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Casa Grande, a city with a sunny future, is a great place to live year-round. The city is in the heart of Arizona’s growth corridor between its major metropolitan areas, Phoenix and Tucson, yet it has an easy-going Southwestern lifestyle.

The city, with a rapidly developing economic base, is the largest in Pinal County, with a population of 16,000 and a retail trade area of 62,500 persons. Retail and service businesses are expanding quickly. The proximity of the metropolitan areas provides many additional amenities within an hour’s drive.

Casa Grande, located in the Upper Sonoran Desert of central Arizona, enjoys beautiful sunsets and sunrises. The city lies in the Casa Grande Valley, bounded by the Sacaton Mountains on the north and Picacho and Sawtooth mountains on the south, at an elevation of about 1,400 feet.

The climate allows year-round outdoor recreation, ranging from swimming, golf and tennis to hiking and picnicking. Recreation opportunities abound, with four golf courses (including a municipal course) in the area, fitness facilities, numerous tennis courts, two theatres, more than 2,000 acres of city parks, plenty of open spaces, and an ideal climate for enjoying the outdoors.

Casa Grande maintains 11 developed parks, two mountain parks and one regional park. Phase One of the regional park includes a nine-hole golf course, driving range and exercise trail available for public use. La Grande Pool, a 50-meter olympic-size facility, accommodates nearly 30,000 swimmers annually.

Outdoor living is part of the Casa Grande lifestyle. Residents enjoy barbecuing year-round. Swimming pools are found in many backyards. Outdoors is a great place to talk, relax and enjoy.

The community is also noted for its school system, including six public elementary schools, a junior high school, a high school and Catholic elementary school. Central Arizona College provides access to higher learning. The college also sponsors a slate of cultural events open to the public. Its Public Events Series offers quality entertainment at a fraction of the cost elsewhere. The 700-plus seat Don P. Pence Center for the Visual and Performing Arts houses a majority of the performances.

The City of Casa Grande welcomes the 1983 Air Race Classic.
El Paso, the largest city on the border between the United States and Mexico, is a port of entry, across the river from the Mexican city of Ciudad Juárez. Each year some 30 million border crossings are recorded.

The city's leading industry is apparel manufacturing. Smelting and refining are important. Other industries are petroleum refining, production of cement and other building materials, and food processing.

Fort Bliss, founded in 1848, now the headquarters of the Army Air Defense Center, and various military and aerospace installations contribute largely to the economy.

Thousands of acres in the area have been converted into irrigated farmland by waters from the Rio Grande impounded by the Elephant Butte and Caballo Lake reservoirs. The principal crops are cotton, alfalfa, onions, lettuce, chilies and pecans.

In 1827, Juan María Ponce de León built the first permanent settlement on El Paso's present site. Texas' war for independence and the Mexican war established the Rio Grande as the international boundary in 1846. It was not until 1849 that a real community developed on the American side of the river. In 1888, Paso del Norte was renamed in honor of Benito Juárez, defender of Mexico against the French.

The University of Texas at El Paso, a part of the University of Texas System, is in the city. The museum of Art has a Samuel A. Kress Collection of European Art and the Centennial Museum displays exhibits of natural history.

A city rich in history and culture, El Paso welcomes the Air Race Classic.
It has been aptly said that for every good thing there is a reason. Lubbock is a good thing and there are many reasons.

A modern city of 180,000 happy people, Lubbock ranks eighth among Texas' 25 metropolitan areas in population, seventh in median family income and eleventh in manufacturing employment.

The South Plains region, which Lubbock is the center, produces about 30 percent of the annual U.S. cotton crop. This agricultural area economy is based on cotton, grain sorghum (supporting feedlots with capacity to fatten out one million head of prime beef), and endless expanses of wheat.

And then there's oil. Some 20 percent of the nation's crude oil comes from the area served by Lubbock, a region with nine oil refineries and 75 gasoline plants.

However, Lubbock is much more than its material wealth. Texas Tech University, with an enrollment of 23,000 is one of the leading universities of the southwest. The Memorial Civic Center is available both for convention and local events. There is Reese Air Force Base, a center for undergraduate pilot training. The city also has reserve units for the Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and the Army National Guard.

Recreational facilities come in the name of Canyon Lakes Project; a string of five lakes, held at constant level and built in historic Yellowhouse Canyon of the Brazos River. They wind for ten miles through the city and vary in width from a couple hundred yards to a couple of miles. The Canyon Lakes Project encompasses the fabled MacKensie State Park, famous for its Prairie Dog Town, golf course, amusement park and picnic facilities.

