

Berlin Brats “Regional”

70th Anniversary of the Berlin Airlift

Charlotte/Monroe, NC

November 10, 2018

11AM – 4PM

OPEN TO THE FIRST 40 PEOPLE WHO RSVP

Cost: Lunch, plus \$5 per person for Warbirds Show

RSVP by November 1, 2018 to: BerlinBrats@gmail.com



Please join us for lunch at the Monroe Olive Garden, followed by the Warbirds Over Monroe air show at the Monroe Regional Airport, located 3 miles from the restaurant. We will receive a guided tour of the Spirit of Freedom, a C-54 plane used in the Berlin Airlift and made famous by Col. Gail Halvorsen, aka the “Candy Bomber”.

Lunch: Olive Garden, 2983 Monroe Way, Monroe, NC 28110

Time: 11AM-1:30PM

Enjoy a “separate checks” lunch, followed by a short drive to the Monroe Regional Airport for the Warbirds Over Monroe Show. Discounted tickets have been prearranged. **Distributed at the restaurant and only to the people who have RSVP’d.** Your RSVP will inform how many tickets we purchase.

(Tickets are available at the airport @ substantially higher cost/\$13.50 each. BB’s are getting a deal!!!)

Warbirds Over Monroe Air Show: 3900 Paul J Helms Dr, Monroe, NC 28110

Time: 2PM-4PM

We are honored to have a personal guided tour of the C-54 Spirit of Freedom, the flying museum dedicated to the Berlin Airlift, by none other than the aircraft’s owner and pilot, Tim Chopp.

Tim is the founder and president of the Berlin Airlift Historical Foundation (BAHF), and was honored in 2011 with the



Cross of the Order of Merit of the Federal Republic of Germany, presented by Ambassador Klaus Scharioth. Tim was recognized for his passionate commitment to preserving the legacy of the Berlin Airlift for future generations -- one of the greatest humanitarian relief efforts in history, saving more than two million Berliners from starvation and communist rule.

This flying museum will be a treat for those of you who love WWII memorabilia and those interested in the heroic efforts of pilots and crew-to include Col. Halvorsen of the “Berlin Airlift.”

It’s not to be missed!

Note: Due to space limitations, both in restaurant and the Spirit of Freedom, we will accept the first:

40 people who RSVP. (We will start a wait list if we have more interest).

If you do not RSVP, we cannot guarantee a seat with the Berlin Brats party/nor with our tour.

You will have to purchase a full price ticket at the air show.

We appreciate your understanding of our “many hosts” for this event.