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# AIRPORT

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## 2024

# Airshow



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## Schedule

9am Gates Open

10am - 5:30pm Vendors

10am - 5:30pm Concessions

\* All proceeds from concessions and rides go toward funding next years show!

11am - 5:30pm Beer Garden

1pm Airshow #1 Featuring Kyle Franklin, Galen Killam, Paul Lindemann, Jarrod Lindemann, Jody Graffunder, Kyle Fowler and Steve Covington.

## Airplane Rides

At the airshow, dive into the excitement with thrilling airplane rides that offer enthusiasts and thrill-seekers alike a chance to soar through the skies. Whether you're passionate about aviation or simply seeking adventure, these rides promise an unforgettable experience above the clouds, showcasing the beauty and thrill of flight in a unique and exhilarating way.

\$50 PER PERSON

20 MINUTE RIDE

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# AIRPORT

## Our Mission

WE ARE A NON-PROFIT ESTABLISHED FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROMOTING AERONAUTICAL EDUCATION AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE COMMUNITY TO EXPERIENCE AND PARTICIPATE IN AVIATION AT THE PAYNESVILLE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT.



### AIRPORT INFORMATION

THE 3,300'x75' PAVED RUNWAY SUPPORTS PLANES UP TO A MAXIMUM OF 12,500 LBS.

IDENTIFIER: PEX

RUNWAY ORIENTATION: 11-29

LATITUDE: 45 DEGREES 22.3 MINUTES N.

LONGITUDE: 94 DEGREES 44.6 MINUTES W.

FIELD ELEVATION: 1,180'

PILOT-CONTROLLED LIGHTS

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# FEATURING Kyle Fowler

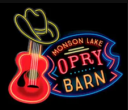


KYLE FOWLER BEGAN FOLLOWING IN HIS FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS AT A VERY YOUNG AGE. LOOKING TO HIS FATHER, KEN FOWLER OF TEAM ROCKET, AS HIS ROLE MODEL, KYLE MOVED FORWARD WITH HIS DREAMS OF BECOMING AN AEROBATIC PILOT BY THE AGE OF 12, ANNOUNCING HIS FATHER'S PERFORMANCE AT SEVERAL AIRSHOWS. THEN AT THE AGE OF 21, HIS DREAMS BEGAN TO MANIFEST. KYLE OBTAINED HIS PRIVATE PILOT'S LICENSE, WITH ERIC HANSEN OF TEAM ROCKET, AS HIS FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR, AND BEGAN HIS JOURNEY TOWARD HIS AIRSHOW CAREER.



IN 2015, KYLE DEDICATED HIS TIME TO EVOLVING AS A PILOT AND COMPLETED HIS COMMERCIAL PILOT'S LICENSE. THIS OPENED MORE DOORWAYS AND DROVE KYLE TO COMPLETE HIS COMMERCIAL MULTI IFR RATING THE SAME YEAR.

CURRENTLY, KYLE SUCCESSFULLY MANAGES HIS AVIATION TIME BETWEEN FLYING A PA-31 NAVAJO CHIEFTAIN, A KODIAK AND HIS UNIQUE 1986 LONG EZ. WHEN HE IS NOT EVOLVING AS A PILOT, KYLE DIVIDES HIS TIME BETWEEN HIS LOVE OF AIRSHOWS, AND HIS PRIDE AND JOY, HIS FAMILY. KYLE'S FAMILY IS INCREDIBLY PROUD OF HIS ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND WILL ALWAYS BE HIS BIGGEST FANS.

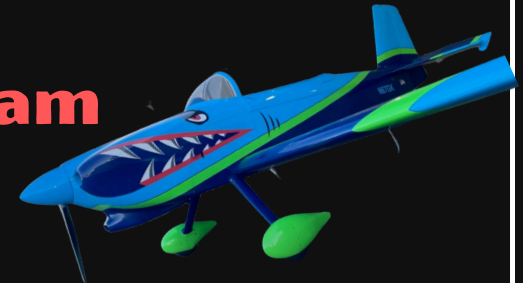


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# FEATURING Galen Killam



GALEN HAS BEEN FLYING FOR OVER 30 YEARS IN OVER 25 DIFFERENT AIRPLANES. HIS WIFE PURCHASED HIS RV-8 AS A CHRISTMAS PRESENT WITH THE SINGLE RESTRICTION THAT SHE APPROVED THE PAINT SCHEME ON THE PLANE AND IT HAD TO COMBINE THE FAMILY LOVE OF SCUBA DIVING WITH FLYING. AS AN AEROBATIC COMPETITOR, GALEN'S FLYING IS PRECISE, FAST PACED AND EXCITING TO WATCH UTILIZING BOTH POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE G MANEUVERS.

