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FREE AIRPLANE RIDES
YOUNG EAGLES FLIGHTS SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 4th, 2017

Area young people ages 8-17 will have a chance to take to the skies of Hunterdon County on Saturday, November 4th, as Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA) Chapter 643 hosts their Fall Young Eagles Flight Rally at Sky Manor Airport (48 Sky Manor Rd.) in Pittstown, NJ.

The rally is part of the EAA Young Eagles Program, created to interest young people in aviation. Since the program was launched in 1992, Volunteer EAA pilots have flown more than 2 million young people who reside in more than 90 countries.

"Free airplane rides are just part of the Flight Rally," said Frederick Slapa, spokesman for the event. "We hope to build one-to-one relationships between pilots and young people, giving a new generation a chance to learn more about the possibilities that exist in the world of aviation."

Pilots at the event will also explain more about their airplanes allowing young people to discover how airplanes work and how pilots ensure safety is the prime concern before every flight.

Those attending the flight rally on Saturday, November 4th are asked to check the EAA 643 Chapter web site (www.eaa643.org) or call Chapter President Adam Silverstein at 908-803-8301 prior to the event for weather and or possible temporary flight restrictions (TFR) that may be in effect this weekend, due to a possible President Donald Trump visit to NJ. If so, our Young Eagles event may need to be postponed. Once at Sky Manor Airport, follow the signs for Young Eagles Flights. Registration will start at 7:45am and closes at 11:45am. Flights will begin immediately at 8:00am and will run until 12:00pm.

Note to Parents; each flight is conducted in accordance to Federal Aviation Authority (FAA) flight regulations and ALL Young Eagle Pilots and their Aircraft are certified and registered by the FAA.