



Austin Hill Country Ninety-Nines News



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Chapter Updates

It's official. We have a website! The "www" icon above will link you to our website if you click on it or the site can be accessed through visiting: www.austinhillcountry99s.org Please, send an e-mail for any edits, additions, or suggestions.

Golly, does it feel like summer out, or what? Summer travel seems as though it is in full swing as well. There were no responses to the [summer availability survey](#) from last month's newsletter. While shooting in the dark for dates and things to do, EAA Chapter 1088 invited our group to help their Young Eagles Day (YED) event. It will take place at the Fredericksburg airport (T82) on Saturday, June 25th from 9AM to 12PM. It is understood that one of the biggest criticisms from members is how far away AHC 99s meetings have been, but there was also a fervent desire to help mentor and volunteer with kids. This YED opportunity presented itself and just made sense for us to team up. Volunteers are welcome to assist with ground support or in the air. If you have an airplane available and would like to volunteer to give kids their first experience in an airplane, EAA has required training you will need to do. It is very quick. It should not take more than 10 to 15 minutes to complete. You can access it by going to eaa.org, sign in as a guest or on your personal account. After completion, the EAA Child Protection course takes 7-10 days to process, so if you do want to fly, please get this done ASAP. Ground support does not need to complete this training. Volunteers should plan to be there by 8:30 AM. All are welcome to attend. Sign up your kids for a free airplane ride using the above link or QR code and bring the whole family! Please RSVP to wendt2thestore@gmail.com or to Sarah Wendt via text message if you want to volunteer.



Free Airplane Rides for Kids Ages 8 to 17

Saturday, June 25, 2022
Gillespie County Airport Terminal Building
9:00 to 12:00
Sponsored by the Experimental Aircraft Association Chapter 1088

Pre-registration is required and can be done online at
<https://youngeaglesday.org?4057>
or scan the code below



Launched in 1992, the Young Eagles program has dedicated more than 25 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, more than 2 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!

Other fun news, the Air Race Classic is this month from the 21st to 24th. Follow the ladies along the race route at <https://airraceclassic2022.mapprogress.com/>. Your trusty newsletter editor will be driving up to Ada, OK on Tuesday and staying through Thursday to help with timing and other line service needs. If anyone else is interested, please reach out.

In July, look forward to an educational presentation at Austin Executive Airport (KEDC) the date will most likely take place between the Ninety-Nines International Conference and EAA AirVenture Oshkosh. Then, in August we will host an event to celebrate the day our chapter was formed.

Calendar

99s/ WASP Events

June

- 25th - AHC 99s invited to help with EAA Chapter 1088, Young Eagles Day T82 9AM-12PM

July

- 6th - 10th - [Ninety-Nines International Conference and Career Expo](#) (Charleston, SC)
- TBD @ Austin Executive Airport (EDC) - TBD educational presentation
- 24th - Amelia Earhart's Birthday

August

- TBD - AHC 99s Founding Day Celebration (est. August 22nd, 1964)

General Aviation Events

June

- 4th - [Airplanes and Coffee Pancake Breakfast fly-in/drive-in event](#) (Midlothian, TX)
- 21st - 24th - [Air Race Classic](#) (Ada, OK. Race stop closest to us)
- 25th - EAA 1607 Monthly Pancake Breakfast @ KRYW

July

- 1st - [Rose City AirFest](#) (Tyler, TX)
- 2nd - [Thunder Over Cedar Creek Lake Air Show](#) (Mabank, TX)
- 3rd - [Kaboom Town](#) (Addison, TX)
- 23rd - EAA 1607 Monthly Pancake Breakfast @ KRYW
- 25th - 31st - [EAA AirVenture Oshkosh](#)

August

- 27th - EAA 1607 Monthly Pancake Breakfast @ KRYW

Would you like your event on the calendar? Email me at wendt2thestore@gmail.com the pertinent information and I will post it in our newsletter and on the social media sites.
