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Dear Members:

The next flyout planned is to the gliderport near Benton, Tennessee, called Chilhowee. It is located beside highway 41\ just south of the Hiwassee River. It provides a beautiful setting for picnicing and watching (or participating in) the soaring activities there.

The original date mentioned for this flyout was Saturday, June 13, but a conflict with Georgia Tech's graduation ceremonies that day (and my son is graduating) has led me to ask that it be moved to the next day, Sunday, June 14.

It seems to work best to schedule flyouts for the weekend immediately following a chapter meeting so this move to Sunday is proposed, rather than changing to another Saturday in the month.

I have corresponded with Mike Reisman who runs the operation at Chilhowee, and he says we are more than welcome. There is ample parking and picnicing room at the north end of the field. The only pertinent information you may need for the trip (after you find it at  $35^{\circ}$  13'35" north,  $84^{\circ}35'06$ " west on your sectional) is:

- o Elevation: 770 feet
- o Runway: Turf 03-21 2600 ft long, 50 ft wide
- o Runway 03 Threshold displaced 400 ft. powerlines, left traffic
- o Runway 21 Threshold displaced 200 ft powerlines, right traffic
- o Communicate on 122.9

o Plan to arrive by 2:00 p.m. EST and BYOC (bring your own chicken)

Other events planned for later in the year are:

- o Tullahoma, TN September 12, Staggerwing Museum
- o Dahlonega, GA October 10, Smith House

Put these on your calendar with Oshkosh, Ole South, etc.

Thanks,

Bob Barton