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Experience a refueling from the boom pod.

Fly with the Ohio National Guard during refueling mission

COLUMBUS, Ohio — The Ohio National Guard will host a media orientation flight on Thursday, June 22, 2017, at the 121st Air Refueling Wing, located at Rickenbacker Air National Guard Base in Columbus, Ohio.

The day's events will include an overview of the Ohio National Guard mission, an opportunity to capture imagery, view an Army helicopter static display and witness an in-air refueling mission aboard a KC-135 Stratotanker. Editors, writers, reporters, photographers and videographers are encouraged to attend.

Registration begins at 7:45 a.m. with the event starting at 8 a.m. There are two options for the day: one is a full-day experience that includes the [refueling flight](#), while the other is a half-day option without the flight. Please see the tentative itinerary below for more details.

Make your [reservations](#) before 5 p.m. Friday, April 28.

Participants who select to go on the refueling flight will be asked to complete a medical clearance form.

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Ohio National Guard Media Flight Itinerary

June 22, 2017

All times are tentative

7:45-8 a.m.	Registration
8-8:05 a.m.	Welcome / Introductions
8:05-9:25 a.m.	Ohio National Guard Overview with Q&A
9:25-9:35 a.m.	Break
9:35-9:40 a.m.	Safety briefing
9:40-10 a.m.	Security screening
10-10:05 a.m.	Transport to the Aircraft
10:05-10:15 a.m.	Group photograph at Aircraft
<u>Group 1:</u>	
11:15 a.m.	Take-off (Brown bag lunch on plane)
2:15 p.m.	Arrive back at Rickenbacker
2:20-2:30 p.m.	Transport back to Building 875
2:30-2:45 p.m.	Closing remarks & upcoming events
<u>Group 2:</u>	
11:15-11:30 a.m.	Take-Off B-Roll
11:30-11:35 a.m.	Transport to Army Hangar
11:35 a.m.-12:15 p.m.	Army Static Displays
12:15-12:20 p.m.	Transport back to Building 875
12:20-12:30 p.m.	Closing remarks & upcoming events