

Flight Line 101

Family Night Meeting

Schaumburg Regional Airport

Tuesday, June 17, 2008

6:30 P.M.

Our June meeting is Family Night. Bring your family and appetite and join your fellow 101ers for an evening of good food, fun and fellowship. We'll serve a casual pot luck supper beginning at 6:30 P.M.

You're invited to bring your favorite dish (appetizers, desserts, salads) to add to our meal.

Family Night is our version of a picnic—indoors, no bees, no ants, no rain, no wind —just a relaxed, fun get-together giving everyone plenty of time to visit and catch up on the latest. We may even have some door prizes or raffles to round out the evening.

Don't forget the earlier starting time—6:30 P.M.



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101 Young Eagle Rally at Joliet Airport



**Butch Bejna and his
1400 Young Eagle**



**Joliet Young Eagle Rally—May 31st.
Mario Ponton and Young Eagles
(Photos by Chuck Soumar)**

The President's Page

.....by John Nowicki



Something to Think About.....

This month I thought I'd do something a little different. No updates, no safety speech, (but be careful anyway), no Coupe Chronicles and no story or joke of the month.

When Sue was on the internet recently, she came across a poem that she shared with me. I felt I had to share it with all of you and all who receive this newsletter.

The poem was written by Ms. Bertha Brown. You may have heard of her and maybe even seen or heard this poem before but, even if you have, it's worthwhile hearing again.

It's not for the money, it's not for the fame
It's not for any personal gain
It's just for the love of a fellow man
It's just to lend a helping hand
That's something you can't buy with wealth
It's not medals won with pride
It's that feeling deep inside
It's that reward down in your heart.
It's that feeling that you've been a part of helping others far and near that makes you a volunteer.

This poem describes all of us to some extent but, more importantly, it describes why. So when someone asks you why you volunteer at our local and national events as well as community events, you might pass this along to them. I don't believe you need any further explanation. →

Speaking of Volunteers.....

The ground crew and pilots who donated their time to help make our recent (May 31st & June 1st.) very busy Young Eagles weekend such a success deserve a special mention. Another item worth mentioning is that it was great to see so many of our younger members helping out. 50% of the ground crew volunteers were under the age of 19.

Ground Crew Volunteers at Joliet (May 31st.)

Dan Harvey
Dave Harvey
Matt Harvey
Connie Bos
Mike Sayles
Nick Sayles
George Northam
Mickey Sayles
Cindy Thompson
Dave Thompson
Kaley Matter
Stephanie Sather
Kathy Thompson

Dick Cimino
Val Vallender
Kelsey Trydal
Lee Vallender
Chris Andrae
Johnny Nowicki

Pilots at Joliet (May 31st.)

Lou Bos
Butch Bejna
Bob Zbonski
Steve Matter
Bob Bentley
Kevin Reardon
Rich Pool
Joe Miller
Ray Luttrell
Gary Latronica
John Nowicki
Cynthia Madsen
Skip Meyers
Tom Buck

Steve Sievert Jr.
Mario Ponton

Ground Crew at Schaumburg (June 1st)

Chris Cato
Erik Trydal
Connie Bos
Ed Iwanski
George Northam
Cindy Thompson
Kelsey Trydal
Dave Thompson
Kathy Thompson
Betty Iwanski
Tom Thompson

Pilots at Schaumburg (June 1st.)

Mario Ponton
Lou Bos
Chuck Soumar
Butch Bejna

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Next Meeting

Tuesday June 17, 2008

7:30 P.M.

Schaumburg Regional Airport

Schaumburg Regional Airport is located approximately one mile west of Roselle/Bloomington Road on Irving Park Road at Wright Boulevard.

Chapter meetings are always held on the third Tuesday of the month in the terminal building (in the 'Meeting Room') at Schaumburg Regional Airport. Everyone is welcome. Bring a guest.

June Meeting Family Night

Continuing the tradition, our June meeting will be Family Night. Check page 1 for details.

May Meeting Notes

The meeting was called to order at 7:32 P.M by John Nowicki. The minutes of the previous meeting and the treasurer's report were accepted.

The business meeting was abbreviated in order to give our guest speaker plenty of time for his presentation.

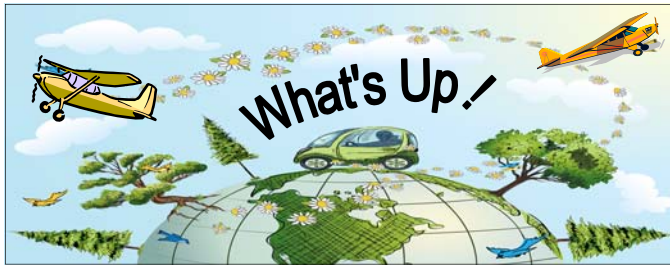
John introduced the new feature of our meetings—a roll-over raffle. The prize is a one-year membership in EAA and a weekly entry to Oshkosh AirVenture '08.

