



Ohio Region Chapter News

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Airventure 2021: July 26 - Aug 1

As always, Some News from National.



September 3, 2020 – EAA's annual Wright Brothers Memorial Banquet, which has brought some of the world's top aviation personalities to Oshkosh for nearly 20 years, is moving to a virtual online format for this year's event on Thursday, December 10.

Apollo 13 commander James Lovell will be the special guest for the evening, which honors the 117th anniversary of the Wright brothers' first successful powered flight at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina, on December 17, 1903. Capt. Lovell will be interviewed by Charlie Precourt, a former NASA space shuttle commander and member of EAA's board of directors, in a program that begins at 7 p.m. Central Time on December 10.

"As much as we would love having Capt. Lovell and EAA members all together at the EAA Aviation Museum as we've had for past Wright Brothers banquets, limits on large gatherings because of the COVID-19 pandemic have just made that impossible this year," said Jack J. Pelton, EAA's CEO and chairman of the board. "We are grateful, however, that Capt. Lovell has agreed to join us for an online streaming interview session where he'll talk about his aviation and spaceflight experiences."

This December 10 special event is free for all EAA members. EAA members must log in to their EAA.org web account and visit EAA.org/WrightBrothers to access the event. A recording of the event will also be available on demand for members to view at their convenience. Nonmembers may attend the event by first purchasing a one-year EAA membership for \$40 at EAA.org/Join, and then creating a member web account at EAA.org.

A Challenge to Members to Share the Gift of EAA

By: David Leiting, EAA Lifetime 579157

Vice President of EAA Chapter 252
EAA Membership Development Manager

The past 10 months have flipped the world upside down for many of us, but they have also allowed us to spend more time focusing on our families and our passions. For all of us, the shared passion is aviation. It is what brought us together, and has been the one constant we can look to when the days get rough.

The flying club I am a member of shut down operations for 90 days as we evaluated how we could safely operate amongst the COVID-19 pandemic. It pained me to stay out of the cockpit for more than three months. This was the first time since I passed my private pilot check ride that I was out of my 90-day currency! Additionally, my local EAA chapter put all of our events on hold. Although we were able to conduct virtual gatherings and board meetings, it wasn't the same as our usual in-person events.

This lack of aviation activity caused me to reflect on my passion for aviation, and remind myself how easy it is to take for granted the aviation opportunities afforded by EAA. Like many of you, much of what I use to fuel my passion for aviation has come from EAA. EAA AirVenture Oshkosh, my Young Eagles flight, the relationships built through my local chapters, and the educational opportunities. Without EAA, I am not quite sure where I would find myself on my aviation journey.



One of the great pillars of EAA is the opportunity to give back, and pass the torch to future members. Perhaps you have given a Young Eagles flight that led to a career aviator, or lent a helping hand to a friend building their own aircraft. There is also a great chance that you have benefited from the generosity of a fellow EAAer. It is the lifeblood of our organization!

We all remember our mentor who introduced us to aviation and are forever grateful for the gift they gave us. That mentor may still be a close friend of yours within your EAA chapter. EAA is now asking you to join us in helping to preserve the legacy of EAA Founder Paul Poberezny, and of all our past and current members, by gifting an EAA membership to someone you feel will continue to carry on EAA's mission within The Spirit of Aviation.

It is EAA members such as yourself that can bring aboard the next generation of members. Your involvement in your local chapter is even a greater reason to introduce them to EAA. Chapter members are the most engaged and passionate members you'll find within EAA. There is no better group than a local chapter to welcome a newcomer to EAA.

Once you identify whom you'd like to sponsor, simply visit www.EAA.org/Legacy to register EAA's newest member. After you gift this membership, invite the individual to your chapter, and show them the opportunities and community

that exist in their own backyard. By gifting a membership and becoming a Legacy sponsor, you will receive a Legacy sponsor pin and patch.

EAA cannot thank you enough for your continued support of the organization, and especially of your local chapter. Chapters are the lifeblood of EAA, and without them the impact of EAA would be fraction of what it is today. Enjoy your holiday season, and we hope to see you in Oshkosh this July!

