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Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor's
5th Biggest Little Airshow on Ford Island
Saw over 11,000 attendees this weekend

Honolulu, HI—Over 11,000 visitors attended, free, Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor's 5th “**Biggest Little Airshow**” on Saturday and Sunday, August 18 and 19, 10am to 4pm. The Airshow celebrated the Centennial of Marine Aviation and the Centennial of Women in Aviation.

Guests enjoyed 100 aircraft on the tarmac, in the hangars, and in the sky—both real and remote control model, “candy bombings” over historic Luke

Field, Hangar 79 tours to see the new aircraft the Museum has acquired recently. Plus many sponsor booths and **fun Museum Education booths** including flying in RC flight simulators, robotics, dress like a pilot, a peek inside the cockpit of the F-15, make and take a plane, and more.

Loaded Dice rocked the Airshow each day at 1pm with a Free Concert. For two days, **the presenting local RC organization the *Birds of Paradise*** and Mainland pilots from the Academy of Model Aeronautics piloted their massive remote controlled giant-scale planes in the skies above the Museum. Specialty acts performed by the *Birds of Paradise* included: Pattern, 3-D fixed wing and helicopter aerobatic flights, South Pacific battles, "Candy Bomber" drops, and a Skycam helicopter. Remote control aircraft were in the air and on static display, including, jets, helicopters, F-22s, warbirds, B-17s, P-38s, Corsairs, OV-10s and more.

Admission to the Airshow was free and all donations went to the Museum's Education and Restoration projects. Visitors **could drive on to Ford Island**. The Museum will hold their next annual, 6th "Biggest Little Airshow" next year in August 2013. Stand by for details.

Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor, located in two historic battlefield hangars and the Ford Island Control Tower at 319 Lexington Boulevard, Historic Ford Island, Honolulu, Hawaii is a 501(c) 3 non-profit organization which depends on the membership and support from donations. To join, volunteer or support, visit www.PacificAviationMuseum.org.

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