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Chapter 1041

NOTAMS:

- January 1st 2020 Happy New Year
- January 6th 2020 Regular Chapter meeting 7:00 PM G'burg Regional Apt
- January 11th IMC/VMC Meeting G'burg Regional Airport
- January 18th Chapter Fly-out
- January 26th Soup-er-Sundae G'burg Regional Airport noon to 4 PM
- February 3rd 2020 Regular Chapter meeting 7:00 PM G'burg Regional Apt
- February 8th IMC/VMC Meeting G'burg Regional Airport
- February 15th Chapter Fly-out
- February 23rd Soup-er-Sundae G'burg Regional Airport
- March 2nd Regular Chapter meeting 7:00 PM G'burg Regional Apt
- March 9th Board of Directors meeting 7:00 PM G'burg Regional Apt

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Henry's Hangar

By Henry Hartman

Happy New Year, Barnstormers! I hope Santa brought you something nice and useful. Those of you who attended the Christmas Party got some goodies from Stormer Claus, and for those that didn't make it for all the excitement that evening, come to meetings and we'll distribute the extras that he left for you!

As we begin a New Year, we have many great things to look forward to. Our monthly meetings are just a sample of all the fun and educational activities we have planned for 2020. January, February, and March also have our always popular and tasty Soup-er-Sundae events. If you are not familiar with them, come to the airport on the last Sunday of those months and find out what all the excitement is all about.

We are eagerly anticipating some good news from Nathan Hawkins, our Ray Aviation Scholar. At the time of this writing, Nathan was closing in on completing the FAA Written Exam, after which he will be nearly ready for his Private Pilot Checkride. Please join me in cheering Nathan along on his quest for his Private Pilots License. Our Chapter will be submitting the application for another Ray Aviation Scholarship award of \$10,000 for another student pilot in 2020.

As many of you know, I'm always counting down the days until the next AirVenture Oshkosh EAA Convention. Recent news about the 2020 installment include the Canadian Forces Snow Birds jet demo team will be one of the featured attractions. Other highlights announced so far include the 75th anniversary of the end of World War II. There will be even more than usual Warbirds shows during the afternoon airshows. Don't forget the amazing Night Airshows, typically on Wednesday and



Saturday evenings of the convention week.

Please check the information in this issue of The Observer for a few details of our January program on the first Monday of the month. I'm "on pins and needles" thinking about the information we will learn about how the Russians were planning to land on the moon. This should be an outstanding program so make sure you don't miss it! Other months will have great programs as well, if you have suggestions please contact me with them.

Looking forward to seeing you at Chapter events,

Henry



2020 Chapter dues are payable

now

Please pay Andy ASAP

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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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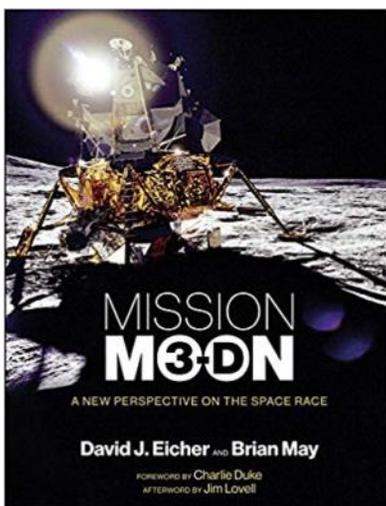


The Moon Race: Presented by NASA Historian Bill Barry

Prepare for some surprises, because there really was a race to the Moon in the 1960s – and it was a lot closer than you think. From the perspective of fifty years, and with insights coming from declassified Soviet and US archival material, we now know that there really was a race to the Moon. But, the story most of us have heard for the last half century is incomplete and misleading. Hear the latest in historical research on the Moon Race from NASA's Chief Historian, Bill Barry.



Book Review



Mission Moon 3-D: A New Perspective on the Space Race (The MIT Press)

by [David J. Eicher](#) (Author), [Brian May](#) (Author), [Jim Lovell](#) (Afterword), & 1 more

The story of the lunar landing and the events that led up to it, told in text and visually stunning 3-D images.

July 2019 marks the fiftieth anniversary of Apollo 11's epochal lunar landing, when Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin walked on the surface of the moon. This visually rich book offers a new perspective on that historic accomplishment, telling the story of the lunar landing and the events that led up to it with text and 3-D images. A 3D viewer, designed by astrophysicist (and lead guitarist with the rock group Queen) Brian May is included with the book.

Mission Moon 3-D offers unique access to the Apollo astronauts and what they saw. It tells the story of the US-Soviet space race, from Sputnik and the space dog Laika to Mercury, Gemini, and Apollo. In 1961, President John F. Kennedy declared that America would put a man on the moon by the end of the decade. On July 20, 1969, Neil Armstrong guided the Eagle to a safe landing on the edge of the moon's Sea of Tranquility.

Available on Amazon: <https://amzn.to/2KsGCKg>

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The January IMC/VMC Meeting will be held in the Chapter Meeting room at the Gettysburg Regional Airport. January 11th 9:00 to 10:30 AM

Phil Roth, Art Shaw. And Bob Howe will present this month's meeting. The meeting topic will be sent as an email the week of the January Meeting

You do not need to be an IFR rated pilot to benefit from these discussions

Additional Information on EAA Website Here: <http://bit.ly/2DzNEaq>



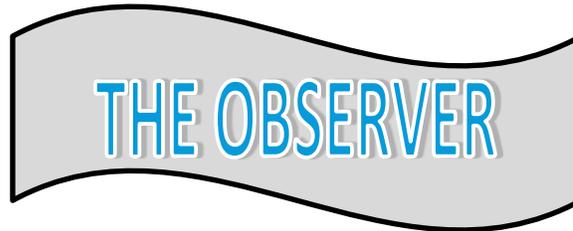
Last month we discussed Understanding Mixture Control.

