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Blue Angels announce changes to 2011 show schedule

PENSACOLA, Fla. – The Navy Flight Demonstration Squadron, the Blue Angels, announces two changes to the 2011 show schedule. The Blue Angels are scheduled to perform 67 shows at 35 locations throughout the United States in 2011. This year the Blue Angels are performing in celebration of Centennial of Naval Aviation.

The two new show sites are Lynchburg, Va., May 21 - 22 and Battle Creek, Mich., July 2 - 3.

Demonstration sites are selected in support of the Department of Defense objectives and in the interest of the armed services with safety as the primary consideration. Performances greatly assist in the recruiting and retention goals for the military services, enhance esprit de corps among uniformed men and women and demonstrate the professional skills and capabilities of the Naval services to the American public and U.S. allies.

For information on individual air shows, please go to the air show's official websites. For details on the Centennial of Naval Aviation please visit <http://www.public.navy.mil/airfor/centennial/Pages/welcome.aspx>

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