

# CASCADE FLYER



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## ***President's Message:***

CHANGE OF VENUE: Black Bear Diner, 1465 Northeast 3rd Street, Bend, OR

Last month at the Black Bear Diner worked out well. We will do that again. Therefore this third Thursday of the month, March 20<sup>th</sup>, head to the BBD, at 6pm. We'll get a table off to the side and eat off the menu.

Sad that the KBDN airport, unlike almost all the other airports in our area, has no public meeting space.

The weather forecast, the Weather Underground one, foretells a Cloudy day, little chance of precipitation, for our Fly-out day.

## ***Airshow of the Cascades:***

Tickets to the Airshow of the Cascades, this August 22 and 23<sup>rd</sup>, are on sale at 20% off until the end of the month. This year's featured act will be the seven L-39s of The Patriots Jet Team. Just announced, Wingwalker Sam. Her husband will also be flying the Grumman Snowcat with LEDs as a twilight act on Friday night.

<https://cascadeairshow.com/>

## ***Erickson Aircraft Collection:***

Anyone planning on visiting the Erickson Aircraft Collection, in Madras, this Summer can forget about it. The museum has been closed to the public since November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024, and will reopen for the Airshow of the Cascades on August 22<sup>nd</sup>. The baseless speculation is that they ran out of space while refurbishing two B-17s.

## ***March Meeting:***

I'll be on the wrong coast during our May Meeting. Anyone want to step up and run that meeting?

## ***Newsletter Inputs:***

Please send comments and story ideas to: [gem@rellim.com](mailto:gem@rellim.com)

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## ***Calendar:***

22 March – Monthly Meeting

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17 April – Monthly Meeting

19 April – Monthly Fly-out

22 May – Monthly Meeting

24 May – Monthly Fly-out

31 May – Madras Airport Day