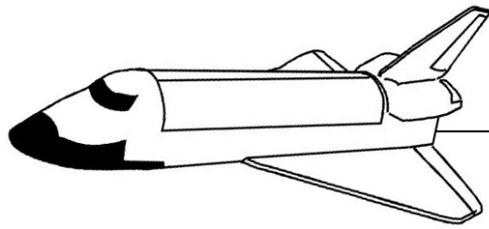


The 2025 Experimental Aircraft Association Event at FlyteCo Tower!



Come join us!

We are pleased to announce a very different EAA annual event!

Sunday January 26, 2025 5:30PM – 10:00PM

Open for socializing, games and drinks at 5:30PM - Buffet 7:30 – 8:30 PM, Speaker at 8:30



Free tower tours

Free soft drinks

Pinball and arcade games \$1-\$2

Free pool tables and ping pong

Six interactive darts lanes

Full swing PGA golf, baseball, hockey,

football, soccer and more sims

Cash bar

Guest Speaker: Col. Steve Lindsey

‘Flying the Space Shuttle; STS-133, the final flight of Discovery’

BIO: Col. Steve Lindsey has logged over 7,000 hours in more than 50 different types of aircraft, with vast experience as a test pilot, testing weapons systems, engineering, certifying weapons systems, and as a test squadron commander.

During his 15+ year tenure at NASA, Lindsey flew five Space Shuttle flights and logged more than 1,510 hours in space, with two missions as pilot and three as mission commander. Behind the scenes he trained flight crews, developed and tested shuttle systems, upgrades, flight techniques, and crew interfaces. He served as chief of the Astronaut Office he oversaw spacecraft development, crew selection and training and flight test/crew operations supporting space shuttle, International Space Station and Constellation Programs.

Joining the Sierra Nevada Corp. team, Lindsey led Dream Chaser flight operations as senior director and co-program manager, VP of programs for space exploration systems and senior VP for strategy and programs. He managed and led the cargo and crew delivery ship's systems and develop through design certification, atmospheric flight tests, and launch, orbit operations, entry and landing for low-Earth orbit missions to the ISS.

Prior to retiring, Steve was the chief technology officer and senior VP for advanced programs, responsible for technology R&D, business development, executing advanced programs to create new businesses, and development and execution of market strategy.

At the pinnacle of his high level awards and honors from the USAF and NASA, Colonel Lindsey is an inductee into the U.S. Astronauts Hall of Fame.



Meal choices include beef, chicken, vegetarian and a kid's option. Adult meal \$35. Age 12 and under, \$25

Register and pay at <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea43/2025-flyteco-event>

Questions, comments, thoughts? Contact Chuck Kubin via phone, text, or email:

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FAQS

- **Can we bring the kids?** Absolutely! Kids, parents, grandparents, friends, frenemies, and anyone else who would be interested in hearing a real spaceman and hanging with the cool crowd. We do, however, expect kids and seniors to be on their best behavior. Young Aviators are especially welcome.
- **Where?** FlyteCo is at 3120 Uinta St. in Denver. Driving, exit I-70 at Central Park Blvd. and turn left (west) on 32nd Ave. Flying, head a little south of what was Stapleton and bail out over the control tower; you can't miss it.
- **Parking:** Unlike most things nowadays, it is free.
- **Can we bring desserts, liquor flasks, or weird costumes?** Weird costumes, yes, the rest, no. Order dessert off the menu and alcohol from the cash bar. And be a grownup and drink responsibly.
- **Cool tower! Can we visit?** Yes you can, but make sure you are ready for an 11-story staircase. Since it's fairly narrow, make sure you can do it without changing your mind on the 9th floor. It's free, but since we need to tell the the staff how many are going and may have to assign time slots, please note how many in your party are going when you register for the event. But if you can do it, don't miss the opportunity. The view is spectacular. Kinda what you'd expect in a control tower.
- **What's included?** The single person price includes all food, gratuities, pool, ping pong, and soft drinks. A cash bar is available for alcoholic beverages (be a grownup...)
- **Anything else?** Bring your smiles – we intend to have a fun time. Bring your families – for years, meetings and banquets have typically been restricted to members and spouses. Wouldn't it be nice to introduce your family to your friends and your passion? This venue certainly takes care of that.