

# ***EAGLE'S PROPWASH***

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CHAPTER 113 *"The Backyard Eagles"*



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**Meetings: 7:30 PM**

the 3rd Thursday of each  
month at the

**EAA 113 AVIATION**

**EDUCATION CENTER**

**Mettetal Airport (1D2)**

**8512 Lilley Road, Canton, MI**

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***HAPPY HOLIDAYS CHAPTER 113!***



*12/12/08*

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### **CHAPTER MISSION STATEMENT:**

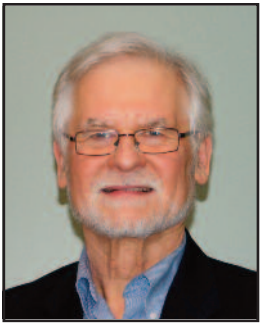
*"EAA Chapter 113's major focus is on the relationships with people who have diverse aviation interests, centered around their love of flight, fellowship, learning, and fun."*

*Chapter members have a passion for flying and are willing to share it with others.*

*Chapter 113 provides the opportunity for exchange of information, as well as the interaction that leads to friendships that last a lifetime."*

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS:**

*"The Board of Directors are to provide both advice and assistance to the chapter officers on an ongoing basis."*



## **PRESIDENT'S *PODIUM***

**Joe Kirik** (248) 872-3220  
president@eaa113.org  
December 2018

### **Holiday Spirit**

I hope Thanksgiving was enjoyable and meaningful for everyone in the EAA 113 family, and I hope the true spirit of the holidays doesn't sink and drown in the wake of Black Friday, Cyber Monday and the relentless full-court press of consumerism that can be overwhelming. On the cable TV reality show Alaska: The Last Frontier, the Kilcher family celebrates the holidays on their remote homestead by making simple, handmade gifts for each other. I think that same spirit of thankfulness and appreciation is strong our Chapter. We express our appreciation for the freedom of flight by always being there there to support Young Eagles and Flying Start rallies, Frostbite Chili Fly-ins and all our other events – especially our Father's Day Pancake Breakfast which is a huge effort that needs the entire team to succeed. I'm thankful to be a part of such a great organization full of such fun and enthusiastic folks. It means a lot, for all of us.

### **Chili Fly-In**

What happens when you host a fly-in and nobody flies in? Easy – everybody drives in and has a great time! We had a nice turnout considering the weather, and the supply and variety of tasty chili was just right. See photos inside. Thanks to all who helped make it happen.

### **December Meeting = Holiday Dinner**

As always, the December Chapter meeting is our annual Holiday Dinner Party. Bring your spouse, significant other or whoever! The Chapter provides the turkey, and we all bring a side dish or desert to share. And it we're lucky we may get a visit from The Big Guy in the Red Suit! Remember, it's an early start, 6:30 p.m. See you there!

### **Free Youth Flight Training!**

EAA's Ray Aviation Scholarship Fund will provide up to \$10,000 to deserving youths for flight training expenses. The program is supported by the Ray Foundation, managed by EAA, and administered through the EAA Chapter network. Applicants must be between the ages 15 and 19. Additional consideration will be given to candidates who are former Young Eagles, EAA student members and active in the Chapter. For more info, go to [eaa.org](http://eaa.org) and search for Ray Aviation Scholarship Fund. Let us know if you're aware of any suitable candidates. This is a fabulous deal!

### **Misc.**

No IMC/VMC club meeting this month due to the holidays. Next date is January 24. Chapter dues for 2019 are now due. See Dave Buck, or just pay online at [eaa113.org](http://eaa113.org).

See you at dinner on the 20th!

Joe Kirik





## PAULSON LIBRARY

Barb Cook (734) 277-3469  
library@eaa113.org  
December 2018



### HAVE YOU SEEN OUR SERIES BOOKS?

We have several, and some old bound magazines as well.

The Time Life books are large (9" x 11"), full of large photos and white space to make them easy to read. The Ballantine histories are small (6" x 8"), with black and white photos, maps, and smaller print. They are, however, densely packed with information and details.

We have a whole range of shelves full of these series books. Their shelf numbers begin with the word "SERIES" and they're located behind the shelves of OVERsize (large coffee table books.)

