



May 9, 09:00 - 15:30
May 10, 10:00 - 14:30



PILOTS

YOUNG EAGLES COORDINATOR STEPHANIE MURRAY NEEDS YOU! CHAPTER 18 IS PARTICIPATING ONCE AGAIN IN THE WISCONSIN AIR NATIONAL GUARDS CELEBRATION OF ARMED FORCES DAY BY GIVING YOUNG EAGLE RIDES. WE UNDERSTAND THAT MOTHERS DAY WEEKEND IS A BUSY TIME, BUT IF YOU CAN SPARE EVEN A FEW HOURS WE NEED YOU. DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE CONTROLLED AIRSPACE, ATC GIVES US PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT. PLEASE CONTACT STEPHANIE MURRAY.

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IT'S PICNIC TIME

Summer is here (that means it gets above freezing for at least 2 hours a day and my wife only needs three blankets at night instead of 6) or at least it is approaching and that means it is time for more flying, eating and drinking a soda pop or one of Milwaukee's finest (actually, I think it is officially Chicago now). To start the season off right, our EAA Chapter will have its Spring/Summer picnic on Saturday, May 23rd. We have a new location this year at the Waukesha Airport. Mike Woods will host, along with what he hopes is some additional help. To get to his hangar, take I-94 West and exit on Highway 164 (one exit past American TV). Go South on 164 past the East side of the Waukesha airport and go West on Northview. There is a stop light there (in Wisconsin, it is a stop and go light) and it is on the South East side of the airport. Go about 300 feet and go in Gate 9. The code is 9291#. If you get lost or confused and can't seem to get your GPS to guide you, give Mike a call on his cell at 414-791-6991 and he will send his St. Bernard to your rescue. I believe it is tradition for everyone to bring a dish to pass, and please do not forget to put something in the dish too.

**THIS
MONTH'S
PROGRAM:
Darrell Kufalk
extended Velocity
project report.**

U.S. AIR FORCE MUSEUM

EAA Chapter 11 is planning a trip to the Air Force Museum at Wright-Patterson AFB in Dayton, Ohio for May 16-17. I announced this at the March meeting and several people expressed interest in going. Hotel plans have not been made yet, but will be soon so we need to give a better head count to Steve Betzler from Chapter 11. Will those who want to go please either call or email Mike Woods and let me know the following: Are you going to fly your own plane, and if yes, how many will be in it and how many rooms do you need. If you need a ride and want to share expenses with someone, let me know too. If you are flying, can you only go if it is VFR? Please email or call Mike Woods by May 1. Email: mwoods@bizwi.rr.com. Cell: 414-791-6991.

NOMINATIONS AND VOTING THIS MONTHS MEETING

Bill Bateman Memorial Scholarship

As we have discussed at the past couple of meetings, the board has decided to make a change to the Bill Bateman Memorial Scholarship for 2009. Rather than focus only on high school seniors, we have expanded the scholarship to include any child of reasonable age who is interested in doing something aviation related. We have had a couple of good applicants come forward, both of whom are interested in attending the EAA Air Academy this summer, so this might be a good use for the scholarship. Rather than have a lengthy written application process, the plan is to have the kids come to the April chapter meeting and give a short talk on why they would like to attend the Air Academy. So, anyone who has a kid in mind, plan on bringing them to the April meeting. Also, please contact a board member prior to that date with the information, so that we can have an idea of how many kids. There is enough in the fund to pay for several scholarships.

Chapter 18 Website

Did you know that our chapter website has a members only section with contact information for the chapter membership.

The website is

www.eaachapter18.com and the password for members only is MCW5275. The password is case sensitive. Check it out.

