

REPLY TO
ATTN OF: PAWG DAE
SUBJECT: 2003 PAWG AEROSPACE PLAN OF ACTION
TO: COL. FRED WEISS
PENNSYLVANIA WING COMMANDER

DATE: 1 January 2003

This Aerospace Plan of Action will take into account actions that will maximize the achieve of goals and objectives set forth by National, Region and Wing.

1. PENNSYLVANIA WING AEROSPACE EDUCATION STAFFING

A. DAE ASSIGNMENT

LTC Roland Dewing is assigned as Director of Aerospace Education, and has the Yeager Award.

B. EXTERNAL AEO

LTC Ronald J. Tuman is assigned as External AEO. His Education, knowledge and leadership has added greatly to our program. Ron was the former DAE and has received the Yeager Award

C. INTERNAL AEO

Maj. Timothy E. Kinsella is assigned as Internal AEO and has received the Yeager Award. Maj. Kinsella will complete his training and paper work to increase his specialty track.

D. GROUP AEO'S and WING SUPPORT PROGRAMS

Each group has appointed a group AEO. I will work with each group AEO's as if part of my staff to further External and Internal AE in each Group. We will have regular meeting as a staff.

Two Programs the group AEO's should provide for their group, with our support are, Yeager award classes, and achievement weekends.

3. WING AE STAFF ACTIVITIES

A. WING AE SEMINARS

Wing AE staff will conduct an AE seminar at the Wing Conference. My staff and I are working on several plans to make aerospace more than just an afternoon seminar. history, careers, space and the excitement of aerospace will be everywhere for all those who attend. With recognition of those members who contributed to the history of aviation and space, along with solo cadets of PA wing. AE staff will be making AE presentations at SLS and CLC, and a full day AE program is planned for the Wing Cadet Encampment.

B. WING AEO WORKSHOPS

There will be workshops for AEO training held other than the Wing Conference. They will be held at different locations across the state.

We have made some progress in working with school districts and increasing our list of teachers and schools that have or want Aerospace Programs. But we must continue to stress the need for our Commanders and AE Officers to work and become part of their school systems. Provide support to local teachers by letting them know about our activities, workshops, and special conferences like NCASE.

We will continue our search for aerospace resources that can be used by squadrons and teachers, as tours and activities to motivate cadets and students in their studies. We will support some activities at air shows across the state this year.

The Cadet Glider and power orientation flights will be a major activity for Aerospace Education staff this year.

C. WING AE STAFF ATTENDING CONFERENCE'S

The AE staff plans to attend the Region Conference I'm encouraging wing AE staff, AEO's and CAP members to attend both region conference and NCASE03.

D. AEROSPACE WORKSHOPS FOR TEACHERS

My staff and I will seek out and help publicize Aerospace Education Workshops for teachers and if possible make presentations when able.

F. SQUADRON VISITS

My staff and I will visit at least four squadrons across the state. Our visits will include an AE presentation and information gathering on ways we can support and improve the squadron AE program.

G. AE ARTICLES IN WING NEWSLETTERS

An Aerospace Newsletter will be posted on the AE web site and wing mailing to all squadrons at least every two months. And an Aerospace article will be placed in the Wing newsletters. Current events and activities effecting AE will be posted on the Wing Bulletin Board and Web page.

H. ROSTER OF SQUADRON AEOs

One of the hardest requirements to fill. Because all squadrons will not send in the reports and CAPF2a assigning an AEO. I will continue to inform all commanders that regulations required all squadrons to have a person assigned on CAPF2a and be active as an Aerospace Education Officer. When new AEO's are appointed they will be mailed a wing packet that includes dates of AE activities, training sessions and information on the regulations and manuals needed to perform their job.

I. BREWER NOMINATIONS

I am currently working on getting at least 4 Brewer Nominations for the April 1 dead line.

J. YEAGER AWARDS

We will continue to encourage seniors to study and complete "*Aerospace: The Journey of Flight*" for the Chuck Yeager Aerospace Award. Each group AEO will be asked to give at least one class for the APSEM award.

K. MITCHELL AWARDS

My staff will continue to monitor the AE portion of the Cadet program, and provide support to groups and squadrons in developing achievement classes and special achievement weekends. I would like to see each group have at least one achievement weekend. we are developing a syllabus and guide lines for this activity.

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