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Chapter 1041

NOTAMS:

- July 11th IMC/ VMC meeting
Gburg Regional Apt
9:00-10:30
- July 13th Regular Chapter meeting
7:00 PM G'burg Regional Apt
- AirVenture Cancelled
- August 8th IMC/ VMC meeting
Gburg Regional Apt
9:00-10:30
- August 9th Chapter Picnic Mathna Airport
- August 15th Chapter Fly-out Destination TBD
- September 12th IMC/VMC meeting
Gburg Regional Apt
9:00-10:30
- September 19th Chapter Fly-out Destination TBD
- Sept 26th-27th Fly-in Drive-in Breakfast Gburg Regional Airport 8AM to Noon
- October 5th Regular Chapter meeting 7:00 PM
G'burg Regional Apt
- October 10th IMC/ VMC meeting
Gburg Regional Apt
9:00-10:30

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Henry's Hangar

The column this month is being written on the evening of Father's Day. I hope every Barnstormer who is also a Father enjoyed a relaxing and wonderful day as this one did.

We all extend our sincere congratulations to Nathan Hawkins on the successful completion of his flight training. Our Chapter was fortunate to receive one of the awards in the initial round of EAA Ray Scholarships and Nathan was our candidate. Having endured several delays due to the virus situation and some other factors, Nathan has now taken his check ride and has his Private Pilot's License. Way to go, Nathan, and thanks for making us very proud! By the way, Nathan also graduated from South Western High School in the class of 2020.

This month should have been when we sent four young people to the Advanced Air Academy at Oshkosh. That camp was cancelled, as was AirVenture, and we're now looking forward to 2021 for both events. Our 4 campers have successfully applied for the 2021 Air Academy and will be enjoying that experience a year from now. The rest of us will wait a year to again enjoy all of the fun and festivities of the annual EAA Convention.

Let's think ahead and plan for our usual September Fly-In/Drive-In Breakfast. With our local counties currently in the "green phase" of re-opening, we should be able to conduct our breakfast with some minor changes to meet the recommendations.

Of course, we hope that many current restrictions will be relaxed by the end of September and our event can be set up as we are accustomed to. EAA recently hosted a webinar addressing some of the ways Chapters can conduct events and comply with directives. Several of your fellow Chapter members participated in that webinar and will report more on this at our next meeting.

During our July meeting we will make plans for our usual August Chapter Picnic hosted by Gary & Kathy Mathna at their beautiful grass airstrip near York Springs. The picnic is one of the highlights of our year and we hope to see all of you there. Be sure to stay tuned for more details and plan to join us on Sunday, August 9th.

Henry



**Due to the 4th of July Holiday
the regular Chapter meeting will
be held on Monday July 13th at
THE AIRPORT**

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Editor's Notes

If you have read an interesting aviation related book let me know and I will include it in a future edition of The Observer

Have an aviation related link? I'll include that in a future edition also.

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The July meeting will feature several video presentations provided by the EAA

The nominating committee is looking for volunteers to serve in chapter offices for the 2021- 2022 term. All positions are 2 year terms. Please consider serving your chapter. New ideas from different people serving the chapter help to keep the chapter dynamic. Do not hesitate to serve it is a fun and rewarding experience.

Bob Howe , Art Shaw, and Phil Roth are serving on the nominating committee. Contact them to Volunteer. Elections are in October the slate must be published by the September Meeting.

Book Review



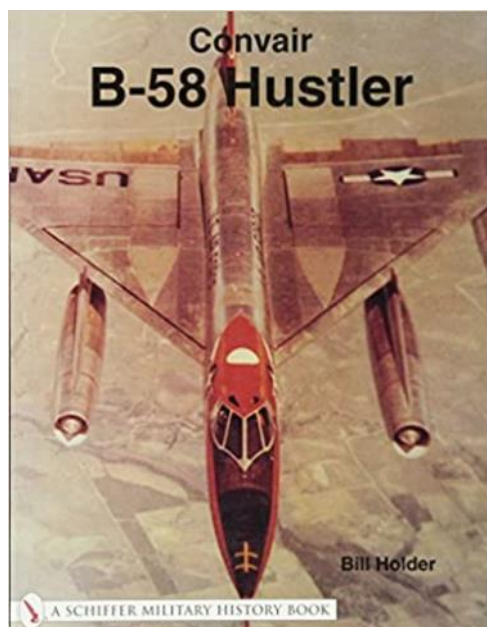
Convair B-58 Hustler (Schiffer Military History Book)

Paperback – December 4, 2001

by Bill Holder (Author)

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IMC/VMC MEETING JUNE 13TH

The first to be held at the airport since the COVID Crisis



Phil, Karen, Dan, Savy, Art, and Bob participated in the June 13th IMC/VMC meeting. The first face-to-face meeting since March.

Karen, Art, and Savy received WINGS Credit for their participation in this meeting

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A new flag and flag pole for W05

Installed Flag-day weekend



Dan, Phil , and Bob installed the flag and flag pole after the Saturday
June 13th IMC/VMC Meeting

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Congratulations to our 2020 High School Graduates



Congratulations to our 2019 Ray Aviation Scholarship recipient Nathan Hawkins on his recent High School Graduation and also the receipt of his Private Pilot's license on May 31st. Great finish to your High School career!



Conrad Brown, a frequent attendee at our chapter meetings and IMC/VMC gatherings was recently notified by EAA Chapter 122 in Harrisburg that he has received their 2020 Ray Aviation Scholarship.

Congratulations Conrad on your High School graduation and your receipt of the Ray Aviation Scholarship.



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2020 “WINGS, WHEELS & PANCAKES” FLY-IN/DRIVE-IN BREAKFAST

Gettysburg Regional Airport (W05) • Route 30 West—Gettysburg, PA

**Saturday, Sept. 26 and
Sunday, Sept. 27**

8:00am–Noon • Rain or Shine!

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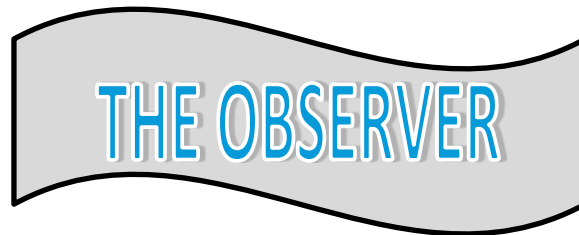
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Fly-Out Destination

The Fly-out destination for July will be discussed at the meeting. Fly-out requests can be made to Dick Young our fly-out Coordinator

THE EAA 1041 SKY RAIDERS

The EAA 1041 Sky-Raiders have a scheduled fly-out on the 3rd Saturday of each month.

Each pilot will make their own go/no go decision. Please call Dick Young (717-521-7942) no later than Friday afternoon if you plan to join the flight. Dick will make restaurant reservations at the destination airport; therefore, an accurate count of participants is appreciated.

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