

Flight Line 101

The President's Page

.....by John Nowicki



Happy New Year

Happy New Year to all. Hopefully all of you had a safe healthy and happy Holiday season and now ready to get the year moving. This year like the ones in the past will have some interesting challenges and opportunities in store for us. To start with, we would like to get some feedback from the Chapter as to what was thought of last years programs at the meetings, what would you like to see as future program topics, and equally important, what you don't want to see. Hopefully this in itself will not be a challenge to obtain.

Second, we have the years activities to plan, so start thinking about our Young Eagles program, our chapter dinner and any other things you feel should be placed on the calendar.

The third and most important is the issues we face as pilots that may effect our hobby. I have some news on potential regulation changes from a legal perspective I will share with you at the meeting. When notices of proposed rule making are introduced, it will be important this year as in the past for all of us to respond to them. Stay in touch with the current events. Read the aviation publications. Big Brother wants to be sure we know he is watching.

Good News

The statistics are starting to become published on safety records for aviation in general. The skies are getting safer, there have been fewer accidents within Commercial, Business, and General aviation in 2007 than 2006. However, toward the end of 2007 we came close to having general aviation slip out of the preceding statement.

What has been on the rise are incidents involving aircraft and airports with no fatalities our major injuries. Do your part. Be safe and think before you fly. Don't become a statistic.

Coupe Chronicles

I am in need of a oil tank for my C85-12 engine. If you have a line on one or a dip stick from an O-200 I would appreciate a call.

I found out I need to reseal my fuel tanks. Anyone have any ideas other than sending them out to John Wright let me know. He charges \$500 per tank. He remove the rivets and the skin, check for any corrosion, re-skins the tanks, replaces all the rivets, and chemically seals the tanks. If you want them re-skinned with new aluminum, it will set you back \$700 each. →



Joke of the Month

Seen at Oshkosh—A fiberglass port-a-potty at with the message, "I could have been a Glassair!" written on it?

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Next Meeting

Tuesday, January 15, 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.

Program

Mike Stadfeld of Woodlake Refinishing at Sandwich Airport will be our guest speaker at this meeting. He will bring us up-to-date information on the dos and donts of how to get the best paint job on your airplane.

December Meeting Notes

The meeting was called to order at 7:32 P.M by Dave Thompson. The minutes and treasurer's report were accepted.

Dave announced that we are trying to schedule a Builder's Night for late January. He also announced that a sheet metal workshop is scheduled for January or February at Clow Airport. (More details on these events will be given at the January meeting)

Raffle: A Blue Angels DVD, donated by Rudy Gasperich, was won bny Jim White.

The meeting adjourned at 8:14 P.M. followed by the program presented by Ed Godfrey.

Submitted by:
Dolores Neunteufel, Secretary



BIRTHDAYS: Happy Birthday to Lou Bos, George Brunkalla, Bob Krone, John Whanger, Bob Bentley and to all celebrating a birthday in January.

NEWSLETTER: Thanks for all your contributions to our newsletter during

2007. Keep sending your news items, cartoons, photos and articles to 333 W. Fullerton Ave, Addison, IL 60101 – Phone: 630-543-6743 – FAX: 630-543-9748 – e-mail: eaa101@sbcglobal.net. The deadline for our February newsletter is February 8, 2008.

FREE RAFFLE: Jim White won the December free raffle. His prize was a Blue Angels DVD donated by Rudy Gasperich. Thanks, Rudy. We'll have another free raffle at this meeting

JANUARY PROGRAM: Mike Stadfeld of Woodlake Refinishing at Sandwich Airport will be our guest speaker at our January meeting and will bring us all the latest information on how to get the best paint job on your airplane.

CHAPTER BANQUET: Our chapter banquet will be coming up soon—probable date will be Saturday, March 22. The Chapter Chicks are working on decorations for the party. We can always use some door prizes. If you have any ideas or suggestions about how to make the banquet entertaining and fun, please let us know. We'll have more information about the dinner at this meeting.

ANNIVERSARY: Happy Anniversary to Tonee and Ellen Northam who are celebrating a wedding anniversary this month.