Roll-over raffle: The first drawing in the roll-over raffle took place at this meeting. There was no winner.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 P.M. followed by a presentation by Alan Jesmer from Precision Airmotive LLC.

Submitted by Dolores Neunteufel

Aviation 101: A fool and his money are soon flying more airplane than he can handle.



BIRTHDAYS: Happy Birthday to Connie Bos, Tom Thompson, Ed Bendickson, Gordon Hanson, Betty Iwanski, Carol MacCabe and to all celebrating a birthday in June.

NEWSLETTER: Thanks for all your contributions to our newsletter. Keep sending your items, cartoons, photos and articles to 333 W. Fullerton Ave, Addison, IL 60101—Phone: 630-543-6743—FAX: 630-543-9748 or email: eaa101@sbcglobal.net. The deadline for our June newsletter is July 8, 2008

ROLL-OVER RAFFLE: At our April meeting we started something new—a roll-over raffle. The prize is a one-year membership in EAA plus a weekly flight line pass to Oshkosh AirVenture 2008.

SAD NEWS: We're very sorry to report that Ed Hausermann died last week. For several years, Ed and wife, Paula hosted our Chapter Christmas parties at their facility, Hausermann's Orchids. Ed was 91.

We're also sorry to report that Gregg Erikson's wife, Letty passed away last week. Gregg is a member of Chapter 153 and has presented several programs at our meetings.

FREE RAFFLE: We'll have a free raffle or two at this meeting.

EVENTS



June 17, 2008, Chapter 101 Family Night

July 6, 2008—Chapter 101 Young Eagles—Schaumburg Regional Airport

July 12 & 13, 2008—Chapter 101 Oshkosh work party

July 15, 2008—Chapter 101 Meeting

July 28 – Aug. 3, 2008—2008 Oshkosh AirVenture

August 10—Chapter 101 Young Eagles—Schaumburg regional Airport

WEBSITE: Our chapter web site is up and running again thanks to Chris Cato, Glenn Linde and Ed Bendickson. Check it out. It's not fully complete yet, but it's a great start. Much more information will be added soon. If you have ideas of what should be listed on the web site, let us know.

ANNIVERSARIES: 101ers have certainly lived up to the idea of June as the month of weddings. John and Linda Ditch, Lou and Connie Bos, Tom and Marjean Thompson, John and Sue Nowicki, Ed and Betty Iwanski, Joan and Wilbur Hish, and Hubert and Alison Curry are all celebrating wedding anniversaries this month. Congratulations!

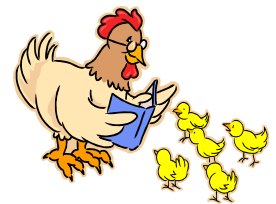
SILK SCREEN: At our July meeting we will be silk screening our chapter logo on shirts, jackets, etc. Just bring your items to be screened (with hangers) to the July meeting. You'll be able to take them home the same night.

HAPPENINGS: Ron and Bunny Laade are proud grandparents of a baby boy born last month.....Glenn and Kathy Linde also welcomed a new grandchild into their family.

THANKS TO

Chris Cato, Kathy Thompson, Chuck Soumar, Cindy Thompson, Ron Laade, Windy Miller and Connie Bos for their contributions to this newsletter

Chick Chatter



The Chicks are taking the summer off and will convene again in August or September. There's just too much going on in the next two months plus we don't have any pressing projects to work on so we can take a break.

We're still investigating the possibility of making some charitable items such as premie gowns and blankets for premature babies or lap blankets for invalid veterans or cancer patients.

If you have ideas for other projects, let us know.

Ads are published free to chapter members. They will run for three months unless otherwise specified.

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FOR SALE: Sportsman 24 ft. trailer and Ford Clubwagon tow vehicle. Great for Oshkosh. Both for \$8,900.00. 630-469-7297.

FOR SALE: Share in Champion Flyers. Call 630-543-6743

WIN AN ARTIC-CAT 650

EAA Chapter 1177 in Palmyra, Wisconsin is raffling off an Artic-Cat 650 1x1 ATV with plow and trailer. Valued at more than \$8,400.

Proceeds are going toward building an aviation educational facility at Palmyra Airport.

Tickets are 10.00 each or 3 for 25.00. A maximum of 5,000 tickets will be sold.

Contact Rick Martin at ricknsharons@gmail.com or 262-495-2898 for more information

101 OSHKOSH WORK PARTY ~ JULY 12 & 13

It's that time again. Our Oshkosh Work Party is less than a month away. Make your plans to attend now so you won't miss the fun. To quote Kathy Thompson, "It's a good time all weekend, not to mention the fact that it's pretty neat to see the grounds pre-AirVenture. What a difference!"

Most of us will be arriving in Oshkosh on Friday afternoon, July 11th. You can bring your campers, tents, etc. And stay in the campground or stay in the bunkhouse (Bring your own towels, sleeping bags, etc.)