"LUBBOCK for all REASONS" welcomes the Air Race Classic.
We invite you to come and share our city with us!

Hutchinson, the home of 42,000 hospitable Kansans, offers residents and visitors the best of both worlds: big city advantages, balanced by the agrarian tradition of a prairie town located in the "bread basket of the world."

Our city was founded in 1871, and is known as the "salt capital" because of the vast salt supplies located beneath the city. There are currently three evaporation plants and one mine in operation, producing salt to be sent nationwide. Agriculture also plays a very important role in Hutchinson's economy, with wheat being the number one crop in the area.

Accommodations for visitors are plentiful, with 775 motel rooms currently available. Entertainment and recreational opportunities abound in Hutchinson: from boating and skiing at a nearby reservoir to golf on one of our three challenging 18 hole courses; shopping in the well-appointed downtown core area, or in the outlying shopping centers; or attending the cultural events sponsored during the year by dedicated associations.

Hutchinson has two major attractions of wide appeal. Fun Valley is a 600 acre outdoor recreational complex, site of national level softball tournaments each summer. And over 200,000 people visit the Kansas Cosmosphere & Discovery Center each year, to view the finest collection of space artifacts in the Midwest.

Major events include the Kansas State Fair, held for 10 days each September; and the National Junior College Athletic Association's Mens Basketball Tournament each March.
COLUMBIA

Mid-way between the northern plains and the southern Ozarks, Columbia stands at the heart of Missouri. Long known as a center of education, Columbia finally is being recognized as an exciting travel destination, too.

Founded in 1821, Columbia has enjoyed 161 years of growth and prosperity. The insurance industry and medical services have played their role, but much of that growth has been based on three institutions of higher learning. The University of Missouri-Columbia, founded in 1839 as the first state university west of the Mississippi, is the largest, along with Columbia College and Stephens College.

Today, athletic and cultural events, many connected with Columbia's colleges, have become major travel attractions. Mizzou Tiger football, concerts by internationally-known artists, plays - all these and much more are part of the Columbia experience.

Visitors to Columbia are delighted to find a city small enough to retain its hometown friendliness, yet large enough (over 65,000 people) to offer urban attractions.

Nineteen hotels and motels provide more than 1800 guest rooms. Some of the finest restaurants between Kansas City and St. Louis offer varied dining pleasures. Lively night spots and eight theaters ensure plenty to do after the sun goes down.

There are parks - more than 1500 acres in the city - and lovingly preserved historic sites. There are art galleries and museums. And Columbia is mid-Missouri's marketplace, with a vibrant downtown area and large suburban shopping centers.

Columbia welcomes the Air Race Classic to experience our hospitality first hand.
Louisville is located on the southern bank of the Ohio River in a broad river valley surrounded by a plateau and the knobs. The Metropolitan area population is near one million.

Louisville is perhaps best known for the Kentucky Derby, and yet Louisville is both a major mid-western industrial city (number one in the southeast and 20th in the U.S. in “Value added by manufacturer”) and headquarters for numerous nationally known companies.

The Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center is one of the largest multi-purpose exposition buildings in the United States with thirty acres under one roof and paved parking for twelve thousand cars. It is used for trade shows, conventions and a variety of sports events.

Eleven Airlines serve Louisville’s Standiford Field which is located ten to twelve minutes from downtown. Bowman Field, Louisville’s home for the airlines through 1947 was first used as a landing strip in 1918. The airfield remains one of the busiest in the region with almost two hundred thousand annual landings and take-offs. Bowman Field operated by the Regional Airport Authority of Louisville and Jefferson County remains a unique mixture of the historical and the modern - and a vital element in the regions economic well being.

WELCOME AIR RACE CLASSIC TO THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE AND BOWMAN FIELD

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Grand Rapids, Michigan, moves into the final two decades of the twentieth century with a handsome new architectural face, an expanded economic base, a growing and sophisticated population, and a keen awareness of its ecological advantages.

Since its founding in 1826, Grand Rapids has stood as a bulwark of mid-America... growing, prosperous, conservative, yet forward-looking, economically stable, and proud of its informal slogan, “A good place to live.”

The 1980s are seeing this western Michigan city and its metropolitan area emerge into something even more — an internationally recognized center for business and industry, providing leaders for commerce and the professions throughout the nation and the world, offering new and excellent facilities for the arts, sciences, and education, and standing at the gateway to those rich and expanding recreational facilities of northern Michigan that contribute so grandly to the good life.

