

Ohio Region Chapter News June 2025



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As always, Some News from National.

(Just in case you have not checked out the website)

AirVenture dates 2025: July 21 – 27

Young Eagles Updates From HQ



David Leiting, EAA Eagle Programs Manager, EAA Lifetime

The month of May always signals the true kickoff to peak Young Eagles flying season. Our friends from the southern latitudes really spool up in March, and by the time we get to May, the northern latitudes are beginning to take part in the Young Eagles fun.

With the increased flight activity, as well as the continued transition to the new Young Eagles Online Registration Tool, the Young Eagles office is busier than ever. We strive to get back to all our phone calls and emails within 48 hours, but during this peak season it may take just a tad longer.

As we creep toward summer, that also means that EAA AirVenture Oshkosh is right around the corner! This year, we are upping the ante and looking to bring even more Young Eagles activity to the convention. This year, Tuesday, July 22 will be Young Eagles Day at AirVenture. The goal is to grow this day and what it offers to volunteers in future years.

- The Young Eagles Volunteer Banquet is scheduled for Tuesday, July 22, and new for 2025, EAA is introducing a Young Eagles Volunteer Breakfast on Tuesday, July 22. Full details on those events can be <u>found here</u>.
- There will be a forum on the new Young Eagles Online Registration tool on Tuesday, July
 22 at 11:30 a.m. in the EAA Blue Barn.
- EAA Young Eagles volunteer pilots can enter daily to win a Lightspeed headset. Simply stop by the EAA Blue Barn to enter for your chance to win.
- The Young Eagles display at the EAA Blue Barn will be expanded in 2025, and your chapter is invited to stop by and pledge its participation in the program throughout the remainder of 2025.
- The EAA Blue Barn is still looking for dedicated chapter and Young Eagles volunteers.
 You can see openings and select your slots <u>here</u>.

As always — THANK YOU for your continued support of the Young Eagles program. I continue to be amazed by the volunteer support and passion, and it is what fuels us at EAA HQ. I hope to see you in Oshkosh this July!

Tailwinds, David Leiting, EAA Lifetime Eagles Program Manager

EAA's One Week Wonder Sonex Waiex Arrives at National Air and Space Museum

EAA has delivered a Sonex Waiex-B aircraft, built in one week at EAA AirVenture Oshkosh 2022, to the Smithsonian's National Air and Space Museum for display at its Udvar-Hazy Center at Dulles International Airport near Washington, D.C. The airplane will go on display there as an example of amateur-built and recreational aircraft.

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"Thousands of people participated in the building of this 'One Week Wonder' at Oshkosh just a few years ago to show that building your own airplane is attainable," said Charlie Becker, EAA's director of chapters, communities, and homebuilt community manager, who accompanied the aircraft on the journey to its new home. "Now as many as a million people every year will see this aircraft as an example of a modern kit aircraft that can be built with simple hand tools by just about anyone."

More than 2,200 people were part of the aircraft build over the seven-day period, as they could place a rivet and have their names recorded as a builder. The airplane received its airworthiness

certificate and taxied on the final day of EAA AirVenture 2022 and <u>made its first flight</u> a few weeks later. It has since been part of EAA's aircraft collection until an agreement was reached this year with the National Air and Space Museum for it to be a permanent part of its displays at the Steven F. Udvar-Hazy Center, which range from historic personal aircraft to the legendary Concorde and the Space Shuttle Discovery.

"This airplane will impress visitors with the innovation and technology that is everywhere in the homebuilding movement and recreational aviation," said Russell Lee, curator of homebuilt aircraft at the National Air and Space Museum. "Although one of the smallest airplanes displayed at the Udvar-Hazy Center, its power to excite visitors about the freedom of flight equals the largest aircraft displayed here."

The Waiex-B is a two-place, Y-tail aircraft designed by Sonex Aircraft of Oshkosh and powered by a Rotax 912iS engine. It is available as a kit and can be built for just over \$50,000. The aircraft can reach speeds of up to 170 mph, depending on its engine, and can fly more than 500 miles on a tank of fuel.

BE SURE TO CHECK OUT EAA'S WEBSITE FOR MANY GREAT ARTICLES AND NEWS. IT'S A GREAT WEBSITE.

Do you download and set EAA's wallpaper as your desktop?