**FLY-OUT
TO AIR
FORCE
MUSEUM
IN DAYTON,
OHIO MAY
16-17
Chapter 11
Fly-Out to
Moraine
Park Airport**

UPCOMING EVENTS

4.28.2009	1930	Chapter Monthly Meeting - Program TBA (Board meeting starts at 1830)	Timmerman CAP Hangar
5.26.2009	1930	Chapter Monthly Meeting - Sean Elliott talks about flying the EAA's B17 and Ford Tri-Motor. (Board meeting starts at 1830)	Timmerman CAP Hangar
5.9.2009 - 5.10.2009		Young Eagles Event	128th ANG, Milwaukee Mitchell Airport
5.16.2009 - 5.17.2009		Air Force Museum Trip to Dayton Ohio in conjunction with Chapter 11.	Dayton, Ohio
5.23.2009		Spring Picnic	Mike Woods Hangar, Waukesha County Airport

presidents corner



Welcome to the April Flypaper. When I sat down a month ago to write my monthly column, I remarked that it was sunny and mid-50s in mid-March. Well, here we are a full month later, and today it was rainy and 38 F. Just doesn't seem right, does it? Of course, I spent a good chunk of that time, including the March chapter meeting, in sunny Phoenix, and every time I visit there I understand more and more why so many people retire to that part of the country.

Since I missed the March meeting, another important date went by- March 15th, 2009 was the 5th anniversary of the first flight of my RV-6. Many chapter members were there for the event, recording it for all eternity. Since that day I've put about 500 enjoyable hours on "The Spruce Moose" and look forward to many more. It's taken me to the east coast, to the southern most tip of the US (Key West, FL) and to the desert southwest several times.

A couple of Saturdays ago, about a dozen and a half chapter members and guests attended the chapter sheet metal workshop. I want to thank all the experienced

metal builders who showed up to help out and serve as instructors. The workshop consisted of about a half hour of ground school/ intro to tools (OK, the half hour morphed in to over an hour, but a lot of good discussion took place.) We then broke into smaller groups and delved into some hands-on work. Everyone got a chance to work with aluminum sheet, forming, marking, drilling, and riveting. Everyone got to learn the old-fashioned (read: difficult) way to smooth the edge of cut aluminum sheet. Once everyone had their fill of files and emery cloth, then we moved over to the drill press/ Scotchbrite wheel to demonstrate the modern way of doing things, which was well received! When we were in school, we all had to learn to do long division by hand before we learned how to use a calculator (or slide rule, for some of our senior members) and metal working is no different. You have to learn the basic skills before you learn the new-fangled technology.

The class went well, everyone got a chance to practice some new skills, and I even had a few Band-Aids left when it was all over. The idea behind

holding these types of chapter events is to introduce members to a new skill that they may not be familiar with, and to sprinkle a little water on the homebuilding seed that is planted deep within every EAA'er. Maybe, just maybe, with a little water and TLC (we certainly generate enough fertilizer at our meetings) this seed will sprout, and a new homebuilder will be born. Did any seeds take root as a result of this workshop? Time will tell, but we can always hope.

The workshop was so well received by those who attended, that we are already in the planning stage of another such workshop. Possible topics for the next one include welding, fiberglass, fabric covering or woodworking. We'll poll the chapter over the next few months and see what people are interested in learning about. The next event probably won't be held until some time next winter. Flying season is short enough around here, so let's spend the summer months enjoying flying, and leave the building for the long, long winters.

Until next month, keep your airspeed up.



Board Meeting March 2009

The March Board meeting was called to order at 6:40 by Vice President Fred Keip at the CAP hangar at Timmerman Field. Jim Hatzenbeller, Tom Stranak, Darrell Kufalk, Stephanie Murray, Ken Klima, Chris Esselstyn, Joe Ptaszek and Fritz Jorgenson were present. The minutes and treasurers report from the February meeting were approved as published. There were no committee reports.

Stephanie reported that a Young Eagles event is being planned for May 9th & 10 at the 128th. Pilots and ground crew are needed. Lunch will be provided. On Friday, May 8th, Chapter 11 is putting on a YE event at Capitol Dr. airport. Pilots needed.

Applicants names should be forwarded to Jim or Jeff or any other board member. It was decided that all applicants for the Bill Bateman Memorial fund should show up at the April meeting to state their case in order to be a recipient of this funds.

It was decided that we need to order new Chapter patches. A design will be selected and approved at the April meeting.

