

Ohio Region Chapter News

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As always, Some News from National.

AirVenture dates 2023: July 24 – 30

'Vietnam Remembered: 50 Years Later' to Include Displays, Activities at AirVenture Oshkosh 2023



The people and aircraft that participated in the Vietnam War will be remembered 50 years after the end of direct hostilities during EAA AirVenture Oshkosh 2023, which will be held July 24-30 at Wittman Regional Airport in Oshkosh.

The 70th edition of EAA's fly-in convention will include specific programs and activities that involve the aircraft of that period, from all branches of service that were engaged during that period.

"The Vietnam era was a remarkable time for aviation innovation and development," said Rick Larsen, EAA's vice president of communities and member programs, who coordinates AirVenture features and attractions. "It was a bridge from the early jet age to the aircraft that are still a foundational part of our armed forces. More important, this is an opportunity to recognize those who served, many of whom did not receive a grateful welcome when they returned from their service."

The aircraft involved in the individual programs will be announced as their presence is finalized. However, the lineup will include land- and carrier-based aircraft, as well as rotorcraft that are examples of those that saw service in Vietnam. Special activities will

encompass the AirVenture air shows, evening programs, Boeing Plaza and Warbirds area displays, and areas such as the Fly-In Theater, Theater in the Woods, and the EAA Aviation Museum.

In addition, the annual Yellow Ribbon Honor Flight is scheduled to return to the schedule on Friday, July 28, focusing on Vietnam veterans departing Oshkosh for a day trip to visit memorials in Washington, D.C., prior to returning at the end of that day's air show.

Additional highlights are currently in development and will be announced in the coming weeks.

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 for 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 (jhopkins@EAA.org) or by phone ([920-426-4875](tel:920-426-4875)).

Ultralight/Homebuilt Rotorcraft Pattern Altered Slightly for AirVenture 2023

Due to expansion of aircraft parking at the south end of Wittman Regional Airport, the [ultralight/homebuilt rotorcraft flight pattern](#) 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 [FAA NOTICE to Air Missions \(NOTAM\)](#) 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.

[Ultralight/Homebuilt Rotorcraft Pattern Altered Slightly for AirVenture 2023 | EAA AirVenture News](#)

Have you shopped 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

EAA Webinars sponsored by



4/4	Task-Based Phase I Flight Testing	Tom Charpentier
4/5	Ethics of Misdiagnosis	Mike Busch
4/11	The History of Steve Wittman	Chris Henry
4/12	The Nine Principles of Light Airplane Flying	Rich Stowell
4/18	Planning for International Young Eagles Day	David Leiting
4/19	VNAV and Visual Approaches: Helpful or Hidden Dangers	Gary Reeves
4/26	All About Flying to the Bahamas, Caribbean, & Cuba	Jim Parker
5/3	Booted Out of Annual	Mike Busch

All webinars are at 7:00 pm CST 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 \(eaa.org\)](http://www.eaa.org/webinars)

Stop by EAA's website and see what you are missing.

EAA Chapter 1625 Chillicothe (SE Ohio) Ross County KRZT

Please check out our Facebook page for the latest up to date information

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/2221359754604751/>

Or check out our website at <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea1625>

Our next meeting for Saturday, April 1st has been canceled due to several board members not able to attend. Our next meeting will be May 6 at 9 AM. Meeting location will be determined.

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 <http://eaa1629.org> for the latest up to date information. You can also check our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/MarysvilleEAAChapter1629/>

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: <https://eaa1629.org> 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 marysvilleeaachapter@gmail.com

Our next IMC meeting will be on Wednesday, April 19 15 th. Our speaker will be Dr. Michael Carr and he will be talking about using Skew-T diagrams as part of weather briefings. This is a good topic. You can check out the Facebook page also, EAA Chapter 1629 IMC Club.



EAA Chapter 1629 will host their first Young Eagles Rally of the season on Sat, Apr 29, 2023 - Sat, Apr 29, 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 [Young Eagles Day - Registration System](#) and register to be a pilot or you can contact us for more information



Meetings are held the 2nd 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 a 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!!

Due to unforeseen circumstances with the meteorologist, we will have to postpone our Saturday, April 22 presentations. Jason let us know that they have some staffing challenges and that he would not be able to come on April 22. More details to come.

