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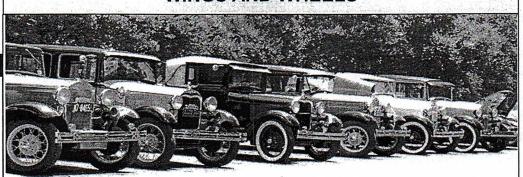
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#### WINGS AND WHEELS



#### By Dave Baker

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Our upcoming November event The time promises to be a very exciting midfollows: day gathering.

We will have a group of Model A enthusiasts driving out to the airpark to participate in some photo opportunities, our chili cookout competition and, an important piece of official business, the election of Officers.

The events will kick off at 11 am when we will gather to admire the modal A's and take photos of them with antique, classic, modern and home built aircraft. We should get some great photos and meet some interesting folks.

Gail and her crew will also be setting up clubhouse for the Chili cook off competition.

This year all guests and members will vote of the best chili of the day. We welcome all types of chili from the classic Texas style to the vegetarian. Bring your best and your friends will judge it on its merits.

The time line for the day will be as follows:

- Initial gathering of Model A's and Airplanes at the EAA club house 11:00 AM
- Set up and start of the annual Chili Cook-off in the club house 12:00 PM
- Chili Served and votes taken:
   12:30
- Winners announced 1:15 PM
- Chapter Meeting 1:30
- Election of Officers
- New Business
- BOD Mtg 2:00 PM

Do you fly a **vintage airplane**, or something that looks vintage? (You **biplane** flyers know what I'm talking about)

Would you like to participate in a meetand-greet and **photo opportunity** with the Alamo A's vintage Ford **Model A** enthusiasts group?

Bring your plane out to the Chapter clubhouse Saturday November 12th at 11:00. See you there!

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#### PRESIDENT'S COCKPIT

#### By Dave Baker

Here we are into November. This year has really flown by (pun intended) for me and I have two more months to serve as your President. The last two years have seen quite a few changes for our Chapter, we paid off the Hangar note, increased membership, aguired more tools for the hangar and are on a pretty good financial standing. A lot of people have really contributed to all of this success. I can't start to name all of you for fear of leaving someone out. I do want to express my personal THANK YOU to all of you and you know who you are---you're the backbone of this chapter, the people who never have to be asked, the people who always show up for any of the tasks that the chapter needs to have completed, the ones who are always there to help with the Hondo Fly-in and other fly-in or aviation events, the ones who help Gail with the meal preps and clean-up afterwards, the ones who volunteer to mentor another on aircraft construction, aircraft flight and just to be a sounding board for ideas, opinions, etc. We are so very fortunate to have the caliber and depth of talented people in our chapter. It would take an Aeronautical curriculm type University to produce the people we have in our chapter! Yes, we are a very fortunate EAA Chapter and proud to be as well.

Our November meeting will be another spin-off of the "Wings & Wheels" event we had a couple of years back (see brochure elsewhere in this newsletter). This time it will feature Antique Autos from a local club. I understand there will be some very beautiful, high quality maintained autos here. We will try to locate some around our different aircraft types to get some pictures. It promises to be a fun and entertaining afternoon. Then we will have our annual "Chili cookoff" and vote on your favorite chili.

Next comes our business portion of the meeting.

We will elect the Officers for the next two years to guide our chapter. We have a slate of candidates that is very impressive, I think you will agree: President- Nelson Amen; Vice President- Doug Apsey, Secretary- B.J. O'Dea and Treasurer- Dee Brame (who will be serving her third or fourth term). The future looks great and PLEASE, when called upon by this Team to help our chapter, be ready, willing and able to do your part in improving our chapter, what ever the task is.

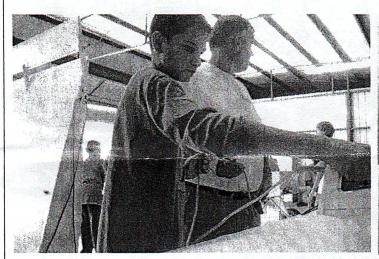
After the regular business meeting I will hold a very short Board of Director's meeting. The only business to be conducted is to set a meeting with the new staff to plan the calendar for the next year. If you have something and / or someone you would like to have presented to the chapter for inclusion in next years calendar, please present it to the BOD at this time.

