



CHAPTER 157

EXPERIMENTAL AIRCRAFT ASSOCIATION

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July 5, 2017 BRIEFINGS

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Join Us

*Third Tuesday of
each month:*

6:30 PM

Dinner Meeting

in the

Quonset Hut

on the west side of

Benton Airpark

The Prez Sez-

Sorry if this is getting old, but I want to thank the volunteers who pull together to make all of our endeavors work. Of course, Aviation Day is an all hands on deck event, with chapter members, 99's and many friends and friends of friends showing up to do whatever it takes to make this event a success. This year, attendance was down a bit due to the heat. Still, the people who came enjoyed themselves.

I'm reluctant to name names because if I thank one person, there are a dozen others who should be thanked as well. In this column, I'm going to abandon that policy. We all know that Julie Ostendorf is in charge of breakfast, but her husband, Don, is there all the way too. Even after breakfast is over, they're at the Quonset hut, doing clean up. You may not realize that Julie shops for the best deals on hams throughout the year. Right alongside is Barbara Crooker, who's always there when needed, not only for the Saturday setup, but from 5:30 AM on Sunday. Dick Wilkinson is also there first thing Sunday morning. He's also instrumental in moving everything back and forth all weekend, as are Wayne Pero and Herb Zuidema. Then, there's Jack & Rita Limmer, Bryant and Julee Garrett, Dave Kirkman and many others.

Speaking of Herb and Dick, they're the ones who show up every 2nd Saturday at 8 to take down the tables & set up for the SSSSem. Al Olson is usually there as well. Dick, Herb, Wayne and Dave are my go-to guys when anything needs to be done, whether it's a problem with the mower, sprinklers, pests or whatever, these guys are always there when needed. Dave has also transported and manned the Flight Sim Trailer. Of course, Paul Gilman's always there to handle the money.

Then, there are those brave souls who volunteer to cook dinner at our monthly meetings. Several years ago, Dick made the observation that only a few of us were cooking most of the meals. He suggested having people sign up to cook throughout the year. This has worked out very well. We haven't had bologna sandwiches yet.

For Young Eagles events, Barbara and the 99's are there in force, as well as 157 members and non-members. The B-17 Tour Stop involved about 20 volunteers who pulled together to make it successful.

As I said, for every person I mentioned, there are a dozen others to thank. To thank all of you, the next chapter dinner is on us. It's our small way to say thank you for all you do. We hope you can come.

Jim Bremer

July 5, 2017
EAA Chapter Board Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 PM by Pres. Jim Bremer; Officers present; Vice Pres., Dick Wilkinson; Treasurer, Paul Gilman; Directors present: Barbara Crooker, Dave Kirkman and Jack Limmer.

Minutes: Minutes of the last Board Meeting were presented. Motion by Barbara C. for approval, Second by Dick W. Motion passed.

Treasurer's report: Paul G. presented the Financial Report as of this date of the Board Meeting. Financial Report was presented. Motion by Dick W. for approval. Second by Barbara C. Motion passed.

Old Business:

Aviation Day Recap: The following suggestions were presented and discussed as ways to improve the Aviation Day event. 1) arrange to have grills cleaned shortly after the event in preparation for next year and soooooo the varmints don't have heyday. 2) suggest requiring plastic gloves for all servers. 3) Barbara C. suggest having bottled water available as a beverage along with coffee, milk and orange juice. Paul G. suggested that Mt Shasta Spring Water might have a better price than retail. 4) It was suggested to have a specific person available to help Paul G., Treasurer, count the receipts following the breakfast. 5) Paul G. reported there were 14 pilots/copilots who registered and received a free breakfast.

A motion by Paul G. and Second by Barbara C. that all volunteers that help on Aviation Day are entitled to a free breakfast. Motion passed.

It was agreed by consensus that the Chapter make a donation of \$100 to the Sea Cadets and \$150 to the CAP for valuable help they provided on Saturday and Sunday.

Flight Training Scholarship: Pres. Jim B. suggested a time frame for the Scholarship be August 15, 2017 deadline for an applicant submittal and the award by September 1, 2017. Approval was made by consensus. Pres. Jim B. will arrange for the publication of same. Check eaa157.org for details coming soon.

New Business: Pres. Jim B. suggested a **Yard Sale** sometime in September or October. Too hot if done earlier.

