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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 Mar 18th, 10:30 AM at the CAF Hangar briefing room, gnd floor, NE corner

We will review the EAA information on Adult Eagle Flights and discuss how we might use this to build membership in the unit. We will also discuss how we can increase Young Eagles flight aircraft participation.

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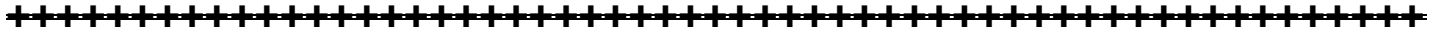
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Note: VMC Club meets 6:30 PM KBAZ Administration building 2nd Tuesday of the month. Contact Terry Ross at: tkedpcross@gmail.com

NEXT YOUNG EAGLES RALLY APRIL 29TH. LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS



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.

FEBRUARY MEETING

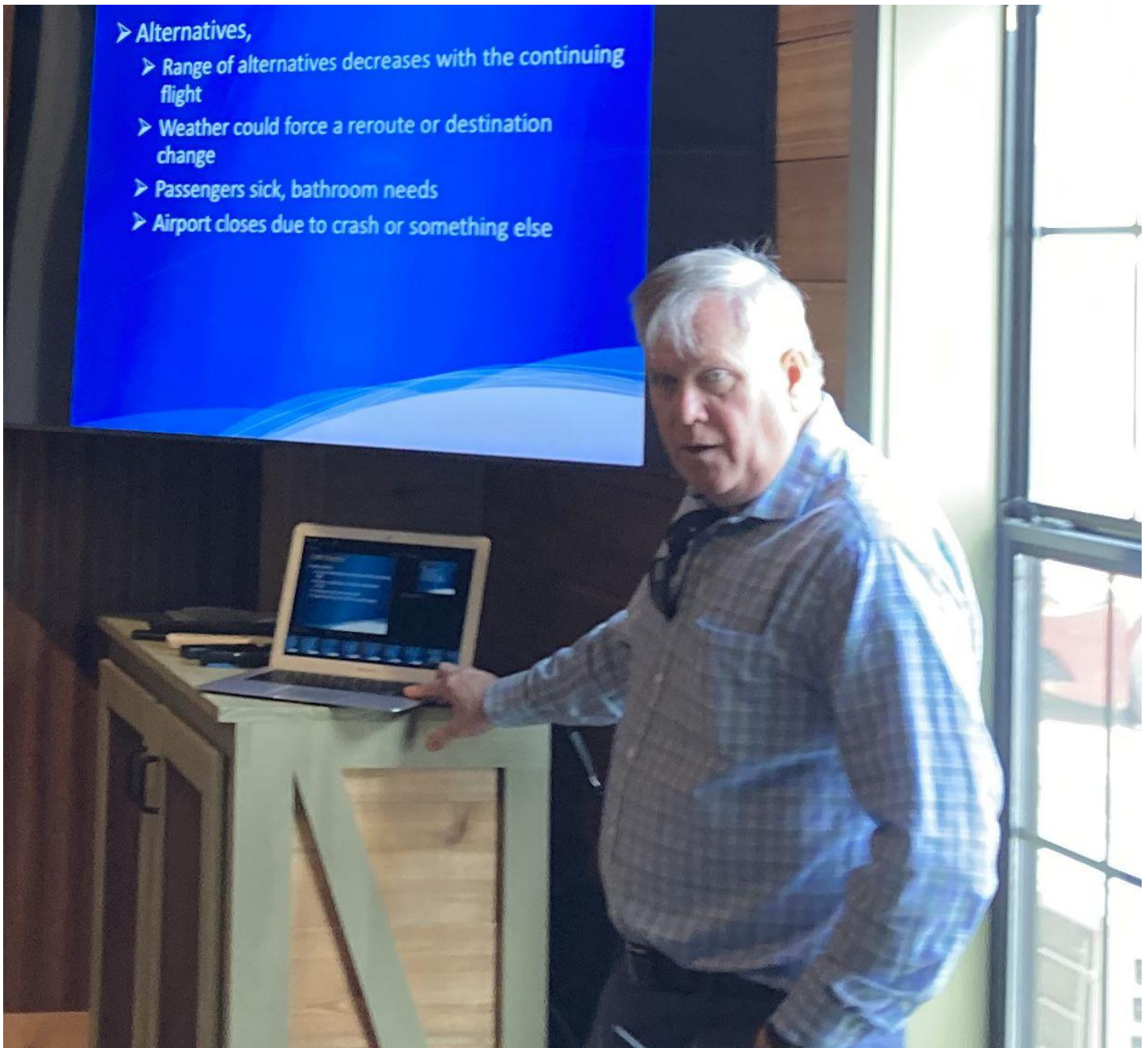
Terry Ross provided information on the VMC meetings that occur at the New Braunfels airport Administration building on the 2nd Tuesday of each month.

