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#### SEPTEMBER EVENTS

Art Contest | 9/1 - 9/30

IAM Board Meeting | 9/7 @ 6:30

EAA 461 Young Eagles | 9/10 @ 9 - 12

Cornhole Tournament | 9/18 @ 10 - 5

Education Seminar - Aircraft Oil

Change Demonstration | 9/21 @ 7 - 9

Visit our **calendar** for more info.











## AUGUST RECAP

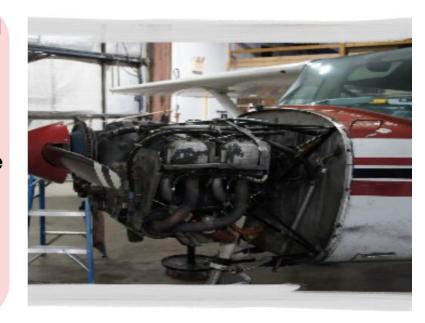


#### **Festivals Galore!**

IAM was seen around
Bolingbrook this month,
making appearances at the
Taste of Bolingbrook and
the Taste of Pakistan. Of
course, we brought Ground
Bound to give rides to kids!
Check out our <u>Tik Tok</u> to
see our board of directors'
first dance!

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The educational seminar held at IAM on August 17 about owner-operator maintenance went so well that our September 21 meeting will be an extension. Join IAM at the JWA Maintenance hangar to see a live demonstration of changing your airplane's oil.



### 1 DAY S.T.E.M. CAMP

On Saturday, August 27, the Illinois Aviation Museum, JW Aviation, Future Aviators Association, and CLOW Airport sponsored a 1 Day S.T.E.M. camp for kids. This camp was a huge success! Campers received a flight lesson, a tour of CLOW airport, played trivia games, built model airplanes, participated in an airport scavenger hunt, and so much more!

"Thank you to everyone who came and helped; the camp was a great success! There will be more camps to come, so stay tuned." - Emily Vineyard President of Future Aviators Association



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### VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT

#### EMMAH MABENA

How long have you been a part of IAM?



Since March 2022. I have always been into aviation, but I became involved with the museum by accident. One day, my son and I stopped by, and Dan was working on the Fokker DR-1. I was excited because it is one of my favorite planes. So I asked if I could be a part of the construction, and he said of course. So I helped with the fabric and painting during the construction of the Fokker. This was not something I ever thought I would do, but I loved every part of it.

Why do you like volunteering at IAM?

I love how open they are to the community. Anyone can come in, and all the volunteers are willing to share and talk to people about aviation. They also have passion and the excitement to spark the love of aviation in kids.

Do you have any favorite memories at the museum?

Yes, my son was helping me volunteer one day. He was working on covering the Fokker with fabric and screwing in parts. As I watched him, I noticed how excited he was to be involved.

What is your favorite aircraft, and why?

The Fokker DR-1! Aerodynamically it doesn't make any sense, but the fact that it is so easy to maneuver is mindblowing.



Stay tuned...more information about IAM's art contest will be released on September 1!

Follow us on social media to learn more!

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# CLOW INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT 130 CLOW INTERNATIONAL PARKWAY C, BOLINGBROOK, IL

SUNDAY, SEPT. 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2022 10:00<sub>AM</sub> - 5:00<sub>PM</sub>

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