

Four Easy Steps to Earn the  
**SCOUTING AVIATION  
HERITAGE PROGRAM  
MEDALLION & RIBBON**



1. Make your camp reservation online at:  
[www.tecumsehCouncilbsa.org/Camping/CampBirch/Rentals](http://www.tecumsehCouncilbsa.org/Camping/CampBirch/Rentals)
2. Book your National Museum of the United States Air Force tour and scavenger hunt at [www.nationalmuseum.af.mil](http://www.nationalmuseum.af.mil) then click on *Education and For Youth Groups*.  

The scavenger hunt will take your group through five galleries in the museum: Early Years, Air Power, Modern Flight, Cold War and Missile & Space.
3. Visit **three** of the ten Historical Aviation Sites listed in this brochure.
4. Finally, turn in your completed list when you check out at Camp Birch, and purchase your medallions for \$6.00 each.

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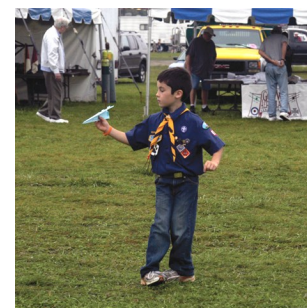
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*Presents the*  
**SCOUTING AVIATION  
HERITAGE PROGRAM**

*a Scouting experience offering fun  
and learning in Dayton, Ohio -*



Stay at beautiful Camp Hugh Taylor Birch of the Tecumseh Council, Boy Scouts of America while visiting some of Ohio's amazing aviation attractions including the National Museum of the United States Air Force.

Visit the natural and historic places outlined in this brochure to receive the Scouting Aviation Heritage Program Medallion and Ribbon.

*As long as men fly...  
wherever they journey  
through space...their flights  
began in Dayton, Ohio -  
the Birthplace of Aviation.*





## CAMP HUGH TAYLOR BIRCH Yellow Springs, OH

[www.tecumsehcouncilbsa.org](http://www.tecumsehcouncilbsa.org)

To earn the Scouting Aviation Heritage Program Medallion, Scouts must stay at Camp Birch while visiting the Museum of the USAF and other nearby aviation attractions.

Camp Birch encompasses 440 acres of woodland that serves our Scouting and non-Scouting communities. Adjacent to Clifton Gorge, John Bryan State Park and Glen Helen Nature Preserve, it is an integral part of 2,000 continuous acres of natural woodlands.

Camp Birch is an outdoor facility that is used to teach Scouts character, citizenship, personal fitness, and environmental awareness. Replete with a dining hall that serves 300, an Olympic size swimming pool, a 10-acre lake, low and high Challenge Courses and Climbing Tower, three picnic pavilions, **thirteen campsites**, **four rustic cabins** and **four deluxe cabins**. Plus our three specialty buildings:

**Pinetree Lodge** - a cabin that sleeps 24 people on bunk beds with full restroom facilities, wood stove for heat, refrigerator and microwave

**Adams Building** - a cabin that sleeps 28 people on bunk beds with full restroom facilities, heat, ceiling fans, porch, large meeting room with fireplace, and full kitchen

**Turner Building** - a facility that sleeps up to 60 with heat and air conditioning, full restroom facilities, large porch, kitchen and is handicap accessible with easy access to the parking lot



## NATIONAL MUSEUM OF THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE® *"We are the keepers of their stories"™*

## NATIONAL MUSEUM OF THE USAF Wright-Patterson AFB, OH

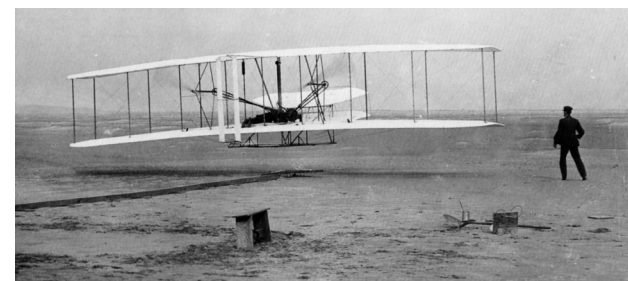
[www.nationalmuseum.af.mil](http://www.nationalmuseum.af.mil)

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The National Museum of the United States Air Force at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base is the world's largest and oldest military aviation museum with over 400 aerospace vehicles — many rare and one-of-a-kind — along with thousands of personal artifacts, photographs, documents, and powerful sensory exhibits that bring history to life. More than 17 acres of indoor exhibit space chronicle the history of the Air Force, from the evolution of military flight to today's stealth aircraft.

Animating the Air Force story, the museum offers a wide variety of special events and educational programs to connect the service to the public. Programs of interest to the Boy Scouts include:

- Daily guided and self-guided tours
- Family Day (third Saturday of every month, second Saturday in December)
- Aerospace Camps (June-August)
- Informational Scavenger Hunts (geared to certain age levels)
- Programs during special events (biennial WWI Dawn Patrol Rendezvous offers opportunities to complete several requirements of the Aviation Merit Badge)



## HISTORICAL AVIATION SITES Dayton Area

[www.aviationheritagearea.org](http://www.aviationheritagearea.org)

And to complete the Scouting Aviation Heritage Program visit **three** of the following historical aviation sites located in and around Dayton, OH. Three sites can easily be completed in a day.

- ☐ Huffman Prairie Flying Field Interpretive Center and Wright Memorial
- ☐ Wright-Dunbar Interpretive Center
- ☐ The Wright Cycle Company
- ☐ Aviation Trail Visitors Center & Museum  
[www.aviationtrailinc.org](http://www.aviationtrailinc.org)
- ☐ John W. Berry, Sr. Wright Brothers Aviation Center at Carillon Historical Park  
[www.daytonhistory.org](http://www.daytonhistory.org)
- ☐ The Wright B Flyer Museum [www.wright-b-flyer.org](http://www.wright-b-flyer.org)
- ☐ WACO Airfield & Museum [www.wacoairmuseum.org](http://www.wacoairmuseum.org)
- ☐ Armstrong Air & Space Museum
- ☐ Grimes Flying Lab & Champaign Aviation Museum [www.champaignaviationmuseum.org](http://www.champaignaviationmuseum.org)
- ☐ National Aviation Hall of Fame  
[www.nationalmuseum.af.mil](http://www.nationalmuseum.af.mil)

Unit # \_\_\_\_\_ Council \_\_\_\_\_

Leader's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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# of Medallions \_\_\_\_\_ x \$6 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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