As an EAA member it is one of your benefits. Check it out on the website.

Airplane Desktop Wallpaper | EAA

Thanks to EAA for organizing this for us.

<u>AirVenture Oshkosh 2025 Notice Includes Important Procedure Updates</u>

There are several important FAA-approved updates in the EAA AirVenture Oshkosh 2025 Notice (commonly referred to as the Oshkosh NOTAM), featuring arrival and departure procedures for EAA's 72nd fly-in convention on July 21-27 at Wittman Regional Airport in Oshkosh. These changes are based on pilot feedback and FAA review of arrival procedure recommendations.

You can either download the notam or request a copy be sent to you. Be sure to read it if you are flying to Oshkosh. Encourage your friends to do the same. This way everyone can fly in safely.

Download NOTAM>

https://www.eaa.org/airventure/eaa-fly-in-flying-to-oshkosh/eaa-airventure-oshkosh-notam?utm_source=eaa_newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=pubs_ehotline_25052_2&utm_term=topstory&utm_content=cta&mkt_tok=OTEwLVNFVS0wNzMAAAGamO6LDLaWuXEL-

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EAA Webinars

June 4	12 pm EAA Young Eagles Build and Fly Program for Chapters	
		Serena Brouillette
June 10	The P-80 Amelia	Anderson & Chris Henry
June 11	12 pm EAA Young Eagles Workshops: Youth Day Camp Program for Chapters	
		Serena Brouillette
June 11	All You Wanted to Know About Stalls	Brian Sagi
June 18	Tips for Flying Into EAA AirVenture 2025	Fred Stadler
June 25	Ultralight/Homebuilt Rotorcraft Arrival Procedures	Mark Spang
June 26	EAA AirVenture 2025 Features & Attractions	Sean Elliott & Rick Larson
July 2	Borescope Initiative One Year Later	Mike Busch
July 9	Safe Operation at Nontowered Airports	Prof H. Paul Shuch



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

Check out our website at https://chapters.eaa.org/eaa1625

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.

Our next meeting will be held on Saturday, June 7. We will meet at Jackson County Airport (KJRO) located at 1800 Keystone Station Rd Jackson Ohio. Meeting will start at 9 AM. As always, everyone is welcome to attend. You do not need to be a pilot to be part of EAA. Come find out what we do and how easy it is and how much fun it can be.

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

President – Robert Anderson Treasurer – Joe Sattler Board – Kristi Sattler Web Editor – Andrew Hale Vice President – Don Lewis Secretary – Darlene Ford Board – Ed Chinn



Our next meeting is Saturday, June 14 at the Zanesville Municipal Airport (ZZV), located at 850 Airport Rd. Zanesville. We will start gathering around 5. We will have refreshments and aviation fellowship. Our meeting will start immediately afterwards. 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 or even be a pilot to join. Please think about coming out to join us. We are an aviation friendly club where there are no strangers.

If you do not have an email address on file to receive the newsletter 'Tailwinds' and would like to, please send me an email at <u>DAFord1957@gmail.com</u>

Officers for the coming year are.

President – John Morozowsky

Treasurer - Terry Baker

Newsletter Editor – Darlene Ford

Vice President – Anthony Morozowsky

Secretary – Nick Crate

Web Editor – Chris Calhoun

Kenneth (Doc) Greer held his 4th annual Cessnas to Oshkosh Flying clinic. This event is held at Zanesville Municipal Airport (ZZV). The group goes through formation flying training to fly the Cessna Mass Arrival at EAA AirVenture. Pilots came from as far as St. Louis and South Carolina this year to attend the clinic. The clinics are held throughout the country each spring in preparation for the mass arrival. This year is the group's 20th anniversary.

The website is Cessnas2oshkosh.com





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

We are in the process of planning some member/community meetings for the year. Stay tuned. I believe our first one will be in April. Details will be here and on our website.

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 join or 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 website & click the Join or Renew link on the left. You can also 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.

Our officers for the coming year are: President – Mike Stretanski Vice President – Andrew Hale

Secretary – Darlene Ford Treasurer – Mark Wesner On Saturday May 17, 2025 the Marysville EAA Chapter 1629 held its first Young Eagles Rally for the 2025 season. During this rally wind was the major issue and eventually caused us to end early. We had 3 pilots and 6 ground crew. The Triple P BBQ was at the event offering good food for lunch. A total of 21 young eagles were flown.

