



CONTACT!

EAA Chapter 384, Brighton, MI
BRIGHTON SPORTPLANE ASSOCIATION



May 2024



UPCOMING EVENTS

→ The next meeting of your EAA Chapter is Wednesday, May 8th at 7:00pm in the BAA House/Terminal.

Young Eagles: June 8th, and September 7th.

AROUND THE AIRPORT 45G



Don't forget that every Saturday there is a breakfast at the house at 9:00am. Come and enjoy the hangar flying and aviation comradery.

YOUR EAA CHAPTER OFFICERS

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Chapter Member Projects

Many of our local 384 Chapter Members are working on their own aircraft. We try to spend a little time at each meeting for the members to update the crowd on their recent progress on their aircraft. The following are projects known to be working in or around the airport: A Wag Aero Wagabond, An RV 12 project, a Zenith Cruiser, a Hatz CB-1 biplane and a Pre-war Taylorcraft restoration. If you are working on a project and would like to update the crowd, please drop by the meeting this Wednesday.

Aviation History from the Month of May

May 25, 1910: Orville Wright takes his 82-year-old father for his first airplane ride. Also on this day, Wilbur and Orville fly together for the only time in a six-and-one-half minute flight at Simms Station, near Dayton, Ohio.

May 9, 1926: The first airplane flight over the North Pole is made by Americans Lt. Cdr. Richard E. Byrd and Floyd Bennett in a Fokker F-VII/3m. Their total distance from Spitzbergen, Norway is 1,600 miles (2,575 km)

May 15, 1930: The first airline stewardess is Ellen Church, a nurse who flies on the Boeing Air Transport flight between San Francisco, California and Cheyenne, Wyoming.

May 20, 1932: The first solo flight by a woman pilot across the Atlantic is made by American Amelia Earhart. She flies from Harbor Grace, Newfoundland to Londonderry, Northern Ireland in a Lockheed Vega monoplane in 13 hours, 30 minutes.

May 7, 1937: The first successful pressurized airplane cabin is achieved in the Lockheed XC-35

May 13, 1940: The first successful free flight of a true helicopter is made by Igor I. Sikorsky's single-rotor VS-300.

May 3, 1952: The first landing at the North Pole is made by Americans Lt. Col. William P. Benedict and Lt. Col. J. O. Fletcher on a ski-and-wheel equipped Air Force Douglas C-47.

May 2024						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5 Cinco de Mayo	6	7	8 EAA Meeting	9	10	11
12 Mother's Day	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27 Memoria Day	28	29	30	31	

June 2024						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8 Young Eagles
9	10	11	12 EAA Meeting	13	14	15
16 Father's Day	17	18	18	20	21	22
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July 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4 Independence Day	5	6
7	8	9	10 EAA Meeting	11	12	13
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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August 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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11	12	13	14 EAA Meeting	15	16	17
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25	26	27	28	29	30	31

September 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	Labor Day	3	4	5	6	7 Young Eagles
8	9	10	11 EAA Meeting	12	13	14
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