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**AUSTRALIAN
INTERNATIONAL
AIRSHOW**
1-6 MARCH
GEELONG VICTORIA **2011**

2011 AIRSHOW CELEBRATES AVIATION HISTORY

Organisers of the Australian International Airshow and Aerospace & Defence Exposition have announced the Avalon 2011 Airshow will celebrate the 90th Anniversary of the Royal Australian Air Force.

Aircraft and Air Force leaders from around the world will attend the Airshow to help mark this milestone in Australia's aviation history.

Airshow CEO Ian Honnery says Avalon 2011 will be the most comprehensive event ever staged at Avalon Airport.

"The Royal Australian Air Force 90th birthday celebrations are expected to attract the most comprehensive collection of visiting military aircraft seen in Australia for many years," Mr Honnery says.

"We are delighted that Avalon 2011 will be the centrepiece of the RAAF's birthday celebrations and we look forward to a huge turnout of aviation enthusiasts to join in the party at Avalon next year."

More than 560 aircraft participated in the 2009 Airshow at Avalon Airport, and that number is expected to significantly increase at next year's event. It's expected there will be a 25 per cent increase in the level of aircraft on static display due to the RAAF 90th celebrations.

Avalon 2011 will also mark a major milestone in the event's own history. The 2011 Airshow will be the tenth in the series to date at Avalon Airport.

The 2011 Australian International Airshow and Aerospace & Defence Exposition will be a wonderful opportunity to wish our Nations Air Force a happy birthday and see some of the most thrilling flying and static aircraft displays in the Southern Hemisphere.

Avalon 2011 will be held from the 1st – 6th of March at Avalon Airport near Geelong. The event is open to the public from 2pm on Friday March 4th.

'Feel The Power' and secure your seat at aviations biggest birthday party. Tickets for the Australian International Airshow are on sale Friday 15 October.

For tickets go to Ticketmaster www.ticketmaster.com.au or www.airshow.com.au

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