Don't Forget

The chapter application for the 2021 Ray Aviation Scholarship is open now through January 31, 2021! All EAA and divisional chapters are eligible to apply for a slot in the scholarship program, securing a \$10,000 flight training grant to be awarded to a local young person. If pre-qualified, chapters can begin nominating scholars in mid-March 2021.

VIRUS Alert: Know before you go.

Before attending or traveling to any destination or event listed, be sure and email or call ahead to see if the event or destination is open and/or available. Be safe and healthy.

[EAA Chapter 1625 Chillicothe, OH Ross County KRZT](#)

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

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

Our Board met in November. We hope that the COVID-19 restrictions lift so that we can finalize our 2021 plans.

We have a lot planned for next year and hope to see you at some of the events.

Currently member meetings are on hold. If you have any thoughts or ideas please email us at Chapter1625ofEAA@gmail.com

Locations of our meetings will be posted on the website and on our Facebook page. Our Chapter dues are \$ 10.00 year. Make checks payable to EAA Chapter 1625. Checks can be mailed to EAA Chapter 1625 P.O. Box 476 Chillicothe, OH 45601.

Our new website is up and running. Thanks to our Website editor Andrew Hale. The direct link is <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea1625>

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

Currently meetings are on hold, but we hope to start having a few with the social distancing soon. The Board met in November and have made some tentative plans. We are hoping that the COVID-19 restrictions will lift and we can finalize them.

Hopefully we will soon have some great news to tell you!

Other events and meetings are also being planned so stay tuned.

As always you can visit our website at <http://eaa1629.org> for the latest up to date information regarding the chapter.

With all these events going on now would be a good time to renew with the chapter if you have not already done so. You can renew your membership in one of three ways:

1. 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.
2. 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
3. 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.

Andrew Hale
Marysville EAA Chapter 1629 Vice President

FAA Safety Team | Safer Skies Through Education

The 2021 General Aviation Awards: Extended Application Deadline December 31, 2020 Application forms and complete details of how to create an application packet can be found at <http://www.GeneralAviationAwards.com/nominations>

EAA Chapter 846 Newsletter - Wadsworth, Ohio

Available Rental Aircraft at Aerotrek

By Bryon Palitto Aerotrek Flight Academy has added several planes to the fleet. Check online at www.flyAerotrek.com and Facebook/flyAerotrek

N7072Q – Cessna 172L at Wadsworth

N15562 – Piper Arrow II at Wadsworth N733EB

– Cessna 172N at Medina County

N79057 – Cessna 172K 180HP at Wayne County

A new AATD Simulator is being installed soon. **Everyone is welcomed to rent any of Aerotrek Aircraft. Please check with Roger or Jared for details.**

RogerG@flyAerotrek.com and JaredR@flyAerotrek.com



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Eric Gettel President, EAA Chapter 333

4322 S State Rd

Ann Arbor MI

Calendar of Events

Dec 8 Holiday Party



IMC Club is hosted by Will Minette every 4th Tuesday of the month at 7pm.

WANTED: Newsletter editor. What you see is what you get. eea333president@gmail.com

For Sale RV-6 empennage kit

Some work completed. I ordered this kit just as Van's came out with the RV7. From what I understand, it can be finished as an RV7/7A because it has the thicker skins and a counterweighted rudder - but I'm no expert so if that's important to you do some research.

Asking \$750. Also have some tools for the project if you're interested. Email: slindholm@mac.com or call/text Stan at 440-725-1301. I do have a few more pictures I can send. Located in Westlake, OH.



Hello,

I am looking to sell the fuselage/aircraft in the pictures. Certificate of airworthiness will be included as well as a full set of plans/blueprints. See pictures for new set of flying wires as well.

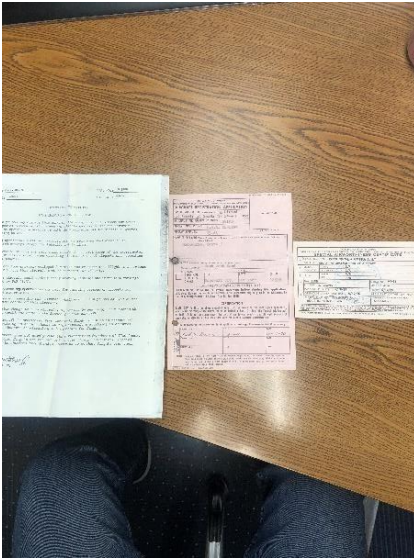
Looking for \$3000.000 for everything. Pretty sure the new flying wires cost that alone. Really cool piece of history.

