On June 25, 1965 a C-135 departed MCAS El Toro and hit Loma Ridge, a few miles to the north of runway 34. The purpose of my Eagle Scout project is to honor the 72 Marines and 12 Airmen that perished that day in the worst airplane crash on record in Orange County. Jordan Fourcher’s Eagle Project is a Memorial to be permanently displayed at the Heritage and Aviation Exhibition.
Dedication:

A ceremony recognizing the 50th Anniversary and an unveiling of the Memorial Kiosk is planned for Saturday, June 27th starting at 1 p.m. There will be Distinguished Speakers, Marine Honor Guard and a Missing Man formation fly over with WWII aircraft. This ceremony is open to the public and will include some families of the fallen and veterans who served with service members on the flight.

Location:

Former MCAS El Toro, in close proximity to the Orange County Great Park Balloon & Visitors Center, Irvine, CA. The Memorial will be at the Heritage and Aviation Exhibition, formerly Hangar 244, at the end of the Checkered Walkway from the parking lot shown below. Signs will be posted for parking on 6/27/15.

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