholarships, and future hanger. This effort is a massive undertaking and will shape our future. I am asking for your help in supporting us in our effort. We need to spread the word about our sweepstakes through social media, website posts, and emailing out information about our sweepstakes.

# Eagle's Nest Projects Wisconsin RV-12 ULS SWEEPSTAKES

FIRST PLACE PRIZE: 2018 Van's RV-12 ULS Aircraft or \$65,000 Dollars

**SECOND PLACE PRIZE:** New Axis 500 4x4

UTV or \$4,999 Dollars

#### THIRD PLACE PRIZE: Pair of VVolt E

Bikes or \$1,200 Dollars





2018 VANS RV-12 ELSA. Rotax 912ULS. 900TT. Dynon SkyView HDX, Integrated Ipad Mount, 2-axis autopilot, ADSB, SkyView





AXIS 500 4X4 UTV Automatic CVT transmission, durable 4-Wheel Drive with Locking Differentials, Independent A-Arm Suspension. W/ Dump Bed



ebike that's comfy, simple, and

Funds

Sweepstakes run from JAN 3RD, 2023 UNTIL SEPT 8TH, 2023 or when 5,000 TICKETS are sold if sooner.

1 TICKET= \$100 3 TICKETS= \$250 6 TICKETS= \$500 14 TICKETS= \$1000

will support building of our aircraft, and other flight experiences for students.

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### Burke Lakefront Cleveland, Ohio

#### **Member Benefits**

<u>WAI members</u> seek to inspire and stand for encouragement, continued education, and a whole lot of fun! We invite you to take advantage of exclusive discount programs, including many diverse benefits, available to our valued members.

**Exclusive Discount Programs for Members** 

- **Avemco**: 5% discount on insurance
- Aviation Medicine Advisory Service: 5% discount on standard case fees
- Enterprise and National Rental-A-Car: special discount rates with promotion code
- General Aviation News subscription: free sample issues and 50% off subscription
- **King Schools**: free package of 5 King courses focused on Risk Management and 20% discount on all King Schools courses.
- MedJetAssist: reduced annual and multi-year rates.
- SmithAmundsen: free 30-minute consultation on legal services
- Travelpro®: exclusive 20% discount on all products

Phil Rausch is interested in starting an Aero Club. This is his email to me regarding it.

To anyone interested, I would like to start forming an Aero club in the central Ohio area and am looking for interested members.

The EAA and AOPA provide resources for club formation as well as individuals willing to help during the process of forming a club. Interested individuals with experience in forming a club are also welcome.

If interested, please contact me at my Email <u>Fillupinpc@msn.com</u> or call 614-774-3319. Date and time to be determined for our initial meeting to be based on availability.

Our local group, Tin Goose Chapter 1247, was founded in 1995 by James Parker, a local private pilot who wanted to share his love of aviation with other like-minded individuals.

Unfortunately, Jim passed away a short time later from an unexpected illness, but the spirit and enthusiasm under which he started the group lives on.

Today, we continue his vision by fostering the spirit of aviation in our members and the local community. by hosting a variety of programs and special events each year.

Tin Goose Chapter 1247 is based at the Erie-Ottawa International Airport (KPCW) in Port Clinton, Ohio. Our chapter meetings, as well as our Ford Tri-Motor restoration project, are located in Liberty. Aviation Museum complex on the SE corner of the airfield.

Chapter membership is open to all aviation enthusiasts and pilots. Whether your interest is learning to fly, building an airplane, volunteering at events, or hanging out at the airport to do some "hangar flying", our Chapter has something for you!

Tri-Motor ride dates have been set for 2023 and, once again, we'll be asking for volunteers to help out. Here are the dates... June 30—July 2 @ Port Clinton August 4-6 @ Put-in-Bay September 1-3 @ Port Clinton If you are interested in volunteering, please put your name on the signup sheet.



https://www.clevelandairshow.com/

### **Drum Roll Please!**

One of the most highly sought-after tactical demonstrations is coming to Cleveland...



# Release the Raptor!

The U.S. Air Force F-22 Raptor will perform an aerial demonstration each show day. The F-22 is a fifth-generation fighter with incredible maneuverability, aided by its computerized controls and powerful, thrust-vectoring jet engines. A must see at this year's Air Show!



Cleveland will host the U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds as headliners of the 2023 Cleveland National Air Show presented by Discount Drug Mart.

Each show day, the six select Thunderbird demonstration pilots will put their distinct red, white, and blue F-16 Fighting Falcon jet fighters through a choreographed 50-minute performance at speeds up to 500 mph and as close as three feet from each other.

2023 will mark the 70th year the Thunderbirds have been performing and Cleveland is a part of the team's rich history. In 1965, the Thunderbirds made their first Cleveland appearance flying their North American F-100s (first supersonic jet fighters).