If you were not able to attend the meeting Phil Roth's PowerPoint presentation is available for those interested as a PDF or PowerPoint Presentation.

If interested ask Phil to send you a copy.

IMC/VMC Questions of the month were not available at the time of Newsletter Publication





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2020 Event Calendar

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| Jan 6 - Regular meeting - Gettysburg Airport | 20 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA |
| 11 - IMC/VMC Club | July 11 - IMC/VMC Club |
| 18 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA | 13 - Regular meeting – W05 |
| 26 - EAA’s Birthday – born 1953 ! | 18 - Fly-Out - Destination TB |
| 26 - Soup-er-Sundae - Gettysburg Airport | 20-26 - EAA AirVenture Oshkosh – Wisconsin |
| Feb 3 - Regular meeting - Gettysburg Airport | Aug 8 - IMC/VMC Club |
| 8 - IMC/VMC Club | 9 - Picnic |
| 15 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA | 15 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA |
| 23 - Soup-er-Sundae - Gettysburg Airport | Sept 12 - IMC/VMC Club |
| Mar 2 - Regular meeting - Gettysburg Airport | 14 - Regular meeting - Gettysburg Airport |
| 9 - Board of Directors meeting – Airport | 19 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA |
| 14 - IMC/VMC Club | 26-27 - Fly-In/Drive-In Breakfast - W05 |
| 21 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA | Oct 5 - Regular meeting – Gettysburg Airport |
| 29 - Soup-er-Sundae - Gettysburg Airport | 10 - IMC/VMC Club |
| Mar 31 - April 5 - Sun-N-Fun Fly-In - Lakeland, Florida | 12 - Board of Directors meeting - Airport |
| Apr 6 - Regular meeting - Gettysburg Airport | 17 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA |
| 11 - IMC/VMC Club | Nov 2 - Regular meeting - Gettysburg Airport |
| 18 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA | 14 - IMC/VMC Club |
| May 4 - Regular meeting - Gettysburg Airport | 21 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA |
| 9 - IMC/VMC Club | Dec 8 - Christmas Party |
| 16 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA | 12 - IMC/VMC Club |
| 23 - Movie Night ! At the airport | 19 - Fly-Out - Destination TBA |
| June 1 - Regular meeting - Gettysburg Airport | |
| 6-7 - Fly-In/Drive-In Breakfast - W05 | |
| 13 - IMC/VMC Club | |



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Hagerstown Fly-Out



Chapter 122 Visitor

Bob Howe Henry Hartman Photos



An update from SARA

We're pretty sure this is Santa's other sleigh. There has been one of these at Harrisburg International Airport every day for the past couple of weeks. Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays to all, and best wishes for a Happy New Year!



Thanks to Tim Edwards, Executive Director and Marshall Stevens Deputy Director for this update

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On the ramp with Nathan

A Ray Scholarship recipient's aviation journey



Instructor Jon helps Nathan Study for the Private Pilot Written

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Join us on Sunday January 26th at the airport for the first Soup–R–Sundae event of 2020. Bring a can or two of soup to add to the “common brew” and enjoy the tasty result. To date we have never had a “soup failure.” Bring a dish to pass, soup bowl, utensils, and a hearty appetite. Soup is served about 1:00 PM. Plan to enjoy hanger flying as well as an aviation related movie or video. This event is certain to take the chill out of those cold winter months of January, February, and March.



Photos from January 2019's Soup-er-Sundae

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Visit to the Pittsburgh Institute of Aeronautics (PIA) Hagerstown Campus

On Tuesday December third Henry Hartman, Phil Roth, Andy Toussaint and Bob Howe visited PIA with a group of local educators as our guests. The guests included; from Spring Grove School District, George Ioannidis, Superintendent, David Dietrich, Asst. Principal, Brian Hastings, Tech Ed Instructor. From the Gettysburg School District Chad Deckert Tech Ed Instructor. From the York Suburban School District Tina Howe, Guidance Department Chair. Mark Tomlinson, Operations Manager of the York Thomasville Airport was also a guest.

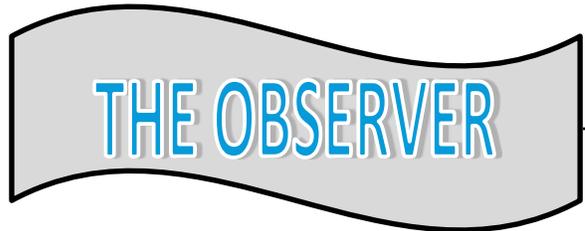
Mark and Bob Howe have been working with the Spring Grove School District to encourage them to implement the AOPA STEM curriculum starting with the fall 2020 school year. We have also been working closely with Gettysburg toward the same goal although Gettysburg's implementation is further into the future and needs more local financial support (sponsors needed.)

The staff at PIA presented a PowerPoint briefing highlighting the many opportunities provided by a career in any aviation related field. The visit also included a tour of the campus.



Henry Hartman Photos





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Fly-Out Destination

Fly-Out destination for January will be decided at the January Meeting . Dick Young is the Fly-Out coordinator. Please provide him with your fly-out destination requests

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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