Mike announced that Chapter 11 is doing a flyout to Dayton on May 16-17. Chapter 18 has been invited to go with. Contact Mike for more information. It was reported that the back page of the newsletter should be updated. It

was suggested that the password for the Chapter website be published in the newsletter. It was reported that the Frasca fly-in at Urbana will be June 12, 13 and 14. Mike suggested that the Chapter put on more workshops for future programs.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20

Respectfully submitted,
Jim Hatzenbeller (Secretary)

Mar 2009 Meeting

The February meeting was called to order by Vice President Fred Keip at 7:40PM at the CAP Hangar at Timmerman Field. Guests were asked to introduce themselves, and 2 people did so.

Announcements: The long awaited sheet metal workshop is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, April 4th at East Troy airport. Fred announced that he had brochures related to the EAA Founders wing. He also had envelopes for those wishing to contribute. He also had some catalogs for Airparts. It was announced that Chapter 11 is giving away a scholarship. Contact them for more information. June 28th is the date for the Hot Cars – Cool kids event at Capitol Dr. airport. A Young Eagles event is scheduled for May 9th and 10th at the 128th at Mitchell Field. Saturday from 10:00 till 3:00 and Sunday, 9:00 till 2:30. Pilots and ground support needed. Lunch will be provided. The Chapter 18 spring picnic will be hosted by Mike Woods at Waukesha airport on May 23rd. If you drive in, call Mike on his cell phone for the gate code to get inside. It was reported that any young person that is interested in being a recipient of funds from the Bill Bateman Memorial Fund, should attend the April meeting to give a short talk on how and why they would use the funds. A volunteer is still needed for

making coffee at the meetings. This would only be for 1 year. Joe Ptaszek will train the volunteer. If no one volunteers to step forward, we may go without coffee until someone picks up the slack.

Building Reports: Ken Ceranski displayed an aluminum rib that he made for his Thatcher project. Fred reports that he is continuing working on the elevator and rudder cables for the Wag-A-Bond. Lou Krueger reported on making ribs for his Wag-A-Bond. Tom Stranak reports that he has all the plexiglass cut for his RV-7. Ken Klima reported that he has the engine mounted on his RV-9 and is working on the wiring. Don Patterson is working on the engine baffling on his RV-7

Flying Reports: Mike Woods reported on flying to Denton Texas and then to Missouri. Ken Klima flew the Kitfox to lola for lunch. Dave Hoefgren reported on flying to Oshkosh for lunch. Chris Esselstyn reported that he has the blended winglets on his modified Cozy 540 RG completed. He is continuing testing.

Tech Counselors: No report

Young Eagles: Stephanie Murray reported that an event is scheduled for May 9th & 10th, 2009 to be held at the 128th. Pilots and ground crew needed for this 2 day event.

Flight Advisors: No report.

Old Business: Minutes and treasurers report were accepted as published in the newsletter. Paul Compte reported on a book that he felt was a "good read". It's title is "The Rocketeers". Mike Woods announced that Chapter 11 is flying to Dayton on May 16 and 17. Chapter 18 has been invited to go with. Contact Mike for details. The Frasca Fly-in in Urbana is set for June 12, 13, and

Minutes Continued next page.

March -09			
	Checking	Savings	Bateman SF
Ballance 2/27/09	743.45	\$2,312.08	\$1,550.00
Receipts			
Dues	25.00		
Dues		\$410.00	
Contrib. Jack Brooks		\$20.00	
Interest		\$0.66	
Total Income	25.00	430.66	
Expenses			
Nametags	-19.84		
Paint mask repair	-66.03		
Total Expenses	-85.87	0.00	
Ending Bal.3/31/09	682.58	2742.74	\$1,550.00

Young Eagle Score Board

Eaa Chapter 18	3,170
Fritz Jorgenson	678
Jerome Proell	497
Eric Whyte	350
Mike Woods	284
Andrew Nazimek	168

Minutes Continued

14. It's described as a grass roots fly-in.

Business was ended and break was taken. After break, a very interesting program was presented by Alan Jesmer of Precision Airmotive. He reported on his company's fuel injection system and also their FADEC system for experimental aircraft. Visit their website: **precisionairmotive.com** for more information.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:05pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Jim Hatzenbeller (Secretary)

The editor desperately needs your help. I am looking for short descriptions and photos of your project and progress. Please send them to me at holdshort@me.com. Your participation is greatly appreciated!

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