The Thunderbirds are the U.S. Air Force "Ambassadors in Blue" and composed of twelve officers (including six demonstration pilots), two civilians and 120 enlisted personnel performing more than 30 Air Force specialties. The Thunderbirds represent the United States at approximately thirty sites each year.



#### https://daytonairshow.com/

#### TICKET HIGHLIGHT

The CenterPoint Energy Dayton Air Show Presented by Kroger has a variety of ticket options, including the popular Synchrony Family Four Pack!

Included for just \$99 total:

4 General Admissions tickets
4 Hot dogs, 4 Sodas
1 General Admission Parking Pass
1 Souvenir Program

That's nearly 50% in savings over on-site prices!

Tickets are on sale now! Check out our website to get your tickets today!



**SAVE THE DATE!** 

AUG 19-20, 2023,

Akron-Fulton Airport

FREE PARKING & SHUTTLE at Derby Downs 1170 George Washington Blvd, Akron, OH 44306
Busses are handicap accessible with lift Handicap drop off zone at 1800 Triplett Blvd
Saturday 10am-5pm Sunday 10am-5pm Last Shuttle bus leaves at 5:15pm
234-206-0545 for recorded info & Voice Mail 440-668-1718



#### Jackie's Airport Restaurant, Harrison, MI (80D)

Clare County Airport 80D, a little north of the center of the Lower Peninsula. Not a \$100 hamburger. It's a pasty flight - the biggest and best one you may ever find. Half a pie in size! Fine, inexpensive home cooking ... very clean and hospitable to fliers.



#### Put-in-Bay Township Port Authority, Put in Bay, OH (3W2)

Actually, not in Michigan, but a great flight just out-of-state. South Bass Island in Lake Erie off Port Clinton. Fly under Detroit Class B airspace and downriver around the southwest corner of Lake Erie. Rent a golf cart and ride 5 minutes to lunch in the port village. Many restaurants and a nice little resort. Visit the Perry Monument. Actually, not in Michigan, but a great flight just out-of-state. South Bass Island in Lake Erie off Port Clinton. Fly under Detroit Class B airspace and downriver around the southwest corner of Lake Erie. Rent a golf cart and ride 5 minutes to lunch in the port village. Many restaurants and a nice little resort. Visit the Perry Memorial

# **Pancake Breakfast**



Independence Day Pancake Breakfast Fly-In, Watervliet, MI

Sunday, Jul 2, 2023 Watervliet Airport (40C), Watervliet, MI

Pancake breakfast with eggs, sausage, juice, etc. 7am-11am, nice smooth grass strip



Saturday, Jun 3, 2023, Grand Haven Memorial Airport K3GM Open House, Grand Haven, MI 8am to 1pm. Come for hot dogs, doughnuts, lots of airplanes and a great time.

Grand Ledge

Abrams Municipal Airport - Grand Air Aviation,
Grand Ledge, MI (4D0) A sleepy little field located seven Miles west of Lansing Capital
City Airport KLAN. Owned by the City of Grand Ledge. Courtesy car available for 2-mile drive
to main intersection downtown where there are 3 restaurants.



Newlon Field I41, Lesage, WV (I41)

Great place to camp and fly into, right beside the Ohio River and a great restaurant on the field. -



#### Historical Aircraft Squadron - Carroll, OH (LHQ)

The Historical Aircraft Squadron, Inc. is an all- volunteer, non-profit organization dedicated to the restoration, display and operation of former military aircraft and related equipment in our hangar/ museum located at the Fairfield County Airport. The squadron was formed in 1994 by a small group of individuals who shared this common interest. Membership has grown and we currently have members representing a wide variety of ages, interests, talents, and volunteer skills. Members and visitors are encouraged to participate in activities and events as well as to just stop by to 'hang around' to enjoy the atmosphere of the aircraft and museum displays. We are a work in progress so there is always something new to experience. Hours: Wednesday thru Saturday - 10am to 4pm. Sundays - 12pm-5pm



#### Richard Downing Airport - Coshocton, OH (I40)

During the summertime the Airport I40 has this great Barbecue Friday thru Sunday at the airport. Also, there is a Historic Canal Town: http://www.roscoevillage.com/ If you call ahead to 1800-877-1830 ext20 and ask to speak to Debbie at Roscoe Village and she will arrange to pick you up at the airport to tour this wonderful Historic Town. Roscoe Village is like a mini-Williamsburg but Friendlier, plus they have a Canal Boat ride also.