EVENTS

January 15, 2008—Chapter 101 Meeting

January 26, 2008—Annual EAA Skiplane Fly-in at Pioneer Airport, Oshkosh

February 19, 2008—Chapter 101 meeting

April 6, 2006—Chapter 101 Young Eagles Rally

April 8-17, 2008—Sun 'n Fun

July 28 - August 3, 2008—AirVenture Oshkosh



Thanks To

Glenn Linde, Skip Meyers, Kathy Thompson and Cindy Thompson for their contributions to this newsletter.

Glenn & Kathy Linde Proud Grandparents !!



Kathy Linde (left) holding new grandson, Alexander Glenn Linde-Marin. Alex was born on December 28th at 12:10 A.M. Also pictured are Glenn and Kathy's daughters Erin (left) and new mom, Sarah.

CHAPTER CHICKS

Next meeting:
Thursday, February 7, 2008
333 W. Fullerton Ave
Addison, IL.
7:30 P.M.



Our next project will be making centerpieces for chapter dinner which will be in March. We found a cute idea at AirVenture last year and will probably duplicate that as a party favor. We still need an idea for the centerpieces, so if you know of something we can make, let us know.

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

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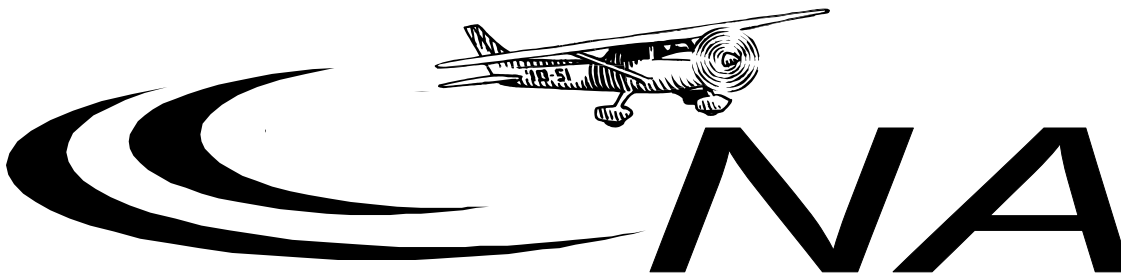
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FOR SALE: Pulsar. Oshkosh Champion. Rotax 582 engine, GSC ground adjustable prop, VFR panel with Terra mini avionics, TTA&E480 hrs.

Fresh Annual with sale. \$30,000.00. Mark Burrow—816-795-8871.

FOR SALE: Used Lycoming oil filter spin-on adapter, like new, fits most Lycomings. FAA, PMA. \$200—906-770-1368.

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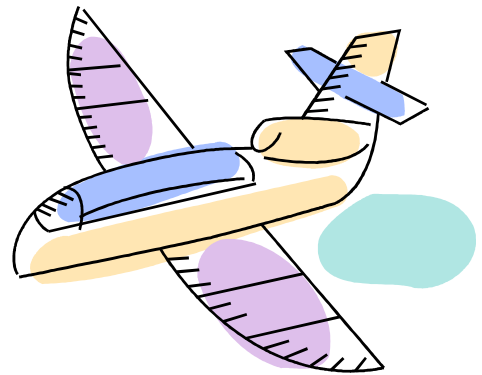
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Norm Wandke	129	Michael Kerwin	11
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Tom Thompson	9	Bob Jaeger	24
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Ken Miess	76	Larry Coltrin	4
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Keith McNab	33	Rhonda Buss	357
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More information, including prices, can be found on EAA's web site.

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A total of 336 Young Eagles were flown by Chapter 101 pilots in 2007.

Mario Ponton.....	8
Joe Mayer	16
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Young Eagles

Soon we will be receiving the Young Eagle credits earned by our pilots who flew 10 or more Young Eagles during 2007. We would like to out these toward a partial scholarship for a young person who would like to attend one of the EAA Air Academy Camps. If you know of someone who would like to attend, please let us know as soon as possible.

There are three options available: Young Eagle Camp—age 12—13
Basic Camp—age 14—15
Advanced camp—age 16—18.

Next Young Eagle Rally

Sunday, April 6, 2008
11:30 – 2:30

Schaumburg Regional Airport
Contact Chuck Soumar—708-788-6390
for Young Eagle information. Lunch will be served for volunteers. Come out and join in the fun.