*AVIATION QUARTERLY (1975-1979)*

*WORLD WAR II (Time Life)*

*BALLANTINE'S ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF WORLD WAR II-BATTLE BOOKS*

*BALLANTINE'S ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE VIOLENT CENTURY-BATTLE BOOKS*

*BALLANTINE'S ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE VIOLENT CENTURY-CAMPAIGN BOOK*

*BALLANTINE'S ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE VIOLENT CENTURY- WAR LEADER BOOK*

*BALLANTINE'S ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE VIOLENT CENTURY-POLITICS IN ACTION*

*BALLANTINE'S ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE VIOLENT CENTURY-WEAPONS BOOK* (many of these are about a specific aircraft)

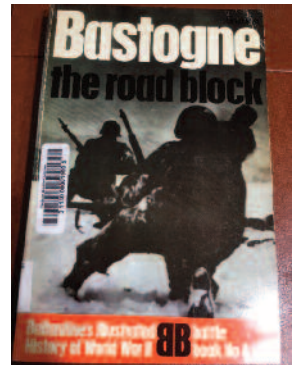
*BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA – MERIT BADGES*

*EPIC OF FLIGHT* (Time Life) Fighting Jets, Soviet Air Force at Work, Jet Age, Bush Pilots, Helicopters, designers & Test Pilots, Knights of the Air, Explorers, America in the Air War, First Aviators, Pathfinders, Road to Kitty Hawk, Barnstormers & Speed Kings, Women Aloft, RAF at War, Soldiers of Fortune, Carrier War, Luftwaffe, Flying the Mail, Aeronauts, Giant Airships, Airline Builders, Architects of Air Power

*HISTORICAL AVIATION ALBUM* (v. 1-16)

*IMPACT –ARMY AIR FORCES' CONFIDENTIAL* (v.1-8)

*WINGS –WINGS OF FAME/JOURNAL OF CLASSIC COMBAT AIRCRAFT* (v. 6,8,9,10,11,13)



You are invited to EAA 113's

# HOLIDAY PARTY

Come celebrate the season with your family  
and aviation friends.

Thursday, December 20th, 2018

6:30 p.m.

EAA 113 Aviation Center

Bring your holiday spirit, your family and **a dish to share.**

EAA 113 will supply the delicious turkey!

*Flannel welcome!!*





James Oliver Trick  
1949 - 2018



Dear Friends - Members of EAA, Chapter 113;

The Family Of  
Jim Trick

Thanks You For Sharing Your  
Memories, Support and Love.

Your Kindness is Deeply  
Appreciated and Will  
Always Be Remembered.

So many great times we shared with you!  
I know Jim is smiling down from heaven +  
wishing all of you sunny blue skies + safe  
flights!! Love, Maxine

## PROJECT FOR SALE

This belongs to a friend of John Maxfield's who will not be able to complete it for health reasons and needs to get it out of his garage. John suspects no reasonable offer will be refused, or maybe any offer will be accepted...

Please contact John Maxfield for more details.

[avee8rrr@yahoo.com](mailto:avee8rrr@yahoo.com)



AS PURCHASED FROM DAVE KNUTH



TURTLEDECK JIG



TURTLEDECK ROUGH TRIM



FLAP & AILERON LINKAGE



FLAP LINKAGE



## CHAPTER 113's CHILI FLY-IN, NOVEMBER 10, 2018



Good turnout for another great chapter event.  
*Photo Courtesy of Shunsuke Shibata*



## RICK KARASCHIN'S RANS S-7S PROJECT UPDATE

Rick hosted the December 6 Homebuilders Corner meeting in his magnificent shop (which he built himself) located behind his Belleville home. The shop is amazingly roomy and well equipped, complete with an expandable paint booth.

All of the major parts (fuselage, wings, tail feathers, cowlings, wing tips, etc.) are painted and ready for installation. The 120 HP Jabiru engine is installed and the firewall forward connections are being completed. The fuel and brake systems are installed, and the rudder, tailwheel, aileron and elevator controls are complete. Soon the fuselage will be turned 90 degrees to allow enough room for the wings and tail feathers to be installed.



