

GALT TRAFFIC

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JULY 2009

A380 COMING TO OSHKOSH JULY 28—31!



For the first time in North America, the general public will have a chance to take walk-through tours of the interior of an Airbus A380, the largest passenger aircraft in the world, when the airplane visits EAA AirVenture Oshkosh. AirVenture attendees will have the opportunity to walk through both the main deck and the full-length upper deck. Information panels along the circuit will provide insights into the aircraft's design, engineering, and construction - and the international collaboration required to build it. _____

The AirVenture dates are Monday, **July 27** through Sunday, **August 2**. The A380 is scheduled to arrive Tuesday, **July 28** and will start the Tuesday Air Show. It will leave Friday, **July 31** after starting the Friday Air Show. Also, visit the AirVenture web site for complete information and to buy tickets online in advance: <http://www.airventure.org/>

AIRVENTURE '09 BIGGER AND BETTER



As you can see in the above aerial, the main exhibit area has been expanded yet again. At top of photo is RWY 18/36 and the parallel taxiway. Then, moving west, Aeroshell Square where the A380 will be parked. Next are the large permanent exhibit hangars, A, B, C and D. For more, see:

<http://www.eaa.org/apps/galleries/gallery.aspx?ID=177>

JULY 11 MEMBERSHIP MEETING 10 AM

**JULY 25—26 ENROUTE TO OSH FLY-IN
BREAKFASTS AT GALT**

For details: PlaneJohn@aol.com

JULY 18 FRIENDS OF GALT LUAU

Galt Airport, 6 PM, \$15 donation requested. If you've been to a FOG Luau, you know they don't mess around—this is the real McCoy! Check the FOG web site for updates:

<http://galtairport.net/id11.html>

VINTAGE AIRCRAFT FLY-IN PICNIC

June 7, was rainy and wet; the picnic turned into a hangar party. By the time the food was ready, only two aircraft had been able to fly in but about 20 Vintage Aero members drove in to spend what turned into a largely sunny afternoon, enjoying pleasant conversation and great food. Grillmaster Dave Spitzbart saw to the chicken and ribs while Greg Domski was responsible for the fresh and tender sweet corn. The arriving attendees provided a variety of side dishes which ranged from salads to very sweet, sweets. I'm predicting we'll be back



to a warm and sunny picnic next June, so just circle the first Sunday of that month as soon as you get your 2010 calendar.—John Roach



OSHKOSH WORK WEEKEND

By John Roach

The pace has definitely quickened on the Oshkosh AirVenture grounds as the weather turns summery and more volunteers arrive each day. One of the most visible changes to the convention grounds for AirVenture 2009 will be the addition of way finding towers.



EAA 932 member Steve Mark tapping his name into a leg of the way finding tower after he finished welding on it.

This year four towers extending 54 feet above the ground and four smaller 8 foot towers are nearing completion in the Fabrication Shop by EAA staff members and volunteers. Each of the large towers, weighing several tons, is made up of almost one thousand individual pieces of steel welded together by hand. Once the towers are in place, they will be painted and covered

with colorful signs making them highly visible to AirVenture visitors. When erected on the AirVenture grounds, the larger towers will have a hinged base to they can be raised during the convention or lowered to meet FAA requirements during the remainder of the year.



The first completed way finding tower tower being off-loaded during its delivery to the Ultralight Area

WASHINGTON ISLAND WHITEFISH BOIL

One of the best fly-ins in the Midwest! Fly to 2P2, take a back pack or camping gear. Rent a bike and explore the island. Stay at the only Holiday Inn in the world that is not in the 'Holiday Inn chain' (the original!).—WI's 'Cape Cod'. More info: Lharvell98@comcast.net. Or, Larry Harvell 920-847-2770

2009 CHAPTER CALENDAR

CHECK www.eaa932.org for latest information
CHECK www.galtairport.net for FOG events

- ✓ JAN 10 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM: Ski Plane GS
- ✓ FEB 14 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM: Valentine's Day
PASTA POT-LUCK Hangar Party, 5:30 PM
- ✓ MAR 14 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM: Visit B-17 project
- ✓ APR 11 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM:
- ✓ Apr 21-26 **SUN'nFUN** <http://flairmuseum.com/content/>
- ✓ APR 28 FOG Bonfire/Bar-B-Q at the pond, 6 PM
- ✓ MAY 9 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM to R/C flying field
- ✓ MAY 30 FOG event: 'Uncontrolled Airspace'
- ✓ JUN 7 **VINTAGE AIRCRAFT FLY-IN PICNIC**
- ✓ JUN 13 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM + **YOUNG EAGLES**
- ✓ Jun 26-28 **OSH WORK WEEKEND** planejohn@aol.com
- JUL 11 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM
- JUL 18 FOG LUAU: <http://galtairport.net/id11.html>
- Jul 25-26 **ENROUTE TO OSH FLY-IN BREAKFASTS**
- JUL 27 TO AUG 2 **AIRVENTURE 2009**
<http://www.airventure.org/>
- AUG TBA FOG event: <http://galtairport.net/id11.html>
- AUG 8 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM
- Aug. 14-15 A Tribute to Woodstock, 40 years later see:
www.galtfestivals.com
- AUG 30 **END OF SUMMER PICNIC FLY-IN**
- SEP TBA FOG event: <http://galtairport.net/id11.html>
- SEP 12 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM + **YOUNG EAGLES**
- OCT 10 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM + **CHILIFEST/ GALTOBERFEST with FOG @ 5:30 PM**
- NOV 14 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM Election of officers
- DEC 12 EAA 932 meeting 10 AM

PILOT ALERTS – EVENTS – FLY-INS

GO TO:

AOPA: www.aopa.org

EAA: www.eaa.org

FAA: www.faa.gov

EAA 932: www.eaa932.org

II DOT: www.dot.state.il.us/aero/index.html

WI DOT: www.dot.state.wi.us/travel/air/general.htm

GALT AIRPORT EVENTS: www.galtfestivals.com

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EAA 932 Meetings 2nd Saturdays @ 10 AM

Young Eagles Jun 14, Jul 13, Sep 13 or by appt. any time. Contact anyone in the box below.

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