Thanks in advance for passing along to interested parties,

Jeffrey T. Hillgrove CEO | Presidents FCU | 4135 State Route 128, Cleves, OH 45002 | Main Line: 513.941.6675 | Direct: 513.353.5370 | Fax: 513.941.8240 |

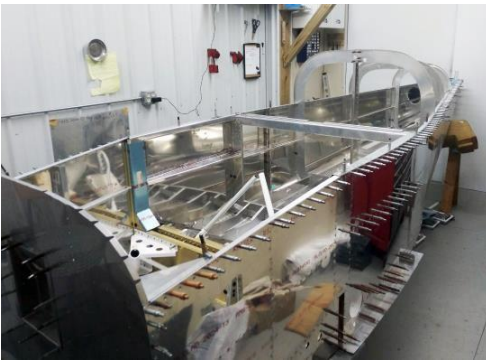
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RV-9A Project for Sale

RV9A FOR SALE. Tail complete with electric trim. Wings 85% complete. Tanks finished. Fuselage skins riveted with turtle deck skins in place. Cockpit and baggage area installed. Save time and money. \$22K. Call Ron at 330-780-8209



Membership Available in NASAIRS Flying Club

1974 CESSNA 172M

- ☐ Lycoming O-360-A4 180 HP Penn Yan Engine Conversion
- ☐ King AT 165 Nav Com
- ☐ KMA 24 Selector
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- ☐ Garmin 430W GPS with Terrain
- ☐ Garmin 330 Mode S Transponder
- ☐ Tanis Engine Heater
- ☐ Long Range Fuel Tanks (48 Gallons Usable)
- ☐ Hangar Storage at **Medina Municipal Airport (1G5)**

Well-maintained aircraft, responsible members, historic club!

Contact: Jeff Polack 330-242-5411

jeff.polack@gmail.com



EAA Chapter 50 Sandusky / Huron, OH area



Website: chapters.eaa.org/eea50

We have some great events coming up for the balance of the year.

I have the privilege of writing to you today as a member of EAA Chapter 50 located in Huron, OH, fondly referred to as the "Nifty Fifty".

EAA Chapter "50" 2020 Planned Events.

We have a Ercoupe 415C project for sale!

N94027 was acquired this spring by our EAA Chapter and flown into 88D. Our chapter set about the task of having the airplane inspected. It was suggested by a local AP/IA to replace the Heim joints on the control rod ends as well as do a complete overhaul to the C85-12 engine. This process got started but the repair costs has strained our limited resources. Our board has made the decision to put the Ercoupe up for sale.

N94027 has a com and transponder. ELT is old style and out of date. This airplane will require some effort to restore it to flying condition, but the relatively small investment will put this popular airplane back in the air in short order.

I'm writing this letter asking, if you would be so kind, to pass the attached PDF document (Ercoupe 415C Project Sales Flyer) on to your membership in an effort to find a new home for this popular plane.

This is an extraordinary opportunity for the right person to get into the air at a low price. I appreciate and thank you in advance for your help in this matter. Please direct all inquiries to the contact information below.

Kindest regards and safe flying to all!

Ed Beer

elb511@hotmail.com

419/610-3560

FOR SALE — \$8,500 — ERCOUCPE 415-C Project



N94027, s/n 1350. 3300 hrs. TTAF, C-85-12 Engine 1,973 hrs Wings and tail section current off airframe for annual inspection. Engine cases back from Divco, and cylinders from Harrison. Has yellow tag crankshaft. Includes Com & Transponder. Located in North Central Ohio.

For more information: Ed Beer elb511@hotmail.com 419/610-3560



Whether you are a long time member or just come for the programs – Welcome!!

EAA Chapter 1252's motto is Builders, Flyers and Dreamers, and that is just who we are! Our members range from active pilots to people learning or wanting to learn to fly, to individuals and groups building projects, and to those simply interested in aviation.

