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Ed, here are the things I want you to do to prepare for the 5th Aeronautics Day at SUX. You will be the organizer and the visible leader.

The day is set for Wednesday April 17 at approximately 9:30 to about 1:15. I have contacted the schools and will follow up and do all that work about arranging their participation; you handle the airport and lunch part.

Steve Ryberg will be your key Graduate Student helper; you should meet with him at the Aviation Institute; he was there last year. There are several others that will be at the meeting on Thursday.

The key contact person at each of the locations at SUX are as follows.

1. 185 Fighter Wing Iowa Air Guard; Major Stephanie Samenus stephanie.samenus@IASIOU.ang.af.mil 712-233-0809
2. Sioux Gateway Airport: Glenn Januska: Airport Manager 712-279-0170
3. JetSun: Steve Mayo - President 712-258-6563 ssmayo@Jetsun.com I suspect Steve will designate a secretary to work the final details.

Here is what I'd like you to do.

$ Contact each of these people and introduce yourself
$ Set up the schedule and work out the three stops
$ The 3 stops are the 185th, the airport terminal, and JetSun
$ I think meeting first at the Air Guard and lunch at the end are perfect beginnings and ends. However, the patriotic thing is all that should happen and then the groups should split.

The three groups should be:
Omaha Nation: 40 students
Winnebago: 35 students
Walthill: 25 students plus Santee 10 students (I have already talked to the Walthill teachers and they think that will work fine because the Santee students should ride on the Walthill bus to the airport and JetSun

$ Then the Air Guard should do their tour and include the survival gear and helmet stuff with each group. When they do it once at the beginning, there is not enough there to fill up a 30 minute window.
$ I'd work toward a schedule like
  9:30 Arrival
  9:45 Initial briefing
  10:15 First group at 185, second to Jetsun, 3rd to airport terminal
  11:00 First group to Jetsun, second to terminal, 3rd to 185th
  11:45 First group to terminal, second to 185th, 3rd to Jetsun.
  12:30 Lunch at the 185th
  1:15 or so depart for home.

$ You'd need to communicate the schedule to each of the student guides that Steve will be getting. One should ride with each bus and accompany the group the whole way.
$ You will need to order the sandwiches from Mortensen's. Call Mr. Mortensen at MORTENSEN SUPER MARKET 810 16th Ave , Council Bluffs, IA 51501 Phone 712-328-2171. He has done the sandwiches for the last two years. Ham or turkey, cookie, and a bag of chips. He'll set the price at somewhere around $1.50 and I suspect we'll need 130 -1 50. Arrange through Mary Fink as to how to pay for them.
$ I'll pick up all the pop the day before and take it to the Guard for their cooler. You'll have to pick up the sandwiches early Friday AM or on Thursday and put in your church cooler.
$ Between you driving with the sandwiches and Steve using the Intrepid (he and 4 students) that's about all the transportation we ever have.

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