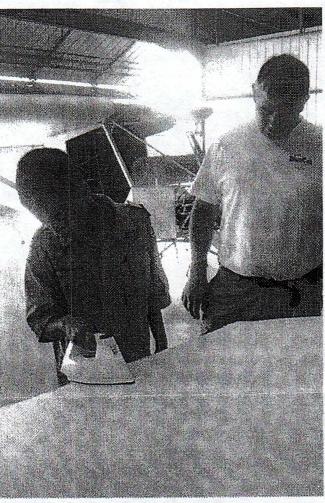
Now, our Christmas Party will be held at the clubhouse on Saturday, December 10th starting at 5:00 pm for a social hour and then our meal will be served at 6:00 pm. Gail Scheidt has a great menu set-up (see brochure elsewhere in this newsletter) which will be catered by Arcadiana Cafe (no it won't be crawfish & gumbo !!). The price will remain the same as last year, \$25.00 per person and will include the complete meal, iced tea or coffee and a desert. I will have a short presentation of some awards to some very deserving individuals and then we will have our "White Elephant" gift exchange--Remember, limit the gifts to around \$ 10.00 and DO NOT bring something you would not want to receive yourself, please. WE will limit the # of attendees to 70 so please pay for your tickets at the November meeting or send your check made payable to EAA Chapter 35, Inc, for the Christmas dinner to Dee Brame at 103 Box Oak, Shavano Park, TX 78230 as soon as you can. Thanks for your support.

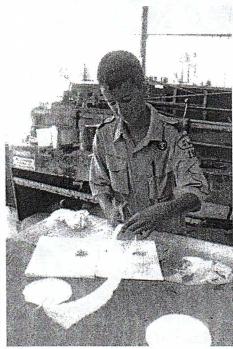
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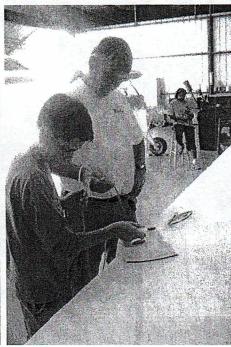
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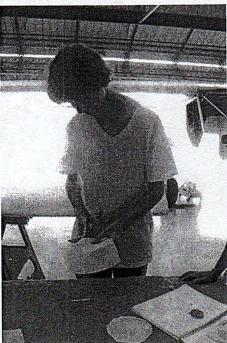
The October Builder's Academy class was on Oct 15, attended by 3 students. We completed the ironing of the wing fabric on the wing we covered last month. All the aircrft fabric is now installed and ironed. Next month starts the polybrush effort on both wings. The students continue to be outnumbered by the adult instructors: Bob Severance, Maarten Versteeg, Louis Viggiano, and Mike Lovelace. Next meeting is Nov 19 (3rd Saturday, 1-4pm). Photos attached are from Bob Severance.