Come see what we're all about. Welcome!



Welcome to Women in Aviation, Cleveland Chapter, we are a chapter of Women in Aviation International. Established in 2013 our goals are to provide mentoring, outreach, and support to women in aviation while promoting the aviation industry as a whole. All women and men are encouraged to join us and share in our interest of all things aviation.

We would love to hear from you so feel free to contact us with any questions at wai.cleveland@gmail.com [Join the WAI-CLE V.F.R. 5K!](#)

Our ***Virtual Fun Run (V.F.R.) 5K*** is designed to take you through aviation history. ***Complete five kilometers*** by running or walking, ***all in one day or over multiple days***, between the dates of ***December 7-17, 2020***.

What happened each day in aviation history? Begin with ***remembering Pearl Harbor*** on Dec. 7 and ***celebrating the Wright Brothers'*** first flight on Dec. 17 and learn fun facts in between.

Get a ***commemorative tee shirt*** showing off ***your 5K accomplishment on the front*** and listing ***aviation fun facts on the back***.

It's ***our first*** time hosting a ***virtual 5K*** and we're ***excited to have you take part*** in our event.

How the race works:

Register through Eventbrite **by November 11th** to receive your race gear!

Complete five kilometers by running or walking anywhere, all at once or over time, **between the dates: December 7-17, 2020**

Enter for a chance to win a \$100 VISA gift card in **3 easy steps!**

1. **Take a picture of yourself** in your virtual race day shirt

2. **Share your picture** on:

<https://m.facebook.com/WomeninAviationCleveland/>

OR tag us on Instagram @wai.cleveland (get one entry for each!)

3. **Use the hashtag** #VFR5K

*If you're **not on social media** – no problem! **Email your picture** to wai.cleveland@gmail.com and we will post it for you!

***Special* December Bimonthly Social on Monday, 12/07/20 at 5pm** The social is open to all WAI CLE members and supporters and will be **open to all race participants to kick off our VFR 5K** event. This fun and engaging event will be **hosted by Lori Manthey, Chief of Staff at NASA Glenn Research Center!** Meeting details will be emailed via our monthly newsletter and to all race participants.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

WAI-CLE Survey - Interest in a Mentoring Program

WAI-CLE is considering starting an **aviation mentoring program**. Are you interested in being part of this **as a mentor or mentee?** Please **visit the link below** to complete a brief survey. We will contact you **if there is enough interest** to begin this program.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeNrrYxOKUE926BjSwRtjMMwwn9s0O2bhLpHNdqfkivKnWYBA/viewform>

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

EAA Chapter 382 – Beavercreek, OH

Meetings: Every 3rd Thursday 7:00 PM

Location: Greene County Airport, Term Bldg. 140 N. Valley Rd Xenia, OH 45385



VISIT OUR WEB PAGE!

www.eaa582.org

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE HANGAR?

Check out our webcams!

<http://eaa582.org/ChapterCams.html>



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SIGN UP TODAY!

Membership Benefits

- **FREE** Admission to the Yankee Air Museum
- General Admission ticket(s) to the THUNDER OVER MICHIGAN Air Show. Amount varies based on level of membership
- **FREE** Admission to Halloween Spectacular, Nostalgia Sale, & Santa Visit (Registration required)
- Discount on flights aboard the B-17, B-25, C-47, UH-1 Huey, and Ford Tri-Motor*
- Biannual *Approaches* Magazine
- **Admission to over 300 Association of Science-Technology Center (ASTC) Passport Program participants**
- Discount on retail merchandise at the Yankee Air Museum Gift Shop

*Air Adventure Discounts not applicable to all Membership levels.



During this winter season the Yankee Air Museum will have shortened hours.

