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"50 Flags to Kitty Hawk" Chooses Wyoming State Flag Bearer

EAA AVIATION CENTER, OSHKOSH, Wis. - June 20, 2003 - "50 Flags to Kitty Hawk", a national aviation celebration created by the Experimental Aircraft Association and the National Park Service to help commemorate the 100th anniversary of powered flight, today announced that Cheyenne-based pilot Timothy Hu will represent the State of Wyoming by flying its official state flag to the Wright Brothers National Memorial on September 1, 2003.

Timothy Hu is one of 50 EAA members chosen - one from each state - to participate in the "50 Flags to Kitty Hawk" program, in which flags from all of the United States are flown to Kitty Hawk, NC, prior to December 1, 2003. Upon arrival, EAA-member pilots will take part in official flag presentation ceremonies, and their State Flag will be raised and flown at the Wright Brothers National Memorial site on that respective day.

"Being chosen to participate in the '50 Flags to Kitty Hawk' and represent our state as part of this year-long program is a distinct honor", Timothy said. Timothy will make his "50 Flags" flight to Kitty Hawk in a Cherokee Six, a seven-passenger, single engine aircraft.

Timothy, who holds a Masters Degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of Wyoming has been an EAA member since 1998. He is also the Chairman of Lonetree Internet Services, a leading provider of high speed internet services to Wyoming and beyond. He is president and co-founder of The Cheyenne Flying Club. He is also a member of Angel Flight West.

The "50 Flags to Kitty Hawk" program is a part of EAA's "Countdown to Kitty Hawk" national initiative, presented by Ford Motor Company, and supported by Microsoft Flight Simulator and Eclipse Aviation. Other elements of "Countdown to Kitty Hawk" include the construction of an exact flying reproduction of the 1903 Wright flyer, and a six-stop national tour of EAA's "Countdown to Kitty Hawk" exhibit, which includes the Flyer and numerous interactive aviation displays. The tour will culminate in Kitty Hawk, NC, when as part of the Centennial of Flight Celebration, EAA's Wright flyer will fly again at 10:35 a.m. on Dec. 17, 2003 - precisely 100 years to the minute from when the Wrights made history.

For more information on EAA's "Countdown to Kitty Hawk" program, search the website at www.countdowntokittyhawk.com

During his flight, real-time progress of the trip will be available on a website which will include pictures, narrative, videos, and historical information at www.wyomingfirstflight.org. Mr. Hu can be reached at thu@lonetree.com.