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# The Frederick Flyer

# President's Message

Greetings, EAA Chapter 524 Members and Friends,

ay has been an interesting month for weather. Every time I had a chance to go to the airport, it was raining, cold or windy.





Our Chapter pancake breakfast May 13th was cold and rainy but those of us who made it sure were happy to have the Chapter house to stay warm and dry! It was a great breakfast with about sixteen people attending. We had a great time looking over the Cub project. Jerry Blake spent quite a bit of his time answering questions and explaining in detail the project. I would say a good time was had by all. Thank you to Jerry for being so willing to share his knowledge of the project with us.





June is just around the corner and I hope it will bring better weather for events at the airport. Our Chapter will host the electrical workshop June 3rd & 4th, anyone who has time to help would appreciated. Details will be presented at the Chapter meeting June 1st along with a sign-up sheet. AOPA will host Wings 'n Wheels June 10th. The Air Race Classic takeoff is June 20th and our Chapter will have a fabric covering workshop the weekend of June 24th. Along with graduations, weddings and other family outings, the month will be full of fun!

I hope to see many of you at some of these events.

Mark Gosselin EAA Chapter 524 President



# June Program

For our June meeting we have Nick Sabo, Assistant Airport Manager, giving us an update on the construction going on here at the Frederick airport. Come learn about all the details happening to expand our airfield.





As Mark mentioned in his opening letter, we are hosting not one, but two SportAir workshops in our hangar next month. Electrical Systems & Avionics is on the weekend of June 3-4 and Fabric Covering on June 24-25. Our Workshops Coordinator, Rex Bullinger is looking for some volunteers to help with the setup of the first workshop on Friday, June 2 at around 10 a.m. If you are planning on coming to the June meeting, you can volunteer by filling out a sign-up sheet there. If you can't make the meeting but would be willing to help Rex out, you can contact him directly. His contact information can be found in the masthead of this newsletter.

# **May Board Minutes**

11 May 2017

Meeting brought to order at 7:03 p.m. by Mark Gosselin

Present were Mark G., Doug Kelly, Jack Fromm, Ernie O'Roark, Erick Webb

Weather not looking good for Saturday's pancake breakfast. Ernie has things pushed out of the way. The only thing in the way is the airplane itself. Jerry will supervise the movement of the fuselage, etc.

Mark G. looking for a 10x10 tent to put over the griddle for making pancakes. Erick will supply the griddle and whatever accessories can be found at the AOPA warehouse. Erick will check at NACC to see if there's a 10x10 tent available. Mark has all other things for the breakfast.

Dave sent Mark information regarding Air Race Classic that will be sent out in a mini newsletter. June 3 and 4 is the electrical workshop; we need volunteers.

Mark G. reminded the board that a nominating committee needs to be formed because this is an election year. If anyone would like to volunteer for a board position, all are welcome to submit themselves for running in the election.

Mark G. asked the board if they had read the Chapter bylaws and hangar use policy; those who offered opinions said that both are sufficient as they are now, but hangar use policy should be reinforced.

Mark G. asked if the banquet location was good enough to warrant our return next year. There were no objections. The board will begin the search for another speaker for the banquet that would draw a good crowd.

Ernie and Jerry will be available to help Rex when the shipment for the workshop arrives.

Mark G. will arrive at the hangar at 7:00 a.m. to get started with setup and cooking.

Meeting adjourned at 7:35 p.m.

Submitted,

Erick Webb, Secretary

# Wings 'n Wheels

May 2017

On the second Saturday of next month, AOPA will be hosting their very popular Wings 'n Wheels event at the NACC. See their flyer below. If you're still in the volunteering spirit, you can also help out at this event by checking out the opportunties at their event web page.





# **Air Race Classic 2017**

Below is a message from Dave McKinney requesting volunteer help for the Air Race Classic. If you weren't at the Chapter meeting last week, please read his message below for details. If you are interested in volunteering, please sign up at the link he provides.

Thanks to all.

Mark,

I'm Dave McKinney, the airport liaison at FDK for the 99's Air Race Classic. Racers start arriving on Thursday, 15 June, and launch on Tuesday, 20 June. I'm serving as the "Air Boss," setting the parking and taxi plans and serving as liaison between the pilots, the race staff, and the FBO, tower, and airfield staff. Any assistance your chapter members can offer is most certainly welcome, especially on Race Day.

Thank you for the opportunity to speak at your chapter meeting. I hope some of the members are interested in volunteering for at least some of the race activities; their knowledge and experience will be very useful.

As I said at the meeting, anyone who wants to volunteer needs to register on the Air Race Classic website. The site address is <a href="http://www.airraceclassic.org/race-information.htm">http://www.airraceclassic.org/race-information.htm</a>. Click on the Log In link to get registered and sign up as a volunteer. The names will go to our volunteer coordinator. When people sign up, be sure they state what they want to do. I'm looking for flightline help, but we also need help in other areas, too.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns. Thanks again for the chance to talk to the team. I can't wait to see the Piper when it's finished!