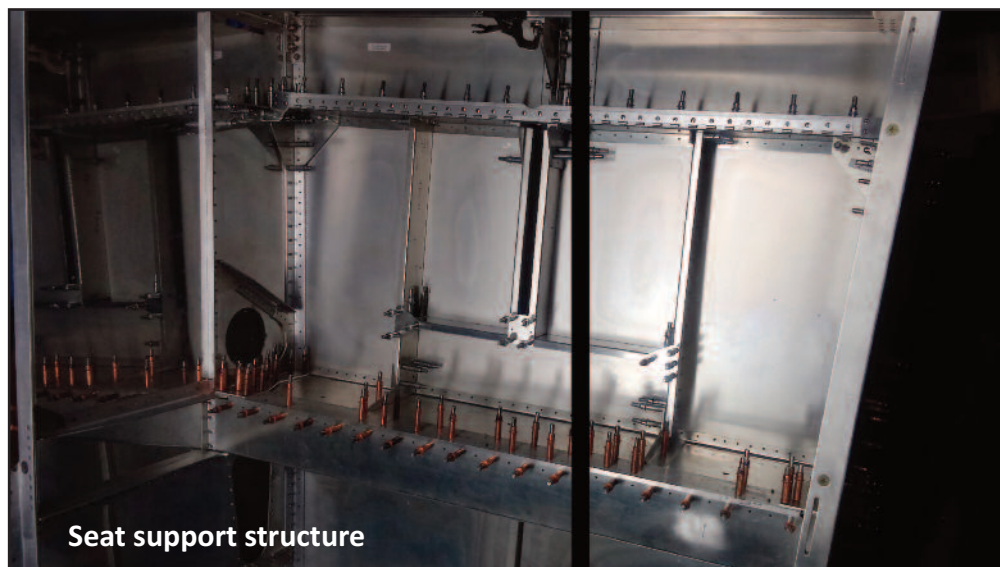
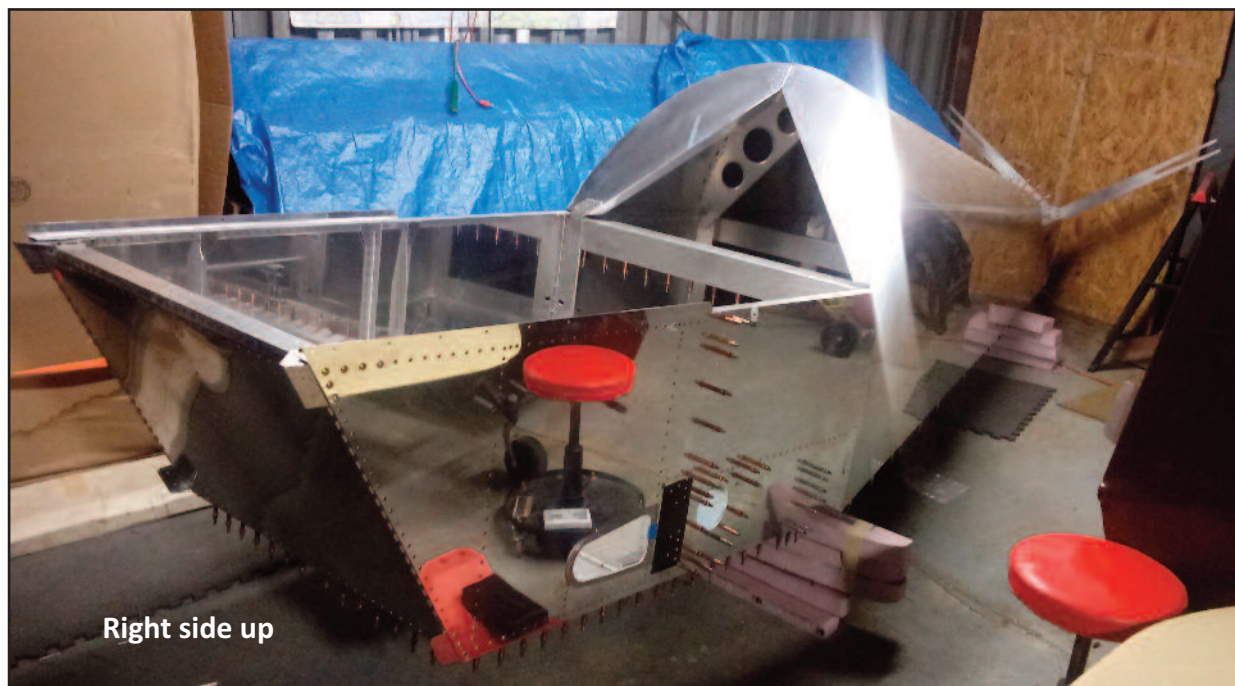
*Photos Courtesy of Joe Kirik*



## UPDATE ON JOE KIRIK'S WAIEX PROJECT

Fuselage is now right side up after a few months of working on the forward section from underneath. Starting to vaguely look like an airplane!

Lots of individual parts for the spar tunnel and seat support structure that are cut and laid out from channel stock. Shortly after my kit was shipped, Sonex started prefabricating most of these pieces, complete with matched holes. That would save a lot of work!



*Photos Courtesy of Joe Kirik*



## 2019 CHAPTER DUES are DUE NOW

Scheduling has already begun for this year's activities. In order to plan for more exciting events, we must have an active membership. As we attempt to make the best use of our budget, we are asking that all dues for 2019 be paid by January 31, 2019. It is important that you send your payment of \$35.00 by this date to ensure you are included in our Membership Roster and to continue to receive monthly newsletters. If you have any updates for your entry in the Roster please include a note along with the check for your dues.

Dues may be mailed to Treasurer, EAA Chapter 113, 8512 N Lilley, Canton, MI 48187.

Dues can also be paid using PayPal thru the chapter web site ([www.113.eaachapter.org](http://www.113.eaachapter.org)).

