



NEWS

Upcoming events

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Sunday, August 11, 8:00 AM, Husted Pancake Breakfast, Husted Field, Hicksville, OH

August 15-18, Ford Tri-Motor will be at GWB

Thursday, August 15, 5:30 PM, (before the gathering) Board meeting

Thursday, August 15, 7:00 PM, Chapter gathering - Amber Creed will talk about flight simulators

Saturday, August 24, 7:00 AM to 10:00 AM, Breakfast at the Airport

Saturday, August 24, 9:00 AM, Young Eagles Rally

Saturday, August 31, 7:00 AM to 12:00 noon, 33rd Annual Fly/In Cruise/In at Marion Municipal Airport

President's Corner, Dan Leonard

Thank you all for your support of our Vintage Chapter.

We are excited that the Ford Tri-Motor is coming to DeKalb County Airport on August 15 - 18. If you are interested in flying the Ford Tri-Motor, go to FlytheFord.org to book your flight.

We can use some more volunteers for the Saturday and Sunday afternoon shifts. They go from 1:00 to 5:30. Please contact Laramie Resler at secretary@vaa37.org to volunteer.

Dan Leonard, President VAA37

Monthly gathering

Our August 15 gathering starts at 7:00 PM at the Vintage Clubhouse. Our speaker this month will be Amber Creed who will share an introduction to flight simulators, different levels and what is permitted by the FAA as far as logging time.

Amber presented this at the EAA2 gathering on August 8. It was very educational and informational. She included a history of simulators, how to build your own, and FAA rules about how simulator time can be logged. This is the first in a series of three presentations she will be doing at our gatherings.

Young Eagles

Our next YE Rally is August 24. We have room for more pilots and ground crew. Because the breakfast and Young Eagles are on the same day, we will need additional help. If you can help with our rally, please let us know at youngeagles@vaa37.org

News from EAA about the new Young Eagles Chairman. Click on this link: [New YE Chairman](#)

Here is the list for all our Young Eagle dates and locations. Hope you can join us for some of these rallies.

August 10 - Smith Field Airport

August 24 - DeKalb County Airport

September 14 - Smith Field Airport

September 21 - Kendallville Municipal Airport

David and Laramie Resler
Young Eagles Coordinators



Breakfast at the Airport

Our Breakfast at the Airport this month will be on August 24 from 7:00 AM to 10:00 AM. Because the breakfast and Young Eagles are the same day, we will need additional help.

Our breakfast continue to be well attended. At our first ever July breakfast, we had 43 guests!

The menu is: pancakes, sausage, eggs, biscuits, sausage gravy, breakfast casserole, toast, and fruit. For beverages, we serve coffee, milk, and orange juice. Freewill donation accepted.

Fly/In Cruise/In at Marion Municipal Airport

One of our own, Ray Johnson, has been instrumental in planning the Fly/In Cruise/In on August 31 at the Marion Municipal Airport. It all starts at 7:00 AM and goes until noon. This is the 33rd year for this event. There will be an all you can eat pancake breakfast. This year features the 1942 Douglas C-53-DO Skytrooper, "Beach City Baby". There will be antique, classic, homebuilt, ultralight, rotorcraft and warbird aircraft. There will be vintage cars, trucks, motorcycles, fire trucks, attocycles, military vehicles and tractors.

All proceeds from the breakfast benefit Grant County Rescue Mission.

For more details, go to FlyInCruiseIn.com.

EAA Webinars

EAA produces very good webinars for free. Here is a link to upcoming webinars: [EAA webinars](#)

Enjoy!

2024 AirVenture

AirVenture 2024 is history. If you have any stories you would like to share in the newsletter, send them to newsletter@vaa37.org. I'll include as many as I can in upcoming newsletters.

At the publishing of this newsletter, it is 345 days until AirVenture 2025.

Have you renewed your Chapter Dues for 2024?

Individual memberships are \$30.

Family memberships are \$40. This covers two adults and all children in a family.

Student memberships are **FREE** to those under 19 who are EAA members, which is free to them. See www.eaa.org/membership for details on how to join the EAA as a student.

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