



The Bend High Desert Flyer of Chapter 1345

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PREZ SEZ:

Hello everyone, So many things happening and so many directions!

Member Bill Blackwood has donated a ½ VW engine to our chapter! It will need some lovin as it was sitting outside for the past few years but hey! We now have another project and an engine for the VP-1 if we ever get around to building that! Speaking of building, the “builders group” is alive and kicking! The table is assembled and by the October meeting, we’ll have had a few build days under our belt, prepping parts for the “Bond” Glastar.

I want to thank Dale Anderson and Faye Phillips for volunteering with the Redmond Parks and Rec., 1st annual “Aviation Day”! They are guessing between 200-300 kids came through the event held at the Deschutes Fair Grounds. The BD-5 was again a bid draw with lots of kids of all ages hopping in to get a feel for her.

This month, with the weather telling us that Fall is indeed here, it’s “Chili Night” for our next meeting! As usual, I’ll make enough for about 8-10 mouths so, bring your own best receipt and enjoy!

This month we are again at the “Bend Builders Assist” hanger, located at 63032 Powell Butte Hwy. Dale Anderson will start it off with the Young Eagle portion from 4-6 the Chili night starting @ 6! Lots of things going on in the hangar so, everybody is welcome! Come out and enjoy the evening

Thomas Phy,
President

Just one web page from the Redmond Aviation Day promotion

Planes, helicopters, and drones!



Redmond Area Park and Recreation District will host its
first ever **Aviation Day**

– a free community event –

at the Deschutes County Fair and Expo Center on

Saturday, September 23, 2017 from 11:00am to 4:00pm



Aviation Day will include exciting demonstrations and activities for all ages and fun prize giveaways!

Treasurer's Report

Financial For period: 01/01/17 to 09/30/17

TOTAL INCOME	\$10500.30
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$3763.89
NET INCOME	\$6736.41
TOTAL CASH IN BANK	\$9914.55

Payments Outstanding	None
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Jack Watson,
Treasurer

September Meeting Minutes

Minutes of a not-so-regular meeting of The Chapter held on Wednesday, September 13, 2017, at the "Bend Builders Assist"/Robertson Hangar at the Bend Municipal Airport. Meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month.

ATTENDEES

There were 13 in attendance who signed the roster at this meeting.

DINNER

Tonight was our yearly club BBQ/picnic and family members were invited. Turnout was lower than expected for this event, which is usually well-attended. Oh, well, more Salmon for the rest of us! Did I mention, there was Salmon? Tom did a terrific job of preparing the Salmon, and there were lots of tasty side dishes supplied by the various families. Too bad we only do this once a year!

PROGRAM

The meeting was very informal as we sat around eating and visiting, which is what this event is all about. We did talk about the eclipse in August and also the Madras Airshow. Our Chapter had a presence at the Air Show; Tom and Dale were the only ones that held down the fort, though.

Tom went to the WAAAM fly-in in Hood River on September 8th. Because of all the smoke from the forest fires, there were only about 20 airplanes that showed up.

The City of Redmond has invited us out to their Aviation Day presentation. It will be a good opportunity to meet people and talk about airplanes, flying and EAA. Tom will be taking his BD-5 to display. Tom invited everyone out to the Expo Center in Redmond on September 23rd to help him man a booth.

(Lots of photos of this event in this issue, thanks to Tom and Faye)

After everyone had had plenty to eat and had updated each other on their flying adventures, the meeting was . . .

ADJOURNED

Faye Phillips
Secretary



Member Bill Blackwood who has donated a 1/2 VW engine to our chapter

Young Eagles Support Group Meeting

Agenda

Who: Adults, Young Eagles, Potential Young Eagles, Eagles, Civil Air Patrol, and everyone interested in aerospace education.

What: A meeting to have fun with airplanes

When: 4 pm, Wednesday, October 11, 2017

Where: Bend Builders Assist (EAA) hangar, Bend Municipal Airport

Why: For Education, Safety, and FUN !!!!

4 PM Introductions: Introduce yourself to the group. Tell us about your recent flight experiences or plans?

Show & tell: Anyone with something to share with the group?

Reports: "Aviation Day", Redmond Parks & Rec., at the fairgrounds. Christmas party plans

FAAST Topic: To be determined

Special Topic: Rib - wood construction, Rib - aluminum construction, materials advantages & disadvantages, wing design parameters and issues.

What's new in the hangar - tour

6 PM Burgers on the grill

6:30 PM EAA Chapter 1345, High Desert Flyers, monthly meeting, & guest speaker

I hope you can make it,

Dale



Ducks fly for fun too!

PLACES TO FLY

OREGON PILOTS ASSOCIATION

<http://www.oregonpilot.org/>

DO JOIN US!

Well, it was a shock to go from summer to November weather in one fell swoop for sure! But it looks as if we'll get some decent fall weather for sure this weekend.

You have lots of options this weekend!

FIREFIGHTING AIRPORT CLOSURES

Prospect- Closed except to firefighting aircraft until October 15. TFR in effect also

Toketee- Closed except to firefighting aircraft until October 15. TFR in effect also.

Santiam Junction- Closed except to firefighting aircraft until September 30

Oakridge- Closed except to firefighting aircraft except to firefighting aircraft until September 30

Chiloquin- Closed except to firefighting aircraft until September 30.

There is still a TFR along the south side of the Columbia River in the Gorge.

THE USUAL SUSPECTS

Every Friday -- Donuts at Lenhardts (7S9). Lots of planes fly in on sunny Fridays. Remember it's under UAO's airspace, so if you're not talking to the tower, approach from the east and stay below 1200 ft.

Every Sunday -- Breakfast at Lebanon (S30) Fly down and take the FBO car in to the American Legion post for a great breakfast for 6\$. You'll find other pilots there, it's a popular place to eat breakfast on Sundays.

Every Saturday -- Barbecue at Newport (ONP). Every Saturday, you can drop into ONP for burgers on the grill at the FBO there. What a great excuse to fly to the coast! Admire that gorgeous paving job on the runway, too!

First Saturday of every month -- Breakfast at Stark's Twin Oaks (7S3) -- fly in for a great breakfast of pancakes, sausage, bacon, eggs, and grits, even!

PLACES TO FLY – continued

Second Saturday of every month -- the Hood River WAAAM Museum Open House (4S2) Fly or drive in for the open house at the WAAAM Museum at the Hood River airport. You won't believe the thousands of flying aircraft and gorgeously restored vintage cars in those hangars! On the Second Saturdays, the cars drive visitors around and some of the war birds even fly if the weather permits. Now, they offer Wings Credit FAAST seminars, too!

THE FUN STUFF

Saturday, October 14

WAAAM Second Saturday at Hood River (4S2)

Ride in the restored cars, see a few warbirds fly if there's weather, and tour the AWESOME collection of airplanes, cars, and military equipment. Great play area for the kids, too!

Willamette Aviation Second Saturday (UAO)

See their website to find out what this month's Wings Credit seminar will be:

<http://www.willametteair.com/>

Saturday, October 21

EAA Breakfast at Cresswell Hobby 77S

Start the day with a good breakfast!

Saturday, October 28

EAA Albany pilots' lunch at the FBO! (S12)

Saturday, November 4

Starks Twin Oaks Breakfast (7S3)

Grits, pancakes, eggs, bacon and sausage. And lots of airplanes if the weather is flyable! What's not to like about this great way to start your weekend?

Thanks to Mary Rosenblum of Oregon Pilots Association for the above update



Field of Dreams RC group



Lots of interest in the BD-5



You can't start too young!



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