

## The CHAPTER 221 FLYER

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#### President's Message



We had 38 folks at our annual Holiday Winterfest gettogether. The food and service at the Vicksburg Main Street Pub were great. Our guest speaker was Andrew Woodstock, an artist and private pilot from

Plainwell, MI. Andy has entered the past couple Grand Rapids Artprize competitions and was able to give us a feel for the competition and challenges of participating in ArtPrize. His entry this year, an eight by sixteen foot watercolor painting entitled Tuskegee Airmen, finished just short of the top ten. That is an amazing feat considering there were approximately 1700 Artprize entries. Andy brought a "miniature" print (two by four foot) of his Tuskegee Airman painting which we could study up close. He shared the process he uses to create what are truly "works of art". Andy also shared some flying stories. It was a fun evening.

February's meeting will feature "Aardvark's aircraft review, a pictorial history". Bob Aardema, some of us know him as Aardvark, will host an interactive, pictorial program of aircraft we have known. It should be a fun evening of shared airplane stories.

Dennis Gokey is also going to bring a couple Paw Paw Middle School students who are building helicopters for an upcoming competition. Dennis is hoping they will be far enough along on their projects to demonstrate how they work.

Fly Safe,

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#### **Next Meeting**

Wednesday, February 6th, 2013

7:00 PM

Airzoo Classroom
Aardvark's Aircraft Review





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Vicksburg, MI
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Unless otherwise specified, our chapter meetings are the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the **AirZoo Flight Center Classroom** on the west side of the Kalamazoo-Battle Creek International Airport.

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