HIS EXPERIENCE COMES FROM MANY YEARS OF COMPETING IN AEROBATIC COMPETITIONS. HE CONNECTS WITH EVERYONE WHO WATCHES HIM FLY AND SHOWS THEM WHAT THEY COULD EASILY ACCOMPLISH. HE GREATLY ENJOYS GIVING YOUTH AND YOUNG EAGLE RIDES TO HELP THEM ENGAGE IN AVIATION.

GALEN AND HIS FAMILY TAKE AN ANNUAL SCUBA DIVING EVERY YEAR WITH HIS WIFE AND 2 CHILDREN AT DESTINATIONS AROUND THE WORLD. HE IS A VERY DEDICATED TO HIS FAMILY AND THEIR ADVENTURES TOGETHER. IN THEIR TRAVELS, THEY HAVE BEEN LUCKY ENOUGH TO SEE VERY LARGE SCHOOLS OF HAMMERHEAD SHARKS IN PERSON. THEREFORE, THE HAMMERHEAD SHARK TEETH ON THE NOSE



2024 WILL BE HIS FIFTH YEAR IN THE AIRSHOW CIRCUIT. HE HAS BEEN COMPETING IN THE AEROBATIC COMPETITIONS FOR 10 YEARS INCLUDING TWO US NATIONAL AEROBATIC CHAMPIONSHIPS.

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# FEATURING Kyle Franklin



A THIRD-GENERATION PILOT AND SECOND-GENERATION AIRSHOW PILOT. KYLE WAS BORN AND RAISED IN THE AIRSHOW BUSINESS. THE FRANKLIN AVIATION LEGACY BEGAN WITH KYLE'S GRANDFATHER ZIP FRANKLIN, A WORLD WAR II VETERAN, A RANCHER, AND A SELF-TAUGHT PILOT. ZIP'S OLDEST SON JIMMY FRANKLIN STARTED FLYING ON HIS DAD'S LAP WHILE HE WAS STILL IN DIAPERS. 12 YEARS LATER, JIMMY SNUCK OUT AND SOLOED HIMSELF IN THE FAMILY PA-14. BY AGE 19, JIMMY WAS PERFORMING AIRSHOWS IN HIS STOCK WACO UPF-7 AFTER TEACHING HIMSELF AEROBATICS BY READING HAROLD KRIER'S BOOK "MODERN AEROBATICS".

IN 2016 KYLE MET LIZ DEMOND AT EAA AIRVENTURE, WHERE THEY WOULD CROSS PATHS AGAIN A YEAR LATER. KYLE AND LIZ FELL IN LOVE WHEN SHE CAME TO VISIT KYLE'S AIRPORT FOR TAIL WHEEL INSTRUCTION AND THEY HAVE BEEN MARRIED SINCE 2019. EVER SINCE LIZ HAS BECOME AN ESSENTIAL PART IN THE FAMILY'S FLYING BUSINESS. MOST NOTABLY HER PART AS THE PILOT THAT KYLE STEALS THE AIRPLANE FROM, IN HIS COMEDY ACT.

TODAY, KYLE AND LIZ CONTINUE TO WOW AND AMAZE CROWDS ACROSS THE COUNTRY AND THE WORLD WITH THEIR UNIQUE STYLE OF FLYING AND SHOWMANSHIP. OVER KYLE'S CAREER HE HAS CREATED AND PERFORMED OVER 12 DIFFERENT AIRSHOW ACTS IN 6 DIFFERENT AIRCRAFT INCLUDING, WINGWALKING, SOLO AEROBATICS, COMEDY ACTS, MOTORCYCLE TO AIRPLANE TRANSFERS, STUNT DRIVING, ARIEL DOGFIGHT ROUTINES AND MANY MORE. KYLE FRANKLIN HAS BECOME KNOWN AS THE "KING OF THEMED AIR SHOW ACTS" AND A LEGEND IN THE AIRSHOW WORLD. HE HAS BEEN FLYING AIRSHOWS FULL TIME FOR OVER 25 YEARS, AND HAS WON THE COVETED BILL BARBER AWARD FOR SHOWMANSHIP. KYLE WITH THE HELP OF LIZ CONTINUES TO RE-INVENT HIMSELF TO BRING SOMETHING NEW TO THE AIRSHOW INDUSTRY AND TO KEEP UP WITH EVER CHANGING POP CULTURE.

