



Aviation Merit Badge Program

Earn Your Merit Badge at Flabob!

Boy Scouts can earn Aviation Merit Badges by reading the Aviation Merit Badge packet and participating in the **Young Eagles Introduction to Flight Program Merit Badge Class**. This is offered once a month by Flabob-based **EAA Chapter One**.

Eagle Scout Projects Available at FLABOB

Flabob Airport has a rich and colorful history and has played a significant role in the development of American aviation. For this reason Flabob is undergoing a careful restoration to celebrate its aviation heydays of the 1930s and '40s. At the same time its facilities and capabilities are being upgraded to meet the demands of the 21st century.

There are lots of ways you can help. Some airport improvement projects underway by **Eagle Scouts** such as the construction of picnic tables, benches, and lawn furniture can be substantially expanded, and new projects await only your willingness to participate.

If you wish to volunteer, or if you have Eagle Scout project suggestions, please contact **Flabob Airport - 951-683-2309, Ext. 104**.



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EXCITING AVIATION PROGRAMS

for Youngsters of All Ages



at
FLABOB AIRPORT



Riverside, California

Young Eagles "Introduction to Flight" Program

EAA Chapter One conducts introductory flights by reservation for both individuals and organized groups such as **The Boy Scouts** at Flabob Airport near Riverside, California.

As of this printing our local chapter has flown over 9000 Young Eagles since 1992, introducing our youth to the world of aviation.

Once a month by reservation only we begin our program with a ground school covering what makes an aircraft fly, aircraft safety rules, airport conduct, aircraft flight safety regulations, and lots more.

Small groups are then escorted to an aircraft where a demonstration of a **pre-flight safety inspection** is given and questions regarding the aircraft being inspected are answered. Then the participants are guided to a waiting area where drinks, snacks, cameras, and memorabilia are available while they wait for the volunteer aircraft and pilots to become available.

When an aircraft is available, a **volunteer safety escort** takes each participant to the waiting aircraft where he or she is shown the proper way to enter and exit and how to use the seat belt in the aircraft.



During the flight, the **Young Eagle** is allowed to **take the controls** of the dual-control aircraft under the supervision of an **FAA certified pilot**. All aircraft used are approved for flight under FAA regulations. No flying will take place in low visibility (less than three miles) or in adverse weather conditions. Be sure to call the morning of your flight if the weather looks questionable. Number to call: (951) 682-6236.

These pilots donate their time, aircraft, and fuel. It costs them about \$100 an hour to operate their aircraft. A **suggested donation** of \$10 would be appreciated to help them cover their costs.



Young Eagles Program Guidelines

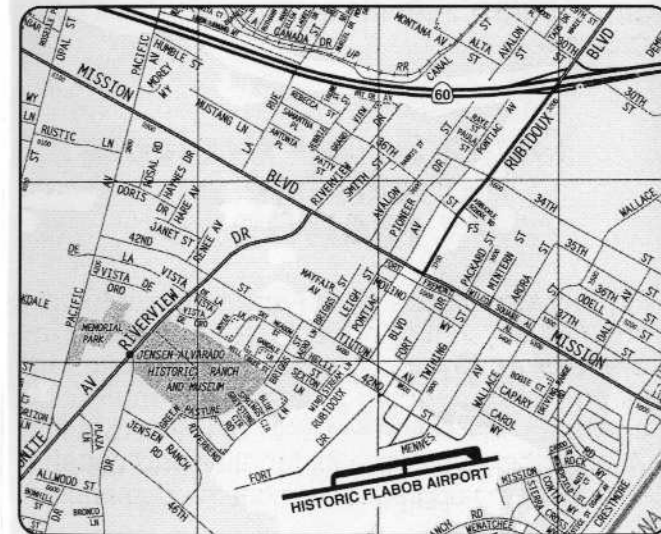
Each participant must have a **reservation** as to date and time of arrival as we have limited aircraft and volunteer pilots.

Each participant must bring a **permission slip** signed in ink by a parent or guardian with a phone number. **Permission slips and registration forms may be requested by phone.**

We welcome both individual participants and organized groups, and we encourage participation by **handicapped** youth as we can safely accommodate their special needs with prior notice.



Riverside, California



For reservations or to get more information on all the exciting aviation programs and activities available at Historic Flabob Airport we invite you to call us at 951-683-2309, Extension 104.