In greater Grand Rapids, Michigan’s second-largest metropolitan area, fact after fact and statistic after statistic present a healthy picture of continued growth, diversification, and a potential without limit, as the city brings together the three basics of economics — people, machinery, and materials.

We like it here, and we think you will too. Come and see... stay a while, maybe for the rest of your life.
1983 Air Race Classic Participants

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Grand Rapids, Michigan

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FOOTNOTES:
1. Fuel quantity may be doubtful.
2. Long range tanks do not raise handicaps.
3. Removal of Wheel fairings does not lower handicaps.
4. New type Piper fairings - increases handicaps 6 MPH.
5. Constant speed propeller.

DESIGNATED AIRPORTS ON THE ROUTE

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Better luck this year Anna Kate and Merry!

This team has flown three Classics for sure - almost made the fourth in '82...so winning is the uppermost thoughts. Anna Kate holds a Commercial with Instrument and 1350 hours. She and husband, Hayne, who is in insurance and also a pilot, have three children.

Merry is a part-time paralegal and court reporter...pilot/attorney husband and Merry are parents of four. Her log book says 780 hours with Instrument and Basic Ground Instructor...sure that the Foothills Chapter 99s value these outstanding members.

Thanks — Anna Kate and Merry for all your work on Air Race Classic!

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CLASSIC 1
Cessna 172M 150 hp

Sponsored by:
Hayne Hipp (Insurance)
Bill Robertson (Attorney)

Flying her third Classic, Sue is the granddaughter of the manufacturer of the famous Maule Aircraft. She has acquired 710 hours — Commercial with single land/sea and Basic Ground Instructor. A student at Valdosta State College, a member of Deep South Chapter 99s — Sue has proven to be a real race competitor.

Teaming with Sue for a second time, Gary is a member of the Foothills Chapter 99s and past secretary to the Flying Nurses Association. With her single land/sea and Instrument, she has acquired 650 hours. A night charge nurse in Greenville Memorial Hospital — Gary is an outstanding "Mighty Mite" in both her profession and flying.

CLASSIC 2
Maule M5 235 hp

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Entering her fifth Classic, Dodie has logged 1200 hours with Commercial, single/multi land and Instrument. Husband, Ernest, is a rancher, author and pilot. A member of the Greater Seattle Chapter 99s, Dodie enjoys tennis, golf and air racing for companionship and competition.

Serving as president of Whirly Girl, Ilovene is a member of the Greater Seattle Chapter 99s. Her fourth classic, she has 5000 hours with Airline Transport, single/multi land, single sea, Flight Instructor, Airplane/Instrument/Helicopter and Ground Instructor Advanced/Instrument. Her hobbies, besides flying, are golf and seven grandchildren, (sometimes known as the sunshine of life).

Since the age of 18, Gini has been a professional pilot having served as flight instructor, ferry charter, spray and airline (non-scheduled) pilot. She has logged 24,000 plus hours and has Airline Transport, single/multi land, single sea, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument/Glider, Commercial Helicopter, FAA Examiner, and three Ground Instructor ratings. She has a law degree (Juris Doctorate) and co-owner/operator with husband, Ralph of Richardson Aviation and Airway, Inc. Their daughter, Jill, is a pilot for Alaska Airlines flying 2nd officer on Boeing 727 aircraft. Gini’s hobby of breeding and showing thoroughbred horses for hunting and jumping is shared with her family. This is the third Classic for Gini — member Intermountain 99s.

The gal with the pretty smile, Marian, is a member of the San Diego Chapter 99s, owner of Roller Skateland, mother of two (one son is a pilot) and grandmother of four. She has 3000 plus hours with Airline Transport, single/multi land, Flight Instructor/Instrument and Basic Ground Instructor. Marian was president of AWTARs for three years and this is the fifth Classic for Marian.

Sincere thanks to Ninety Nine Chapters:

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Margaret has logged 29,999 plus hours with Commercial, single/multi land, Flight Instructor, Airplane/Instrument. A member of Indiana Chapter 99s, WASP, Silver Wings, Indiana Aviation Association, Summit Aero Club, Fort Wayne Aviation Association — she is married to Morris, Banker/Realtor. They have two children, daughter Marsha also pilot, and four grandchildren. Margaret has batted 100% for our Classic.

Patricia, the only pilot in family, is married to Robert, a writer and they have one child. She is a theatrical director, member of Arkansas Chapter 99s, Razorbacks Pilots Club and breeds Salukis and Yorkshire Terriers. With over 1200 hours in her log book, Patricia has Commercial, single/multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument. '83 Classic makes four for Patricia.

