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EAA Chapter 958 San Marcos, TX

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Where every day is a good flying day!

EAA Chapter 958 Meeting Saturday Feb 18th, 10:30 AM at the CAF Hangar briefing room, gnd floor, NE corner

Terry Ross will be our speaker at the meeting. He will describe what the local VMC club does and how you can get involved if you are interested. The club, which meets at New Braunfels airport, provides “hangar flying discussions” focused on decision making skills for non-instrument rated pilots.

If you have not paid \$20 Dues for this year: You can pay Chris Davis in person at the next meeting or go to Chapters.eaa.org/ea958 and there is a link to pay dues. Thanks.

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Note: VMC Club meets 6:30 PM KBAZ Administration building 2nd Tuesday of the month. Contact Terry Ross at: tkedpcross@gmail.com

KHYI INSTRUMENT METEOROLOGICAL CLUB

IMC meetings are held the third Thursday of each month at the KHYI admin Building.

Follow their [Facebook](#) page for more information or email [Gary White \(imckhyi@gmail.com\)](mailto:Gary White (imckhyi@gmail.com)) to be added to the newsletter.

JANUARY MEETING

EAA Chapter 958 January 2023 Meeting Minutes

The meeting was convened at 10:30 am with a presentation by Ryan Newman, FAAS Team Program Manager at San Antonio Flight Standards District Office speaking about the FAA's requirements and procedures for the Wright Brothers Master Pilots Award. At the conclusion, Mr. Newman presented the award to Matt Naylor and Dennis Narciso for their years of service to safe flying practices. Dave Falleur reminded the chapter that there would be a Young Eagles Workshop at the CAF Officers Club on February 25th from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Please consider volunteering for this fun project.

With no other business meeting was adjourned

R. Ross
EAA Chapter 958 January 2023 Meeting Minutes





Others in the Chapter may want to apply for the award and we could have another presentation at another meeting. For those of you who did not look up the requirements, here is a quick summary. If you think you might apply for the award, contact Rick Cooper at cooperrl@hotmail.com.

The Wright Brothers Master Pilot Award—is named in honor of Orville and Wilbur Wright who were two American aviation pioneers credited with inventing, building, and flying the world's first successful motor-operated airplane. The Wright Brothers made the first controlled, sustained flight of a powered, heavier-than-air aircraft with the Wright Flyer on December 17, 1903 at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina. The brothers were also the first to invent aircraft controls that made fixed-wing powered flight possible.

Eligibility

To be eligible for the Wright Brothers Master Pilot Award, nominees must meet the following criteria:

- Hold a U.S. Civil Aviation Authority (CAA) or Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) pilot certificate.
- Have 50 or more years of civil and military piloting experience or 50 or more years combined experience in both piloting and aircraft operations.
 - Up to 20 years of the required 50 years may be U.S. military experience.
 - The effective start date for the 50 years is the date of the nominee's first solo flight or military equivalent.
 - The 50 years may be computed consecutively or non-consecutively.
- Be a U.S. citizen.
- Have NOT had any airman certificate revoked.

Note: Revocation of any airman certificate will disqualify a nominee for this award.

Young Eagles Update

Young Eagles Workshop, Saturday, February 25



EAA Young Eagles Workshop Information

- The workshop will be held on Saturday, February 25, in the Officer's Club on the second floor of the Commemorative Air Force hangar which is located at 1841 Airport Drive in Building 2249, at the San Marcos Regional Airport.
- The workshop begins at 9:00 am and will end at 3 pm. Please arrive on time.
- The workshop registration fee is \$25.00, cash, check, or credit card. Checks should be made out to EAA Chapter 958.
- If you have a fever, cough, or have symptoms of infection, please let us know so we can make arrangements to reschedule you.
- Please bring a lunch with you. We will be at the CAF hangar during the entire day. We will provide water and soft drinks.
- Wear comfortable clothes and close-toed shoes. We will provide safety glasses for you when you are working with tools and power equipment.
- Students will learn about aviation with presentations by EAA members on aerodynamics, flight instruments and pilotage. Group activities include working on worksheets related to the presentations. The students will also work on three "hands on" projects, a wood wing rib assembly, using safety wire to secure a critical component, and bending and riveting aircraft aluminum sheet metal. These skills are frequently used in the construction of homebuilt and certificated aircraft.
- EAA and CAF members will also give the students a tour of the aircraft and displays in the CAF hangar.
- The schedule of events is listed on the second page.

We hope you will enjoy the workshop and look forward to seeing you at the San Marcos Airport on Saturday, February 25.

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EAA Young Eagles Workshop Schedule-Saturday, February 25, 2023

Schedule	Young Eagles Workshop
Saturday	Saturday, February 25, 2023
9:00-9:15	Sign In/Introduction

9:15-10:00	Aerodynamics of Flight
10:00-11:00	Wood Rib Project or Metal Bending Project or Safety Wire Project
11:00-11:45	Pilotage and Sectional Charts
11:45-12:30	Wood Rib Project or Metal Bending Project or Safety Wire Project
12:30-1:15	Lunch, Flight Simulator, Tour CAF Aircraft
1:15--2:00	Wood Rib Project or Metal Bending Project or Safety Wire Project
2:00-2:45	Flight Instruments
2:45-3:00	Wrap Up/Group Photo

More information contact Dave Falleur, davef3500@gmail.com (512-393-9178).

YOUNG EAGLES RALLY

Young Eagles Rally on Saturday, March 4 at the CAF hangar. More information contact Dave Falleur, davef3500@gmail.com (512-393-9178).

If you would like to be an EAA Young Eagle Pilot or Volunteer, check out the Young Eagle website at <https://www.eaa.org/ea/youth/free-ye-flights>

To sign up a Young Eagle candidate for a flight go to <https://youngeaglesday.org?5614>. and click on the Register tab

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OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS

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ZENITH Workshop, TEXAS-style

Southwest Texas
February 24 & 25, 2023

Zenith Aircraft
Kit Building Workshop



ZENITH AIRCRAFT

KIT BUILDING WORKSHOP

HANDS-ON EXPERIENCE!
BUILD IT. FLY IT!

TEXAS

Boerne Stage Airfield

9am—5 pm both days

Demo Rides on Saturday

Special Guests

Viking Aircraft Engines

Texas Precision Engraving

Dave Tillema— CH750 Cruzer

Darrin Towers— CH750 STOL

Patrick Hoyt—CH601

And others



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MARCH 18, 2023

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The San Antonio Ninety-Nines Chapter Flying Poker Run

Where: South Texas Regional Airport (KHDO)

Meet at terminal building - 9am

When: March 25 (rain day - 26)

Route: KHDO-KSSF-KBAZ-KERV

Open to the public



The goal is to have fun
and raise
money for our chapter
scholarship