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### Welcome





Welcome to the 2023 Aviation
Experience presented by Youth In
Aviation. We are excited to have your
child enrolled in our program and are
looking forward to sharing with them
opportunities within the aviation field
through Science, Technology,
Engineering, Math, and Leadership.

Our team is committed to providing all participants with a fun, safe, and quality summer experience.

This handbook contains important information about the Aviation Experience including dates, schedules, policies, and contact information. Please take time to read through and familiarize yourself with the Aviation Experience.

Should you have any additional questions, please contact us directly via email at icyouthinaviation@gmail.com or by phone at (724) 747-5108.

### Leadership



#### **Youth In Aviation (YIA)**

YIA is a non-profit organization that provides education and financial support to students interested in aviation careers in Indiana County. We are committed to teaching and exploring STEM as applied to aviation. Furthermore, we provide the opportunity to learn about business and entrepreneurship, and community development with our partnership with Innovative Aviation, Jimmy Stewart Airport and community members. Run by volunteers who have extensive educational and teaching experience, YIA teachers are committed to quality education.



#### **Innovative Aviation**

Innovative Aviation strives to be a valued community partner while providing safe and cost effective flight training for those seeking to pursue their aviation goals. Whether you are seeking to pursue aviation as a hobby or a career, let us help you begin the journey. Learn more at: www.learntoflypa.com



#### **Jimmy Stewart Airport**

First opening in May 1929, the Jimmy Stewart Airport is a modern, public-use airport serving the growing communities of Indiana County PA and its surrounding communities. Learn more by visiting us at: www.jimmystewartairport.com



# **Daily Schedule**

#### Grades 4 - 5

#### Monday, June 26 - Thursday, June 29

8:15am - 8:30am Aviator Check-in

11:30am - 11:45am Aviator Pick-up

#### Friday, June 30

8:15am - 8:30am Aviator Check-in

11:00am Award Ceremony Seating Opens

11:15am Award Ceremony Begins

11:45am Family Luncheon



#### **Award Ceremony**

The Award Ceremony and casual catered luncheon for aviators and their guests will take place on Friday morning at the conclusion of the camp at the Innovative Aviation hangar.

The ceremony is expected to last approximately 30 minutes. Dr. George Bieger, retired Naval Aviator and Certified Flight Instructor, is the Keynote Speaker.

Young aviators are encouraged to show their families around the facilities at the hangar and airport.



### **Daily Schedule**

#### Grades 6 - 8

#### Monday, June 26 - Thursday, June 29

12:15pm - 12:30pm Aviator Check-in

3:30pm - 3:45pm Aviator Pick-up

#### Friday, June 30

8:15am - 8:30am Aviator Check-in

11:00am Award Ceremony Seating Opens

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11:45am Family Luncheon



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# **Daily Schedule**

#### **Grades 9 - 12**

#### Monday, June 26 - Thursday, June 29

8:15am - 8:30am Aviator Check-in

3:30pm - 3:45pm Aviator Pick-up

#### Friday, June 30

8:15am - 8:30am Aviator Check-in

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### **Drop-Off & Pick-Up**

#### **Directions**

The Jimmy Stewart Airport is located at 398 Airport Road in Indiana Pennsylvania (15701). The main terminal can be accessed via the double doors in the center of the building under the portico adjacent to the parking lot. Once inside, please look for Aviation Experience Check-In table.

#### **Drop-Off**

Aviators will check in daily in the main terminal building located at the Jimmy Stewart Airport.

Once checked in, your aviator will join their flight group for their morning briefing before departing the terminal building.

#### Pick-Up

Aviators can be picked up by parent(s) or guardian(s) within the main terminal at the same location as the drop-off. Please ensure to have a valid picture ID each day. Your child will only be released to those persons identified as a parent / guardian. Any changes to pick-up must be submitted in writing to the staff.

For emergencies, please contact staff: 724.747.5108



### **Health and Safety**

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Youth in Aviation is committed to offering safe, high-quality, and educational programming. The health and safety of all camp participants, staff, and their families is paramount. Staff certified in First Aid and CPR will be present throughout the duration of the camp.

If your child has a medical condition or allergy, it should be noted on your child's emergency information form. If you have any further concerns, please feel free to speak with the camp director or a member of our team.

#### **Medication**

When possible, please arrange medication administration at a time other than camp hours so that medicine can be taken at home. In the event a child must have medication during camp hours, please communicate the need to a member of our team during check-in. This includes any OTC medications. Staff will be unable to administer medication that is not provided by the parents.

#### Illness

If your child becomes ill or has a fever, please do not bring them to camp. You can call or text the contact number to let us know they will not be attending this day. If a child becomes ill during the program, a parent will be notified and asked to pick-up the child. If a parent is unavailable, an emergency contact will be called. A parent or designated person must arrive within 45 minutes. Your child must be fever free (lower than 100.4°) without medication for 24 hours before returning to the program. This is for the protection of all children and staff in the program.

# **Health and Safety**

### **Camp Attire**

Aviators should wear clothing that is comfortable. As many of our activities will be held outdoors, please be sure to send your children with appropriate attire that aligns with weather conditions.

Sunglasses, hats, and/or visors are encouraged.

As we will be navigating many parts of the airport and surrounding grounds, gym shoes and socks should be worn at all times (no sandals, crocks, clogs, etc.). No open-toed shoes.

#### Sunscreen

Aviators should have sunscreen applied before arriving each day. Furthermore, please bring extra sunscreen for re-application. Aviators should know how to apply sunscreen on themselves as staff are not permitted to do so.

#### **Hydration**

As many activities are outside and summer days can get hot, Aviators will be provided a reusable water bottle. They should bring them each day. Staff will ensure participants have the opportunity to refill their water throughout the day. Please do not bring soda or other sugary drinks.



# Introduction Flights

### **Introduction Flights**

Introduction Flights are designed to provide participants\* the opportunity to experience flight in a hands on environment. The flight is 30-minutes in length and will be tailored to the age and experience of each aviator. The flights will be conducted by either a Certified Flight Instructor or Commercially rated pilot.

Introduction Flights are weather dependent and can be scheduled at the check-in / drop-off table daily. The flight may be scheduled anytime between June and December 2023.

\*Weight & balance restrictions will apply.

#### **Photos and Media**

Photos will be taken during the experience and may be used for promotional materials, future programming, and on the Instagram Website. No names will be listed online. If you do not want your child's image used for these, please let the program director know at check-in or by sending an email prior to the start of the program.



# **Contact Information**

- **(**724) 747-5108
- icyouthinaviation@gmail.com
- Jimmy Stewart Airport
- learntoflypa.com/youth
- @innovativeaviation

### **Emergency Contact Information**

Parents - complete only if you did not provide on initial application OR if information has since changed.

**Emergency Contact Form** 

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Aviator Name:	
Home Address:	
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:
Primary Emergency Contact	
Name:	
Relationship to Contact:	
Daytime Phone	Evening Phone:
Secondary Emergency Contact	
Name:	
Relationship to Contact:	
Daytime Phone	Evening Phone:



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### **Medication Authorization**

#### For Prescription and Non-prescription Medications

Aviator Name		
Name of medication:		
Prescription:	Non-Prescription:	
Dosage:		
Date(s) medication to be given:		
Times medication to be given:		
Reasons for medication:		
Possible side effects:		
Name and phone number of prescrib		
I,	, (parent or guardian) give permission	
to authorized staff member(s) to a	dminister medication to my child as indicated above.	
Parent/Guardian Signature		

