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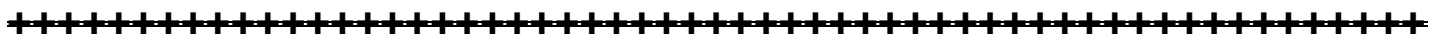
February 2024 Issue

Where every day is a good flying day!

**EAA Chapter 958 Meeting Saturday
February 17th, 10:30 AM at briefing
room on the ground floor, NE corner of
the CAF hangar**

**Special Presentation: "From Workshop to
Wilderness, My Journey flying an Experimental
Airplane to Alaska" as described by Larry New**

also: Chapter shirts for \$5 (see Secretary's report)



Pay Dues for 2024: You can pay Chris Davis in person at the next meeting or go to the link below. Thanks.

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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) to be added to the newsletter.

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

Secretary's Report

EAA Chapter 958 January Meeting

EAA Chapter 958 held the January meeting on the 20th at 10:30 am in the pilots briefing room in the CAF Hangar at KHYI. Chris Davis provided insights into the construction of his Velocity and why he decided to abandon the project in favor of purchasing a flying certified aircraft.



Former members Delores and Ron Morton attended and presented the chapter with a donation of over \$600 to Chapter 958 to assist with the promotion of the Young Eagles program. The chapter greatly appreciates their help. **(see next article)**

We have a few more Chapter 958 shirts available, please check them out at the meeting. Any shirts remaining will be donated to Goodwill.

We are looking for presenters for future meetings, if you have any flying/building experiences you would like to share please let us know. We're also open to safety, historical and other aviation related topics.

Blue skies and tailwinds,
Russ

Donation for Young Eagles Program

Dave Falleur, Young Eagles Co-coordinator

Special thanks to Delores and Ron Morton of New Braunfels who donated funds from their former EAA Chapter in West Texas to our Young Eagles program. These funds can be used to send a young person to one of the EAA summer camps in Oshkosh. Ron and Delores have been long-time members of EAA and were active as Young Eagle volunteers. They own and fly a Piper Tri-Pacer and hosted fly ins in the Big Bend region of Texas.



Chris Davis, Chapter 958 Treasurer, accepts a check from Delores Morton

Young Eagles Rally Rescheduled for February 24

Dave Falleur, Young Eagles Co-coordinator

Due to weather issues the Young Eagles flight was rescheduled for February 24. We will set up at 8:30 am and plan to finish by 12:30 pm. Check-in will be at the Commemorative Air Force hangar at our tent near the hangar door. Pre-flight and post-flight will be in the Briefing Room. We would like to have a flight simulator set-up for the kids to practice before their flight. As always, we are grateful to the Centex Wing of the CAF for their support.

Launched in 1992, the Young Eagles program has dedicated 30+ years to giving youth ages 8–17 their first free ride in an airplane. It’s the only program of its kind, with the sole mission to introduce and inspire kids in the world of aviation.

Today, more than 2 million young people have enjoyed a free introductory flight through the Young Eagles program. These flights are made possible through the generosity of EAA member volunteers.

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

To sign up as a volunteer, go to <https://youngeaglesday.org/> and click on the Sign-Up tab.

I hope to see you at our rally on February 24. If you have any questions, contact me at davef3500@gmail.com



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