!! SAVE THE DATE!!

Saturday, May 6, we will have a speaker for the meeting, 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 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! Be sure to let us know if you will be attending so that we can plan the refreshments accordingly.



At our March meeting we had cake! To celebrate my birthday. It was great.

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 DAFord1957@gmail.com

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 Trenoff 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 CAP Convention April 14-16 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



Springfield-Beckley Airport Spring Fly-In Featuring: Lit Litty's Food Truck!

Where: (KSGH) 1251 West Blee Rd. Springfield, OH 45502

When: Saturday, April 1st

Time: 11:00 - 4:00

Fly in or drive in!
The whole family is welcome!
Join us for food and fun!



Menu

Chicken Cessna Philly
Philly Piper Cheesesteak
Walking Waco Taco
Flying Fries and Onion Loops
Bird Dog (regular hot dog)
Bomber Dog (chilly dog)
Fokker Funnel Cake Bites
Fighter Fried Oreos



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

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Spring to Proficiency!

A Highly Personal and Immersive Clinic for Instrument Rated Pilots

Presented by EAA & Community Aviation

Where: The new state-of-the-art EAA Pilot Proficiency Center

When: Two classes offered - April 24-26 & April 26-28, 2023

Spring is an opportunity to shake the rust off our wings and embrace a mindset for safety once again. Jump-start your flying season with this advanced three-day training program for IFR-rated pilots.

At the Spring to Proficiency clinic, you and a teammate will train with a mission-focused CFII. Together you will review the myriad aspects of flying in the IFR system. You will gain knowledge in an intimate workshop format, execute procedures, and fly custom scenarios in your dedicated Redbird LD simulation device.

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To learn more go to <https://www.communityaviation.com/clinic/spring-to-proficiency-osh>



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 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!

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 (I74) 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 always welcome!

2. Grimes Flying Lab Museum, which has one of Grimes's original Beech C45 aircraft that flies at special occasions, events, July 4th, 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 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 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

April 29th, Champaign Aviation Museum Gala with guest speaker - Ret Col Mark Tillman who was at the controls of Air Force One on 9/11. www.champaignaviationmuseum.org

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 <https://dreamflights.org/>

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****

In case you missed it, you really missed a great presentation from Dewey Davenport on March 11. Chili Fly In was impressive too.

Rollie Bailey from EAA Chapter 402 out of Newark arranged their monthly fly out to come over Urbana. They had six planes fly in! Awesome job Rollie, it was great to see you guys again. We had a couple from EAA Chapter 1625 drive up from Waverly to the chili fly in – good to see you Joe and Kristie Sattler! I am also the Secretary of 1625 and the Secretary of 1629 as well as the Newsletter Editor of VA 22 out of Zanesville. Had some from EAA1629 Marysville Chapter – Joe Trepicone and Chuck Mosher flew over. Andrew Hale, VP of EAA 1629 drove over. Paul and Pam Workman were there, as well as

Here are a few pictures from the day. An enjoyable day!



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The WACO Air Museum located at [1865 S. Co. Rd. 25A, Troy, OH](https://www.wacoairmuseum.org/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	Tues	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. <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea1095/ea-name-tags>



Philanthropy at Work

Over the past three decades, EAA's Young Eagles Program has flown more than 2.3 million young people. Tom Pobrezny 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, April 3, 2023, at the Noblesville Airport, 14782 Promise Rd, Noblesville, IN 46060. Visit our new website <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea67> for more information and directions.

- **6:00 PM** - Business - all are welcome.
- **6:30 PM** - Pitch-In - come visit and enjoy the meal
- **7:00 PM** - Program - the fun stuff

Here are some highlights of what is coming. Look further below for more details.

- Bruce M will provide the main dish (probably chicken).
- Jim Olivi will give a presentation about his Uncle Fred Olivi who was copilot of *Bockscar*, the B-29 that dropped Fat Man over Nagasaki (to date, the world's last A-bomb attack) during World War II. This is an AMAZING and HISTORIC presentation including weather and fuel critical situations.

Gathering After That - **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, desert, 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.

