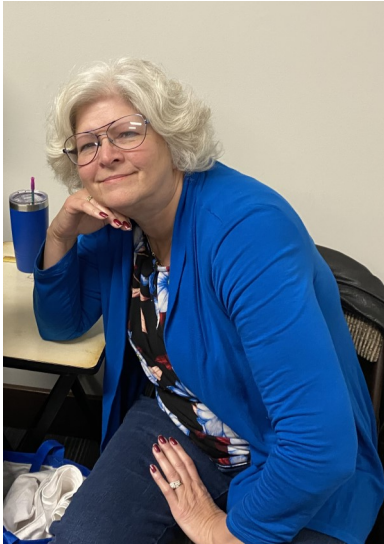


**FEBRUARY 2025**

**HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!**

**INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF WOMEN PILOTS**

# **ALL-OHIO 99 NEWS**



## **THE AOPA GREAT LAKES REGIONAL BEST INSTRUCTOR IS PEG BALLOU!**

**Congratulations to CFII Peg Ballou of  
Ballou Skies Aviation**

**For receiving the top award in her region  
for 2025!**



**Top L: Peg Ballou was awarded the AOPA 2025 Best Regional Instructor Award. R: Peg's latest successful student, Adam, who earned his CFII on January 28. Another great job, Peg! The January meeting at Ruby Tuesdays in Mount Vernon was on a cold day. No one flew in but there was a good turn out anyway. Top L: Kathy wore her Oshkosh sweatshirt and shared memories of her many trips there with Debra. Middle: Gabriella and EV shared experiences they had during their solos and cross countries. Right: Leota (L) is spending the winter here in the south (south compared to Alaska, that is) and, so is her good friend CFII Jessie (R), before they both return to Alaska, Leota to do A&P work, and Jessie to be a CFII. Jessie and Leota told Jun (cntr) about the pros and cons of flying in Alaska. Photo courtesy of Jun. Meetings: The Sunday February 9th meeting will be on ZOOM. Details inside this newsletter. The March 9th meeting will be hosted by Dalya at IWASM at Burke Lakefront Airport. Unless otherwise noted, all photographs in this newsletter are by our Official All-Ohio Photographer Kathy. Thank you to Kathy and Deb for their invaluable news assistance!**

**The Sunday February 9th meeting will be on ZOOM. Below are the instructions. It is not possible to join the zoom meeting by phone.**

Because of the idiosyncrasies of ZOOM and the fact that we are using the free version, we have set up 3 Zoom meetings. Free Zoom gives you a 40-minute meeting window; however, you must schedule meetings on the half hour hence the need to schedule 3 meetings. At noon, please sign in to the first meeting detailed below. When that meeting ends at 12:40pm, please sign in to meeting #2. If needed, we will follow that with meeting #3 at 1:10pm.

**ZOOM INVITATIONS**

Debra Henrichs is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

**Topic: All-Ohio Meeting #1 at noon**

Time: Feb 9, 2025 12:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/77049686965?pwd=fw4dqBQbUYlxlqGH7v74AnaSpb16h.1>

Meeting ID: 770 4968 6965

Passcode: msbdA4

Valerie Palazzolo is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

**Topic: All-Ohio Meeting #2 at 12:40pm**

Time: Feb 9, 2025 12:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/79417291289?pwd=iL4QUyMTxEfOkIQa8g0vSS1rqDimak.1>

Meeting ID: 794 1729 1289

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Debra Henrichs is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

**Topic: All Ohio Meeting #3 at 1:10pm**

Time: Feb 9, 2025 01:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/71441224976?pwd=Sxu04H62ULwW6DGJeLvJ8j6mSIQduM.1>

Meeting ID: 714 4122 4976

Passcode: s9GQD



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Mon, Dec 2, 2:03 PM (3 days ago)

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For those of you looking for scholarships, EAA is accepting applications for the 2025 Scholarship Program and you do not need to be an EAA member. Details on application requirements are available from EAA at <https://www.eaa.org/eeaa/learn-to-fly/scholarships>. Deadline is March 1.



**Top L: Kay and her mentee Erin discussed what an excellent job Erin did on her essay for the Amelia Earhart Scholarship application. R: Jun made lovely airplane earrings. Thanks, Jun!**  
**Below: Jun's guys can always be found supporting her and her interest in the 99s! Her 49 1/2 Rich was even wearing a 99s baseball cap. Their boys Jesse (L) and Lucas ® were on board too!**



To all of the All Ohio 99s;

Firstly, I am proud to share that our next interview with one of our own is now available on the All Ohio 99s channel on YouTube. Debra Henrichs graciously shared her story with us and Lisa did an excellent job of editing.

You can click this link to view it. <https://youtu.be/hfUczIEs-DA?si=2KJLIPvnokznKmN>

Remember to "Like" the content and possibly share on your Facebook pages.

Secondly, I have contacted the officers of the chapter to admit I made a mistake in the Treasurer's report at the last meeting. By mistake one of my Ballou Skies Aviation deposits got put into the chapter account. I apologize for this and it has been remedied and the balance will be correctly reported in the monthly newsletter. Additionally, the funds were transferred to the CD as authorized in the last business meeting. Deb has the power to view the account in the future. I will give a full rendering of the accounts since I took the Treasurer position at the next meeting.

Thirdly, tomorrow you may receive an AOPA newsletter with the results of the Distinguished Flight Instructor and Flight School results. You may notice a name of someone you know.

Stay warm, stay safe.

Peg Ballou, CFII

#### How to Access the 99s Directory

1. Go to <http://www.ninety-nines.org>
2. Click on the member login box. If you don't have a login yet, set one up.
3. Click on Directory in list on top right, type in All-Ohio Chapter in the Chapter box and click on Search. Note: You can search on any of the boxes. It's an easy way to find a specific member, find members nearby or a member in an area you will be visiting.
4. An alphabetical list of all of our members will come up.
5. If you want to send an email to all the members of All-Ohio click on Save as Excel. Once you have the Excel spreadsheet copy the email column and paste into the address of your email. Please do let the Chair know before sending out a mass email.
6. Remember that you cannot use information in the Directory for commercial or political reasons.

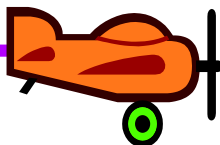
Hi - This is what I have on our website (<http://allohio.ncs99s.org>):

Please check out our All Ohio 99s YouTube Channel for some really cool videos about our members and our Facebook page. Click on these links and enjoy!

- [All Ohio 99s – YouTube](#)
- [All-Ohio Ninety Nines – Facebook](#)

Val

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



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**The question of the day two weeks ago was,  
“Do I need an engine pre-heat?”**

**The answer was obvious on this iced over  
double pane window. “Yes, Yes!”**

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