



EXPERIMENTAL AIRCRAFT ASSOCIATION

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Chapter Address EAA Chapter 157 P.O. Box 992353 Redding, CA 96099

Meeting Time
Third Tuesday of the Month
6:30PM Dinner Meeting

Meeting Place
Quonset Hut
Benton Airpark - west side

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BRIEFINGS Page 1 of 3 September 7, 2010 EAA Chapter Board Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 PM by President Jim Bremer. Attendees were; Vice President, Irwin Fust; Treasurer; Paul Gilman, Herb Zuidema, Secretary. Directors; Steve Hurley, Audrey Schutte, Dick Wilkinson, Steve Wallace and Barbara Crooker.

Minutes: Motion by Steve W. Second by Audrey S. that the Minutes be approved. Motion passed.

Treasurer's report: Checking: \$4,759.67. Savings: \$1049.28. Accounting for Aviation Day is now complete at this date. Net Fund Raising \$3,049.90. Net split with 99's equals \$1,524.95 for the 99's and \$1,524.95 for the Chapter. A detailed report is available upon request.

Old Business:

Young Eagle Flights: The flights will be held at Red Bluff in joint venture with Corning EAA Chapter on October 16, 2010. The staging area will be the first hangar south of the old FSS Office. Corning will be asked to furnish some tables and chairs for the event. It was moved by Irwin F. and Second by Steve H. that we reimburse the appropriate fuel cost to our Chapter 157 members who volunteer their aircraft. Motion passed. Barbara C. (549 4275) again is asking for volunteer pilots and aircraft but also for ground personnel to help with coordination of passenger to aircraft, the required paper work and photography.

EAA Air Academy 2010. Barbara C. received, on behalf of our Chapter, a thank you letter from the National EAA Air Academy for sending Tyler Gully to the Academy's 2010 camp. Barbara also received a very nice letter from Tyler Gully, recipient of the scholarship from our Chapter to the Academy 2010, for helping to send him. His expressed appreciation and impressions of his experience while there illustrated his excitement about aviation. The Chapter made a good choice.

New Business:

President Jim B. announced a Corbin 88 aircraft has been given to the Chapter. All present visited the rear Quonset Hut to survey the aircraft which is in it's early stage of fabrication. Various ideas were discussed but no conclusions were made at this time as to what the Chapter should do with it. Anyone who is familiar with this type aircraft please contact Jim B. (222 8001).

Steve Hurley and Brenda Christian announced that Bob Christian's estate is donating a large coffee maker to the Chapter. Thank you Brenda and Steve. It will serve many cups of coffee on Aviation Day.

President Jim B. made a request for a Nominating Committee Chairman to assemble a committee for seeking candidates for Chapter Officers for 2011. Dick Wilkinson graciously volunteered. It's tough job so think positively when he contacts you.

Being no further business, Motion by Steve Wallace and Second by Irwin Fust. meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:25 PM.

Our Chapter Dinner Meeting will be September 21, 2010, (third Tuesday) this month. Dinner menu will be baked chicken with the appropriate accessories carefully prepared by Jim Bremer and Irwin Fust.

September Dinner Program

Our guest speaker at our September Dinner Meeting will be our own Miles Drawhorn. Miles is known by many in our Chapter but not all. A career officer in the U.S Army Air Force (later the U.S. Air Force) flying B-24's over Europe to C-54's around the South Pacific in support of the Atomic Bomb testing. This man has some hair raising stories to tell that you won't want to miss. WWII pilots are getting very rare in our midst. **Come on out and bring a friend who will be glad they came.** We'll leave the "evap cooler on for you."

Announcements:

Corning Chapter. Tony Miller, Pres. Announced: On the morning of October 2, 2010 we are having a 1, 5, and 10K race here at Rancho Tehama. They have asked that we have a few planes flying at 0900. If anyone you know wants to come do a touch and go at 0900, please come on by. We will try and use 9, winds allowing. We use 122.9.