2024 MARKS KYLE'S 28TH SEASON AS AN AIRSHOW PROFESSIONAL AND HIS FAMILY'S 57TH YEAR AS AIRSHOW PERFORMING LEGENDS.



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# ANNOUNCER Allen Mitchell



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TEAM NARRATOR & ANNOUNCER FOR FLS MICROJET AIRSHOW, FRANKLIN'S FLYING CIRCUS, PIPES VS PROPS AIRSHOW & SRC AIRSHOWS

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FROM A YOUNG AGE, ALLEN HAS HAD A PASSION FOR FLYING. HIS LOVE OF AVIATION LED HIM TO JOIN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE AT THE AGE OF 18. AFTER SERVING ON ACTIVE DUTY, ALLEN TRANSITIONED TO CIVILIAN SERVICE AS AN AIRCRAFT MECHANIC FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE BEFORE RETURNING TO COLLEGE TO PURSUE HIS CHILDHOOD DREAM OF BECOMING A PILOT. ALLEN TOOK HIS FIRST FLIGHT IN A CESSNA 172 AT THE AGE OF 28 AND THERE WAS NO TURNING BACK! ALLEN'S LOVE FOR ALL THINGS FLYING HAS LED HIM TO FLY SEVERAL TYPES OF AIRCRAFT, FROM CORPORATE TO WARBIRDS, AEROBATIC TO SEAPLANES—ALLEN SAYS HE CANNOT PICK A FAVORITE! GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE HIS LOVE OF AVIATION, ALLEN BEGAN ANNOUNCING AIRSHOWS IN 2014. HIS DYNAMIC VOCALS, DIVERSE BACKGROUND AND ENERGETIC STYLE MAKE HIM A HIT WITH ANY CROWD AND HAVE PUT HIM IN HIGH DEMAND FROM AIRSHOW DIRECTORS AND PERFORMERS ALIKE!

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# FEATURING Jody Graffunder



In 2012, Jody Graffunder fulfilled his childhood ambition of becoming a pilot. Today he is one of only a half-dozen airshow performers flying the Yak 52. He constantly strives for excellence and safety while putting on an exciting show that includes some maneuvers not typically seen in this airplane. Based in Eau Claire WI, Jody loves sharing aviation with others. He welcomes giving children an up-close look at his unique airplane and, if circumstances allow, even sitting in the cockpit and getting pictures!



The Yak 52W, with its eye-catching 9-foot prop, is a beast. Developed in the Soviet Union during the 1970's, this powerful and capable Warbird was designed for military purposes and was their primary trainer up through the 1990's. It's rated for +7/-5 Gs and can fly inverted up to two minutes. Add in the 400 horsepower M-14P engine and you've got a versatile airplane made for hard work with the throaty sounding 9-cylinder radial engine to match. Larger than most aerobatic aircraft in its class, the Yak 52W will create a distinctive presence at any airshow.

Jody understands the importance of creating a memorable experience that resonates with an audience long after the show is over. As an airshow promoter, you have a hard job with many balls to juggle. Jody would be happy to work with you to customize the best partnership for your airshow. He's not just thinking about the audience, but understands the importance of working as a team to ensure a safe and successful experience for everyone involved. He wants to help you achieve an airshow your community will enjoy and look forward to attending year after year.

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# FEATURING Paul Lindemann



Paul Lindemann is a fourth generation, a commercially rated pilot who got his start in aviation and flying at a very young age. He grew up around a variety of aircrafts, being active in the family aviation business. He gained experience helping his dad, the late Dan Lindemann, with crop spraying in the summer months and aircraft maintenance in the winter months. Paul has thousands of hours logged in various aircraft and is Airframe & Powerplant certified mechanics.

Paul's aerobatic performance includes a highly modified Pitts S-2S. It's running a fuel injected 540 cubic inch Lycoming engine and spins a three blade MT propeller.

Paul has thousands of flight hours logged in a variety of aircraft and is also an Airframe and Powerplant mechanic with inspection authorization. He is also airshow rated in all types of Pitts aircraft. Paul, along with his brother Jarrod, own and operate North Valley Aircraft, located at the Barnes County Airport in Valley City, ND. They provide aircraft maintenance services, aerial crop application and specialize in rebuilding aircrafts.

