
JUST PLANE NEWS . . .

EAA Chapter 1236 Newsletter October 2023

SAVE THE DATES

OCTOBER 14TH (Saturday)

Chapter Mtg: 9:00 donuts/coffee;

10:00 mtg; Carlile's Hangar:

15720 SE 175th ST Weirsdale

OCTOBER (CANCELLED)

IMC/VMC mtg. 7:00pm Carlile's

Pilots Lounge

NOVEMBER 4TH (Saturday).

"Wings Over Weirsdale" Annual

Chapter Fly In

NOVEMBER - NO Chapter

Meeting this month.

Chapter 1236 Officers

Pres. John Carlile

VP Bruce Cynamon

Treasurer Tricia Angell

Secretary Ana Kircher

Membership Janette Carlile

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Young Eagles - Bob Kircher

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What's Happening at the next Chapter meeting - October 14th Getting Ready for our Annual Fly In !

Join us at 9:00AM for coffee/donuts and 10:00 meeting. We will be going over details of the upcoming "Wings Over Weirsdale" Fly In.



2022 Fly In with 2 car clubs in attendance.

2022 Fly In



2022 Fly In: Food Service Line
- a well organized group...



2022 - The desserts
are legendary.

Also at the upcoming October meeting....

We will be taking volunteer sign ups in October for the upcoming "Wings Over Weirsdale" Chapter Fly In on November 4th. We need volunteers for Food Service/ Prep, Set up/Take Down, Aircraft Parking, Car Parking, and more.

WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST CHAPTER MEMBERS

SEPTEMBER 2023:

Roman Makuch & Anna Mardjanian
Wendy & Justin Weaver.
Helen Gehr
Skip & Sarah Banks



HEADS UP

**2023 CHAPTER DUES WILL BE
COLLECTED AT THE
OCTOBER 14TH MEETING**

\$15 for individual,
\$20 for Family
80+ years young? Honorary
member FREE

CAN'T MAKE THE MEETING TO PAY?

Please make your check out to
"EAA Chapter 1236" and mail to
Tricia Angell
17921 SE 158th Ct.
Weirsdale, FL 32195

Kathy Hirtz Shares her Aviation Journey on National Women's Aviation Day at the September meeting

Dr. Kathy Hirtz, chapter member, shared her unique journey into aviation. Her story highlights how a passion for flying can take one to great heights and many adventures.



Kathy Hirtz and her presentation



Kathy Hirtz



Kathy and her first Pitts



Kathy and Steve Wolf on their wedding day. Curtis Pitts (on right) was their best man.



Kathy brought her Pitts to the meeting...



She also brought her Zlin..

Memories from September Meeting



It was great to see Jeanne & Pete Reed at our meeting



Frank McMullan in a custom "Stahr" Pilots Shirt with Kathy Hirtz

Need a Chapter Nametag?

Nametags are being made for the new members... BUT if you never got one, or it broke, or lost one (I mean REALLY lost as opposed to misplaced) let Janette know at the next meeting OR email:

janette.g.carlile@gmail.com

BTW- new name tags are also kept on the magnetic nametag "parking lot" next to the membership photo wall in the Carlile's hangar.

New Chapter T-shirts Now Available

Thanks to our Chapter Secretary, Ana Kircher, we now have new Chapter T-shirts. We have mens and ladies styles; sizes Sm to 3X. Multiple color choices and a choice of two aviation quotes on the back of the shirt. All shirts are priced at \$25. Orders will be taken at the meeting. There are multiple size samples that can be tried on. We also have stocked up on the every popular "better than Yeti" Chapter mugs - great for ice cold or hot beverages. \$20 each. Multiple colors available. \$5 of each T-shirt or mug sale goes into the young aviator/mechanic donation fund.



GETTING READY FOR "WINGS OVER WEIRSDALE" CHAPTER 1236 FLY IN

We need YOUR HELP! Accepting volunteers to work and enjoy the upcoming Fly In on Saturday, November 4, 2023. The more folks who volunteer, the more "shifts" can be made so one can help out and then have time to enjoy the fly in. Here are the leads and the committees available:

SET UP/TAKE DOWN - Bruce Cynamon;

AIRCRAFT PARKING - Gary Ramola;

CAR PARKING (only in AM)- John Leary;

FOOD SERVICE - Trica & Mike Angell;

SELLING LUNCH TICKETS;

50/50 TICKETS;

BAKING CORNBREAD (you are given a "kit") &/or DESSERTS;

finally..."PUT ME ON ANY COMMITTEE YOU NEED HELP WITH"

We will be TAKING SIGN UPS AT THE OCTOBER 14TH CHAPTER MTG. Can't make the meeting? No worries, email Janette Carlile at janette.g.carlile@gmail.com and let us know which committee(s) you'd like to volunteer for and she'll get your name to the right person.



WINGS OVER WEIRSDALE
NOVEMBER 4, 2023

*EAA CHAPTER 1236, LOVE'S LANDING FLY-IN OR DRIVE-IN
LUNCH, PLANES ON DISPLAY, SHUTTLES, (RAIN DATE IS NOVEMBER 5, 2023)*

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, cornbread, homemade desserts and a drink included for \$15.00 per person. Purchase your Lunch tickets at the Ticket booth.

