JUST PLANE NEWS ...

EAA Chapter 1236 Newsletter October 2022

SAVE THE DATES

OCTOBER 8TH (Saturday): Chapter Mtg; 9:00 donuts/ coffee; 10:00 mtg; Carlile's hangar, 15720 SE 175Th St. Weirsdale

NO IMC/VMC mtg this month

NOVEMBER 5TH (Saturday) Annual Fly In NO CHAPTER MTG in NOV.

DECEMBER 10TH (Saturday) Chapter Mtg.

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Chapter VP, Bruce Cynamon Shares "Bruce & John's Most Excellent AirVenture"

A presentation that was nicknamed, "Beavis & Butthead Do Oshkosh" was created and shared by Bruce Cynamon. It was Chapter President John Carlile's first trip to Oshkosh and he hitched a ride in Bruce's Bonanza for the 6 hour journey. Once there, they met up with Mike Ricketts and the three of them did their best to experience Oshkosh in the three days they had before heading back to Love's Landing.

Bruce also shared his ride experience in a Marchetti S211 (VLJ) jet trainer at Oshkosh. We think that qualifies Bruce as a jet jockey ...our own "Maverick".





View of 2021 Fly In... Love's Landing



Bob & Maria Tracy of Heather Oak Farm, volunteer their time to slow cook the pork all night for our signature Pulled Pork meals



Bob & Maria will be assisted by Bob Kircher in pulling an all nighter in smoking the pork to perfection for our Fly In.

What's Ahead for October's Meeting?

October 8th Chapter Mtg - This meeting will be all about the upcoming annual Fly-In "Wings Over Weirsdale". We will be discussing the logistics of the Fly In and looking for volunteers in the areas of: airplane parking, car parking, set up/take down, food serving, 50/50, Lunch ticket sales. We are also looking for homemade desserts and cornbread muffin bakers (cornbread kit will be provided) More details will be provided at the meeting.

Coffee & donuts from 9:00-10:00 and the meeting is at 10:00.

Can't make it to the meeting BUT would love to help? Please email <u>janette.g.carlile@gmail.com</u> and let her know what area you'd like to volunteer.



View of 2021 Fly-In



2021 fly in...in process of setting up. It doesn't take long, but it does take volunteers.



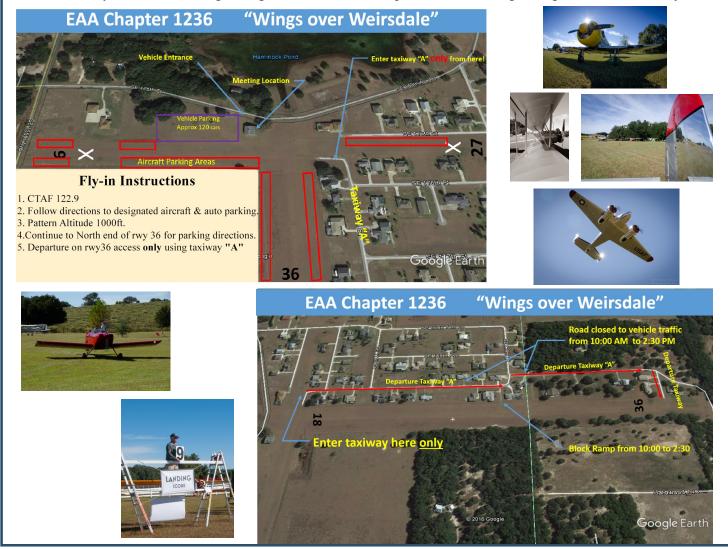
Please come and join us for our EAA Chapter 1236 Annual Fly-In at Love's Landing Aviation Community. Airplanes on display will include antiques, classics, and home-builds. The event starts with early arrivals at 9:00AM for coffee and donuts..

Lunch begins at 11:30 AM through 1:30 PM. There'll be lots of Pulled Pork to eat, (no Bun) beans, coleslaw, combread, homemade desserts and a drink included for \$15.00 per person. Purchase your Lunch tickets at the Ticket booth.

