

EAA 406 meeting minutes

EAA Chapter 406 meeting June 14th, 2023, held in person at the Port conference room. There was a potluck dinner prior to the meeting. Thanks to all who brought something to eat. It was welcomed.

There were ~25 members and visitors in attendance.

Andy Graham, President, called the meeting to order @ 19:00 and welcomed all.

Doug Houghton gave a short update for the upcoming Air show passed out flyers. He noted that Hanger owners and tenant should be receiving 2 tickets from **Monroe the airport manger** for the airshow and that the tenants and owners of hangers will have access to their hangers.

Zachary Krause our secretary noted that the July 8 Young eagles rally have been moved to July 15 to accommodate the Warbirds workshop on July 8th

Mike Friend our Vice President gave an update on the Sonex Xenos build. The plane is being fitted for a custom interior Donated by Oreagan aero. The Xenos was taken to **Oregan Aero** on the Grahams family trailer driven by **Joel Mapes** and **Cara Alferness** in Cara's F150. The Journey resulted the safe arrival of the Xenos in Scappoose OR. **Mike Friend** and **Annaka Pexton** meet them in Scappoose, OR via RV-8 to allow Oreagan Aero to take measurements of both large and small pilots.

Thank you to **Oregan Aero, Mike friend Joel Mapes Cara Alferness the Graham family and Annaka Pexton** for the hard work!

Mike Friend brought up that his friend Gabe Devault in California would like to donate an almost complete **Sonex Waix**(no power plant). Mike asked the chapter if the chapter would like to pursue this as a project the chapter. **MJ** proposed the motion to have **Mike** pursue the opportunity and it was seconded by **Chris**, the chapter voted unanimously in favor.

Mike Friend noted that with the increase in participants in the Xenos build project, that for the EAA to assume liability and ensure safety of both members of property. Regular build participant should be EAA 406 and EAA national members. The club has had issue's where parents were trying to use the build sessions as a babysitting service.

Wayne Sargent gave a wonderful presentation about the history of the Sorrell Company, the Hiperbipe series of airplane and show us around his Hiperbipe.

Thank you, Wayne Sargent!

we have a few new members that Joined us:

Chris: he saw the V tail while eating at Ameillia's, George steed Found him, and he has been with us since.

The Smith family: They found out about us via Young eagles, and are participating in the Xenos build.

Thank you,

Respectfully submitted,

Zachary Krause, secretary