

BIRTHPLACE OF AVIATION

FOCUS ON THE FASCINATING WORLD OF AVIATION, INCLUDING ALL 4 SITES OF THE DAYTON AVIATION HERITAGE NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK

TWO DAY TOUR

Please contact all attractions prior to tour.

DAY 1

9:30 – 10:30

Carillon Historical Park

937-293-2841

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- ✈ See the Wright Flyer III, one of two existing planes built and flown by the Wright Brothers.
- ✈ Other exhibits include a 1930's print shop, steam locomotives, Dayton's oldest building and much more.
- ✈ Guides interpret the historical exhibits and help celebrate and preserve the Miami Valley's rich history.

✈ *Days of operation vary based on season. Closed Mondays. Call for appointment.*

10:45 – 11:15

Woodland Cemetery & Arboretum

937-228-3221

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- ✈ See the final resting place of Orville and Wilbur Wright and Paul Laurence Dunbar.
- ✈ *Call for guided walking tour appointment.*

11:30 – 1:00

The Engineers Club of Dayton

937-228-2148

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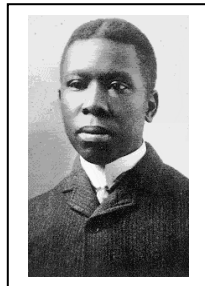
- ✈ Enjoy lunch at this private club where Orville Wright was a founding member. The original Wright engine number three and a turbo jet engine are on display here.
- ✈ *Call for menu options and reservation.*

1:15 – 2:30

Paul Laurence Dunbar State Memorial

937-224-7061

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- ✈ Dunbar was the first African-American to gain acceptance in literary circles in the United States.
- ✈ A National Historic Landmark, the house is virtually unchanged from the time of the writer's death in 1906.
- ✈ Artifacts in the house include a bicycle given to Dunbar by the Wrights, books, furniture and clothing.
- ✈ *Days of operation vary. Call for appointment.*

2:45 – 3:30

Wright Cycle Company Complex

937-225-7705

Free

- ✈ A National Historic Landmark, this structure also represents the site where Orville and Wilbur Wright first became actively interested in the idea of flying.
- ✈ A National Park Service ranger will give an inspiring presentation.

3:45 – 5:15

Free Time/Hotel Check In

800-221-8235

5:30

LaComedia Dinner Theatre

800-677-9505

\$

- ✈ Buffet dining and live professional theatre combine to make this an unforgettable evening of quality entertainment.
- ✈ Buffet offerings include salad, chef-carved meats, a variety of veggies, breads and pastas, and dessert. Signature dish is a delicious Sweet Potato Soufflé.
- ✈ **Closed Mondays and Tuesdays. Call for ticket availability.**

DAY 2

9:00 – 10:15

Huffman Prairie Flying Field

937-257-5535 ext. 254

Free



- ✈ See the open field where the Wright brothers perfected the airplane and created the world's first airport.
- ✈ Today you can see a replica of the 1905 hangar constructed on the site by the Wright brothers, and take a self-guided tour.
- ✈ **Wear comfortable shoes. Call for appointment.**

10:30 – 11:45

The Wright Brothers Collection

937-775-2092

Free

- ✈ The Wright Brothers Collection housed at Wright State University, contains nearly 6,000 personal, family, and technical papers, journals, diaries, books, and photographs.
- ✈ **Call for appointment.**

12:00 – 1:00

National Aviation Hall of Fame

937-256-0944 ext. 17

Free

- ✈ Chartered by the U.S. Congress to honor America's air and space pioneers.
- ✈ The Hall of Fame is located within the USAF Museum.
- ✈ **Call for guided tour appointment.**

1:00 – 5:00

United States Air Force Museum

937-258-1225

Free



- ✈ Ohio's #1 free attraction is also the oldest and largest military aviation museum in the world.
- ✈ Exhibits include over 300 aircraft, missiles, and aeronautical displays.
- ✈ Presidential Aircraft Hangar includes the Air Force One used by Presidents Kennedy through Clinton.
- ✈ Have lunch in the cafeteria, shop in the gift shop, or experience a movie at the IMAX Theatre.
- ✈ **Admission fee for IMAX and Morphis Movie Ride. Call for appointment.**

5:15

Elinor's Amber Rose

937-228-2511

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- ✈ Enjoy the finest in eastern European cuisine including schnitzel, chicken paprika, goulash, and cabbage rolls. Be sure to save room for some homemade strudel!
- ✈ Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, Amber Rose offers excellent dining in a private room.
- ✈ **Call for menu options and reservation.**

THREE-DAY TOUR AVAILABLE



This tour offers many great photo opportunities.

To book this tour or for a free customized itinerary call (937) 226-8211