#### Austin Landing/Wright B flyer/ Commander Aero, Miamisburg, OH (KMGY)

When looking for a place to fly, Dayton-Wright Brothers Airport KMGY is always a great stop. Located within walking distance of Austin Landing, a shopping outlet filled with stores and great restaurants. Don't feel like driving? Call ahead and ask for the Crew Car at Commander Aero. They will be happy to let you take their Lexus out to either the Air Force Museum or out for lunch. They have the cheapest 100ll on the field and offer a 10cent AOPA discount. At KMGY there is also the Wright B Museum, which hangars a flying Wright B Flyer. Open from 9:30 to 2:30pm Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.

#### **Memorial Fly-In and Pancake Breakfast**

EAA 578 Sat, May 27, 2023, 8:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Fremont Municipal Airport Fremont MI 49412

Come join our EAA 578 9th annual Fly-In and Pancake breakfast. Flag Raising ceremony and warbird flyby at 0900. RC Demos, static displays, and airplane build statics. Pancakes start at 0800, served by the local Lions club. Fun for the entire family.

Contact: Daniel Booker Phone: 231-245-7798

#### Pancake Breakfast Fly-In and Drive-In

Sun, May 28, 2023, 7:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Address: 3600 Wildwood Ave Jackson MI 49202 Contact: Chuck Furgason Phone: 517-783-1066

Pancake breakfast adults \$10, kids 6-10 \$5, kids under 5 free with adult.

#### **Young Eagle Rally**

Sat, May 13, 2023, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Address: Anderson Municipal Airport Anderson IN 46017

Contact: Keith Givens Phone: 765-208-0299

Young Eagle Rides

#### **EAA 1641 Monthly Gathering and FAA Wings Seminar**

Sat, May 20, 2023, 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Address: 301 Airport Rd Bloomsburg PA 17815

Contact: Philip Polstra Phone: 570-854-5653

EAA 1641 Monthly Gathering will coincide with an FAA Safety Team Safety Seminar (Wings

credit given). Topic: TBD Seminar 10:30-11:30 Social Time 11:30 - 12:30

chapters.eaa.org/eaa1641

#### Fly-In Drive-In

Sun, May 28, 2023, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Address: 330 Dorn Avenue Cumberland, WV 21502
Contact: Kathleen Kight Phone: 301-268-2624

All you can eat pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage, sausage gravy. fried potatoes, fruit cocktail coffee and orange juice. \$12.99 for adults and under age 12 is \$6.00 Free Young Eagles Rides for ages 8 thru 17, weather permitting and pilots available. Free young Eagles rides for aged 8 to 17 weather permitting and pilots available.

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#### New EAA Chapter Near You

### Millwood, West Virginia

#### What:

EAA Chapter 1336 was recently formed in Millwood, West Virginia! Don't miss your opportunity to get involved in grassroots aviation in your own backyard! EAA chapters participate in a variety of events and activities, including fly-ins, building seminars and workshops, regular aerobatic practice and coaching, Young Eagles rallies, and much more. To see what we are up to, please join us at our next chapter gathering or contact us at your convenience!

#### Where and When:

Meets every first Saturday of the month at 5:00 PM Jackson County Airport (I18) 912 Airport Road Millwood, WV 25262

#### Chapter Contact Information:

Charles Heilmann, President 304-532-3698 ceheilmann@me.com



There's nothing like soaring through the open blue sky. At EAA, we want everyone to be able to experience the joy of flight.

The flying heritage of EAA is shown through our air tour experiences on the B-17, Ford Tri-Motor, and B-25 that thousands of people enjoy annually.

Flying and maintaining these aircraft is another way EAA shares its passion for aviation with others.

The B-17 *Aluminum Overcast* is a tribute to those who defended our country during World War II. While it is currently undergoing repairs, when it is finished EAA's B-17 is one of 12 flyable B-17s today.

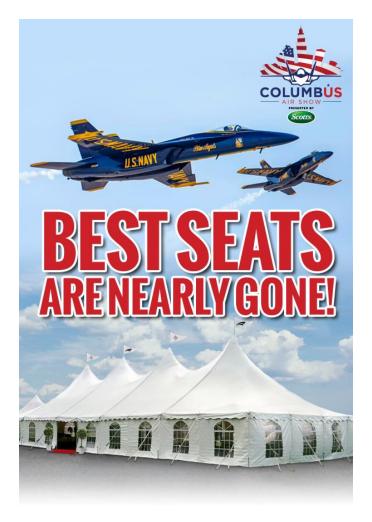
EAA's 1929 Ford Tri-Motor is America's first mass-produced airliner and is one of the last remaining Tri-Motors able to fly. The "Tin Goose" holds a special role in inspiring our youth to pursue their aviation endeavors.

The B-25 is a tribute to the greatest generation who served on bombers during World War II. All ticket purchases for the B-25 support EAA's programs and mission.

When you donate to the EAA Aviation Foundation, you help support programs like EAA's air tours that help keep these historic aircraft flying.

