Southport 2020 Air Show Dates Confirmed!

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Peggy May (photo Mike Blume)

The dates are set and the event's promising to be a great one.

Southport CEO Peggy May says the air show in Southport will take place for two days on June 20th and 21st, including Father's Day.



"We won't know all of the entertainment until later on this fall," explains May. "We're sending out announcements now. Tickets will be available starting in December. So, things are well underway. We have lots of committees in place and lots of sponsors already involved. It's going well. Less than a year away already."

She says last year's show was held by KF Aerospace and Southport when a heatwave was on. She notes it was about 40 degrees, and also conflicted with the Folk Festival. May says they've decided on dates that won't conflict with any big events in the area at large. May adds the air show in the community reflects on its rich military history, and Snowbirds, F-18s and parachuting Sky Hawks prove that out. She says their history and military presence makes them feel proud.

May says 2020 is Manitoba's 150th birthday, making it even more special.