



**Pilot: DEBBY YOUNG**  
*Chesterland, OH*

# **“DULCINEA”**

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Debby, a balloonist for 9 years, is a research nurse at Metrohealth Medical Center in Cleveland. She has logged over 400 hours in the air and lists some of her most memorable flights as flying in Red Rocks Canyon in New Mexico. Her balloon, “Dulcinea” is the imaginary girlfriend of Don Quixote “she’s made of flame and air,” and sports a yellow field with purple and red vertical gores. Board member of NOBPA, in 2001 she was awarded the AX 5 Feminine World Record for distance & duration for a flight from Iowa to Illinois. She also holds NOBPA's Women's Championship for 2003, 2004 and 2005

