



Air Chief Marshal Mark Binskin (Retd) has over 3,500 hours in single seat fighter aircraft including the A-4G Skyhawk, Mirage 111O, F-16C and F/A-18 Hornet. He is a Category A Fighter Combat Instructor and has served with the Royal Australian Navy, Royal Australian Air Force and on exchange with the United States Air Force. He remains active in general aviation as a warbird owner and pilot.

Out of the cockpit, Air Chief Marshal Binskin (Retd) has served at all levels of command in the Australian Defence Force and retired as Chief of the Defence Force in 2018. He is currently the Chair of the Civil Aviation Safety Authority, serves in a number of non-executive positions and is on the Temora Aviation Museum Governing Committee.

Through a unique set of circumstances, Air Chief Marshal Binskin (Retd) now flies the Canberra bomber as a member of 100SQN RAAF. He will present on the technical challenges overcome by the dedicated Temora Aviation Museum Engineering team in getting the Canberra airborne again after a decade on the ground, some of the unique aspects of the aircraft itself, and what it is like to take a step back in time and fly this iconic bomber.