

TECUMSEH JULY 4
ALL DAY CELEBRATION and JC'S FIREWORKS '86

AL MEYERS AIRPORT
Corner Tecumseh-Clinton and Macon Roads

NATIONAL FLY-IN MEYERS PLANES

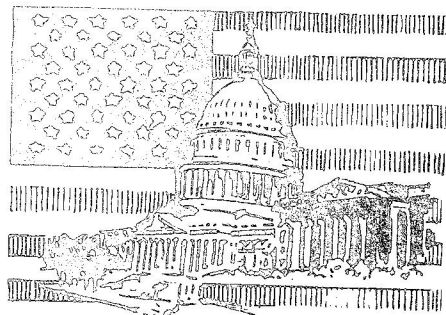
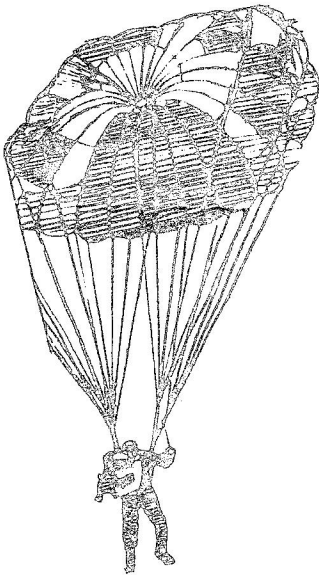
American Legion/VFW Chicken BBQ

Arts & Crafts

Picnic - Family - Fun

Fireworks at Dark

FREE ADMISSION



MEYERS AIRCRAFT OWNERS ASSOCIATION
NEWSLETTER

THE MEYERS ARE COMING - THE MEYERS ARE COMING

ANNUAL NATIONAL FLY-IN OF MEYERS AIRCRAFT BY THEIR OWNERS AND PILOTS
"HOMECOMING"

AL MEYERS AIRPORT
TECUMSEH, MICHIGAN
JULY 3, 4, 5, 1986

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, July 3:		Arrivals all day.
		Registration at airport lounge.
		Parking of Meyers Aircraft by Keith Diver. Briefing on security with Tecumseh JC's. Lew Hensley, Airport Manager, will be on hand to help with gas, 100 and 80 octane available. Lew is a great guy and most helpful.
		Refreshments will be available at the Airport Bowl across from the lounge.
		Van and car transportation to motel.
	6:00 PM (Approx)	Cocktails and dinner. <u>Possible choices: Mai Kai Lounge - in the motel and Sal's (for dinner) - across the street from the motel.</u>
Friday, July 4:	All Day	Airport and motel transportation every 15 minutes.
	7:00-9:00 AM	Breakfast. Choices: Coffee and rolls available at the motel and ValuLand. Herrick Hospital cafeteria and Big Boy for complete breakfast. Airport Bowl - coffee and rolls during morning hours.
 AIRPORT EVENTS - ALL DAY PROGRAM		
	10:00 AM	Open ceremony--raising of flag, National Anthem on loudspeakers.
	Before Noon	Meyers Aircraft fly-by.
	Noon to 5:00 PM	Free time to visit JC's Bazaar. (arts and crafts)
		Excellent chicken barbeque plate and trimmings. Sponsored by the American Legion and VFW.
		Parachuting demonstrations
		Sheriff's Posse, Fire Department, Ambulance Service, and CB React people arrive.
		Early evening opening ceremony - parachutist with the American Flag, the National Anthem, & Meyers Fly-By.
		JC's Fireworks--'86 Display at Dark.

Saturday, July 5:

7:00-9:00 AM Breakfast. Choices: Big Boy
(across from motel), Don's
(downtown Tecumseh), and Herrick
Hospital cafeteria.

9:30 AM Maintenance sessions start in
Airport Bowl.

200's & 145's -- 9:30-11:00 AM
Coffee break -- 11:00-11:30 AM
OTW's & 145's - 11:30-----
(as desired)

Lunch, tire kicking, and free
time. Choices: Sal's, Don's,
and Big Boy.

6:30 PM Cocktails at Country Club.
(Approx)
7:30 PM Dinner and Dance.

Sunday, July 6:

Departure day. Breakfast as
above.

Lew Hensley will again be on
hand for anyone needing gas.