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Tookie is a charter member of the Inland California Chapter 99s, having held all offices and currently serving as treasurer. With her Commercial and Instrument, 950 hours — is actively involved doing flying presentations at the schools and also Riverside Airport Booster. An avid tennis player, air racing is still her first love because of the new and adventurous opportunities it brings to her. Tookie's personal cheerleading group is lead by husband, Don, also pilot, and supported by their two children and four grandchildren.

Air racing is tops in Janice's list of interests with snow skiing a close second. Having logged 220 hours, she is currently serving as co-chairman of the Inland California Chapter 99s. She is a realtor for the Town Square Realtors in Redlands, CA. and has two children.

... this team has flown two prior Classics!
Elizabeth is a Flight Instructor at Claire Walters Flight Academy and a secretary for Santa Monica Propeller Service. She has Airline Transport, single/multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument, Basic Ground Instructor with 3300 hours and two Classics—a member of the San Fernando Valley Chapter 99s, a recipient of Amelia Earhart scholarship and Woman Pilot of the year award. Her husband, Don, is with General Motors.

Look out Hutchinson — here comes Melinda. A former resident of this city, Melinda hopes all her relatives will be on hand to see her “fly by”! She has logged 325 hours, a member of the San Fernando Valley Chapter 99s, she is self-employed — flying her third Classic. Pilot husband, John, is great encouragement to Melinda’s flying career.

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Pam is a most popular lady in this Fallbrook vicinity. She is owner of Fallbrook Real Estate. She serves on the Aviation Commission of Chamber of Commerce, Board of Directors of Fallbrook Community Airport, member of National Real Estate Fliers and Bush Pilots Internations. Pam with 2879 hours has a Commercial with Instrument and pilot husband and rancher, Victor, have three children, nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. From the beginning our race has enjoyed Pam’s participation and contribution.

. . . Don’t know which of her accomplishments comes first, but here it goes! Kay is past president of International 99s, was chairman for thirteen years of the Powder Puff Derby, recipient FAI Paul Tissandier diploma, inducted into Aviation/Teterboro Hall of Fame of New Jersey, past International secretary of P-47 Pilots Association, winner of Noble Air Derby, listed in “Worlds Who’s Who of Women” and “Notable Americans of the Bicentennial Era”.

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Pauline has flown all Classics — a member of Airport Advisory Board, Humane Society and Tip of Texas Chapter 99s. In her 34,000 hours she has acquired Commercial, single land/sea, multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument, private Glider and Advanced/Instrument Ground Instructor. Husband, Claude, is retired from Aerial Photography and Pipeline Patrolling. His dream of sleeping late every morning has come true.

... say not a word against this program midst ear-shot of this team. Donna and husband, Jerry, also a pilot, own/operate Golden Banner Press which publishes the Air Race Classic program. They are parents of a daughter and son. Donna likes to travel and deserves the annual jaunt as soon as the programs are shipped. We appreciate you, Donna, and your marvelous crew at Golden Banner.

Diane is a first officer of Alleghany Commuter Reserve and has 2600 plus hours with Commercial, single/multi land and Instrument. President of Cape Executive Aviation and a member of the Golden State Chapter 99s, she has two children and is a proud new grandmother. This will make Diane's fifth Classic.

A member of the Tennessee Chapter 99s, Genie Rae is president and chief Flight Instructor of Volunteer Aviation of Knoxville, Inc. A Flight/Ground Instructor for the University of Tennessee, she has over 6000 hours with Commercial, single/multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument and the three Ground Instructor ratings — Coming up is Genie's sixth Classic. She has applied some of this knowledge to paper and is co-author with William Kershner of the "Student Pilot Study Guide." Her husband is a chemist/pilot and they have two children and two grandchildren.
1983 Classic will make the seventh for Esther with husband, Carl, five children and six grandchildren — adding the five children, twelve grandchildren and four great-grandchildren of Juanita — what a cheering section! Esther is an Innkeeper, Holiday Inn, holds a Commercial, Instrument and Flight Instructor/Airplane with 4000 plus hours.

Welcome Juanita, to another Classic. With single/multi land and Instrument, Juanita has 2500 plus hours in her log — some of this with pilot husband, Foy, as back seat driver.

With Juanita from Alabama Chapter 99s and Esther the Deep South Chapter 99s . . . think an interpreter is in order up there in the North!

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CLASSIC 13  
Piper PA-28-140  150 hp

Ellie is an executive secretary to the city manager, Vero Beach, Florida Gulf Stream Chapter 99 member. She has 2700 plus hours with Commercial, Instrument, Private Glider and flying her second Classic. Louis, her husband, is a development engineer for Piper Aircraft Corporation and also a pilot. Ellie (smiling blonde) says racing makes her a better pilot and Schatzy (smiling Piper) more efficient.