EAA provides meals on Saturday and Sunday. On Friday evening we all get together and go to our favorite Oshkosh restaurant for dinner.

Our work party is near enough to the starting date of AirVenture that we get to participate in a lot of last-minute jobs that help make the event perfect. For example,

a few years ago, we installed the flooring in the Member Village, painted the Theater in the Woods building, constructed flower boxes, moved picnic tables, touched up the paint on several buildings and several other jobs that needed to get done before opening day. As you can see, there's a job for every skill level.



EAA sponsors and volunteer raffle so you'll have a chance to win a \$25.00 gift certificate.

Saturday evening will feature a special program, "A visit with EAA Founder, Paul Poberezny at the Aeroplane Factory". He will share some of his memories of the early days of EAA and will open his private hangar known as the Aeroplane Hangar" for a behind-the-scenes look.

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Bob Zbonski	24	Glenn Linde	126
Ed Wolter	1	Ron Laade	22
Francis Wolfe	3	Kurt Lawson	10
William S. Widden	6	Bob Krone	3
Norm Wandke	129	Michael Kerwin	11
Ron Wagner	6	Robert Karton	58
Bob Wagner	10	Steve Jans	7
Tom Thompson	9	Bob Jaeger	24
Erik Taylor	6	Dave Hinkelman	137
Paul Tanzar	4	Steve Hauptert	149
Mark Streitz	16	Dave Harvey	21
Tim Stencil	3	Victor Hanson	5
Chuck Soumar	75	Steve Hammond	355
Sam Slocum	2	Bob Haney	7
Bryan Sill	133	James Hall	6
Stephen Sievert	41	Ed Hall	6
Ben Scola	261	John Fitzgerald	23
Bob Richards	12	Will Fann	23
Kevin Reardon	15	Mike Eannarino	93
Darrel Puls	2	John Ditchie	33
Richard Pool	5	Bob DeMerrit	6
Mario Ponton	362	Russell Danwin	26
Joseph Pate	5	Hubert Curry	11
John Nowicki	97	John Cuellar	88
George Northam	55	Chris Coltrin	34
Mike Neunteufel	112	Krista Coltrin	4
Ken Miess	76	Larry Coltrin	4
Skip Meyers	97	Tim Coltrin	217
Reinhard Metz	11	Gordon Clark	10
Keith McNab	33	Rhonda Buss	357
Patrick McIntyre	32	Jim Burnham	2
Steve Mrowczynski	247	George Brunkalla	16
Joe Mayer	147	Lou Bos	276
Steve Matter	79	Bill Borgstrom	20
Cynthia Madsen	106	Bob Bentley	51
Ken Machynia	146	Tom Buck	4
Ray Luttrell	15	Butch Bejna	1141

given flights by fifteen EAA pilots. The often quiet airport turned into a bustling hub of airplanes of all types of airplanes taking off and landing on Runway 30. With the help of twenty ground crew volunteers, the day started at 10:00 a.m. and continued at a brisk pace for the next five hours. Kids from all around the area waited anxiously for their turn to take to the skies. With safety always the key word, 101ers kept up the pace signing in and escorting the Eagles out to each waiting airplane with ease and efficiency. A special Young Eagle milestone occurred during the rally and went almost unnoticed. Our own Robert "Butch" Bejna recorded his 1,400 flight. What makes the event so special is that he made all of those flights in his Cessna 150, one Eagle at a time. Congratulations, Butch! Also, Cynthia Madsen recorded her 100th. Young Eagle flight.

After all the flights were given on Saturday, 101ers packed up all their forms and certificates and moved over to Schaumburg Airport for another rally held on Sunday at 06C. With another perfect day for flying, the chapter ground crew volunteers and pilots waited for the next group of excited kids to show up for their flights. They weren't disappointed when another 58 flights were given. This time the pilots were given a real work out because all of the 58 Young Eagles were flown by four pilots. As they always are, patience and safety were the key words for this rally. Again, another four hours of flying and coordinating all the kids for their flights tested the skills of all the chapter volunteers.

After two days of buzzing airplanes in the sky and excited smiling kids all around, everyone looked back and felt the joy of sharing their aviation lifestyle with families and kids from all around. Thank you to all the volunteers and pilots who gave of their time and experience to make it all happen. →

Young Eagles Report

By Chuck Soumar

Our EAA Chapter 101 members took advantage of a beautiful weekend of flying weather on Saturday, May 31st. and Sunday, June 1st. To hold two Young Eagle Rallies. Saturday's was "Mike's Rally", named in the memory of Mike Neunteufel, who was instrumental in getting the annual Young Eagle Rallies going at the Joliet Park District Airport (JOT) located in Joliet, Illinois.

With clear skies and a bit of a breeze, 182 eager Young Eagles were

Next Young Eagles Rally

Sunday, July 6, 2008—11:30—2:30
Schaumburg Regional Airport

Contact Chuck Soumar—708-788-6390 for more information or to schedule. Come out and help if you can. It's always a fun day and lunch is served for volunteers.