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Tuskegee Airmen Fly-in An Opportunity for Sacramento Youth

Approximately 50 extremely happy Sacramento area students—16 from Twin Rivers Unified School District—are looking forward to May 4 when they head to McClellan Park with their families for the Fourth Annual Tuskegee Airmen Fly-in and Picnic.

A highlight of the day will include free plane rides for the young people. Eleven of them are part of Harmon Johnson Elementary School's Youth Aviation Academy, an intensive hands-on after school training program that provides sixth and seventh graders with the physics and history of flight, followed by extensive work in learning how to become pilots. The program's goal is to open the doors to multiple careers in aviation for underrepresented youth. Students work as pilots and co-pilots, while learning how to navigate and control complex airplanes through simulation experiences.

Please contact retired Col. Thomas Sherman at 916-960-3475 for more information.

WHO: The George S. "Spanky" Roberts Chapter of the Tuskegee Airmen, Inc.

WHAT: Fourth Annual Tuskegee Airmen Fly-in and Picnic

WHEN: Saturday, May 4, 2013
7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. (first group flight at 10 a.m.)

WHERE: McClellan Jet Services
3028 Peacekeeper Way
McClellan, CA 95652

Twin Rivers Unified School District serves approximately 27,000 preschool through adult education students in northern Sacramento County.

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