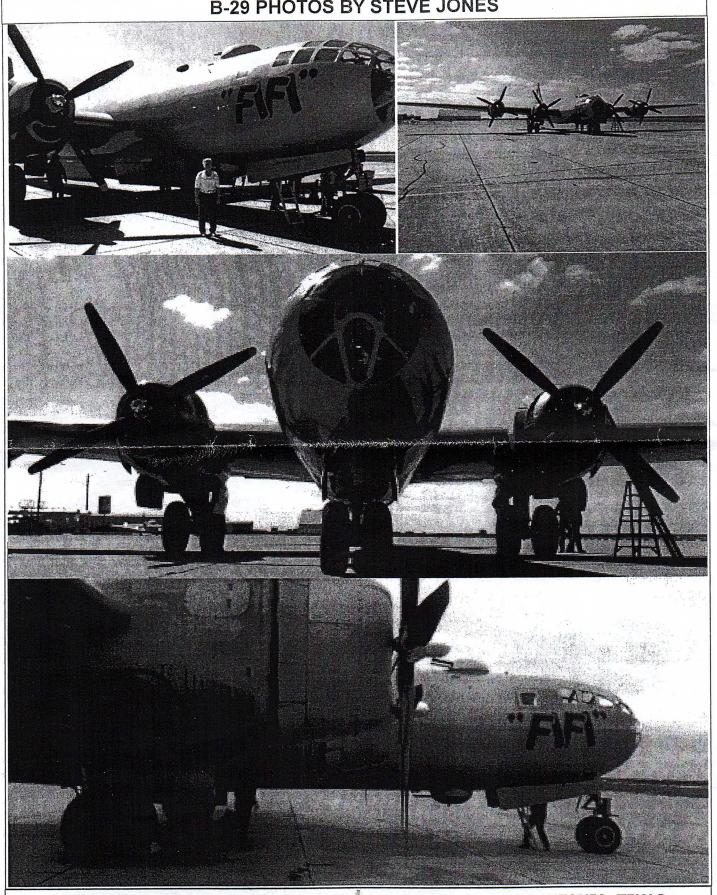






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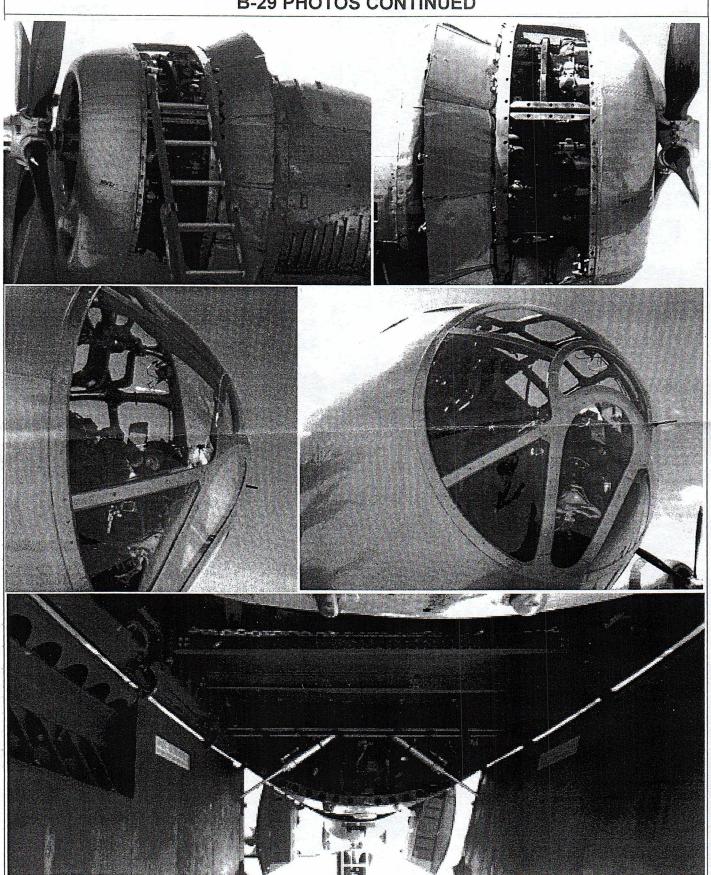
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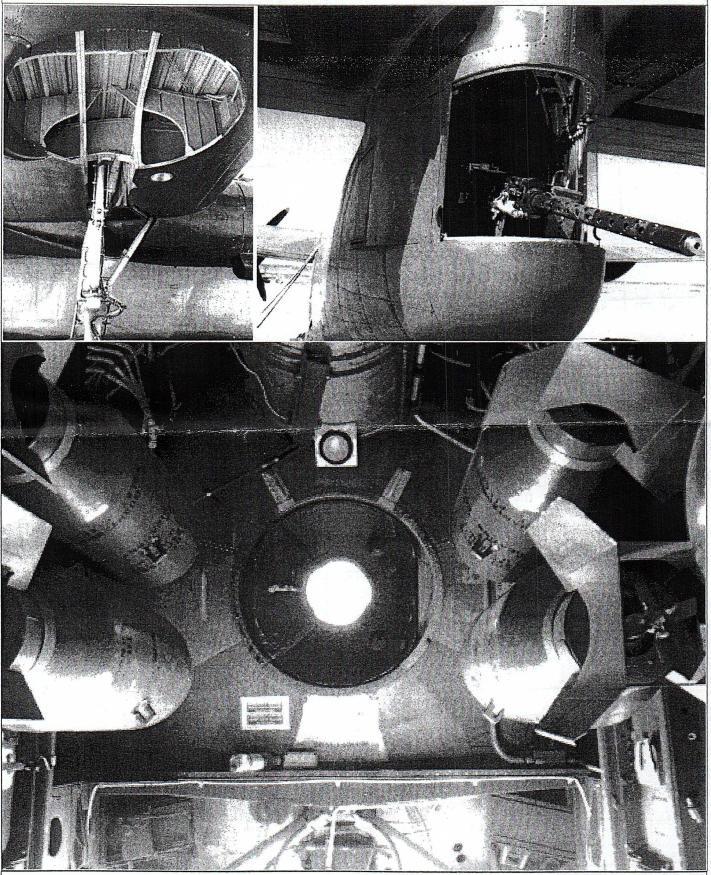
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#### CHAPTER CALENDAR

