

Air Zoo Symposium Series #1

View From On High: Strategic Reconnaissance in the Cold War

Dates: Friday, October 6 and Saturday, October 7, 2006

Location: Air Zoo, New Building and Pfizer Auditorium

Speakers (Confirmed): (In order of appearance)

Col. John Amundson – U-2 Pilot

Lt. Col. B.C. Thomas – SR-71 Instructor Pilot, U-2 Pilot, RB-57 Pilot

Gen. Patrick Halloran – SR-71 Pilot

Col. Richard Graham – SR-71 Pilot

Lt. Col. Blair L. Bozek--RSO

Mr. Donald Miller – SR-71 Crew Chief

Dr. Robert B. Abernethy—SR-71 J58 Engineer

Dr. Dwayne Day – Author “Eye in the Sky: Story of the Corona Spy Satellites”

Cost: Both Days: \$65.00* (15% discount to Air Zoo members & volunteers)

Friday Only: \$15.00* (ASME Members only)

Additional charge for Michigan Aviation Hall of Fame Dinner: \$75

Those attending the full program (Sat.) will be admitted to the Air Zoo on Sunday at no cost as long as they retain their wrist bands.

*Includes admission to the Air Zoo

Schedule (Tentative):

Friday (All activities at NAZ)

5:00-6:00 pm: Registration and/or packet pickup at new Air Zoo

6:00-7:30 pm: Gen. Halloran speaks to ASME meeting (ASME Members Only)

7:30-9:30 pm: Cocktail Party/Mixer (Note: no rides or simulators will be running during evening event.)

Saturday (Symposium Sessions at Pfizer Auditorium, Air Zoo open to all registrants)

8:00-8:45 am Registration and/or packet pickup at new Air Zoo

9:00-9:50 am U-2 Operations (Amundson & Thomas)

10:00-11:20 am Flying the SR-71 (Halloran, Graham, Bozek, & Miller)*

11:30-12:20 am Keeping them Flying (Miller & Thomas)

12:30-1:30 pm Lunch Break—Lunch available at the Kitty Hawk Café or on own.

1:30-2:20 pm Development of the SR-71 Engines (Abernethy)

- 2:30-3:20 pm Spy Satellites (Day)
- 3:30-4:20 pm Panel Discussion with All Speakers
- 4:30-5:00 pm Mingle/ Book Signing at NAZ

*Because of the size of this panel, an additional half hour has been added.

Sunday: Air Zoo open to all registrants of the full program—**please retain wrist bands.**



Michigan Aviation Hall of Fame Program

(This is separate from the Symposium, but available to Symposium participants for \$75, and at no cost to speakers)

- 5:00-6:00 pm Michigan Aviation Hall of Fame Set Up
- 6:00-7:00 pm Hors d'ourves and cash bar
- 7:00-10:00 pm Michigan Aviation Hall of Fame Award Ceremony