I'd like to personally thank the three Pilots that flew the kids: Steve Koenig, one of our board members, and his Scottish Aviation Bulldog Dr. Mike Stretanski, our chapter president, and his Mooney M20R Michael Tobin and his Piper Arrow PA28-R200

I'd also like to thank the following Ground Volunteers who helped with the event:

Darlene Ford Andrew Hale Chuck Mosier
Joe Trepicone Pam Ward Mark Wesner

AeroEducate is a free resource filled with age-based activities and clear pathways to aviation and aerospace industry careers where K-12 students can discover and ignite their curiosity in aviation.

Just go to the EAA website and look for it at: https://www.aeroeducate.org/

Excite Your Chapter Youths with STEM Challenges

Get ready to take flight with fun and learning! November 8 is National STEM Day, and we've got something special just for you! To celebrate, we've put together an exciting collection of STEM challenges that are perfect for a Young Eagles rally or any chapter youth event.

What is a STEM challenge? We're glad you asked! A STEM challenge is an activity designed to encourage creative thinking, collaboration, experimentation, and hands-on learning while discovering concepts in science, technology, engineering, and math. Participants are encouraged to follow the engineering design process, which involves brainstorming, planning, building, testing, and refining solutions to a given problem.

Check out these fun and engaging STEM challenges that are sure to spark curiosity and inspire the next generation of aviation enthusiasts!

AeroEducate is a way for students, teachers, parents, and EAA chapters to interact with aviation in a whole new way. By signing up for a FREE AeroEducate account, you can find awesome webbased projects, experiments, and experiences that can earn points toward progressive AeroEducate Badges.

https://www.aeroeducate.org/



New officers for 2025 are

President – Katie Wright
Treasurer – Sharon Puschmann
YE Coordinator – Dave Duntz

Vice President – Dennis Dangelo Secretary – Joelle Dorsainvil

EAA Chapter 382 meets the 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM at Greene County Airport (KGDK) in the terminal building. (which is very nice inside) It is located at 140 N. Valley Road, Xenia, OH 45385 Stop in for one of their meetings. They are a friendly bunch of aviators, and you will be welcomed.



Fort Wayne, IN

LOOKING AHEAD to YOUNG EAGLES 2025! June 14 - Tri-State Steuben County Airport June 21 - DeKalb County Airport August 9 - Smith Field Airport August 16 - DeKalb County Airport September 13 - Smith Field Airport September 20 - Kendallville Municipal Airport Volunteers and pilots always welcome!

Thursday June 12 — Chapter 2 Cookout, tentatively at the FBO at Smith Field. The chapter will provide hamburgers, hot dogs, & beverages. Please bring a side dish or desert to share. Note that this event starts at 6 PM, one hour earlier than our normal gatherings.



EAA Chapter 174, Cincinnati

Meetings are held on the third Sunday of the month at 2:00 PM in the Hawk Building of the Clermont County Airport (69) 4184 Taylor Rd. Batavia, OH 45103

Young Eagles 9:45 a.m. 2nd Saturday of the month

April through October Weather permitting



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 participate 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/eaa1095/eaa-name-tags



EAA 67 Noblesville, IN

President: Nick Boland eaachapter67@gmail.com

Meetings: Every 1st Monday 6:00 PM

Meeting Location: Noblesville Airport Office 14782 Promise Road Noblesville IN 46060

Programs: IMC Club, VMC Club, Young Eagles, Technical Counselors, Flight Advisors, Ray

Aviation Scholarship Website: eaa67.org



JP's Barbecue Bolton Field

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<u>Change Your Destiny at the Aviation Job Fair.</u> Bring your A game and impress prospective employers. During EAA AirVenture Oshkosh 2025, you can meet with company representatives in their exhibit booth to network, discuss job openings, and get a feel for what it's like working with their team. No appointments are necessary. It really is that easy. See who's hiring at <u>EAA.org/JobFair</u>. Companies added daily. The Aviation Job Fair is supported by JSfirm.com.