A former U.S. Navy Nurse, Martie is employed by Arizona State University as a teacher - ground school courses. A member of Phoenix Chapter 99s — flying her fourth Classic — 3550 hours — Commercial, single/multi land, single sea, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument/Glider, Ground Instructor Advanced/Instrument, Martie feels racing improves her proficiency. Other interests and hobbies include reading and sports.

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CLASSIC 14  
Cessna 172RG  180 hp

This team hails from Santa Rosa Chapter 99s — start of our first Air Race Classic in 1977.

Peggy is employed by Vindor Aviation as secretary/bookkeeper and computer operator. Some ferry trips has helped to build 593 hours with Instrument. Her pilot husband, Roger, is a retired chemical engineer and they are parents of three children and one grandchild.

Elaine's Kitchen, a small catering business is owned/operated by Elaine. She is a former school teacher and her log book shows 196 hours. Husband, Peter, attorney/pilot, are parents of four children. We welcome this team to our race. Elaine — dare not print why you like to race!

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CLASSIC 15
Cessna 172K (XP) 195 hp

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A corporation pilot for her sponsor, Pat has 2000 plus hours with Commercial, single/multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument. Her pilot husband, Willard, is a Developer-Investor and they have three children, three grandchildren.

A self employed Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist, Janet has acquired 315 hours with Commercial and Instrument. Her pilot husband, Donald, is a Podiatrist. A member of the International Flying Nurses Association, Stearman Restorers Association, Antique Airplane Association — Janet races for fun and flying.

This team hails from Kansas Chapter 99s. A warm welcome to your second Classic!

CLASSIC 16
Piper PA 28-180 180 hp

A Classic first for June and Nancy — Welcome to the race!

June is employed as Benefits Manager — Health Care Benefits - Group Insurance — Relocation, etc. by General Dynamics Land Systems Division (Manufactures the M-1 Main Battle Tank for government). Husband, Robert, is Vice President in manufacturing. June's 750 hours says Commercial, single land/sea, Flight Instructor Airplane, Instrument rating and her three Ground Instructor ratings qualifies her to teach Ground School Adult Education Course.

Nancy is a legal secretary with Smith, Hirsch, Brody and Weingarden. Her husband, Ronald, is an engineer - tool designer with Chrysler Corporation and a pilot. They have three children. Nancy has added an Instrument rating to her 400 hours.

This team’s part in the Michigan 99s is Treasurer and Ways and Means.

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Sharon was chairman for two years of the Long Beach Chapter 99s and is flying her second Classic. ... with Commercial and Instrument, 540 hours. Her husband, Don, is a pilot, Aeronautical engineer and author publisher of the performance and design book titled "A Practical Guide to Aircraft Performance and Design." They have two children. Sharon is in her 13th year as a high school teacher and finds racing a way of keeping the skills sharp, meeting people — and besides "it feels so good when you have finished the race."

Marie has been flying for 21 years while raising four children and two foster children. She holds a Commercial with 700 hours. Her source of encouragement is her husband, Rick, a captain for United Airlines. Their 22 year old twins are also pilots. This is Marie's first Air Race Classic. She belongs to the Long Beach Chapter 99s, El Toro Flying Club, Cessna Skyhawk Association and the San Diego Aero-Space Museum Association. Marie works part time as assistant for the instrumental music director at Mission Viejo High School.

A director of flight operation and chief Flight Instructor for Bluffton Flying Service, Inc. Dottie has acquired 29,500 hours with Commercial, FAA Examiner, single/ multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument and Advanced Ground instructor. A member of the All-Ohio Chapter 99s, she is an Amateur Radio Enthusiast (W80VV), built her own airplane (Pitts Special), loves air racing and will be flying her fourth Classic.

Presently the International 99s Safety Chairman, Marilynn held all chapter offices in All-Ohio 99s and helped form Scioto Valley Chapter. Flying her fourth Classic with Dottie, Marilynn has 900 hours with Commercial, single/multi land, single/multi sea, Instrument and Glider. She is employed as Equipment Specialist with the Department of Defense for the U.S. Government. Pilot husband, Robert, and Marilynn have two children.

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CLASSIC 19
Cessna 172XP 195 hp

A retired college professor, Betty has 670 hours with Instrument. She is flying her third Classic — member of Deep South 99s — a cheering section of three children (one son a pilot) and two grandchildren — Betty is a travel counselor for the Ruth Marvin Travel Service.

