

CHAPTER 153



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

DECEMBER 2022

Dear Friends of EAA 153,

Its that time of year where you look all over for your favorite warm jackets and hats. Some of us may spend a little less time at the cold airport without the right clothing. That is one reason to come to our warm heated Schaumburg Airport meeting room.

The November meeting about "Flying A Stearman", with Chris and Kelley from Holiday Airways Flight School at Schaumburg Airport was fun, educational and well attended. It was nice that they taxied the Stearman over and parked it in the big warm hangar for the short field trip and to admire their gorgeous Stearman up close. Thank you so much, Kelley and Chris! They offer lessons in a large variety of unique aircraft.

We met and welcomed some new guests and new members. Then we heard some reports on flying activity and progress from our many builders and restorers.

Our next presentation on Friday December 9th will begin at 6:30 with a potluck Holiday dinner party. Please try to make your favorite dish (think things like bread, appetizers, meatballs, salads, vegetables, desserts) sized for 10-12 people to snack on. There is a microwave and outlets are available. We will supply drinks, coffee, plates, plasticware and napkins.

Then at about 7:30 our Technical Counselor Ron Liebmann will give us a presentation on "WARBIRDS". Ron has been involved in aviation almost forever and has been working at OSH Warbirds about that long too. Please join us and do bring your family and friends.

Quiz time: What is going to be 60 years old in January and will there be a big party?
Answer: EAA Chapter 153 was formed/chartered in January 1963 and yes, we will celebrate with a big cake. Before the cake, at 6:30 on January 13th, we will hold our famous Chili Cookoff. Practice up making your own famous chili recipe and we would like to try to have about 8 people bring enough so about 8 people can sample your talents. This and our surprise presentation may make you forget it is cold outside.

Remember that our Chapter has some handy tools for members to use.

We would like your input on presentation ideas.

The election results from last month were counted so Glenn is our Secretary, Scott is our Treasurer, Brian is a Director, Jim Fall is a Director and our new member Jim Wachs is a Director.

You can mail Scott your membership dues or pay at an upcoming meeting.

Feel free to call any of your Board, Technical Counselors and Flight Advisors anytime.

Please submit an article for an upcoming newsletter.

Send me or Glenn a nice picture of your flying contraption for the Website.

Plan to attend the January 28th all day Aviation Expo put on by the 99's. You can thank Madeleine for doing our newsletter when you see her there, because she is the 99 in charge of EXPO

Above all-Have Fun,

Bob

*Don't forget- mail a check for Chapter dues made out to EAA Chapter 153 for \$20 to
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PLANNING AHEAD FOR NEXT YEAR

JANUARY 13, 2023

153 TURNS 60

*Join us for a chili cook off and birthday cake
celebrate your Chapter's long years of success*

HAPPY
BIRTHDAY

Chicago Area 99s invite you to
join in a day of Safety

IFR/VFR/Flying Companion
and Aviation Expo



Wings credit classes
Aviation Vendors
Old and new friends

Renaissance Glenview Hotel
1400 Milwaukee Ave
Glenview, IL

JANUARY 28, 2023 8am to 4pm
Lunch available for purchase

NOVEMBER MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

IF YOU WEREN'T THERE, YOU MISSED
OUT ON STEARMAN NIGHT!

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HAPPY HOLIDAYS

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9

HOLIDAY POT LUCK 6:30 PM in the conference room

Bring a dish that serves 10 to share

SAFETY PROGRAM 7:30 pm

another patriotic presentation "WARBIRDS"
BY RON LIEBMAN, TECHNICAL CONSULTANT