



Into The Sky Monthly Newsletter



"Opportunity is missed by most people because it is dressed in overalls and looks like work."

- Thomas Edison

Big Bear - California

September 2023 Stats

Flights: 10
Miles Flown: 2,365
Hours Flown: 17.8
Airports Visited: 15

Welcome to the 3rd Edition of the Newsletter!

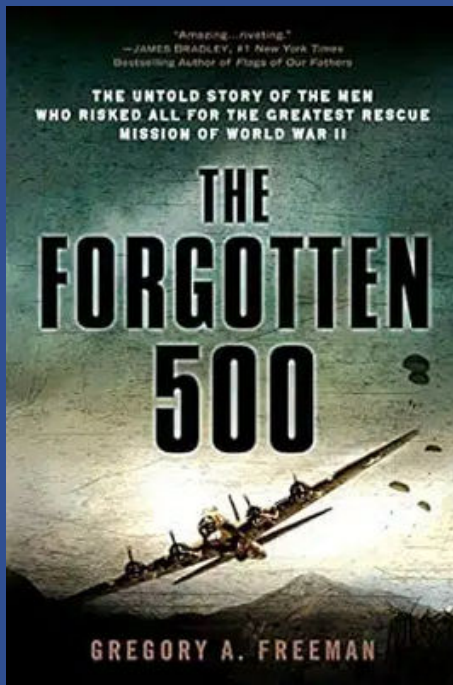
October was a busy month flying. We went to Utah for a nephew's wedding over Labor Day Weekend and had the most incredible sunrise breaking out of the clouds on the way.

We also brought back a puppy with us which has been an adventure. The weather finally cooperated and I got in an EPIC flight, hitting all the Inland Empire airports in one trip! It was twelve touch and go's along with a full stop landing back at Fullerton in just under two hours. I finished off the month with a flight review that I will get written up for the November newsletter. Look for that along with a fly-in campout next month.

Also in this month's edition is the Oshkosh round up!

Oshkosh 2023 Round Up

Oshkosh isn't something you attend; it is something you experience. Trying to explain to people outside the aviation community what EAA Airventure is, commonly referred to as Oshkosh or just Osh, presents a challenge. Even to those in the aviation community, it is hard to put into words the scope and magnitude of the experience.



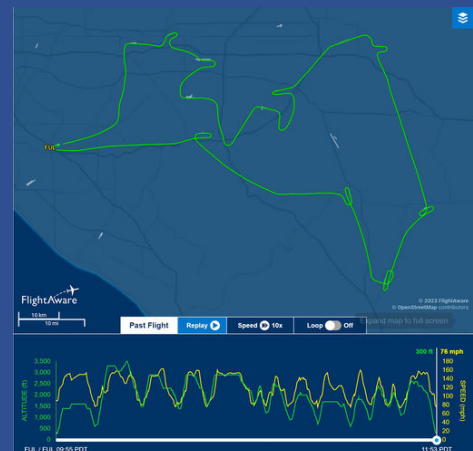
Book Review: The Forgotten 500 by Gregory A Freeman

The Forgotten 500: The Untold Story of the Men Who Risked All for the Greatest Rescue Mission of World War II is possibly one of the greatest war stories you have never heard.

This is the true story about the men behind Operation Halyard, the mission to rescue over 500 downed American airmen from behind enemy lines, right under the German's noses...

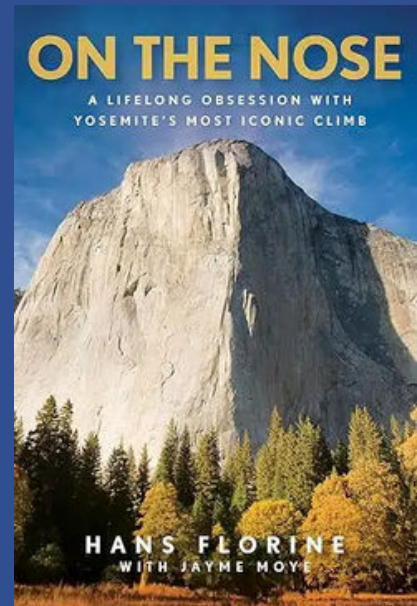
EPIC Flight: 13 Airports in Under 2 Hours

13 Airports in under two hours. 232 miles flown, 12 touch-n-go's with a full stop back at FUL. A lot of work and a ton of fun....



Book Review: On the Nose by Hans Florine

On the Nose: A Lifelong Obsession with Yosemite's Most Iconic Climb is a fun, interesting look into not only possibly the most famous climbing route in the world, The Nose, but into Hans' life and the worlds of "Trad" and sport climbing...



Incredible Sunrise at 6,100'



Flying in the clouds is no fun, you can't see anything. But sometimes when you break out on top it just takes your breath away....



Kathy's Corner



Pacific Airshow

We recently went to the Pacific Air Show, a beautiful squadron of pelicans regally flew over us unimpeded by the passing jet wash, held their course and stole the spotlight.

I found that even a seagull can outshine the finest of man's offerings compared to God's creations. Keep yourself in the awe of the beauty of flight.