We salute Carolyn, who is eligible for the US Proficiency Flight Team National Championship — was on the team ’79 and ’81 — on to Skien, Norway in ’83 — Carolyn has acquired 14,000 hours, includes all Classics — Airline Transport, single land/sea, multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument, Commercial Helicopter and Glider, all Ground Instructor ratings — and if you need help on the way — Carolyn can exercise her Airframe and Power Plant Mechanic License — Foothills Chapter 99s claim Carolyn.

CLASSIC 20
Beechcraft Bonanza F33A 285 hp

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Entering her third Classic, Marie holds Commercial, single/multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane, Instrument rating, Glider and Basic Ground Instructor and has acquired 2380 hours. Twice recipient of the Amelia Earhart Medal, she was named Woman Pilot of the Year, 1976, in SW Section 99s. Marie holds 16 World and 16 National Aviation records and is a member of Las Vegas Chapter 99s and National Aeronautic Association. Vice president of Presidential Casino, she is married to a dentist/pilot, James, and they have four children and two grandchildren.

Welcome to Air Race Classic, Gloria. With her Instrument and 800 hours, she is secretary/treasurer to May Farm, Inc. Gloria is a member of the Fresno Chapter 99s and in the softball Hall of Fame for Women in both Oklahoma City and Fresno County. Vernon, a farmer/pilot and Gloria have one child.

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CLASSIC 21
Cessna 172N  160 hp

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— Come on, Betty, be honest with us — wasn’t that a lonely and apprehensive flight from San Francisco to Sidney, Australia in an Aztec ... Betty with Airline Transport — 12,000 hours, single/multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument, FAA Examiner and the Ground Instructor ratings ... all this to operate her FBO business, AVCAL, on Compton Airport. Ouch! What a team and they hail from Long Beach Chapter 99s — Welcome aboard!

CLASSIC 22
Piper 28-180  180 hp

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In 57 years of flying — license 4013 — 30,230 hours — Edna has acquired Commercial single/multi land, single sea, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument, Rotorcraft, Helicopter, Glider and the three Ground Instructor — also, a past president of International 99s. She is now a member of Ft. Worth Chapter. Edna built, owns and operates the Aero Valley Airport and is still Chief Pilot. The many air races flown includes three Classics. This year her co-pilot is a former student.

Dayna, you fortunate gal, being co-pilot with such an experienced person, we welcome you to our race! Dayna is a member of Ft. Worth 99s — has acquired 74 hours and a part-time juvenile delinquent counselor. Husband pilot, Blake, Petroleum Land Manager — Oil & Gas Broker — have a two-year old child ... leaves no time for racquetball tournaments.
Norma with 2625 hours has Commercial, single land/sea, multi land, Instrument, Glider, and Basic Ground Instructor. Married to a retired supermarket operator, Charles, they have two children (one son a pilot) and no grandchildren (at least that they know of!) Norma has flown all Classics and is a member of Los Angeles Chapter 99s. Many hobbies and interests — golf, tennis, photography, cooking, piano and latest fascination is — computer. In past has given many reasons for flying Classic. This year she made an additional one — “a dogged determination to win Air Race Classic someday and with my luck they will have run out of those crystal trophies when it gets to be my turn”! Norma — but if all your Kentucky relatives gather — you might not finish in time!

Aileen has flown four Classics — Commercial, single land/sea, 1978 hours, a member of Los Angeles Chapter 99s (past chapter chairman) she has been a realtor in California for 20 years. Won her golf club’s “Most Improved Golfer of 1982” award and was given an award by Golf Digest Magazine. However, says flying is still her number one hobby and loves to race because of the camaraderie among the people involved.

A great fun team!

Welcome to Air Race Classic, Nena Jo, member of Palomar Chapter 99s — with 446 hours, Commercial, Instrument and has made her initial skydive. A former American Airlines stewardess, former fashion model in USA and Europe, Nena Jo is currently a real estate broker and owner of Hewette Realty. Married to a structural engineer, James, they are attending law school. They are parents of three children and their spare time is devoted to daughter’s horse shows and son’s sports events.

Mary is owner of Executive Aviation Services with husband, Brad, a flight instructor and official starter for Air Race Classic. She has 13,000 hours with Commercial, single land/sea, multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument, Basic Ground Instructor and FAA Examiner. Flying her third Classic, Mary is a charter member of the Palomar Chapter 99s and Tucson Chapter 99s — With all the hours spent in air — racing to Mary is like a “Busman’s Holiday”!
Alma — 16,500 hours — Commercial, single/multi land and Instrument is flying her sixth Classic. An ex WASP, she operated airport after World War II for twenty-five years. Retirement from business has afforded more time for interest in travel, three children and nine grandchildren.