UPCOMING 2025 MEETINGS

February 9th
March 9th
April 13th
May 18th
June 8th
July 13th
August 10th
September 14th
October 12th- Hanger Crawl
November 9th- Elections
December 14th- Chili Cook Off

AERONCA FLY-IN 2025

Stephen Brewer announced that the next Aeronca Fly-in will take place June 11-15 at Middletown Regional Airport Hook Field. If you remember the last one in 2023, it was quite a gathering! It's something to look forward to!

Save the Date!!

57th Annual Mid-Eastern Regional Fly IN MERFI – August 16

Fly-In, Car Show, and Balloon Festival Urbana Grimes Airport (174) 1636 N. Main Street Urbana, OH 43078

Events and activities for all ages. 8 AM – 8 PM Free Admission until 4 PM UrbanaAirport.com

EAA Chapter 421 Urbana Ohio

Monthly Chapter Gatherings:

First Saturday of Each Month at 10:00 AM Grimes Field Airport - I74, 1652 N. Main St. Urbana, OH 43078 **EAA Chapter 421** has a new meeting place. Please check the Facebook page for location. https://www.facebook.com/groups/chapter421.

Urbana Grimes Airport 1636 N. Main St Urbana OH

GRIMES FIELD (174) URBANA, OHIO

Grimes is the only Airport in the U.S. with three museums.

- **1. Mid America Flight Museum of Texas Restoration Shop** currently with a New Standard they have restored and are now finishing. Monday through 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 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)
- **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). Closed on Monday.
- **5. Champaign County Pilots' Association** meets first Wednesday monthly at Champaign Aviation Museum, library/training room All are welcome

While in Urbana, be sure to stop by Mindi's Airport Café.

Got an aviation item you want to sell?

Just a note — if you have an airplane or an airplane project that you would like to sell, please send me details and pictures if you have them. I will place them in the newsletter here for those that are interested. There is no cost to advertise tools, planes, parts etc. in the newsletter. We are here to help you sell, give etc. whatever to others that may have a need for it. You never know what you may find for sale or give here. This is a way to help others.



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

Hope to see you there.

Bernie Rifkin, President EAA Local Chapter 1600 @ KDLZ

Breakfasts - 8-11 AM 2nd Saturday June 14 - First Official Breakfast July 12 - Breakfast August 9 - Breakfast Sept 13 - Breakfast

Young Eagles - 9-12 2nd Saturday July 12 August 9

Stay tuned for more. Hope to see you soon.



CELEBRATE INTERNATIONAL AEROBATICS DAY!

Enjoy the skill, beauty, and excitement of aerobatic flights as it is celebrated around the world and at an airport near you. Come out to the Bellefontaine Regional Airport (KEDJ) on Saturday, June 28, 2025. IAC 34 will host a practice day and lunch for all participants. Not flying? Come on out and observe the flying and have some rib-stickin' BBQ with us!

Check our website for details as they are updated.

https://chapters.eaa.org/iac34/event-calendar



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 members seek to inspire and stand for encouragement, continued education, and a whole lot of fun! If you are a lover of all thing's aviation and aerospace, and enjoy sharing your passion with others, we would love to have you" ~WAI.

Our local chapter is a network of women and supporters in the aviation industry. We are engineers, pilots, maintainers, supply chain, and more with a passion for aviation. We enjoy social events like painting nights, hangar parties, and airshows. Other events include tours, community events, the annual conference and the big GIAD! WAI also offers connections to careers and scholarships. Please reach out to us if you have any questions. Also, please see links below for how to sign up at WAI and to check out our chapter. We look forward to helping you pursue your aviation career and network.

https://www.wai.org/

https://www.facebook.com/groups/huffmanprwai

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.

Our Chapter meets quarterly.

Do you have a need for someone to come talk about Women in Aviation? Please reach out to us. I am the outreach coordinator for this chapter. It might be possible for us to come to your event and set up a table.



Chapter 333, Experimental Aircraft Association, Inc.