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# FEATURING Jarrod Lindemann



JARROD LINDEMANN IS A FOURTH GENERATION, A COMMERCIALY RATED PILOT WHO GOT HIS START IN AVIATION AND FLYING AT A VERY YOUNG AGE. HE GREW UP AROUND A VARIETY OF AIRCRAFTS, BEING ACTIVE IN THE FAMILY AVIATION BUSINESS. HE GAINED EXPERIENCE HELPING HIS DAD, THE LATE DAN LINDEMANN, WITH CROP SPRAYING IN THE SUMMER MONTHS AND AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE IN THE WINTER MONTHS. JARROD HAS THOUSANDS OF HOURS LOGGED IN VARIOUS AIRCRAFT AND IS AIRFRAME & POWERPLANT CERTIFIED MECHANICS.



JARROD'S AEROBATIC PERFORMANCE SHOWCASES THE RED BARON STEARMAN WHICH WAS ORIGINALLY NO. 5 OF THE AEROBATIC RED BARON SQUADRON TEAM. THIS PARTICULAR STEARMAN WAS WITH THE SQUADRON FOR THE ENTIRE 28 YEARS THAT THE TEAM PERFORMED IN AIRSHOWS AND FLEW THE LEAD AT ONE TIME. THIS 1941 BIPLANE WAS FULLY RESTORED BY THE LINDEMANN'S, TAKING A TOTAL OF 11 MONTHS TO FINISH THE PROJECT.

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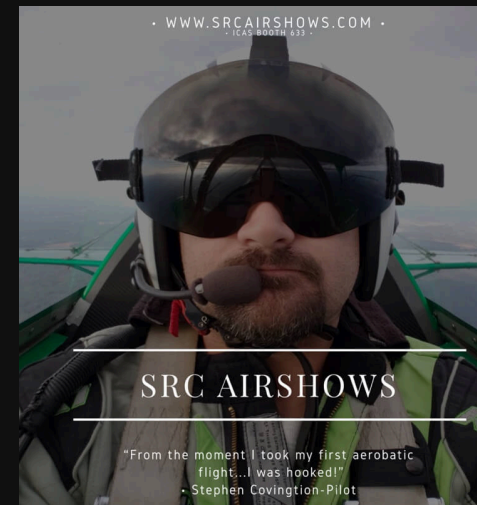


# FEATURING Steve Covington



STEPHEN COVINGTON STARTED FLYING 23+ YEARS AGO AND HAS HIS COMMERCIAL RATING. SRC AIRSHOWS IS OWNED AND OPERATED BY STEPHEN COVINGTON. STEPHEN IS ALSO THE PILOT AT SRC AIRSHOWS WHERE HE AMAZES EVERYONE WITH HIS AEROBATIC PERFORMANCES IN HIS HIGHLY MODIFIED PITTS S2S NAMED THE "RAPTOR". THERE IS A LOT OF INFO AND PICS OF THE RAPTOR IN ITS OWN SECTION.

STEPHEN HAS BEEN FLYING FOR 23+ YEARS NOW AND HOLDS HIS COMMERCIAL PILOTS LICENSE AND ALSO IS SURFACE LEVEL RATED. STEPHEN ALSO HAS A COUPLE OF FORMATION/DUAL ACTS THAT HE PERFORMS. ONE IS WITH JASON NEWBURG IN HIS VIPER PITTS. CROWDS WILL BE AMAZED AT THESE TWO TEARING UP THE SKIES IN THEIR JAW DROPPING TWIN PITTS ACT! THE SECOND IS THE NEW IMMORTAL RED BARRON ACT. WHERE THE WWI GERMAN PILOT COMES TO AN AIRSHOW NEAR YOU AND HAS A REAL LIFE DOG FIGHT WITH THE RAPTOR. IN THIS SHOW YOU WILL GET TO HEAR AND SEE AUTHENTIC MACHINE GUNS SHOOT AT THE AIRPLANES, AND EVEN FROM THE AIRPLANES. THIS NEW ACT RECEIVED THE ICAS GOLD AWARD IN 2018 FOR BEST NEW ACT.



AVIATION HAS BEEN IN STEPHEN'S BLOOD SINCE A KID. AIRPLANES WAS ALWAYS HIS FAVORITE TOYS WHEN HE WAS LITTLE AND WAR MOVIES WITH PLANES IN THEM HE COULD NEVER PASS UP.

STEPHEN OWNS A COUPLE BUSINESS IN LONGVIEW TEXAS WHERE HE CUSTOMIZES CARS. ANYTHING FROM YOUR OLD HOT ROD TO YOUR LATE MODEL C7 CORVETTE HE AND HIS CREW CAN DO ANYTHING YOU CAN DREAM UP AT HIS SHOPS!

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