



EAA Chapter 122, Inc.
Monthly Gathering Minutes
October 19th, 2021
Hangar 2 HQ, Capital City Airport (KCY)

Mitch Reisinger (Treasurer) presided over this month's Gathering in the absence of Jon Still (President).

Members (26) attending included: Jerry Anderson, Charles Baughman, Wade Becker, Dan Cassidy, Nixon Cawley, Glen Drehm, Seth Dunn, Hugh Irwin, Wayne Laughner, Bob May, Brian Moore, Brian McDonald, Adam Messer, Lou Nieves, Mike Parks, Gordon Porter, Jeff Probasco, Mitch Reisinger, Jay Rossignol, Kevin Shuttlesworth, & Asit Updahyay.

Presentation: “The Life of a Jump Pilot.” Davis Bunting gave a very interesting talk concerning his experience working a pilot for a Skydiving outfitter in Ocean City, Maryland. Piloting a 300-hp Cessna 182, Davis provided anywhere from 4-20 flights daily, taking skydivers up to 13,500 feet for their jumps. Davis gave us a detailed picture of the job and the interesting culture of jump pilots and skydivers he was associated with.

EAA Chapter Video Message: EAA National is looking for volunteers to run for Chapter Advisory Council positions, which open in January '22. An application can be found online at: <https://www.eaa.org/eea/eea-chapters/eea-chapter-resources/resources-from-hq/chapter-advisory-council>. Aero Education Webinars are available at <https://www.eaa.org/videos/webinars>. EAA will provide up to \$300 per chapter for 2021/2022 towards tool purchases as part of its Tool Crib Program. Chapters can apply for up to 30% discount to defray the cost for eligible tools (<https://www.eaa.org/-/media/Files/EAA/Chapters/Eligible-Tool-List-072219.ashx>).

Young Eagles Rally: Brian Moore reported that the Young Eagles Rally held at CYX on September 25th was a big success, with 25 kids ages 8-17 flown by 6 chapter pilots/planes. The Chapter will receive \$5 credit from EAA for each YE flown in 2021, including those flown during the rally. It's not too late to provide more Young Eagle rides in '21 — contact Brian(abkmoore1@gmail.com) if you want to participate in the chapter program!

Ray Scholarship: Mitch announced our Board of Directors' nomination slate for next month's elections:
Vice President — Brian McDonald (new)
Director-At-Large — Jay Rossignol (incumbent)
Director-At-Large — Mike Parks (new)

VMC Club Meeting: Our next VMC Club Meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 2nd.

Ray Scholarship Updates: Will Stover passed his written test & Gabe Creeger was approved by EAA National.

Project Updates: The chapter was brought up to date on several ongoing member projects.

The Gathering ended at 8:35. EAA 122 Minutes from this and previous Gatherings & Meetings are available on our web page.

Our Annual Meeting of the Membership is planned for Tuesday, November 16th. For details, check our website at: [https:// www.eaa122.org/](https://www.eaa122.org/).

Kevin Shuttlesworth,
Secretary