#### **Support Historical Preservation**

https://www.eaa.org/eaa/support-eaa/give/historical-preservation/flying-heritage-trimotor?utm\_source=aemonthly\_volume4\_230501&utm\_medium=email&utm\_campaign=ae\_monthlynews\_2023&utm\_content=events&mkt\_tok=OTEwLVNFVS0wNzMAAAGLXellHwspGTJwMySqyiDwOJmxWO3YldDi28Er9luvbDzFF\_0BOEGzUd6v8g9dtwMxgJGG2X1CoGtuHLsVnsZcjb25mV2vrm1JDijexj6IURk



The U.S. Navy Blue Angels will appear in Columbus for the first time in more than a quarter century June 16-18 at the Columbus Air Show Presented by Scotts.

The Blue Angels return along with a blockbuster lineup of performers and exhibits has created

overwhelming demand for tickets. All premium seating for Saturday

has sold out, Sunday is nearly sold out, and several areas for Friday are nearing capacity. Those seeking an upscale experience at this year's show should make their purchase soon.



#### Chapter 1077

Sun, May 28, 2023, 7:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Address:(KPHD) Harry Cleaver Airport New Philadelphia, OHIO OH 44663

Contact: Mark Mathias Phone: 740-922-2298

Memorial Day Weekend. (breakfast is free for veterans) Pancakes, fresh eggs, Sausage, Juice

and Coffee Please help us sponsor student pilot scholarships with proceeds.

#### **EAA Chapter 226**

Sat, May 13, 2023, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Address: Anderson Municipal Airport Anderson IN 46017

Contact: Keith Givens Phone: 765-208-0299

Young Eagle Rides

#### **Young Eagles Over Chippewa**

Sat, May 6, 2023 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Address:15 Piper St Beaver Falls PA 15010
Contact: Duane Clawsonhone: 724-336-4273

Free flights for kids ages 8-17 years





# The Spirit of Aviation® grows through EAA's Ray scholars

The EAA Ray Aviation Scholarship Program is funded by the Ray Foundation. Through the support of the Ray Foundation, EAA can provide up to \$11,000 to youths for flight training expenses. In total, there is \$1.8 million gifted in annual scholarship funding.

More than 300 youths have earned their private pilot certificate with support from the Ray Scholarship Program. Take it from our Ray scholars who have been able to do just that.

Ray scholar Kritti Prasad of California expected to earn her certificate 2-3 years after graduating from high school and having the financial capabilities to do so but was able to earn it much earlier.

"Receiving the scholarship was a life-changing opportunity that I was honored to be granted," Kritti said.

"The fact that I was able to get [my certificate] so soon felt like a dream."

Ray scholar Antonin Stoddard of Oklahoma said one of the first things he did after receiving his certificate was fly Young Eagles to help others experience the joy of flight.

"I would like to say that I take a lot of personal pride in having been selected for this scholarship," Antonin said. "As a high school student, without the Ray Foundation Scholarship, it would've been very financially difficult for me to achieve this goal." Both Kritti and Antonin see a future as successful airline pilots.

EAA is able to grow The Spirit of Aviation through its Ray scholars. Without scholarship donations such as these, we wouldn't be able to support young pilots and make their dreams come true. Thank you for your support.

This newsletter goes out to the EAA Chapters in Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, Kentucky, Michigan, and Pennsylvania. It also goes out to the FBO's in those states. So, if you are planning to host an event and would like to get the information out there, this is one of the places to do so. There is NO cost to advertise your events or your Airport Restaurant.

We would like to put your events or happenings in the Ohio Region Chapter Newsletter. So please feel free to get the article to me about a week before the end of the month. This way it can be included in the following month's newsletter. If you have an interesting story you want to share, send it. We like those feel-good stories also. Let us know about those restaurants that are located on or near an airfield. This way pilots will know of a good place to fly to for those \$ 100 hamburgers.

If someone from your Chapter, or on the airfield has a plane, parts, or tools they want to sell or give away let us know. It can be included in the newsletter. There is NO cost for this.

If you do not have time to draft an article and would like for me to visit your website / Facebook page and gather my own "intel" for an article, please let me know.

Be sure to let me know if there is a different person that I should reach out to for an article. Or if there is someone else who should receive the newsletter to distribute to your Chapter members.

Please share this with your fellow Chapter members, aviator friends and your local FBO's. You never know who would be interested in one of the articles/events in the newsletter. Or if you received this from a friend and would like to receive it directly, please let me know.

Send in your comments as to what you would like to see in the newsletter. We like those human-interest stories, especially those with pictures.

Send articles for the June newsletter to me by May 20<sup>th</sup> if possible. Email them to Daford1957@gmail.com

Thanks again and enjoy the newsletter.

Darlene Ford