

Kids Fly Free!

Free Plane
Rides for Kids!
Open to Everybody from
Anywhere. Free Parking.

- Saturday, May 4, 2019
(Rain Date: Sunday, May 5th)
- Where: Moore County Airport
- When: 9 am - 1 pm (Arrive Early to
Avoid Lines and Long Waits!)
- Who: All Kids Between Ages 8-17
- Groups: Contact Jim Murray for
details at (910) 638-5774 or
Email Pinehurst@live.com

Parent/Guardian Permission Required.

Sponsors: EAA Chapter #1220; Moore County
Airport; and the Pinecrest High School AFROTC



The Young Eagles at Moore County Airport

What Is the “Young Eagles” Program? Is It Safe?

The Young Eagles program was launched in 1992 to give interested young people an opportunity to go flying in an airplane. These flights are made possible through the generosity of E.A.A. volunteers.

More than two million Young Eagles have been on a flight in more than 90 different countries. About 6,000 kids have had their flight at Moore County Airport since 2002.

There is no charge for these flights. It's just for fun; to give kids a different way of looking at the world.

Learn more at: <http://www.young eagles.org>

What Will My Flight be Like?

Most Young Eagle flights last between 15 and 20 minutes and between one and five passengers will be on the plane.

First, the pilot will explain what will happen during the flight. This might include reviewing an aeronautical map, a “walk around” inspection and identifying the controls of the airplane.

Once you are ready to go flying, your pilot will help you buckle your seat belt and give you a few safety instructions. Pretty soon, it will be time to go flying!

In the air, you'll see the earth and sky in a new and exciting way. On some flights, a passenger may be allowed to steer the plane and work the controls. You'll experience the wonderful freedom of flight.

Back on the ground, there will be time for questions. You'll receive an official logbook, signed by your pilot. Most Young Eagles cherish this experience for the rest of their life.

Simply put: YES. Private airplanes have a great safety record.

- Twice as many people are hurt in boating accidents than in accidents involving private planes.
- Aircraft mechanics are certified by the Federal Government. Is your car mechanic that skilled?
- There are 1/10th as many accidents in an airplane than in driving or riding in a car.



What Is the E.A.A.?

E.A.A. is all about airplanes and flying, specifically flying private planes. Founded in 1953, it started off focused on people who were building their own airplanes. The organization expanded its mission to include regular airplanes, antiques, warbirds, ultralights, helicopters and more. It's about the passion for flying, camaraderie, and a grassroots way of sharing our love of aviation with others.

Every year, the local E.A.A. chapter sends local students from area high schools to a week-long scholarship program to the huge Oshkosh air show in Oshkosh, WI. There the students learn about airplanes, engineering, history and meet the legends of the industry.

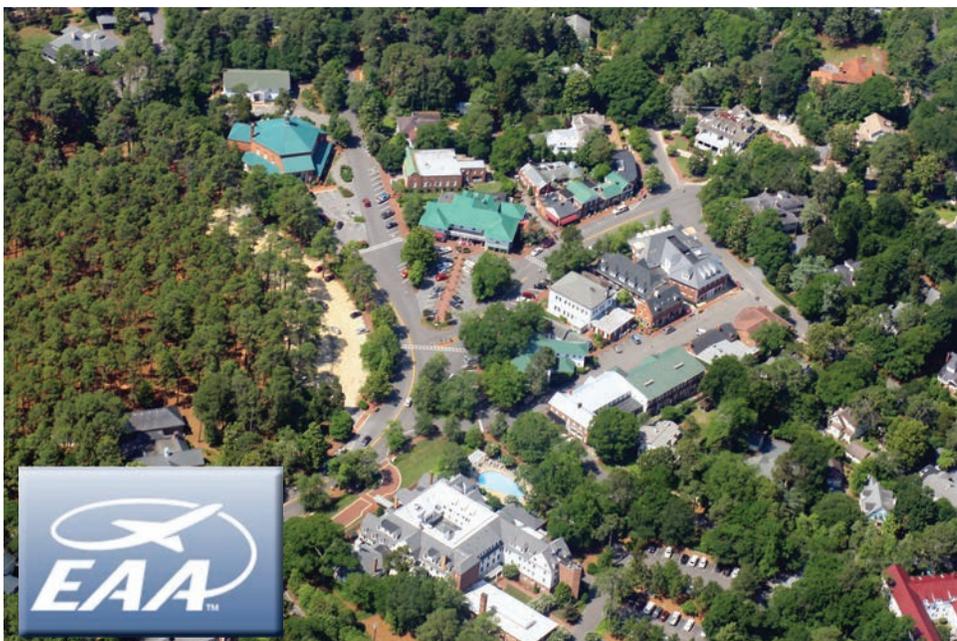
Learn more at: <http://www.eaa.org>

What Is the E.A.A. Chapter #1220?

The local EAA chapter is a group of pilots and future pilots who are passionate about flying. These will be the people who actually fly the Young Eagle missions.

The chapter is based at the Carthage Airport, Gilliam-McConnell Airfield, right on the airport across from the Pick-n-Pig Restaurant. The Chapter meets the 3rd Saturday of every month at 9 am. Visitors are always welcome.

More at: <http://www.eaa1220.org>



Photo, left: The village of Pinehurst, from the air