The Flying Stinkers (named after the famous Little Stinker airplane)

4322 S State Rd Ann Arbor MI 48108-9774

Eric Gettel, President

chapters.eaa.org/eaa333

eaa333president@gmail.com

Facebook -- For broadcast announcements

https://www.facebook.com/groups/eaachapter333/

EAA Chapter 333 Pancake Breakfast

Sun, Jun 8, 2025 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Address: 903 Airport Dr Ann Arbor MI 48108 Contact: Chris Gordon Phone: 734-845-4029

Ann Arbor Municipal Airport Fly-in/Drive-in Pancake Breakfast. Located in the hangar west of the control tower. Pancakes, sausage, juice, coffee - \$10 ages 13 and up, \$5 for ages 5-12, 4 & under free! Activities include pedal planes, crafts for kids, and aircraft static displays. Michigan Flight Museum Huey helicopter rides available for an additional fee, reservations available but not required at https://miflightmuseum.org/huey-helicopter/

chapters.eaa.org/eaa333



EAA Chapter 67 Pancake Breakfast

Sat, Jun 21, 2025 - 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Address: 14782 Promise Rd Noblesville IN 46060

Contact: Nick Boland Phone: 317-877-6425

A great pancake breakfast fly-in with lots of airplanes, pilots, and local people. Individuals and

families drive-in as well to admire your aircraft.

chapters.eaa.org/eaa67

Are you looking for an airplane? Have you checked Barnstormers? This is a remarkably interesting site.



You can also advertise your plane for sale. They also have a section that shows where you can rent a plane, depending on your location. Check them out. https://www.barnstormers.com/



EAA 117

Warren, OH

atom-matic@neo.rr.com

Meeting Location: Sloas Field

Programs: Young Eagles

President: Anthony DeGaten Meetings: Every 3rd Tuesday 7:00 PM 4059 North River Rd Warren OH 44484

Website: <u>Chapters.EAA.org/eaa117</u> **2025 EAA Chapter #117 Calendar**

Young Eagle Build at PIA Thursday's from 5:30pm to 7:30pm



Airplanes and Automobiles on Saturday August 23rd, 2025, 10 AM - 4 PM at KUCP New Castle Municipal Airport (PA) returns for the second year in a row. This event will feature 5 food trucks, a Chinese auction, car show, fly in, 50/50 raffle, helicopter and airplane rides. Several local EAA chapters like to attend and be a part of the adventure. Runway 31/13 will be closed - Airplanes and Cars will park on that runway while the longer more wind favored runway 23/5 will be used for landing and departing traffic. The event is likely to include a Wright Brothers Master Pilot Award presentation and a FAA Safety Seminar. More information to follow. Please follow the event on Facebook to stay in touch.

Chapter 1525 Fly-in & Pancake Breakfast

Sat, Jun 7, 2025 - Sat, Jun 7, 2025 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM Address: 1800 Rodney Hitch Blvd. Morehead KY 40351

Contact: James Taylor Phone: 606-780-0085

Salutations, The first Saturday of each month EAA 1525 will be serving a hot and delicious pancake breakfast! The breakfast is \$5.00 and open to the community. It will consist of pancakes, sausage, eggs along with OJ and coffee! In addition to great food free tours of the hangar and airport will be available! Weather should be favorable for visitors to fly in! Breakfast will be from 8:00am till 10:30am.

Weekend Work Parties







Get an insider's perspective of the World's Greatest Aviation Celebration® while helping it come to life by volunteering at an upcoming Weekend Work Party!

What's a Weekend Work Party?

Good question. It's a two-day volunteer event, where people from all across the country come to Oshkosh, Wisconsin, to help us prepare for EAA AirVenture Oshkosh.

Volunteering at a Weekend Work Party is a simple, fun, and easy way to get involved in the aviation community. You'll spend a weekend day (or two) connecting with people behind the scenes, learning how your skills relate to aviation, and helping the biggest fly-in in the world come to life.

We're looking for volunteers to help with a variety of tasks and projects as we prepare the grounds for EAA AirVenture Oshkosh. Projects can vary but can include grass cutting, tree planting, gardening, building construction/remodeling, fence removal, painting, material staging and more. The work varies in physical demand, but there are tasks suitable for all abilities.

Volunteer Benefits

- Daily admission exchange ticket for EAA AirVenture Oshkosh (good for any day)
 - A meal and beverages during volunteer shifts
 - Water, gloves, tools, and training needed for the assigned duties.

An experience of a lifetime!

Weekend Work Party Dates:

June 7-8

June 21-22

June 28-29

Register Now

https://www.eaa.org/apps/volunteer/eaaweekendworkparty.aspx

We welcome everyone, no matter your skill or availability, to volunteer at an upcoming Weekend Work Party. Come as an individual, a group, family, or troop! We promise your experience will be meaningful, rewarding and fun!