Chapter Dinner Meeting will be July 18, 2017 The dinner this month will be prepared by Eric and Nancy Marshall. Dinner, at 6:30, will be delicious pulled pork sandwiches, potato salad and beans, with ice cream for dessert. [Come enjoy and most of all the Fellowship of Kindred Birds of the Air. Invite a friend and ya all come! We'll have the EVAP COOLER going.](#)

Note: *On the last page of this Newsletter you will find a sign up list for volunteering to prepare at least one (more if you choose) Chapter dinner during the year of 2017. Will you help? Thrill us with a menu from your store house of par excellence cooking.. Call Dick W. (246 9131) let him know which month you can do it. Just four months left to choose from. Thank you.*

July Dinner Program Pres. Jim B. will be showing a video about Air force One, our US President's plane (or planes). It will show all the details of preparing a flight with the President on board. Selection of a pilot and his crew. Their planning on a moments notice, keeping current etc.

Motion by (Dick W.) **Steve W.** and Second by Barbara C. the Meeting be adjourned. Motion passed

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Announcements

Piper Colt For Sale: 1961 Piper Colt (PA-22-108). See attached data and photos.

Lancair For Sale: 1993 Lancair IO360. The owner would consider parting out the aircraft if a buyer is interested Starting with the engine and propeller; IO360 Lycoming B1B with 1560 total time and 300 hrs since Major Overhaul by Eagle Engines and a Hartzel 68" Propeller new with 30hrs, Prefer to sell as a combination See attached data and photos. Note: Contrary to the listed price in the attachments, the owner is considering a \$55,000 price tag.

FLY IN: Red Bluff is planning their annual Fly In for September 23, 2017.

CAL FIRE: If you're flying anywhere near any of the multiple fires in Calif. Cal Fire has a contact frequency of 122.925

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.

Reminder.....an update is needed!

To make this resource successful, we need your help. *Attached is a start of a list* of homebuilders who fly out of either Benton Field or Redding Muni. It needs to be updated. 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, email address or other names, please send an email to Herb Zuidema herb@eaa157.org 530 275 5103

FAA Safety Seminar, Second Saturday, each month 10 AM until

Noon, at the Quonset Hut, Benton AirPark

Sponsored by EAA Chapter 157, Redding, CA.

Register at www.faasafety.gov for the below noted event

134th Consecutive Monthly Safety Seminar August 12, 2017

Topic: Aviation Safety Systems/NASA

Speaker: Ms Linda McConnell

Ms Linda McConnell, the program manager will present all you wanted to know about ASRS.

2017

THIRD TUESDAY DINNER VOLUNTEER CHEFS EAA CHAPTER 157, REDDING, CALIFORNIA

JANUARY.....Phyllis & Dave Kirkman

FEBRUARY...Norm & Kay Overbay

MARCH...Ray, Julie & Irwin

APRIL.....Completed

MAY.....Completed

JUNE.....Paul & Laura Gilman

JULY...Nancy Overton & Eric Marshall

AUGUST...Fran & Dick Wilkinson

SEPTEMBER.....Wayne, Herb, & Longhorn Jack

OCTOBER.....99s.....BC & Company

NOVEMBER.....

DECEMBER.....

GREAT TRUTHS THAT ADULTS HAVE LEARNED:

- 1) Raising teenagers is like nailing Jello to a tree.
- 2) Wrinkles don't hurt.
- 3) Families are like fudge...mostly sweet, with a few nuts.
- 4) **Today's** mighty oak is just **yesterday's** nut that held its ground.
- 5) Laughing is good exercise. It's like jogging on the inside.
- 6) Middle age is when you choose your cereal for the fiber, not the toy.

GREAT TRUTHS THAT LITTLE CHILDREN HAVE LEARNED:

- 1) No matter how hard you try, you can't baptize cats.
- 2) When your Mom is mad at your Dad, don't let her brush your hair.
- 3) If your sister hits you, don't hit her back. They always catch the second person.
- 4) Never ask your 3-year old brother to hold a tomato.
- 5) You can't trust dogs to watch your food.
- 6) Don't sneeze when someone is cutting your hair.
- 7) Never hold a Dust-Buster and a cat at the same time.
- 8) You can't hide a piece of broccoli in a glass of milk.
- 9) Don't wear polka-dot underwear under white shorts.
- 10) The best place to be when you're sad is Grandma's lap.