CLOSED: weekdays

OPEN: Saturday 10 AM - 4 PM Sunday
11 AM - 4 PM



WACO Historical Society
1865 South County Road 25A **Troy, OH 45373**
(937) 335 9226 **admin@wacoairmuseum.org**

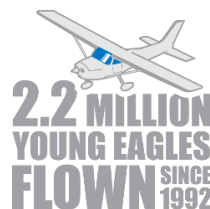
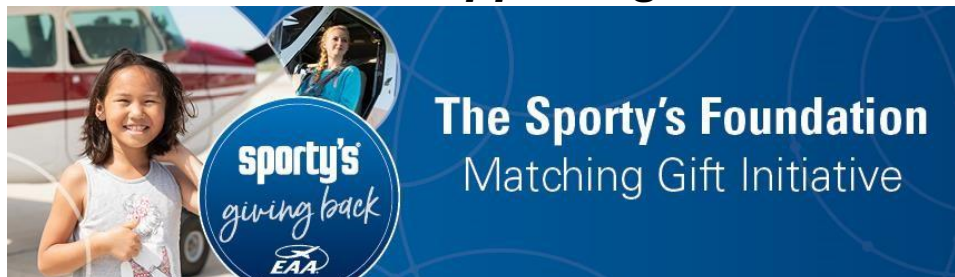
[Tri-State Warbird Museum - Batavia, OH](#)

[Clermont County \(169\)](#)



Museum includes a B-25 Mitchell bomber Axis Nightmare, TBM torpedo bomber the wings fold! P-51 Mustang Cincinnati Miss fighter, AT-6 Texan advanced trainer Tweety, Stearman primary trainer and 1946 Piper Clipper. Planes currently being restored are: P-40 Kittyhawk fighter, Fw190 German fighter and the bent-wing Corsair fighter...Visitor hours are: Wednesday 4-7pm and Saturday 10am - 3pm. Call ahead to verify hours. Daily admission is \$12
Daily Admission for a student or veteran is \$7
Admission is complimentary for World War II veterans and for all Veterans in uniform.

Join us in supporting EAA



This has been an unprecedented year, and the impact on the aviation industry as a whole and EAA in particular has been significant. To help our friends in aviation, The Sporty's Foundation has created a matching gift initiative: for every dollar Sporty's customers donate, up to \$25,000, we'll match it, with 100% of donations going to EAA. Our goal is to raise \$50,000 for an important cause.

Your donation will help EAA continue to provide quality programming that will have a profound and positive impact on the aviation industry. Sporty's has been a longtime supporter of Young Eagles and this program - as well as many other EAA initiatives - is more important than ever right now.

Please donate whatever you can. You might consider an amount equal to your expected ticket fee for 2020: \$36 for a daily ticket, \$125 for a weekly, or \$196 for a weekly camping ticket.

[CLICK HERE TO DONATE](#)

<https://www.eaa.org/ea/support-eea/sportys-match>



International Women's Air & Space Museum

Friendly reminder the museum is open. We are operating at regular hours. Exhibits are accessible seven days a week from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. The office and gift shop are open Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Research is available only through an appointment.

Under the governor's orders, we are following protocols to keep our museum safe for our staff, volunteers, and visitors. At this time, we are not scheduling any tours nor hosting any events. For information and guidelines about visiting the museum, please click [here](#). (Please go to the website for the link)

A new order from Governor DeWine includes a mask mandate for the entire state of Ohio. Masks are required when visiting the museum.

If you are in need of a mask, we are selling some! With a big thanks to museum advisor, Teresa, we have three different patterns to choose from. Pictured is our Rosie



print.

Hot air balloons and planes also available. Quantities are limited.

https://eshop.iwasm.org/index.php?controller=search&orderby=position&orderway=desc&search_query=mask&submit_search=Search

Parking update: There is an auto entry now with a pay as you exit \$7 flat fee. Payment can be made via cash or credit card. If cash is used, exact change is needed as the pay machine does not give change. Please note IWASM does not run the parking lot outside. If you have any questions about parking, please click [here](#). We apologize for any inconvenience.

Tours

We are excited to announce that limited tour opportunities are now available at IWASM. Tour group size will be limited to eight (8) guests to comply with current social distancing guidelines.

The cost is \$8 per guest and tours last approximately one (1) hour. The IWASM gift shop will be open after tours.

Masks are required and are available for purchase.

A reservation and pre-payment are required. Please call the office at 216.623.1111 to schedule a tour or for more details and available dates.

Support Mercury 13 LEGO Set

Sue Nelson, science journalist and author of "Wally Funk's Race for Space: The Extraordinary Story of a Female Aviation Pioneer" has created a Mercury 13 LEGO set and needs your help!