January: Allan G brought fried chicken

February: Nick/Jeanette brought pizza

March: Allan G brought cold meat and cheese

April: Bruce M bringing chicken (probably)

May: Allan G will do tenderloins

June: Brittany M and Jodie G main dish

July:

August:

September: Rob M

October:

November:

Program 7:00 PM

"Bockscar": The Aircraft that Ended WWII

Jim Olivi will share stories of his uncle, Fred Olivi and Bockscar. You can see 2nd Lt. F. Olivi third from the left in the picture below. This was two days after the Nagasaki mission.





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

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July 15-16 we will have another fun filled event. We are looking forward in 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.

We will be participating in the National Museum of the United States Air Force Easter Egg Hunt activities on Saturday, April 8 from 10-4. We will be passing out candy, stickers and coloring pages. Be sure to stop by and say hi.

Some other upcoming events for the Chapter are:

Events:

April 8th USAFM Easter Egg Hunt 10am - 4pm: Handing out candy, stickers, and chapter information. Please see links below to donate candy or stickers to the event. ~2000 in attendance.

April 28th @ 6pm Coffee & Canvas, Greene Co Airport.: Come enjoy a night of socializing and aviation themed painting. ***If you are attending the Coffee and Canvas night, we need a final headcount so the right number of canvases can be purchased and ready to go, please get your RSVP in. Guests & kids are welcome to attend. We will have at least a Keurig with some variety but bring a drink or dessert of your choice.**

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



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



Hop on over for this **FREE** event from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.! Hunt for the giant inflatable eggs throughout the museum's galleries and collect candy as you find them (don't forget to bring your basket!) Enjoy the sounds of the USAF Band of Flight pop-up concerts scheduled for 1 p.m., 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. And don't miss the face painters, balloon artists, and more...including a visit from our furry friend, the Easter Bunny! (Tentatively scheduled for 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.) This indoor event will happen rain, snow, or shine!

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 www.falconaviation.org

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




SCAN THIS

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



Eagle's Nest Projects Wisconsin



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1 TICKET= \$100
3 TICKETS= \$250
6 TICKETS= \$500
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Funds will support aviation scholarships, building of our aircraft, and other flight experiences for students.

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Member Benefits

WAI members 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
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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 Fillupinpc@msn.com or call 614-774-3319. Date and time to be determined for our initial meeting to be based on availability.



AVIATION FOUNDATION

Philanthropy at Work



**Our goal is to
get the EAA
Ford Tri-Motor
back on tour by
June of 2023!**

EAA's Ford Tri-Motor, otherwise known as the "Tin Goose", is one of a few remaining today. As one of America's first mass-produced airliners, it brings to mind an era of excitement and energy.

The center section of the wing on the Tri-Motor is currently being replaced. The airplane sits in the hangar with the engines, props, landing gear, and outer wings all removed to gain access to the center section.

The center section was removed and is at Hov-Aire, Inc. in Three Rivers, MI. Hov-Aire is transferring brackets, pulleys, and mounts before returning it to Oshkosh for installation. While this takes place, the EAA team is repairing and repainting engine mounts for reinstallation.

EAA's goal is to have the first flight after reassembly by March 31, 2023. The goal is to work on discrepancies, train, and get the EAA Ford Trimotor out on tour by June of next year.

Donations to the EAA Aviation Foundation help make developments like this to our aircraft. We want everyone to enjoy our touring aircraft for decades to come. Thank you for your support!



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 to 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 at the 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.



EAA Chapter 1227, Mt. Sterling, KY (IOB) 1227 will be hosting the Ford Trimotor from April 13 – April 16. Come out and take a ride. To prebook your ride go to [Flight Registration \(eaa.org\)](https://www.eaa.org) Flights run continuously throughout the day (Thursday 2-5PM, Friday through Sunday 9AM-5PM).





CLEVELAND NATIONAL AIR SHOW

Featuring the U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds

September 2, 3 & 4 - Labor Day Weekend
Burke Lakefront Airport

<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.



The Town of Lexington, Lexington, MI (7MI)

Lexington is a quaint, small town located in the rural Thumb of Michigan. Established in 1835 this is a great little town that just loves to show off!

Visit the shops along the main street in the old town area, enjoy the beaches or, test your skills at the Huron Shores 18 hole regulation course. During your stay, be sure to visit the Old Town Hall Winery. Located right downtown in an 1800's fire hall, the owners have now added a brewery!

The resort will pick up stay play guests as will most BB owners. For more information on things to see and do, visit lexingtonmichigan.org.