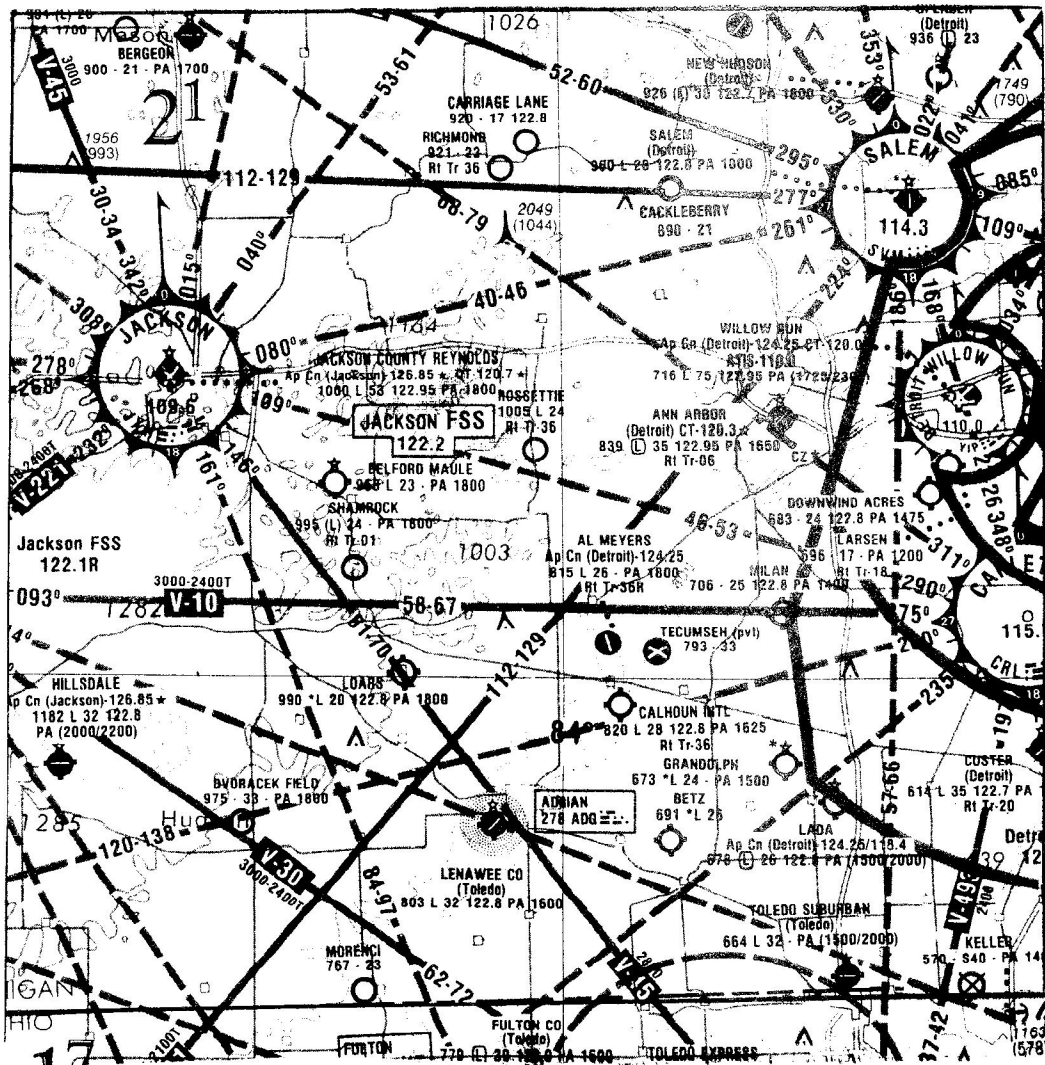
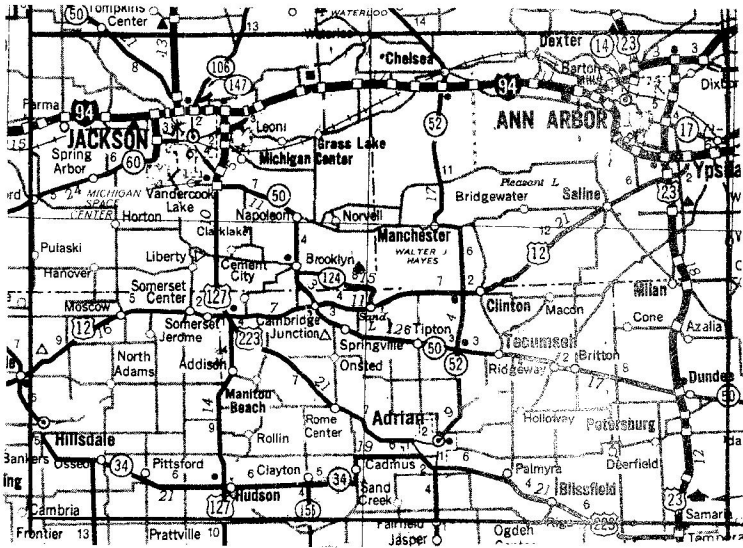
PLEASE NOTE: The Airport Bowl will be our hospitality room, a place
to visit, share info, etc. If needed the motel has a conference room
that could be used.

