

17th Annual Vintage Aircraft Day & Classic Car Show
Wings Field
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Blue Bell, PA
By Senior Officer Donald Pond

The Angel Flight East organization was the host of this event and named this event in honor of the American Troops serving abroad. CAP and military aircraft were invited for the first time in the history of this event to support their theme. During the show, cadets and senior members from squadrons 902 and 907 took part in assisting the spectators with parking and crowd control, CAP recruitment, CAP aircraft static demo and wing walking. In attendance was PAWG Commander Col. Appleblum who presented the cadets with a PAWG Challenge Coin. Later on in the day, the cadets participated in O – Flights to close-out the event.



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WELCOME!



Angel Flight East

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Welcome to the 17th Annual Vintage Aircraft Day & Classic Car Show!

There are many new and exciting opportunities for you to enjoy at this fun-filled day of aviation history at Wings Field. Wings, founded in 1930, is one of the oldest and best-known general aviation airports in the country. Vintage Aircraft Day serves as a unique display for period aircraft and classic cars and this year AFE has added Civil Air Patrol and military aircraft – in honor of our troops abroad. The car exhibit has also expanded with the inclusion of The Delaware Valley Classic Thunderbird Club. Special thanks to Montgomery County Aviation and Wings Field Preservation Associates for the opportunity to present this traditional and highly anticipated community event.

We hope that your family will enjoy helicopter rides, open cockpit flying in a vintage 1942 biplane and sightseeing rides. We wish you a memorable day of fun food and satisfying beverages, face painting, caricature drawings, a strolling juggler, a whimsical balloon artisan, and the comedic antics of Abbott and Costello.

All net proceeds from the day's events will go directly to supporting Angel Flight East – a nonprofit, volunteer-based organization dedicated to facilitating free air transportation for medical and humanitarian needs. Since its founding at Wings Field in 1992, it has grown from flying 17 missions in its first year to coordinating nearly 1000 missions annually. We hope that you enjoy your nostalgic trip back in time – walking among Vintage Aircraft and Classic Cars. Enjoy the food, entertainment, exhibits and the music of those "good old days".

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Executive Director
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