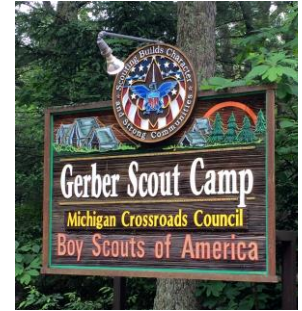


## SCOUTING THE SKIES OVER CAMP GERBER

The seventh annual Outing for Scouting is a weekend at the Camp Gerber Scout camp, and it's open to all troops in the Michigan Crossroads Council. Scouts arrived Friday evening and set up camp, making their own dinners, and then breakfast on Saturday. Opening flag ceremonies began at 8:30 AM and then the event got underway. Scouts chose from 25 different activities to experience. At this campout the scouts build camp, meet other scouts and are introduced to many different types of activities. The theme this year was STEMPunk, with many of the activities being STEM-based.



FlightPath was invited to the Outing to tell scouts about aviation and give 6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade scouts the opportunity to fly two of our X-Plane Flight Simulators. The flight simulators were a big hit! Of the 375 young people attending the Outing, 90 scouts flew the simulators. Everyone who flew had fun and learned a lot about flying and being a pilot. In the past Flight Path has offered a special Aviation Merit Badge program at our facility at the West Michigan Regional Airport in Holland, MI. If your troop is interested in setting up a program, please contact us at [info@miflightpath.org](mailto:info@miflightpath.org). Check out photos of the event below.



Flight Path Scout Outing team. Left to right: Paul, Jeff, Wendy, Bruce, Bob G, Mark, Jaron  
Learn more about our organization, leaders and volunteers at <http://miflightpath.org>



Flight Path brought two X-Plane Flight Simulators to the Scout Outing





Bruce co-pilots while Jeff explains key instruments, with the backdrop of the Scout's Law



Jaron encourages a steady hand on the yoke





Jeff admires a smooth flight



Paul explains the gyro compass heading





Bob G explains the key instruments in the cockpit



Mark explains steering the airplane with your feet while taxiing





Bob G explains the roll axis in flight maneuvers



Bruce waiting for a Scout takeoff





Packing up after a long day of flying Scouts!



Come fly with us at Flight Path at the West Michigan Regional Airport. Our FLIGHT NIGHT program details can be found at <http://miflightpath.org/flight-night-program>.

Students between the ages of 11 and 18 can sign up for a FLIGHT NIGHT here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/flight-nights-presented-by-flight-path-tickets-169344976383>

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