



March 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:

March 18, 2025

April 15, 2025

May 20, 2025

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

Location:

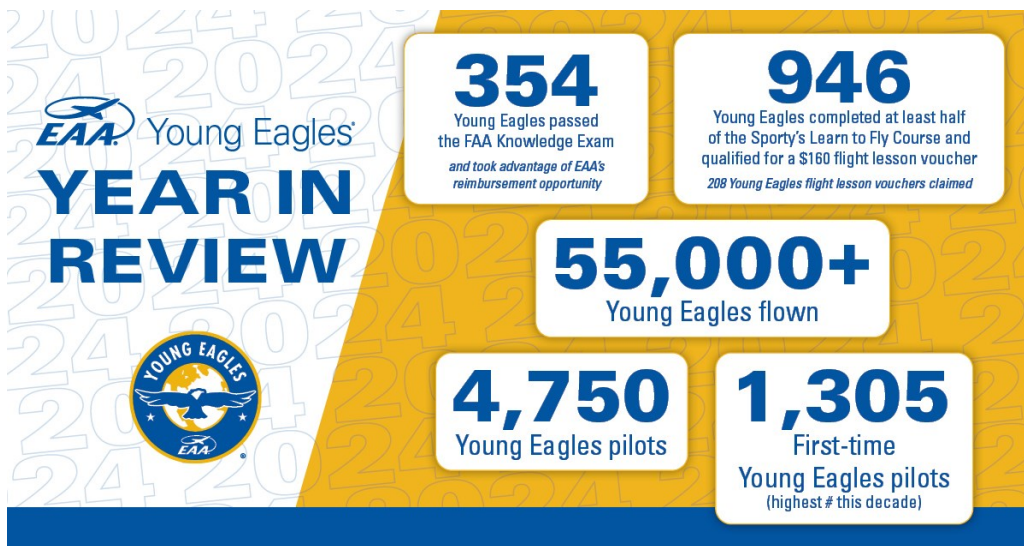
Chapter 402 Clubhouse
(Unless otherwise announced)
520 Heath Road
Heath, Ohio 43056

Email: EAA402@gmail.com

Upcoming Events

Flying Start Week / Eagle
Flight event May 5-7, 2025

Young Eagles event June 7,
2025.



Meeting called to order at 1900 hrs by President Tony Rowell.

January minutes were accepted as written.

Treasurer's Report

As of January 2025:

Starting Balance \$3175.83

Total income \$1307.59

Expenses \$90.33

Ending Balance \$4393.09

Airport Board Report

- New Lease with George Fackler is in the works.
- Ken Ramos to rent the large hanger and instruction space for a Pilot Training School.
- The number of Training Aircraft on the field and their ownership are still being worked out.
- Don Beatty has not yet finalized a contract for the shop.
- Perimeter fencing has been damaged again.

Fly-Out Report

No Fly-Out this month due to adverse weather.

Projects

Tom Thompson is back in the air

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Old Business

2025 Chapter Officers are as follows: Tony Rowell, President; Rollie Bailey, Vice President; Raenel Gibson, Treasurer; Mike Gibson, Secretary. Ken Hughes will continue as director for our Eagle Flight programs and merchandizing. Tony Rowell will now direct the Young Eagle events. Checking account signatories will be Rollie Bailey, Ken Hughes and the current treasurer, Raenel Gibson.

New Business

Eagle Flight week is the week of May 17th, with the 17th being the actual event. Those adults interested in beginning the process of getting a pilot's license are encouraged to sign up and

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.



On a spur of the moment fly-out, two planes flew out to KUNI on Saturday, March 8th, 2025:

Cessna 152. Dick Purdue
Cherokee 235. Rollie Bailey

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EAA 402 Roster Access: <https://roster.eaachapters.org>.

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.