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2011 Calendar of Events



■ USAF Heritage Tours | Offered Daily

This guided tour points out museum highlights at 1:30 p.m. daily Additional tour at 10:30 a.m. on Saturdays.

Behind the Scenes Tours | Offered Weekly

See the museum's restoration area during this tour, which is offered every Friday (except Jan. 7, Nov. 25, Dec. 23 and Dec. 30). Advanced registration required. Register online at www.nationalmuseum.af.mil/visit/tours.asp.

Family Day | Offered Monthly

Bring your family for hands-on activities from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. on the third Saturday of each month (second Saturday in December).

Aerospace Camps | June 20-24, June 27-July 1, July 18-22, July 25-29, Aug. 1-5

Students in grades 2-9 learn about aerospace during five one-

week summer day camps. More information is available at <u>www.nationalmuseum.af.mil/education/camp/index.asp</u>.

Freedom's Call Military Tattoo | June 24

Wright-Patterson Air Force Base celebrates freedom during the seventh annual Tattoo. The event features live music, aircraft fly-overs and fireworks. Gates open at 4 p.m. and event begins at 8 pm.

Jet World Masters | July 24-Aug. 6

This international competition brings the best scale military and civilian turbine-powered radio-controlled model aircraft together to compete for the title of "Jet World Master." Public activities will be announced closer to the event.

Giant Scale RC Model Aircraft Air Show | Sept. 2-4

Giant scale model jets, helicopters and warbirds perform daring acrobatics on the runway behind the museum from 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. each day.

Patriot Day Concert | Sept. 11

The U.S. Air Force Band of Flight and Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra commemorate the 10th anniversary of 9/11. Tickets are required.

World War I Dawn Patrol Rendezvous | Sept. 23-25

One of the nation's premiere historical aviation event's brings the excitement of early air power to Ohio and features aircraft fly- bys, radiocontrolled models, era automobiles, period reenactors and more.

Wings & Things Guest Lecture | Sept. 29

Lt. Col. (Ret.) John Bessette presents "Covert Air Reconnaissance Europe: USAFE Operations, 1946-1990" at 7:30 p.m.

■ Wings & Things Guest Lecture | Oct. 25

Kenneth P. Werrell presents "Aircraft and Aces: The Fight for Air Superiority over Korea, 1950-1953" at 7:30 p.m.

■ Veterans Day Concerts | Nov. 4 and 5 The U.S. Air Force Band of Flight performs at 7:30 p.m. each night.

■ Wings & Things Guest Lecture | Nov. 17 Lt. Col. Deborah "Lucy" Lehker presents "Six Months with a Critical Care Air Transport Team RN in Afghanistan" at 7:30 p.m.

Holiday Concerts | Dec. 3 and 4

The U.S. Air Force Band of Flight performs at 7:30 p.m. each night.

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