



Flight Nights at the Park Twp Airport Historic Hangar

The Park Township Airport Historical Association (PTAHA) welcomes students, pilots, and all aviation enthusiasts to learn about flying a Cessna 172 airplane with our Redbird TD flight simulator. The program is called Flight Nights. It is free and open to all. The PTAHA is an all volunteer, not for profit 501(c)(3) charitable organization so you can always help us by becoming a member of PTAHA, volunteering for events, or offering a financial donation.

The Flight Night sessions are scheduled based on requests. Check the PTAHA website event page for available dates and times: <http://parktownshipairporthistoricalassociation.org> or sign-up page here <http://signup.com/go/pbktrui> To request a specific Flight Night for your group, or to reserve a date on the website calendar, please email us at: info@parktownshipairporthistoricalassociation.org



Flight Night Program

Best flight group size is 5 - 8 people (a guardian should attend with students)

Program starts at 6 pm, is about 2 hours, but flexible. Spectators welcome!

Typically on Sunday, Tuesday nights, but other times can be arranged.

Our instructors are volunteers (If you would like to volunteer to lead or assist with a program, please contact us)

Program content

- Meet at Historic Hangar (rotating beacon on roof) at Park Township Airport 1260 Ottawa Beach Rd, Holland, MI
- Sign-in, welcome and introductions. Brief presentation about history of aviation, aerodynamics, how do planes fly?
- Review of actual airplane in Historic Hangar - parts of the plane, flight controls, preflight checks, sit at the controls
- Students learn to fly the certified Redbird TD 172 Cessna flight simulator
- Instructions for simulator operation, explanation of instruments and controls, maneuvers, beginning navigation
- Ready for takeoff! Fly from Park Twp to the beach, fly to W.Mich Regional airport, enter final approach and land
- Flight time will depend upon the number of attendees.
- Time permitting we have other flight challenges: night flying, mountain flying, emergency procedures....

The Redbird TD flight simulator is a certified system that enables student pilots and licensed pilots to log flight hours. It is the same system used by many commercial flight schools.

Please contact PTAHA if you would like to schedule a separate CFI session and log your hours.

Please share your Flight Night experience with your friends and others. Post on our [PTAHA Facebook](#) page...

As the program gains popularity, we will be working toward the purchase of an additional simulator. If you would like to donate toward the purchase please contact us at info@parktownshipairporthistoricalassociation.org