The VMC Club offers monthly meetings in which pilots can network and share knowledge and experience. The meetings use real-world scenarios to engage members and allow a free exchange of information that improves awareness and skills. The intent is to create a community of pilots willing to share information, provide recognition, foster communications, promote safety, and build proficiency.

All EAA members are automatically eligible to take part in VMC and IMC Club programs in their local chapters.

VMC Club, a proficiency program for non-instrument-rated pilots, is being delivered free of charge to EAA members through the EAA chapter network. [Webinar — VMC Club Program for EAA Chapters.](#)

[Start a VMC Club Program in Your Area:](#) A step-by-step guide on how to start VMC Club programming in your area.



Terry described how the New Braunfels (NB) club used the EAA monthly video scenario and facts as a guide. The NB club follows that procedure and writes down questions and then go through the scenario again and add flying stories and similar situations they have experienced. Those who attend the meeting do not have to be high time pilots or even current pilots. The meeting is also a social gathering. Thanks to Terry for giving this presentation.

EAA Young Eagles Workshop

The third Experimental Aircraft Association Chapter 958 Young Eagles Workshop was held on Saturday, April 10, in the Officer's Club on the second floor of the Commemorative Air Force hangar at the San Marcos Regional Airport. The workshop began at 9:00 am and ended at 4:00 pm. We had 10 kids from local schools in Central Texas. The students ranged in age from 11 to 17.

Students learned about different aviation topics with presentations by EAA members on aerodynamics, flight instruments, control surfaces, pilotage and VFR flight planning. Group activities included working on worksheets related to the presentations. The students also worked on three "hands on" projects: a wood wing rib assembly, making a cell phone stand by bending and riveting aluminum sheet metal and working with safety wire to secure aircraft components. These skills are frequently used in the construction of homebuilt and certificated aircraft.

EAA and CAF member, Grant Lannon, gave the students a tour of the aircraft and displays in the hangar. Participants also had an opportunity to practice take-offs and landings on Angel Gonzalez's flight simulator. Thanks to all the chapter volunteers, Grant Lannon, Russell Ross, Jeff Stein, Tim McKenny, Angel Gonzalez, David Olvera, and Rick Cooper. Thanks also to the parents who participated. Without their encouragement, we would not have the turnout we hoped for. Finally, we would not have had a successful event without the support of the Commemorative Air Force staff.

We are looking forward to having another workshop in the Summer. For more information, contact Dave Falleur, davef3500@gmail.com.





THIS WEEKEND!!!!!!



The poster features a central image of a B-29 bomber's nose and cockpit, viewed from a low angle. Two other B-29 bombers are flying in the sky above it. The foreground is filled with bluebonnet flowers. At the top, there are two circular logos: the Texas State Seal on the left and the Commemorative Air Force logo on the right. The text is centered and reads: "BLUEBONNET AIR SHOW" in large white letters, "MARCH 18, 2023" in smaller white letters, and "KATE CRADDOCK FIELD • BURNET, TX" in white letters. At the bottom, there is a logo for the Commemorative Air Force and the website "WWW.BLUEBONNETAIRSHOW.COM".

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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

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