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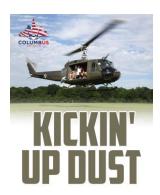
IWASM is excited to host groups of all sizes and ages for guided

tours!

Reserve your guided tour by one of the staff or docents at the museum. This opportunity provides you with a one-on-one, in-person guide through the intricate history of women in air and space. Hear how these women's accomplishments and challenges impacted the world we live in today, and the history being made today.

For more information and to plan your tour or Lunch N Learn, email Alexandra @ collections@iwasm.org

https://iwasm.org/wp-blog/visit/toursprograms/



Michigan Flight Museum is bringing their Vietnam-era

UH-1 Huey Helicopter "Greyhound" to the 2025 Columbus Air Show!

The Huey will be pulling double duty at our show by flying in the Air Show AND offering flight experiences for purchase!

Props and Pistons Festival to Host Ohio's First-Ever AOPA Fly-In Event in 2025

Michael Damron - Aviation enthusiasts, get ready for an unforgettable weekend! The Props and Pistons Festival is making history by hosting Ohio's first-ever <u>Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association</u> (AOPA) Fly-In. This exciting event is set for August 16-17, 2025, at Akron-Fulton Airport, where hundreds of aircraft—an estimated 400 to 500—will take to the skies for a spectacular display of aviation excellence.



Mason, MI President: Frederick Laub

<u>EAA55.President@gmail.com</u> Meetings: Every 2nd Saturday 9:30 AM

Meeting Location: EAA Hangar 643 Aviation Drive Mason MI 48854

Programs: Young Eagles, Flight Advisors, Ray Aviation Scholarship

Website: www.eaa55.org

EAA Chapter 55 at Mason Jewett Field (KTEW) in Mason, MI meets the second Saturday of each month in our (heated) hangar meeting room 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, generally followed with an aviation themed program.

EAA Chapter 55 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. CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Jun 15 – EAA55 Dawn Patrol (DP)

Jul 21-27 – Air Venture Oshkosh

Aug 16 – EAA55 Mason Aviation Day (MAD)



Motts Military Museum Inc

Motts Military Museum, Inc., South Hamilton Road, Groveport, OH, USA

Phone: (614) 836-1500 email: info@mottsmilitarymuseum.org

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MAPS Air Museum

2260 International Pkwy, North Canton, OH 44720

(330) 896-6332

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.

Whether you have an hour or an entire day, there is something for you at MAPS.





1865 South County Road 25A Troy, OH 45373

(937) 335 9226

Monday & Tuesday: 9:00AM - 3:00PM Wednesday: CLOSED

Thursday & Friday: 9:00AM - 3:00PM Sat. & Sun. - Noon - 5:00PM

The WACO Aircraft Company was the largest manufacturer of civil aircraft in the country in the late 1920's and early 30's and this museum is dedicated to the plant and the employees that made it great.

With the help of the WACO Historical Society (founded in 1978) members and many generous donors and supporters, Historic WACO Field opened in 1997. The field consists of a 77-acre site and features a 2200-foot runway (2000 feet usable) south of Troy, Ohio. Historic WACO Field is maintained by WACO volunteers and is constantly receiving upgrades and improvements, but we are always in need of additional volunteers to assist in the upkeep of the site.



Our Contact Information

WACO Education Center & Air Museum

1865 South County Road 25A Troy, OH 45373

937-335-9226 http://www.wacoairmuseum.org



About The Ohio Air & Space Hall of Fame and Learning Center:

The Ohio Air & Space Hall of Fame and Learning Center (OAS) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to permanently preserving the inspiring legacies of this state's outstanding pioneers of flight, prominently heralding their achievements as a point of pride and to foster continued innovation and a skilled aerospace and technology workforce. OAS will additionally educate the public about the rich history of Ohio's aviation and aerospace industries, and its airports, including that of OAS's future home in the soon-to-be-renovated original Port Columbus Air Terminal, located at John Glenn International Airport (CMH) in Columbus, Ohio.

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Stay tuned for EAA Chapter 5's events! Or check out their website. https://chapters.eaa.eaa5

If you have pictures of your events and would like to share them, please send them to me along with a write-up! Let others know what you are doing.





