

Dues

12 month annual dues are \$20 1 Jan through 31 Dec 2021 Payable to Stuart Rauh 1717 East Thornton Des Moines, IA 50320 or online: http://135.eaachapter.org

President's Ramblings October 2021

Last month's meeting in my hangar at Nashfield was a success. We had a good number of Board and Chapter members for our meeting, most drove but three planes flew in. If you recall, I attempted organize statewide to а gathering of EAA Chapters that same day which would take place after our meeting. We did have some participation from a few other Chapters - Chapters 33, 135, 409 stopped by for a meet and greet along with some well received ice cream on a warm September morning. Along with this, Welcome new member Ryan Rosa and family to our Chapter.

Saturday October 9
Dave Schuler's Hanger
Ankeny Airport
Board Meeting 5:30
General Meeting 6:30
View the Fokker VI Project

The afternoon continued with the CY-Hawk game and a christening of the TiKi Bar as every hangar needs a watering hole or a place to contemplate life's challenges - like building an airplane from a kit. As the sunset on a sleepy little airport a small fire completed the day's events with one exhausted but happy host. Thanks to everyone that made the day a success. I can't wait until next year.

















FOGZ a.k.a. Flying Old Geezers

About a week after the September meeting I hosted the FOGZ group of aviator's to Nashfield for morning coffee. Great turnout and plenty of comradery. I was informed I was a little young to be joining this group although it was all in good fun. Talk with Marc Broer if you think this is a group that you'd like to be a part of and fly some place for coffee or the occasional breakfast or as their email states - It's B.Y.O.B. = Bring Your Own Breakfast. How acronyms change as one gets older...... I don't recall ever referring to BYOB as breakfast. Haha







I did find DRACO too - a great model at the Modelaires field at Dallas Center.

I will be absent for the October Meeting but the ship will stay the course as your VP Dave Schuler will be at the helm. One thing to be discussed will be how best to market or finish the building of a Fokker VI ¾ scale aircraft kit which was donated to our chapter by Peter James. Thanks again Pete. Please let the board know of an idea you may have for this project. The project is on the chapter trailer in Dave Schuler's hangar. Come to the meeting and look it over some work done and the rest of the kit appears to be there. Check it out at this link:

https://www.airdromeaeroplanes.com/ FokkerD-VI%7B3-4scale%7D.html Here's photos of the kit -

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1MUNyQu5d3dl1KkGByYQjwd31aFQRwEgg

Lastly, it was discussed about making a sign or pole sign for the blue barn at OSHKOSH to denote Chapter 135 350 miles and mounted this on the pole pointing in the general direction of our location. Also, we need ideas for a sign on or around the field at KIKV stating "HOME OF EAA CHAPTER 135" - I plan to see what requirements, if any are for such a sign.

Till next time - blue skies and tailwinds my friends.

AJ





Wayne Boesch & Robert Richtsmeier removing the engine in Ames



Marc Broer's Stinson Engine Swap





Engine moved to Marc's hanger at the Eldora Airport

Local 700 Chapter Appreciation Fly-in Breakfast.

Burlington Iowa (KBRL)



Pilots and EAA Members EAT FREE \$5.00 per person

October 23rd

7am-10:30am

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Aviation Events on the Iowa Aviation DOT Calendar

OCTOBER 2021

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2

Winterset Municipal Airport (3Y3)

Big Tire Bounce Off (STOL competition)

8:00 a.m. - 5 p.m.

970-901-0676 (Hal Yeager)
Email: yeager.hal@gmail.com
Website: www.wintersetairport.com

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19

Waterloo Municipal Airport (ALO)

FAA Safety Team Webinar

7 p.m.

319-240-2497 (John Dutcher) Email: john@balboapt.com Website: FAASafety.gov

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20

Council Bluffs Municipal Airport (CBF)

Great Plains Wing CAF Cookout Open to all- museum open

5:30 p.m.

402-981-4633 (Jeff Hutcheson)
Email: jeffhutcheson3@gmail.com

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

Harlan Municipal Airport (HNR)

Chili/soup fly-in

11 a.m.

712-744-3366 (Scott Pigsley)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31

Green Castle Aero Club (IA24)

Pumpkin Splat 1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

402-981-4633 (Jeff Hutcheson)

Email: spradarelli@gmail.com

Website: www.greencastleaeroclub.com

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Independence Municipal Airport (IIB)

Chili Fly-in 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. PIC's eat free

319-777-9488 (P&N Flight & Charter)
Email: vanhookjr76@gmail.com
Website: www.fly-iowa.com



FOGZ at Ankeny Museum September 15

Scales Rental Info

All scale rentals require check for \$200.00 deposit. This will be returned, uncashed, upon timely return of the scale.

Rentals are for three days. This may be extended for three additional days at no charge if there are no other conflicting requests for their use, with notification by phone. Otherwise, a late fee of \$100.00 per day applies.

Chapter 135 (must be a member 3 months prior to rental date): . . .\$25.00/3days National EAA member but not Chapter 135 member \$75.00/3days

A&P or FBO rate \$125.00/3days

Copy of rental agreement available by email by contacting Stuart Rauh at stuart@rauhnet.com

Chapter 135 Officers 2021

President: Al Hummel

Vice President: Dave Schuler

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