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## *From the Editor -*



Last month's meeting was our yearly pizza party and Oshkosh review. The food was great, and thanks to all who brought deserts and salads to share. Ken Scott presided over a short formal meeting, and we then enjoyed some AirVenture pictures taken by Herrill Davenport. Lots of time with friends, talking and enjoying the evening. A big thanks to Lynn and Pat Miller for hosting us again at their beautiful home and hangar at the Erie Airpark.

Please see president Ken Scott's message on page 4 of this issue. Volunteers are what make this great group of friends, this club, work. There is nothing without them. Please step up and volunteer. You'll probably get a lot more out of it than you give!

Just a quick reminder - the December issue will be my last... gotta' get the Kitfox project flying! After 4 years it's time to let someone else take over. We do have a possible volunteer, but could use a little "back-up" in case that doesn't work out.

*John*

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***Next Meeting - [Saturday, October 8, 2016](#)***

***7 PM @ the Mt. Evans Room in the Terminal Bldg. @ Metro Airport***

## *From Ken Scott -*

This month we are pleased to have one of our members, **Bo LeMay**, speak to us about some of his missions flying for the National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR) which conducts atmospheric studies in many parts of the world. NCAR has its research facilities located in Boulder with flight operations conducted from KBJC. Bo is retired Air Force and flies both the C-130 and Gulfstream V for NCAR. Some of his missions have included atmospheric sampling in extreme temperature conditions over Antarctica and, more recently, dropping radiosondes around two hurricanes (Madeline and Lester) in the Pacific. This will be a very interesting talk and I hope you can all make it.



# ***Upcoming Events Calendar***

Submitted by *Don Smith*

## **2016 EVENTS**

### **OCTOBER**

- Sat* 8 AOPA/ASI Safety Seminar, Trivia Night! Front Range Flight School Watkins CO  
10:30-12:00
- Sat* 8 AOPA Rusty Pilots presented by Front Range Flight School, FTG, 1:30 p.m.
- Sat* 8 *EAA Chapter 43 Membership meeting, BJC, 7:00 p.m.***
- Sat* 15 *EAA Chapter 43 Young Eagles Rally, EIK 7:45 a.m.*
- 21-22 Rans Fly-in 2016 at Rans Factory Strip (8KS4), Hays KS
- Fri* 21 EAA Chapter 301 Membership meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- 28-29 Copperstate Fly-in, Falcon Field Airport (KFFZ), Mesa AZ  
<http://www.copperstate.org>
- Sat* 29 EAA Chapter 301 Young Eagles Rally, FTG 7:45 a.m.

### **NOVEMBER**

- Sat* 5 EAA Chapter 301 Young Eagles Rally, FTG 7:45 a.m.
- Sat* 5 Spreading Wings Gala, Wings over the Rockies Museum, 6:00 – 11:00 p.m.
- Sat* 12 CPA Annual Membership Meeting, Mt. Evans Rm., KBJC, 8:30 a.m. - Noon
- Sat* 12 *EAA Chapter 43 Membership meeting, BJC, 7:00 p.m.***
- Fri* 18 EAA Chapter 301 Membership meeting, 7:00 p.m.

### **DECEMBER**

- Sat* 3 The 7th Annual 1940's & 50's White Christmas Ball, KBJC, 5:00 p.m.  
[http://1940sball.org/1940sball/1940s\\_christmas\\_ball/](http://1940sball.org/1940sball/1940s_christmas_ball/)
- Fri* 9 Wright Brothers Memorial Banquet, EAA Museum, OSH, Reception 6:00 p.m., Dinner  
7:00 p.m.
- Sat* 10 *EAA Chapter 43 Membership meeting, BJC, 7:00 p.m.***
- Sun* 11 CPA Holiday Party, 5:30 p.m., Parkhill Golf Course, 4141 E 35<sup>th</sup> Ave, Denver (T)

## Want Ads



Bill Mitchell Reports that these folks can embroider a couple of different sizes of our chapter logo on jackets, shirts, etc. Bill showed some examples at one of our meetings, and they were beautifully done!

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## President's Message

With elections coming up next month I would like to present brief bios on two of our newer members who have volunteered to run for two of our Chapter 43 positions. We thank them both. Phil Brown will be running for one of the VP slots and Joe Gilmore for one of the board positions. If any of you would like to run for any of the positions up for election, please let us know as soon as possible so we can include you on the ballot in November.

### **Phil Brown**

Phil Brown is a Lifetime EAA member with his first Oshkosh in 1976 after he finished his first homebuilt, an AX-5 hot air balloon. He has been a continuous member since, and has attended 39 Oshkosh/AirVentures. He has volunteered at Oshkosh for most of the last ten years.

Phil holds Commercial, Instrument, and CFI-I ratings for single and multiengine, and commercial (instructor) for hot air balloon. Phil is also an EAA Technical Counselor specializing in rag & tube airplanes. He has owned a Piper 180 Comanche for 30 years, and in 2013 completed a very pretty Pober Pixie which he began in 1976. Both airplanes are based at Boulder. Phil was active in Chapter 67 in Indianapolis for many years. He holds a Purdue degree in Interdisciplinary Engineering, and an MBA. He moved from Indiana to Boulder in 2104 as he retired. He is also a member of Soaring Society of Boulder, Boulder Amateur Radio Club (WE7A), and Boulder Astronomy and Space Society, as well as EAA Chapter 648. Phil does wish to apologize that he has great memory for numbers but TERRIBLE memory for names and finds that nametags are wonderful!

### **Joe Gilmore**

Joe Gilmore is an oil and gas attorney who has recently returned to aviation after an extended absence, and was drawn to EAA both because of his love for older airplanes (owned a 1946 Aeronca 7AC back in the 1980s) and because EAA's grassroots local chapters work enthusiastically to promote and preserve general aviation for the individual pilot/aircraft owner. Joe holds certificates as a CFI and A&P, and is currently part owner of a Grumman AA-5A Cheetah based at BJC. He believes strongly in community outreach programs like the Young Eagles, and really enjoyed participating as a pilot in his first two Young Eagles event in September. Joe has served in the past both as a volunteer worker and a board member with various local non-profit organizations including activity-based organizations like EAA and charitable ones as well, and would welcome the opportunity to work hard for Chapter 43.

## 2016 Chapter Officers

President	Ken Scott	303-674-7846
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(Note: \* - 2 year terms expire end of 2017, \*\* - 2 year terms expire end of 2016)

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First Class



Meetings are normally held on the second Saturday of each month at 7:00 P.M.—Location determined monthly. See Page 1 for details of the upcoming meeting.