The Airport bowling lanes will be open July 3-5 for
family fun and games.

Please fill out the enclosed registration form and return
to us as soon as possible. Deposit is not required for Meyers Aircraft
Owners.

We are enclosing a map of the general area for your use.

See airport lounge bulletin board for changes, notices,
and messages.



MOTEL INFORMATION FOR
MEYERS AIRCRAFT OWNER'S ASSOCIATION
1986 FLY IN

Please make arrangements directly with the motel by phone, or by completing and mailing the following form.

Harvey House Motel
1445 West Chicago Boulevard (M-50)
Tecumseh, Michigan 49286

Phone: (517) 423-7401

A suite and a room with a king-size bed are available.
Check for details and availability with the motel.

HARVEY HOUSE MOTEL RESERVATION REQUEST

Name of Group: Meyers Aircraft Owner's Association

Individual Name: _____

Address: _____ Zip _____

Phone: () _____

Arrival Date: _____

Number of Nights Staying: _____

Accommodations Requested: ___ 1 double bed
 ___ 2 beds, 2 people
 ___ 2 beds, 3 people
 ___ 2 beds, 4 people

Check One:

___ Arrival Before 6:00 PM

___ Cash Deposit

___ Credit Card # VISA _____

Master Card _____

(517) 423-7629

HOME COMING!!!

MEYERS OWNERS ASSOCIATION

NEWSLETTER

March 17, 1986

The program is taking shape for the 1986 homecoming and fly-in to the Al Meyers Airport, Tecumseh, Michigan. I hope that you have all ordered a map for this area. In addition to the Detroit area map, there is a Michigan sectional available from the Michigan Aeronautics Commission, Capital City Airport, Lansing, MI 48906.

July 3

We are now planning that all people who arrive should have dinner together. We have two choices -- Don's Beef Buffet, or Herrick Cafeteria. There is a wider variety in the cafeteria, and prices are reasonable, but both are good.

July 4

Because of the holiday, the two places available for complete meals are Herrick Cafeteria and the Big Boy. All during the day, there will be vendors, and the American Legion will serve a chicken barbeque at the airport. It would be possible for us to decide on that day to go either to the Big Boy or Herrick for a complete evening meal and get-together.

July 5

Our gala annual banquet, with honored guests, at the Tecumseh Country Club, will top off this day. Cocktails 6-7PM, then dinner. After dinner, a five piece dance band will play music of the 30-40's, and other numbers on request. They are composed of Yankee Air Force members and their friends. I heard them play for their own dinner dance in March, at the Willow Run Airport, and everyone was delighted with the professional big band sound.

There will be a program during the July 5th evening at which awards will be given for the person who arrived first, and the one from the furthest distance.

We have invited the Mayor of the city, who will welcome you. Another person is Don Chaffee, father of the deceased astronaut Roger Chaffee, who was lost in the Apollo I mishap in 1967. Don was a long-time friend of Al Meyers, and former barnstormer. He will tell you about a commemorative stamp he has been trying to obtain, not only for the Apollo I astronauts, but also those of the Challenger incident.

We urge you to bring all types of items for the auction, even some of your white elephants! They should include some for women, as well as for men.

One of our local pilots, Dr. Cook, has suggested that if people would like to get together and fly to Mackinac Island, which is just the other side of the magnificent Mackinac Bridge, joining the two Michigan peninsulas, it would be a most exciting experience. The island has no automobile traffic, only an excellent east/west runway, and horseback and carriages.

All this adds up to what I think will be the most unusual and rewarding annual fly-in ever. Our whole town is quite excited about the arrival of the Meyers guests.