The set features Mercury 13 members Jerrie Cobb and Wally Funk, as well as Dr. Randolph Lovelace. It was designed to commemorate the upcoming 60th anniversary (October 2021) of the completion of testing.

Within the first two days of it going live, the set reached its first milestone of 100 supporters. LEGO extended the petition by one year to reach 1,000 supporters and is currently a third of the way there. Please take a moment to click this [link](https://ideas.lego.com/projects/b3280b0c-2d36-4264-8a5ae5b8601d44db/official_comments#content_nav_tabs)

https://ideas.lego.com/projects/b3280b0c-2d36-4264-8a5ae5b8601d44db/official_comments#content_nav_tabs and support this wonderful LEGO set! Don't forget to share it with your family and friends.

Photo courtesy of LEGO.



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<https://mapsairmuseum.org/>

DECEMBER

SUN, DEC 6 SANTA FLY-IN TBA
WED, DEC 9 DIRECTOR MEETING 3 PM
SAT, DEC 12 MEMBERSHIP MEETING 11 AM

A note about events

Please call MAPS or check our website, Facebook or Instagram for any updates on the events above if you are planning to attend.

If you have never been to the MAPS Museum, I recommend going. It is a fun place to visit. Something for everyone here. Lots of fun. You can either fly in or drive in. Very nice pleasant group of people working there. They have a great giftshop also. Be sure to sign up for their newsletter!

FunPlacesToFly

Looking for something to do? Check out

Aviation Events, Great Places to Fly and MORE! <https://www.funplacestofly.com/>

While there be sure to sign up for their newsletter. It always has some great articles!



<https://www.socialflight.com/event-planner.php?id=jnu7h9&a=9>

this is another great source of events, no matter where you are. Lots of great information including some webinars!

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



Custom U.S. Aeronautical Chart Apron

<https://www.chartitall.com/>

A boy's dream, an aeronautical chart, and a bit of creative magic united in 2015 to create Chart it All.

Trevor Simoneau, 15, is a student pilot. In 2015, Trevor crafted a plan to finance his future education at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University and the cost of AvGas with custom, one-of-a-kind shirts printed with aeronautical charts. Trevor is an IB Sophomore at DeLand High School and president of Aviation Explorers 747, a club dedicated to inspiring kids of all ages interested in all aspects of aviation. He also works as an aviation news reporter for Sun 'n Fun Radio.

Today, his small family business offers distinctive clothing and gifts with your choice of aeronautical sectional charts.

Your purchase goes a long way to fuel his dream.

Check out the website for all kinds of aviation items that would make fantastic gifts for Christmas or a birthday.

They now have Sectional Chart Face Masks and Custom U. S. Aeronautical Chart Face Masks!

This newsletter goes out to all EAA Chapters in Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, Kentucky and Michigan. It also goes to a lot of the FBO's in those states also.

So, if you are planning to host an event and would like to get it out there, this is a place to do so.

If you are a Chapter that would like an article published in the Ohio Region Chapter Newsletter, please feel free to submit an article to me. Also, if you are a manager of an airport / FBO we would like your articles also. Tell us about an event that is going to take place at your airport, a great restaurant that is on the airfield for those pilots that like those \$100 hamburgers.

A great place to visit that is close to the airport where you have a courtesy car or that they are willing to pick up visitors and take them to the location.

If you are a local chapter and are willing to transport visitors of your airport to a local event that is great. Let us know and we can post it here. Afterall, EAA is known for its hospitality.

If someone from your Chapter has a plane, parts, or tools for sale we can include it here.

If you do not want to write an article and would like for me to visit your website / Facebook page and gather my own 'intel' for an article, let me know.

Be sure to let me know if you have a different person that will be sending articles or to receive the newsletter to distribute to your Chapter members.

Please share this with your aviator friends.

I will be starting a comment section so please send your comments as to what you would like to see from Chapters and FBO's.

Thanks to all who sent me an article! Also, even if you do not have an event to talk about or an upcoming event to let us know about, a human-interest article with pics is also welcome. We love to hear about your members. Also please start thinking about the January newsletter. I would like the articles for it by December 15th please.

Thanks again - Darlene Ford