Joyce has made all the Classics — with 1700 hours — Commercial and Instrument. Currently the SW Section 99s Vice Governor and a member of Bay Cities Chapter, she is employed by the Reed Union School District as a school nurse. Hobbies include gardening, square dancing, sewing and aviation — active in the community, she serves on the Board of Directors Marin Dental Care Foundation, Marin School Nurses Organization, Marin Symphony and is a member of her church choir. Husband Hal, pilot and manufacturers representative, and Joyce have four children and two grandsons. Racing to sharpen skills in piloting — meet new people — sportsmanship and comaraderie involved — also feels this is a perfect occasion to share the “equal opportunity” of household executive with husband in her absence.

CLASSIC 25
Cessna R-182  235 hp

CLASSIC 26
Piper PA-260B  260 hp

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... Multi engine land was added to the Commercial and Instrument since our last Classic — Velda’s hours totaling 3000 includes corporate pilot for Mapelli Meat Company, co-owned with pilot husband, Gene — both children are pilots — granddaughter future pilot? An opportunity to improve aeronautical skills, evaluate weather, learn personal and aircraft limitations and capabilities — this was proven in Velda’s five Classics. Velda’s 99s Chapter is of course, Las Vegas Valley.

Stephanie’s life has changed from being in graduate school at the University of Montana to Vice President - Manager of Mapelli Meat Company in Palm Springs. Pilot husband, David Silverman, is a Sales Manager — Who’s boss? Two Classics have helped to make up her 500 hours. Continue racing the Classic, Stephanie, we hope to provide new and interesting routes each year.

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CLASSIC 27
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... now we don't want you, Lynne Kay and Jayne Ann clearing yourselves to land. Lynne Kay is an Air Traffic Controller at the Monterey Peninsula Airport. A former Flight Instructor, she has acquired 650 hours, Commercial and Instrument and races for the thrill of competition, an avid snow skier, knitter and animal lover.

Friends at work and friends in flight, Jayne Ann, too, works as an Air Traffic Controller at Monterey Peninsula Airport and her log says 250 hours. A ranked tennis player for six years, she enjoys macrame', language and math, (her major in college and did tutoring).

Needless to say their boss is the FAA. Air Race Classic welcomes this unique team...

CLASSIC 28
Cessna 210J 285 hp

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Sammy is a part of our race — having made all six so we can't say Sammy is just a housewife as much time is spent in racing and well done... more than 3000 hours and Commercial. Sammy and dear "ole" dad, George, have one son and two grandchildren — hopefully future pilots. Michigan and Michigan 99s can be proud of their women pilots and this gal can be counted at the top of the list. Did you attend the school reunion in '82, Sammy?

Pauline was, prior to marriage, a full-time Flight Instructor, Charter Pilot and Office Manager at Michigan Flying Service, South Haven — so hopes to see again many familiar faces at Grand Rapids. A member of North Georgia 99s she has 3635 hours — Commercial, single land/sea, Flight Instructor Airplane and Instrument rating — Captain Peter Mallary, Eastern Airlines & Pauline have one child. This makes her fifth Classic.

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CLASSIC 29  
Grumman American AA5B  180 hp

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Welcome “Mare” & Kay to your first Air Race Classic!

“Mare,” employed by the State of Michigan as an Aviation Specialist for the Bureau of Aeronautics, Michigan Department of Transportation; Editor, Safety & Education Coordinator, is married to a dentist and three of their four children are pilots. With Airline Transport, single/multi land, single sea, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument and all three Ground Instructor ratings “Mare” has accumulated 8050 hours. A member of Lake Michigan Chapter 99s, she enjoys teaching (one student at a time) if they express the desire to be safe pilots. Enjoys skiing with family and a world wide traveler, lectured on General Aviation in China in 1982 and is currently serving as president of the Michigan Aviation Association.

Kay with Commercial, single land/sea, Instrument, Glider — 2010 hours — member of Michigan Chapter 99s. She is interested in volunteer work, smoking, flying, church and presently works as Commissioner for the Michigan Aeronautics Commission. Her husband, Ray, is a medical doctor and they have 10 children (8 children in professions). Kay likes to take care of their nine grandchildren. She is running out of stories to tell them, so wants to fly Classic to “get more material.”