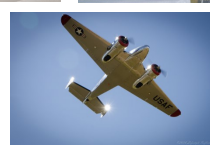
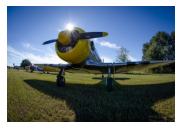
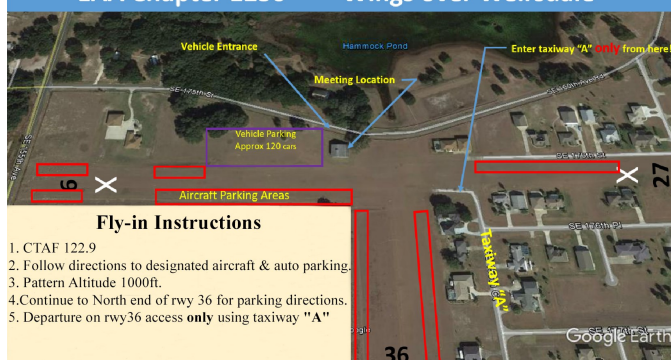


DID YOU KNOW? After the “take down” on Fly In day, all volunteers are welcome to come to the Pilots Lounge in the Carlile's hangar for cold beer (Stella is currently on tap), nibbling on leftover desserts, & and generally just winding down after a successful Fly In. We might even have entertainment on tap that night! Anything is possible...

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**.

EAA Chapter 1236 “Wings over Weirsdale”



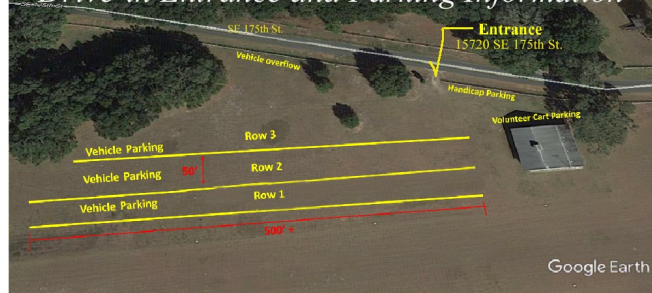
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DRIVE-IN DIRECTIONS

EAA Chapter 1236 “Wings over Weirsdale”

Drive-in Entrance and Parking Information



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 hangar. (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 hangar. (Address: 15720 SE 175th Street, Weirsdale, FL 32195)

DID YOU KNOW? We need volunteers. . .
Email janette.g.carlile@gmail.com
for the committee of your choice...

Oh, the Places you can go with Wings and a Map. . .

RENO AIR RACES NEVADA



Luz & Miguel Cubano, chapter members attended the September Reno Air Races.



Miguel & Luz Cubano memories...This was the last year for the Reno Air Races...citing "concerns about rapid area development, safety, and impact on the Reno-Stead Airport & surrounding areas"

17TH ANNUAL TRIPLE TREE FLY IN WOODRUFF, SOUTH CAROLINA



Chapter member Don Bartlett with Pat Hartness, founder of Triple Tree.

This has become a "go to" Fly In for many Chapter members. It has a 7000' grass runway and last year had over 800 airplanes visit the event.



The Triple Tree Spartan Executive.

Chapter member Frank McMullan's Helicopter



Chapter member Bruce Cynamon, with Dirk & Donna Leeward - of the Leeward Air Ranch Aviation Community.



A favorite of those attending - the mega steak grill...steaks are so tender all you need is a fork.

Working on Your Pilot's License? A New Rating? Tell us about it...

janette.g.carlile@gmail.com

Send your info and a maybe photo of you "in action".

Looking for Toy Box Submissions

Want to share a photo or two of the Toys ALREADY in YOUR Toy Box? Working on a fixer upper? Ideally, you might have a pic of yourself next to your Toy. Send pics and info to janette.g.carlile@gmail.com

FOLLOW UP TO LAST MONTH'S ISSUE of the MINI PEDAL PITTS BUILD:

Chapter member & professional photographer, Bob Rolfe, (and Elijah's Great Uncle) enabled Elijah to take flight in his pedal Pitts. Yes, Grandpa did add the smake (for real). There's no end to Bob's talents or Grandpa's for that matter...



ALERT! ALERT! We REALLY need your help in finding speakers for future meetings. . .

Maybe you have been to other aviation oriented clubs & organizations? We are looking for good speakers for 20-30min(max) presentations that our membership would enjoy. OR maybe you know of someone (or yourself) who has an interesting aviation story to tell? Please email Bruce Cynamon with names and contact info:

CynamonB@aol.com





Hmmm...a possible business opportunity?

SPEAKING OF BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES: CERTIFIED DRONE OPERATOR NEEDED

Chapter member & professional photographer, Bob Rolfe, is looking for a FAA part 107 Remote Pilot Licensed drone operator to assist him by flying Real estate and commercial properties.

Qualifications

- Have active FAA part 107 Certificate.
- Carry liability insurance.
- Own your drone equipment.
- Be able to shoot both video and stills in 4K or 1080 resolution.
- Video editing skills a plus.
- Have a minimum of one (1) year experience.
- Must be willing to travel up to a 60-mile radius of Weirsdale or Lady Lake area.

This is an "as needed", paid per the job basis.

For more information on other qualifications, please contact:

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