



Hello, my name is Dewey Davenport, I am the Owner/Operator of Goodfolk & O'Tymes Biplane Rides (Triple D Aviation LLC). Each year I organize a Barnstorming Carnival in order to promote Aviation History and Education along with many local businesses. On Saturday, July 15 th and Sunday, July 16 th 2023 we will hold the 9 th Annual Barnstorming Carnival at the Springfield Beckley Airport.

The Barnstorming Carnival is a FREE community event that showcases some of the rarest vintage antique aircraft from the 1920s, 30s and 40s. We have improved and built upon the event each year by expanding activities for the entire family to enjoy, keeping the core focus on the history of Barnstorming. Last year's Barnstorming Carnival event attracted over 6,000 spectators. We had over forty vintage aircraft fly in to our community from neighboring states to share their love and passion for aviation. This year we anticipate surpassing all of our previous years in every aspect; from attendance, to community involvement, to the family oriented activities.

In our previous events, we ensured that there was a wide variety of FREE activities for the entire family to enjoy. These activities included, but were not limited to, the display of vintage antique aircraft, antique cars, radio control aircraft demonstrations, parachute packing, paper and power rocket building workshops for the youth, bounce houses and airplane pedal cars for the younger children, a balloon tying clown, magicians, and a radio controlled aircraft flight stimulator. In addition to all these fun activities, food and beverages from local vendors and biplane rides were available for purchase.

As always, when planning and producing an event, there is the financial aspect. I am seeking sponsorship from both businesses and individuals to assist in offsetting the costs of the 2023 Barnstorming Carnival. For the past eight years I have personally funded a large portion of the event and staffed it with volunteers. Now as the event has grown in size and quality, so has the need for a larger financial commitment. I am asking for your assistance through a financial sponsorship.

Your sponsorship will greatly assist in providing the resources and materials needed to provide a wonderful, quality event for all who attend, both young and old. Items such as the PA system, advertising, graphic design work, model rocket kits for the kid's rocket building workshops, bounce houses, magicians, clowns, lunch and t-shirts for the volunteers, are just a few of the associated costs that will be incurred in order for the event to operate successfully.

The Barnstorming Carnival is a for-profit event organized and operated by me, Dewey Davenport (Triple D Aviation LLC). Your Sponsorship of this event will assist tremendously and is a great advertising



opportunity for your business to be displayed as a supporter for such a beneficial community event. Please read and enjoy some of the articles from the past events. Reviewing the sponsorship packages will give you an opportunity to benefit both the event and your business as a whole.

Thank you for your consideration in supporting the Barnstorming Carnival.

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Owner, Operator, Organizer