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MAY	14	Yard Work party	10:00am at Club house Lunch at 12:00		
	21	HONDO FLY-IN	Chapter 35 parking aircraft		
JUNE	11	CHAPTER PICNIC	BURGERS/DOGS/FIX'NGS @ 12:00		
		YOUNG EAGLE FLYING	9:00 Briefing		
	18	Pilots and Ground Crew needed	10:00 Flying		
JULY	9	BREAKFAST FLY-IN AND GREY/BALD EAGLE FLIGHTS	EAA Club House 8:00-11:00		
	25-31	EAA Convention	OSH		
AUGUST	13	AEROCOMFORT INTERIOR CONVERSIONS AND UPDATES Jacob Puente	5:30 DINNER 6:30 MEETING		
SEPTEMBER	10	BREAKFAST FLY-IN EVENT Head Chef, Prep Cooks, Servers Needed	EAA Club House 8:00-11:00		
	17	YOUNG EAGLES Pilots and Ground Crew needed	9:00 Briefing 10:00 Flying		
OCTOBER	8	FLOOR NOMINATION FOR 2012 OFFICERS	5:30 DINNER		
		Air Academy Report  By Kirkland Monagden	6:30 MEETING		
NOVEMBER	12	MODEL A PHOTO OP CHILI COOKOFF ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS BOD MEETING	11:00 12:30 1:30 2:00		
DECEMBER	10	CHRISTMAS BANQUET & WHITE ELEPHANT GIFT EXCHANGE	SOCIAL HOUR @ 6:00PM		
	17	BSA Merit Badge Flying	9:00 Briefing10:00 Flying10:00 Flying		
JANUARY	14	Program TBA BOD Meeting	1000 Lunch 12:00 - 1:30		

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FOR SALE: Zenith 601 XL Quick build kit. Wings, Rudder, Tail feathers complete. On landing gear. too much to list \$25,000.00. wing mod needs to be completed. If done by approved site I will reduce price by \$5,000.00. A/C located in Lakehills TX. Al Lewallen 619-884-9285

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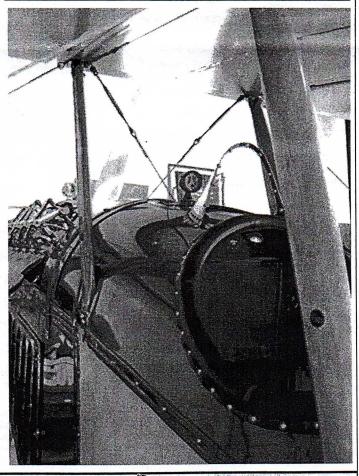
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#### **CHRISTMAS BANQUET MENU**

Acadiana Cafe will be catering the Christmas Banquet at the Chapter Clubhouse December 10th. Dinner begins at 6:00 PM and service continues through 7:30.

#### The menu is:

- Cajun Fried Turkey Breast
- Honey Baked Ham
- Cornbread Dressing
- Glblet Gravy
- Mashed Potatoes
- Green Beans
- Cranberry Sauce
- Dinner Rolls
- Pumpkin and/or Pecan Pie



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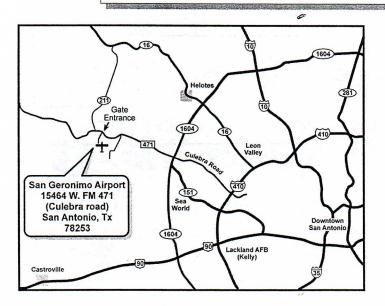
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#### When Do You Meet?

Second Saturday of the Month

#### **NOVEMBER 12h**

- MODEL A PHOTO OP 11:00
- CHILI COOKOFF 12:30
- ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS 1:30
- BOD MEETING 2:00