You do not need to have a PayPal account to do this, only a credit card.

You can also give me a check or cash at any General Meeting on or before January 17, 2019.

Thanks!

Dave Buck,

Treasurer



### AMAZON SMILE REMINDER

**Chapter 113 is a member of the Amazon Smile Foundation**

**Amazon Smile is a website operated by Amazon that lets customers enjoy the same wide selection of products, low prices, and convenient shopping features as on Amazon.com.**

**The difference is that when customers shop on AmazonSmile ([smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com)), the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the price of eligible purchases to Chapter 113. This is at no additional cost to you as a purchaser and it helps to support the chapter.**

**The chapter login to Amazon Smile is: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/38-3173711>**












**There is also a banner on the chapter website to connect directly to Amazon Smile.**

**Dave Buck, Treasurer**



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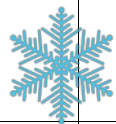










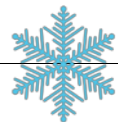
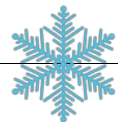

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					 Operation Good Cheer Sorting Day—PTK	1 <i>Breakfast @ 3 Brothers</i> 8:15am
2 	3	4	5	6 <b>EAA 113 Homebuilder's Meeting 7:30 p.m</b>	7	8 <i>Breakfast @ 3 Brothers</i> 8:15am  <b>Operation Good Cheer</b> Oakland International Airport
9	10 	11	12	13 <b>EAA 113 Board Meeting 7:30 p.m.</b>	14	15 <i>Breakfast @ 3 Brothers</i> 8:15am
16	17	18	19	20 <b>EAA 113 Holiday Party 6:30 p.m</b> 	21	22 <i>Breakfast @ 3 Brothers</i> 8:15am
23	24	25  Merry Christmas	26	27	28	29 <i>Breakfast @ 3 Brothers</i> 8:15am
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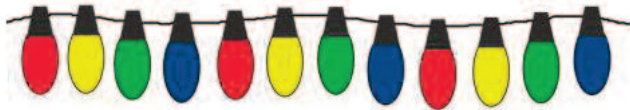
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6	7	8  	9	10  <b>EAA 113 Board Meeting 7:30 pm</b>	11	12 <b>Breakfast @ 3 Brothers</b> <b>8:15am</b>  <b>DINNER &amp; MOVIE</b> <b>NIGHT 6.00 pm</b> 
13	14    	15 	16	17  <b>EAA 113 General Meeting 7:30 p.m</b>	18	19 <b>Breakfast @ 3 Brothers</b> <b>8:15am</b>
20  	21   	22  	23	24  <b>EAA 113 IMC Club Meeting</b> <b>7:30 p.m</b>	25	26 <b>Breakfast @ 3 Brothers</b> <b>8:15am</b>
27	28	29 	30	31		



EAA Chapter 113 member Mark French, FAA parachute rigger, offers his services to all members of the chapter at a special rate; **\*FREE\*** for any of their parachute needs. If anyone is in need of a pilot rig for testing or acrobatics, a number of pilot emergency parachutes are available for loan. Any questions related to parachutes and parachuting can be answered by contacting him at: [mark.r.french1@gmail.com](mailto:mark.r.french1@gmail.com) or by calling 734.260.7342.

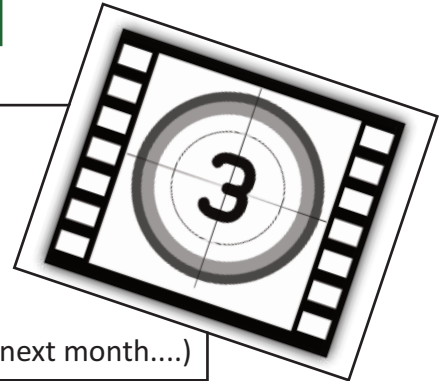


Happy  
Holidays!

### *Calling all video enthusiasts!*

*Submit your video of the month to Sanjay Dhall  
at [vicepresident@eaa113.org](mailto:vicepresident@eaa113.org)*

*(Or you might be watching someone's 60-year-old 8 mm home movies next month....)*



## **FOR SALE**

### **Home Acres Sky Ranch, Lake City Michigan**

2 lots that total 240'x200'

Taxiway Golf

Lots have underground electric and not developed.

Y91

3800' E-W and a 2500' N-S.

Contact Robert Skingley 734-634-0632

\$14,900.

### **Editor's Note:**

I apologize for the lateness of this month's newsletter! I was out of town for a funeral and didn't have a computer with me (or internet service, even if I did).

Hope to see you all at the 113 Holiday Party on December 20th!

Liz Hebron



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**6:30 PM at the**  
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