For more airport information call owner Bill Schutzler 810 359 7497 or airpark resident George Crackel 810 404 7060

With numerous BB's and an even modern stay and play golf resort, this is a great day trip or weekend getaway..



<https://daytonairshow.com/>

PERFORMER ANNOUNCEMENT

We are pleased to announce that Redline Air Shows will be joining our performer lineup. Ken Rieder and Adam Baker are an aerobatic team based out of Cincinnati. Ken flies the RV-8s and Adam flies an Extra 330.

Ken was inspired at an early age to pursue aviation after seeing the U.S. Navy Blue Angels fly at the Dayton Air Show. He is an aerobatic and multi-engine flight instructor and serves as flight-lead for the Redline Team.

Adam's competition background and progressive freestyle flying match his one-of-a-kind plane scheme. Adam has dedicated his entire professional career to flying and holds almost every possible rating. From jets to helicopters to the nimblest of aerobatic aircraft, he loves to fly them all.

Redlines Air Shows will join the USAF Thunderbirds, Bill Stein Air Shows, the Red Bull Helicopter, the MIG-17F, and more at the Dayton International Airport on July 22-23!



Franklin, PA (FKL)

Great Italian restaurant right off the ramp. Enter building through FBO excellent fuel prices here. Friendly service, nice prices.



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

Aug. 19-20, 2023

Saturday 10am-5pm

Sunday 10am-5pm

Last Shuttle bus leaves at 5:15pm

234-206-0545 for recorded info & Voice Mail

440-668-1718



Mayfield KY (M25)

Mayfield Graves Airport is a really great place to fly into. The airport manager Brent is great, and everyone I have run into there has been very helpful and friendly. They have a nice newer Dodge minivan courtesy car, the FBO is modern, clean and well equipped with lounge, kitchen, bathrooms, pilot room, etc. The fuel is self-serve with CC and accessible 24/7.

Off the Hoof is a butcher shop nearby that serves some of the best 1/2 lb. burgers I have ever had along with slaw, salads, chips, and drinks. There are a lot of other restaurants and hotels nearby, making it a great place to stop.

A and B BBQ is a great barbecue place nearby that is well worth the stop

Purdue Aviation Day

Sat, Apr 15, 2023 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Address:1575 Aviation Dr West Lafayette IN 47907

Purdue Aviation Day is a static display event hosted by the students at Purdue University. This year features military aircraft such as A-10s and T-6s, historic DC-3s, and airliners such as E175s - all with pilots to talk to! There will be guest speakers and youth programs throughout the event, as well as food trucks for lunch. Do not miss the Golden Knights jump at 2:30 PM! FREE Breakfast for GA Community: Served 8 AM - 12 PM Main Event: 9 AM - 4 PM Saturday April 15th, KLAf Airport

www.purdueaviationday.com

EAA 1641 Flying Start

Sat, Apr 15, 2023 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Address:301 Airport Rd Bloomsburg PA 17815

Contact: Philip Polstra Phone: -570-854-5653

EAA 1641 Flying Start. Introduction to what it takes to become a pilot.

EAA 1641 Pancake Breakfast Young Eagles and FAA Wings Seminar

Sat, Apr 22, 2023 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Address:301 Airport Rd Bloomsburg PA 17815

Contact: Philip Polstra Phone: -570-854-5653

EAA 1641 Monthly Gathering will be coincident with a Pancake Breakfast, Young Eagles Rally, and an FAA Safety Team Safety Seminar (Wings credit given). Breakfast 8:00-11:00 Young Eagles: 9:00-12:00 Seminar Topic: TBD Seminar 13:00-14:00

chapters.eaa.org/ea1641

EAA 145 Monthly Meeting

Sat, Apr 8, 2023 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Address:805 Taylor St Jenison MI 49428

Contact: Randall Houtman Phone: -616-334-0019

EAA Chapter 145 is a group of aviation enthusiasts that offer fun and camaraderie. We share experiences of building, maintaining, and flying all kinds of aircraft. We have technical and flight advisors, VMC Club, and fly Young Eagles. We hope to see you at our monthly meeting at Riverview Airport.

www.145.eaachapter.org

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 May newsletter to me by April 20th if possible. Email them to Daford1957@gmail.com

Thanks again and enjoy the newsletter.

Darlene Ford