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I have had the pleasure of partnering with the Harbor Soaring Society for over 10 years. They have been one of our best and a long-time supporter of the OC Fair's annual educational youth S.T.E.A.M. event, IMAGINOLOGY (formerly Youth Expo).

Imaginology, is a free three-day family-friendly event featuring S.T.E.A.M.-related exhibits, hands-on activities and workshops for all ages encouraging young people to explore, discover and connect with Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics (S.T.E.A.M.) This is a popular event for schools, youth organizations and families from all over Orange County and LA County with up to 46,000 in attendance.

We invite community organizations, like Harbor Soaring Society and individuals to share their work and educate our youth. The participation of organizations and educators contribute greatly to the success of Imaginology.

For the last several years Harbor Soaring Society has hosted an Aerospace Adventure, one of the highlights of Imaginology, in the OC Fair's Hanger. Activities included, live radio-controlled flying demonstrations, tethered flying experiences for the youth, flight simulators, static displays, workshops for the kids and an abundance of information to include careers in aviation and the opportunity to visit with their guests from the Civil Air Patrol. For most youth this is an incredible first time experience.

I greatly value Harbor Soaring Society's participation and commitment to the youth who attend our event. This group goes above and beyond to make Imaginology a meaningful and fun event.

Regards,

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