There is a car rental service available. Please let us know right away if you will be needing a car, and we will see that one is reserved for you. The agency needs six weeks advance notice.

So far, the Harvey House has 15 confirmed reservations.

We are enclosing a copy of a news release mailed to the surrounding media, so you will have an indication of other activities on July 4. If you have any suggestions, comments, or negative reactions, we welcome any one, or all three. Please contact this control tower soon.

Please bring innovative ideas and gadgetry for the maintenance session, and DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR TIE DOWNS!

Also, see a video tape of
PARIS AIR SHOW '85!!!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Allen N. Meyers

IN MEMORY OF

It is with deep regret that we report the passing of Gary R. Merrihew, November 9th, 1985, husband of our secretary Jackie. Her loss is our loss.

We like to remember his cheerful, positive personality and all the attributes which made him a good pilot. Their green and white Meyers 200D, N2908T, 1966, was always a welcome sight at our Annual Meyers Fly-In. We will certainly miss him.

We can honor and remember him best by all of us coming together for a "Homecoming". Jackie has said that she will bring their Meyers 200 to the Al Meyers Airport, July 3-5, 1986 for the Annual Fly-In, in honor of her husband Gary.

MEYERS OWNERS ASSOCIATION

NEWSLETTER

May 21, 1986

We regret to inform you that Mrs. Allen H. Meyers passed away, at her home, Monday, May 5, 1986. Her sudden death was a shock to all of us who saw her on a daily basis. She had been working very hard preparing for the upcoming fly in, July 3-5, and she had flown her 200 on both Saturday and Sunday prior to her death. Her wish was to have this "Meyers homecoming" be a big success, and we will try our best to see that this happens.

Please make your motel reservations soon. We need to give an estimate to the Tecumseh Country Club by mid June, of the number of people who will be attending the July 5 banquet -- dinner and dance. We are using the motel reservations for that information. So far these people have reserved:

E. Benquiat, R. Martin, J. Shawn, Schwartz, Ingwalson,
E. Stewart, B. Young, R. Stickle, V. Vanderford, D. Palmer,
S. Sapper, C. Downey, C. Riggsbee, C. Cochran, L. Quinn,
B. Nagle, C. Stone, J. Merrihew, J. Chabal, M. Wright,
B. Cook, Bricker, B. More, D. Chaffee, C. Reed, and H. Hastings
who just bought his Meyers last year and will be attending his
first fly-in.

Let Sue or Dianne, at the Airport office, know if you want to rent a car, and they will take care of that for you. You can call 517-423-7629, from 9:00AM - 5:00PM, or write Meyers Airport Office, Box 100, Tecumseh, MI 49286.

IMPORTANT REMINDER: Use radio frequency 122.9

Bring your own tie downs

We will provide transportation to
and from the airport and motel, and
to the restaurants

Looking forward to seeing you in July.

Sincerely,

Keith Diver

Keith Diver
MAOA Planning Committee
(517) 423-8040

March 17, 1986
News Release

SER COMMUNITY CENTER YOUTH GROUP TO DEMONSTRATE HISPANIC FOLK DANCES

On July 4th, 1986, they will participate in the afternoon program of the day-long celebration at the Al Meyers Airport, Tecumseh-Clinton Rd., just north of the city.

The group will perform the Mexican Hat Dance, and other authentic folk numbers, using the Spanish flamenco-tap beat, to music accompaniment. Their elaborate and colorful sombreros, serapes, and sequined jackets are designed and sewn by dedicated and loving parents of the 50 or more children in the dance group.

This may be the first time such a demonstration will be performed in the center of an airport. The runway will, of course, be closed to incoming aircraft during the program.

There will be two amplifying systems, during the performance, so that the program will be explained in English and Spanish.

This will be the 3rd annual July 4th celebration and fireworks sponsored by the Tecumseh JC's. At the same time, the Al Meyers Airport will be host to the 15th national fly in and homecoming for Meyers aircraft.

The JC's will also be in charge of arts and crafts tents and tables for organizations and individuals who wish to display their specialties.

Finally, they have promised the biggest and best fireworks display will take place at night. Last year, approximately 6,000 people from a tri-state area were present, and it has been predicted that at least that many, or more, will attend the July 3-5, 1986 weekend. July 5 will be the rain date for the fireworks.