EAA CHAPTER 50

Welcome to our chapter! Fly in or stop by Hinde Field (88D) Huron, Ohio

Meetings: Every 3rd Wednesday 6:00 PM

Location: Hinde Airport (88D) 1819 Boos Rd Huron, OH 44839



Save the Dates!

The 2025 Cleveland National Air Show dates are: August 30, 31 & September 1, 2025 Labor Day Weekend





National Museum of the U. S. Air Force 1100 Spaatz Street Wright-Patterson AFB, OH 45433

Upcoming Events

<u>Plane Talks:</u> Sept. 18, and Nov. 8 <u>Blood Drive:</u> June 5, July 11, Aug. 1 Scale HeliStorm: May 30 - Jun. 1

Commemorative Air Force "Fifi" & Friends Fly-in: June 16-18

ASAA Art Exhibition: June 17-Oct. 19

Antique Automobile Club of America Grand Nationals: July 25-26

Wings, Rails and Wheels Model Expo: Aug. 2

Rocket Day: Sept. 27 Troops and Treats: Oct. 25

Holiday Tree Festival: Nov. 24 - Dec. 31



2024-09-06 Fly-in Pancake Breakfast (3G4) Sat, Jun 28, 2025 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Address: 700 TOWNSHIP ROAD 1102 Ashland Ohio OH 44805

Contact: Kenneth Lowe Phone: 843-879-3178

Fly-In, Drive-In Pancake Breakfast at Ashland County Airport. (3G4)

Event Planning

If you are not sure you will have enough members in your Chapter to do an event, think about inviting a nearby Chapter to join in the event. A pancake breakfast, barbecue, field trip, Fly out. Remember, you can do these joint ventures with fellow EAA Chapters. They are a fantastic way to get to know your fellow members in EAA. A fantastic way to make new friends! This is a fantastic way to make an adventure more worthwhile. Just reach out to a nearby Chapter.



Wings, Wheels, & Pancakes Fly-In/Drive-In Breakfast

Sat, Jun 7, 2025 - Sun, Jun 8, 2025 Address:1130 Chambersburg Road Gettysburg PA 17325

Contact: Henry Hartman Phone: 717-637-3741

Join us for our first breakfast event of 2025, June 7 & 8. Saturday June 7th - Special Guest Miss Pennsylvania, Page Weinstein! Page is a Student Pilot and will share her aviation interests as well as help to serve breakfast! Menu both days includes pancakes, eggs, sausage, homefries, coffee, tea, & juice. Come to Gettysburg and "Make some history of your own!" Avgas is available at Gettysburg, Unicom is 122.9.

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Fly-In Drive-In

Sun, Jun 29, 2025 - Sun, Jun 29, 2025 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Address: 165 Terminal Loop Wiley Ford WV 26767

Contact: Kathleen Kight Phone: 301-268-2624

All you can eat Breakfast consisting of hotcakes, scrambled eggs, sausage, sausage gravy, fries potatoes, fruit cocktail, coffee and juice. All you can eat on the premises for \$12.00 for adults and \$6.00 under age 12 Young Eagles flights will not be held this year at the regular breakfast but will be announced later as Young Eagle Day.

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Are you looking for something to do on the weekend? Do you want to fly somewhere? Are you traveling? Do you need that aviation fix? Check out EAA's event page.

EAA Calendar of Events | EAA https://www.eaa.org/eaa/events

Also, consider helping out a neighboring Chapter with their events. If you are unsure if they need help, call or email to find out. You ARE allowed to help with their Young Eagle Rally's as long as you have the necessary training. Who knows, then if you need help, they may come to your rescue. Whether you are a pilot or just want to be a part of the ground crew, check with them.

Support their pancake breakfast or cook out.

EAA Chapter 1625 (SE Ohio) will be hosting a pancake breakfast on Saturday, June 28 at the Pike County Airport (KEOP), located at 2577 Alma Omega Airport. Stop out and say hi. Enjoy some pancakes with us.

SAVE THE DATE!

Barnstorming Carnival July 11 – 13, 2025

Our very own Dewey Davenport (Barnstormer extraordinaire, again will be hosting this event. We hope to see you at Springfield Beckley Airport (KSGH)

1251 W. Blee Rd Springfield, OH 45502

So, if you own a bi-plane or any other type of antique or unique airplane come on out and see us.



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

Thanks again and enjoy the newsletter.

Darlene Ford