Rod Dinger, Redding Airport Manager, forwarded the following:

I am contacting you on behalf of the Boy Scouts. We are in need of an "Aviation Merit Badge Counselor". Several boys started this Merit Badge with Tim Coughlin, but he has moved to Mendicino (I believe Tim flys for CDF). The boys have completed the worksheet and just need a qualified pilot to meet with them and review (and sign off) their work. The Boy Scout office has Michael Holtzclaw signed up as an Aviation Merit Badge counselor, but the boys cannot get a hold of him. If you know of any pilots who might be up to a little community service for the Boy Scouts, I would appreciate being contacted. (if anyone would like to mentor a scout, contact Kelley) Kelley Verhoog 530-351-1503

Suann Prigmore forwarded the following: *THE MAKING OF AMERICA Seminar, Shasta College, September 18, 2010. See attached Flyer.*

"FAASTeam CFI Workshop Module #8"

Topic: CFI Workshop Module #8; Pilot Deviations including Runway Incursions

On September 29, 2010 at 9:30 AM Select Number: WP2534241

Location: Redding Jet Center - Upstairs Conference Room

3775 Flight Avenue, Redding Jet Center, Redding, CA 96001Description:

This is Workshop Module # 8 in a series of 8 modules. This Module will cover Pilot Deviations including

Runway Incursions.

SECOND SATURDAY FLY-IN

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(FAA Safety Seminar, Second Saturday, each month)

10 AM until Noon, October 9, 2010

At Hangar A-1, Benton Airpark*

Topic: ANNUAL INSPECTION PROCEDURES

Eric Sawyer, long time Airframe, Powerplant Authorized Inspector will present in October a 90 minutes presentation regarding aircraft owner maintenance and owner assisted annual inspection procedures. Included will be hands on demonstrations of certain procedures (weather permitting) with a real live aircraft. Eric is an independent aviation technician, he is a long time pilot and he will either fly or drive around northern California to conduct his aviation maintenance activities.

A free lunch will be served! YEA.....

Future SSSem Topics

November - Eric Marshall and Herb Zuidema will present lessons from long distance navigation experiences. Both recently traveled (this summer) to Oshkosh (Herb) and Kitty Hawk NC (Eric)... in Cessna 172 and a Cessna 170 type aircraft. Eric Marshall will also present numerous photographs of his trip (he took over 1,000 photo's) and he will be able to correlate his lessons learned with his pictures.

December - Dr. Bill Baker, the Redding FAA Designated Medical Examiner will present an update regarding changes to the FAA regulations, Sport Pilot (He is one) and other pertient medical information for aviators.

January -- Terry Lankford will present WINTER FLYING PATTERNS in northern CA. Terry has written six aviation weather related books, a long time flight instructor and a 30 year FAA FSS Specialist (retired).

The South Gate will be monitored for access

(Please park away from all parked aircraft)

Attention Aircraft Builders

AIRCRAFT UNDER CONSTRUCTION/RESTORATION

In recent discussions, the Board of Directors realized we don't know how many homebuilders there are in the area, or who they are. We set about creating a list of the builders we know of, to build a resource for helping one another and networking. For example, if someone has a problem with some aspect of building a particular model of RV, the list could help him find someone who has experience with that aircraft. Another purpose for the list could be to contact homebuilders who are not Chapter members to

encourage them to attend meetings and join the Chapter. Another purpose for the list could be as a resource to invite homebuilders to occasionally participate as panel members for a program for a regular meeting of the whole membership, to discuss aspects of homebuilding that would be of general interest.

To make this resource successful, we need your help. Below is a start of a list of homebuilders who fly out of either Benton Field or Redding Muni. As you will see, we don't have a complete list of mail and/or phone numbers and there may be other homebuilders that should be on the list. If you know a phone number or email address or other names, please send an email or give a call to Kathleen Evans kathleen@evans.net; phone: 396-2422 or Herb Zuidema pgadoneh@myexcel.com; phone 275 5103

Please see the attachment for names, phone numbers and E Mail addresses of people who are now builders

Perks of reaching 50 or being over 60 and heading towards 70!

- 1. Kidnappers are not very interested in you.
- 2. In a hostage situation you are likely to be released first.
- 3. No one expects you to run--anywhere.
- 4. People call at 9 pm and ask..... did I wake you?
- 5. People no longer view you as a hypochondriac.
- 6. There is nothing left to learn the hard way.
- 7. Things you buy now won't wear out.
- 8. You can eat supper at 4 pm.
- 10. You get into heated arguments about pension plans.
- 11. You no longer think of speed limits as a challenge.
- 12. You guit trying to hold your stomach in no matter who walks into the room.
- 13. You sing along with elevator music.
- 14. Your eyes won't get much worse.
- 15 Your investment in health insurance is finally beginning to pay off.
- 16. Your joints are more accurate meteorologists than the national weather service.
- 17. Your secrets are safe with your friends because they can't remember them either.
- 18. Your supply of brain cells is finally down to manageable size.
- 19. You can't remember who sent you this list

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