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CLASSIC 30  
Beechcraft Bonanza V-35B  285 hp

Phyllis has 1200 hours — Commercial, single/multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane and Instrument rating — flying her fifth race. She is a member of Greater Seattle Chapter 99s, Manager of Flightcraft Aero Center, and enjoys tennis. Her husband, Charles, is a retired P.A.A. pilot and two of their four children are pilots. (Your kind words about our program — was our incentive to try again — thank you — Asst. Ed.)

With single/multi land, single sea and Instrument, 300 hours, Bonnie will be flying her second Classic. Her husband, Orin, is a pilot and works for Bayliner Marine Corporation. Bonnie, a member of Greater Seattle Chapter 99s, is a curriculum consultant for local school districts — her hobbies include horses and golf.

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Flying west to east was your course this year,  
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Pushing full throttle as you left Sunriver,  
your bird lifted off the runway without a quiver.  
Tuning your radios as your charts fell from your lap,  
you wished you had three arms, as you slid your seat back.  
Clearing the rugged Rocky Mountain peaks was a real sight,  
you start to relax as you continue your flight.  
As you turn southeast in the distance is Yellowstone,  
wouldn’t it be great to win this race and surprise the folks back home?  
On to Nebraska the land begins to flatten out,  
as you cross the Missouri, you let out a happy shout.  
Its time to check that mixture as you lean it out,  
make your plane perform at its best, that’s what this race is all about.  
Back to the charts and radios as the hills begin to rise,  
please, Mr. Weatherman, open up those beautiful blue skies.  
Nestled in the mountains you spot Knoxville, your destination and World’s Fair,  
it’s time to run thru your check list and straighten your hair.  
Tonight its my pleasure to again join you at your Awards dinner,  
when I present the Perpetual Trophy and we honor the WINNER . . .

By Dale K. Craig  
June 27, 1982
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Wichita, KS

MARY ANN NOAH HAMILTON
Shawnee Mission, KS

CLASSIC 31
Cessna 172P 160 hp

Sunny and Suzy — Welcome to your first Air Race Classic!

Sunny — 5200 hours — Commercial, single land/sea, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument, and Basic Ground Instructor — member of Long Beach Chapter 99s. She is one of first women to work for FAA/CAA in Air Traffic Control and Communication and has been very active and awarded in various community service activities as well as starting a local Girl Scout troop for aviation badge. She was recipient in 1972 of the Ame lia Earhart Memorial Scholarship. Sunny is employed by Southwest Skyways as flight instructor. Sunny and her husband, Charles, Aviation Counselor/FAA Designated Pilot Examiner, have four sons (one a pilot) and two grandchildren.

Suzy, a member of Long Beach Chapter 99s, is the Alumnae and Development Director of Marlborough School in Los Angeles and has two children. With her 275 hours and a former Cotton Bowl Princess, community volunteer, teacher, MBA student at Pepperdine University, she finds the stimulation of air racing to be a periodic necessity!

Sunny — Suzy — a sizzling team!

CLASSIC 32
PA 24-260C 260 hp

Mary Ann with five Classics behind her is introducing Mary to our race — this team dates far back racing together — they know how!

Mary Ann with Commercial, single/multi land, Instrument, Private Helicopter and Hot Air Balloon has acquired 5900 hours. She has four grandchildren and one of her three children is a pilot. Husband, Gordon, Jr., is a stockbroker. "Flying obviously my hobby — racing cuz I don't know when to quit — wonderful seeing old friends and making new ones." Happiness — making '82 finish line prior to deadline . . . Misery — flying timing line incorrectly — bit of poor visibility plus a bit of cockiness - eh?

For eight years Mary flew the Pitts Special in Competition Aerobatics and Air Shows — the sweet air of success when winning the National Championship . . . presently an FAA Examiner and Flight Instructor with 4900 hours — Airline Transport, single/multi land, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument, Commercial Glider and the three Ground Instructors. Mary has three children and two grandchildren. So with Mary Ann's four grandchildren and three children (one a pilot) they have us all beat for a cheering squad.

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O.W.T. (Thelma) is employed by San Juan school system. She has flown 4 Classics, a total of 550 hours and a good navigator. Pilot husband, Neil, is a computer programmer.

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Presently chairman of Lake Michigan Chapter 99s, Joan has 2500 hours with Commercial, single land/sea, Flight Instructor Airplane/Instrument and Basic Ground Instructor. She is a Flight Instructor for Grand Rapids School of the Bible and Music. Her husband, Clair, is director of Missionary Aviation and they have six children (two sons and two sons-in-law are pilots) and ten grandchildren... does this make up a private mission?

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