All the Best,

Dave McKinney



## **Upcoming Events**

### **Chapter Meetings**

June 1, 2017 @ 7:00 p.m. — Membership Meeting June 8, 2017 @ 7:00 p.m. — Board Meeting

#### **Other Events**

June 10, 2017, 10:00 - 2:00 — Wings 'n Wheels KFDK June 17-25, 2017 — 99s Air Race Classic, starts from KFDK July 8, 2017 — Chapter 524 Picnic

### Chapter Program Schedule — 2017

| Month                    | Program   |  |  |
|--------------------------|---|--|--|
| January                  | Aviation Insurance Resources — Jon Shimer               |  |  |
| February                 | The Lightweight Fighter Program — Dean Stickell         |  |  |
| March                    | Banquet: Aircraft Restoration at NASM — Anne McCombs    |  |  |
| April                    | Lightning Effects on Aircraft — Dan Morris              |  |  |
| May                      | 3rd-Class Medical Reform & Sun 'n Fun Recap - Mark P.   |  |  |
| June                     | FDK Construction Update — Nick Sabo, Asst. Airport Mgr. |  |  |
| I .                      |   |  |  |
| July                     | No meeting.   |  |  |
| July<br>August           | No meeting.  A Career in Aviation — Tom Young           |  |  |
|                          | A Career in Aviation — Tom Young                        |  |  |
| August                   | A Career in Aviation — Tom Young                        |  |  |
| August<br>September      | A Career in Aviation — Tom Young  TBD                   |  |  |
| August September October | A Career in Aviation — Tom Young  TBD  TBD              |  |  |

#### Refreshment Volunteers — 2017

Here is a list of volunteers supplying refreshments for 2017. The Board of Directors thanks you for your support ( and munchies).

| January  | Jack Fromm   | July      | N/A         |
|----------|--------------|-----------|-------------|
| February | Jack Fromm   | August    | TBD         |
| March    | N/A          | September | Jerry Blake |
| April    | TBD          | October   | TBD         |
| May      | Rex & Sharon | November  | TBD         |
| June     | Erick Webb   | December  | TBD         |

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Vacant

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# Workshops

### EAA SportAir Workshops at the AEC

Electrical Systems – June 3-4, 2017 Fabric Covering – June 24-25, 2017

#### **EAA Events**

Go to EAA Events at: http://www.eaa.org/news

Go to EAA Aviation Calendar of Events at: http://www.eaa.org/calendar

Go to AirVenture at: http://www.airventure.org/index.html

Go to EAA SportAir Workshops at: http://www.eaa.org/sportair

### **Chapter Website**

The EAA Chapter 524 website can be found at: www.524.eaachapter.org.

The website has contact information and details about current Chapter events.

Also on the website, you can find archived newsletters and a membership join/renewal form.

## Chapter Facebook Page

You can find us on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/EAA524

# Chapter Meeting Location and Time

Chapter 524 meets the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Aviation Education Center, located at the Frederick Municipal Airport. As you enter the airport, park in the Terminal Parking lot. Walk south past the Frederick Flight School (yellow building). There are signs on the end of the second row of hangars for the Chapter. Additional information can be found on the Chapter website.



Frederick Municipal Airport 330 Aviation Way Suite J, Box #9 Frederick, Maryland 21701

### Frederick IMC Club

Interested in learning more about IFR flying? Scenario-based discussions are available here. The Frederick IMC club meets on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in AOPA's National Aviation Community Center. More information about the club and its mission can be found on our website at www.524.eaachapter.org.



# EAA Chapter 524 Membership Application

Annual dues are \$30 for individual or family membership. Fill out this form and return it with your dues to the Chapter Treasurer.

Cash or check accepted. Make check payable to *EAA Chapter 524*. Bring the form and dues to the next meeting or mail to *Ernest O'Roark, 809 London Court, Frederick, MD 21701*.

If you have a question about your membership, contact the Treasurer at 301-694-0053 or cadfael1@aol.com. These dues help support the Chapter and are not applied to the national organization.

| I. Registration Information (Print please)                 |                              |
|--|------------------------------|
| Last Name First Nar  | me                           |
| Member Status: New Renewal:                                | No Changes:                  |
| Membership Type: Individual (\$30.00)                      | Family (\$30.00)             |
| Other name(s) if Family Membership                         |                              |
| EAA Membership Number                                      | Member Since:                |
| Phone Number (H) (C)                                       | (W)                          |
| Address  |                              |
| City State   | Zip                          |
| E-mail Address (for receiving notices & newsletter)        |                              |
| Aircraft/Projects/Interests                                |                              |
| II. For Official Use Only  Status: New Renewal Individual: |                              |
| Dues Paid: Check Number Cas                                |                              |
| Date Received/   |                              |
| Treasurer's Initials Roster updated/_                      |                              |
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| III. Member's Receipt for EAA Chapter 524 Dues             |                              |
| Date paid/   | Dues paid for fiscal year 20 |
| Renewal – Individual/Family Membership Dues: \$3           | 30.00                        |
| New – Individual/Family Membership Dues: \$3               | 30.00                        |



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