



May 2025

Heart of Ohio
EAA Chapter 402
Newark-Heath, OH



It's not too early to start thinking about volunteering for the 2025 Eagle and Young Eagle Flights! Volunteer Ground Crew and Pilots are always appreciated. If you haven't volunteered before this, why not make this the year that you invest your time in the future of Aviation!

Launched in 1992, the Young Eagles program has dedicated 30 years to giving youth ages 8-17 their first free ride in an airplane.

It's the only program of its kind, with the sole mission to introduce and inspire kids in the world of aviation.

Today, over 2.5 million young people have enjoyed a free introductory flight through the Young Eagles program. These flights are made possible through the generosity of EAA member volunteers.

Join us in offering youth ages 8-17 the opportunity to experience The Spirit of Aviation® by becoming a Young Eagles volunteer today!

Chapter 402 Meeting Dates and Locations

Dates:

May 20, 2025

June 17, 2025

July 15, 2025

Potluck at 6:15pm
Meeting at 7:00pm.

Location:

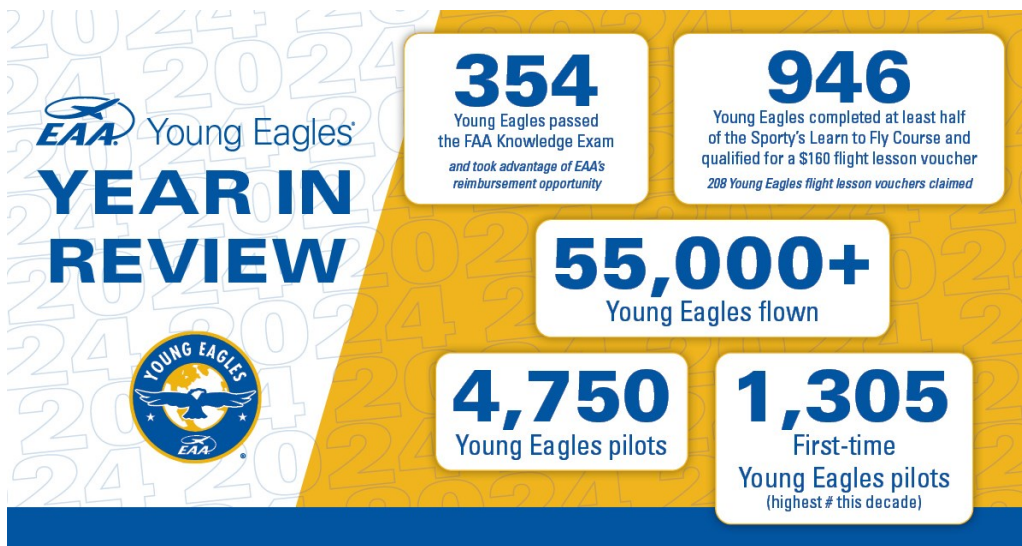
Chapter 402 Clubhouse
(Unless otherwise announced)
520 Heath Road
Heath, Ohio 43056

Email: EAA402@gmail.com

Upcoming Events

Flying Start Week / Eagle Flight : CANCELLED

Young Eagles event June 14, 2025.



EAA402 – Minutes of April 15, 2025 Meeting

Meeting called to order at 1901 hrs by President Tony Rowell.

March minutes were accepted as written.

Treasurer's Report

Not Available at his time

Airport Board Report

- Changes in hanger rent coming.
- The board sold the two old Zero Turn mowers
- A lighted windsock will be added soon.
- The Board is evaluating the possibility of additional hangers in the future.
- A prospective housing development is being discussed north of the field.

Old Business

- Young Eagles will be held on June 14th. Volunteer Pilots and Ground Crew needed.
- The Rowell Family represented Chapter 402 for the CAP

Build Reports

- Dave Hall reported having good results with a specialty paint with hardener already in an aerosol can. Two cans ran him \$70. Ask for further details.
- Larry Williams has purchased a K2 Project. We look forward to seeing the progress!

The meeting was adjourned at 1924 hrs. Motion by Betsy Kays, Greg seconded, Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Gibson, EAA 402 Secretary

Fly Outs

Fly--outs are the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month, and usually depart from Licking County Regional (VTA) at 8:30 am. See Rollie Bailey for details.



Normal Ohio Springtime weather caused the cancellation of our normally scheduled fly out again this month.

April 23rd, did find a few able to make the trip to Big Sandy Regional Airport (KSJS) for brunch.

Blue skies always!
- Rollie

If you have a place you'd like to fly to, contact Rollie! It may be the next fly-out!

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Note: All members have read access to the chapter roster.

Login: FirstnameLastnameEAA402, Password: "mustang" If the login doesn't work for you please contact the Secretary. Please note, the roster is read-only except for several officers who have write permission.

Call for Dues

Chapter dues are \$15 per year for individual and \$25 per year for family membership; the dues-year is January 1st to December 31st. There are multiple ways to pay dues: 1) Mail Check to EAA402 Attn. Treasurer, 520 Heath Road, Heath, OH 43056; 2) Place payment in the envelope provided and put in the drop box in the clubhouse; 3) pay the treasurer directly at a meeting or event. If you are unsure of your dues status contact the treasurer or the secretary. Thank you.

Note: All chapter members must be members of the national EAA. Go to EAA.org to join or renew.