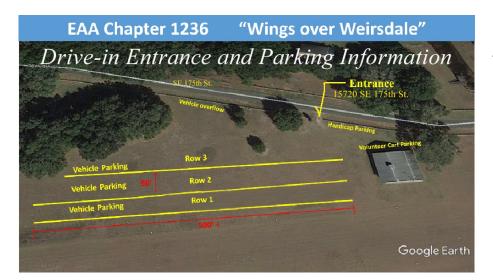


FLY-IN DIRECTIONS

Love's Landing's identifier is "97FL". For this event: The east-west runway (9-27) will be closed. The preferred runway is 36 with a left hand pattern. Listen for parking guidance from the ground on CTAF 122.9. After landing, taxi to the end of runway 36 and follow the ground guide's instructions. Departure will be with ground guide instructions **only**.



DRIVE-IN DIRECTIONS



From Weirsdale: Travel south on CR 25 to 175th St. Turn left on SE175th St and continue to the stop sign. Continue going straight for approximately 1/4 mile the entrance will be on the right just before the white hanger. (Address: 15720 SE 175th Street, Weirsdale, FL 32195)

From Lady Lake: At the intersection of US HWY 27/441 and Griffin Ave turn east on Griffin Ave. Continue to the stop light at the intersection of Griffin and CR 25. Turn left onto CR 25 and travel north to SE175th St. Turn right onto SE175th Street and continue to the stop sign. Continue going straight for approximately 1/4 mile, the entrance will be on the right just before the white hanger. (Address: 15720 SE 175th Street, Weirsdale, FL 32195)

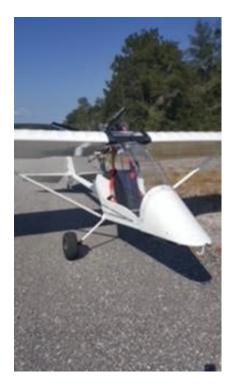
NEW TOYS IN THE TOY BOX



Shawn Barcenas added this 1962 A55 Baron to his Toy Box in March '22. Still a work in progress, Shawn has been catching up on maintenance and adding an engine monitor. In April of this year, Shawn passed his COM MEL. He was grateful for the help of chapter member, Bob Blankenship.



Tim Roberson welcomed a spankin" brand new Cubcrafter's Carbon Cub FX2 (E-AB) also known as Coastal Explorer. The factory assist build was completed earlier this year in Yakima, Washington. After Tim took delivery of his new toy in Hermiston, Oregon, he flew to Priest River, Oregon for an intro to mountain flying and then took the next four days to bring the Coastal Explorer home to Lake Weir. For those of you who want to know what's "under the hood", it is powered by a 180hp Titan (Continental) engine, has a Garmin G3X with auto pilot and rides on Aerocet 1500 amphibious floats. The Coastal Explorer cruises at 115 mph (TAS) burning 7 gph. As Tim put it, "we can go low and slow with the window and door open at 70mph sipping 5gph. It's an amazing aircraft"



Chapter member, Richard Swiderski, shared his current project... He's building an airstrip and hangar next to the defunct Monroe Airpark. Then he will have a place to put his toys (see above)





Frank McMullan is the proud builder of his newest toy, a Hummingbird S-300L helicopter. He built it from a kit from Vertical Aviation Technologies, Sanford, Fl. Assembly in his hangar took about a year and he had a lot of assistance from good friends and neighbors. Frank said this was a new experience for him as he had not done anything like this before. It passed its final inspection by local DAR, Arnold Holmes and now Frank is in the process of flying his required 40 hours.

Frank provided a bit of history of this aircraft: It was designed and built by Sykorsky in the late 1940's. Produced for the military and used in the 1960's, it was turned into a kit form by Brad Clark of Vertical Aviation. They have several hundred of these flying around the world. This is a 4 place machine with a 325HP Continental Titan IO 540 engine. It also has a Dynon HX 1000 glass panel with back-up steam gauges and flies about 100 mph with a fuel burn of 16-18 gph.



Pete Putnam's new toy is a 1997 Cessna Skyline 1825. He's enjoying his new acquisition and calls it "A station wagon that flies"...



Frank flew his helicopter to our September Chapter meeting...

Share YOUR Toys...

Send a pic (preferably one with you in it as well) or two of a new acquisition or completed project, or maybe project you are currently working on. Please give details that can be shared with others.

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