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Next Meeting

Editor's Corner

Saturday, December 12, 2015

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

Our program -

This month we will be showing portions of two chapter videos. First, will be an interview with Burt Rutan which was done at AirVenture this past August. Burt discusses his passion for new designs and for following a path for higher aircraft efficiency with greater speed and fuel economy. He tells of never giving up and that most of his designs flew very poorly on their first flight – especially the Long-EZ. Second, will be a tour of the Sensenich plant in Florida that makes both wood and composite propellers. Construction techniques of each type of propeller are explained. The steps in wood propeller construction cover aspects from wood grading, cutting, gluing blanks, shaping, finishing, and balancing.



It's that time of the year again to renew your membership in Chapter 43. There is an application form on p.6 of this issue. Also,



our annual awards banquet is next month. The sign up form for that is on p.7. There is usually a limited amount of seating for this get-together, so it would be wise to sign-up soon. Checks can be mailed, brought to the meeting this month, or payment can be made on the website with PayPal.

Last month the new officers for next year were elected. A big thanks and congratulations to **Ken Scott** (President), **Bill Mitchell** and **Steve Paschke** (Co-Vice Presidents), **Roxie Juul** (Secretary), and **Myles Lee** (Treasurer). Newly elected to the Board of Directors were **Ricky Domenico** and **Scott Serani**.

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Submitted by Don Smith

2015 EVENTS

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Sat	5	The 5th Anniversary 1940's & 50's White Christmas Ball, Wings Over the Rockies Museum, 4:30 p.m. – 11:55 p.m.
		http://www.1940sball.com/White_Christmas_Ball/Welcome.html
Fri	11	Holiday Open House, KFTG Executive Terminal, 5:00-7:00 p.m., RSVP by 12/4 rsvp@ftg-airport.com
Fri	18	Wright Brothers Memorial Banquet, EAA Museum, OSH, Reception 6:00 p.m., Dinner 7:00 p.m. (T)
Sat	12	EAA Chapter 43 Membership meeting, BJC, 7:00 p.m.
Sun	13	CPA Holiday Party, 5:30 p.m., Parkhill Golf Course, 4141 E 35 th Ave, Denver (T)
Fri	18	EAA Chapter 301 Membership meeting, 7:00 p.m.

2016 EVENTS

Sat	•	FAA Chanter 13 Holiday Dinner Master's Restaurant Colorado
Sat	9	CPA Fly-in planning meeting, Nighthawk Brewery (2780 Industrial Lane, Broomfield, 3:00 p.m.

Sat	9	EAA Chapter 43 Holiday Dinner, Master's Restaurant, Colorado
		National Golf Club, Erie.
		Cocktails at 6:00 p.m, Dinner at 6:30 p.m

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Fri	15	EAA Chapter 301 Membership meeting, 7:00 p.m.

- The annual EAA Chapter 301 Founder's Dinner, 11:00 a.m. at the Mount Vernon Country Sun 17 Club
 - 20-23 Sebring FL 12th Annual U.S. Sport Aviation Expo (SEF) http://www.sportaviationexpo.com/
- Sat 27 EAA Chapter 301 Young Eagles Rally, FTG 8:00 a.m.

JANUARY



Young Aviator Update December 2015

November kept the Young Aviators busy!

On November 11, we honored our past and present Military Veterans with our B-25 Warbird. The parade began at 11:11 a.m. and it was a float (of sort) in the Longmont Veteran's Day Parade with our kids and mentors aboard the trailer. The Veterans enjoyed the parade while we watched in awe at the spectators. The opportunity for us to see the dignified military people who have and do protect our freedom was an eye opening experience for all of us. Thank you to all of our military service men and women and their families.



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On November 14, we ventured to Centennial Airport to hear Apollo 13 Flight Director Gene Krantz and Astronaut Fred Haise speak. They talked about their childhoods, how they ended up being a part of the NASA team, their experience and their vision for future space exploration and travel. One Aviator took her first Young Eagles flight ever. At the adolescent age of 41, Cliff Goldstein decided it was about time! Cliff flew YA Andrea McCay from Erie to Centennial via I25 for the visit and returned home over Red Rocks and Boulder. Thank you Cliff. You made my whole year!!

Also speaking at this venue was Sean D. Tucker, Aerobatic Champion and Master of Ceremonies. Sean is energetic, positive, inspiring, and left us all smiling at his pure joy of life.

It was a once in a lifetime opportunity for most of us and our kids. Thank you to Chuck Kubin for making sure the YA families were included in this talk.









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We were together again on the 21st, when we visited Sierra Nevada in Louisville. Mrs. Pat Miller coordinated this field trip where the things that we were able to see were so secure, no phones were invited. They didn't need to be off, they needed to be left in a car! We had to know we were in for a great morning. Dan and Megans, our SNCorp hosts, were friendly and knowledgeable. We missed seeing the dozen(s) of satellites that were in for maintenance by 10 days but we saw prototypes and trials of the Dream Chaser. The Dream Chaser began as a concept for passenger space travel and has evolved into a cargo vehicle for space flight that has begun testing and modification. The name is representative of the concept and is a Dream that many of the engineers hope to see fulfilled in their lifetimes. For more information about this



project and SNCorp, visit sncorp.com

We want to continue to have some speakers visit (or host us) and share their experiences in aviation, flight, aeronautical engineering, materials, or BASICALLY ANY-THING FLIGHT RELATED. If you have suggestions for guests, please email us or get in touch with Pat Miller.

We have updated our Facebook page. Please visit and "like"!



Membership Enrollment Information

(Needed for Current Roster & Chapter Correspondence)



MANDATORY INFORMATION: If nothing has changed from last year, this is all the information required. We need EAA Membership # and EAA Renewal date to comply with EAA Charter and Chapter 43 by-laws.

Date:	Annual Dues	\$20.00
Name:	Scholarship Donation (Optional)	0
National EAA Membership #:	Total	.00
EAA Membership Renewal Date:	Scholarship donations are tax dec	ductible.
Are you a:		
Technical Counselor YesNo	Please make check(s) payable to: EAA Chapter 43	
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CFI YesNo	2.00g.c.u, 00. 00000 1, 20	
NEW MEMBERS PLEASE COMPLETE - RETURNING I information that may have changed from previous year (ij		
E-Mail Address:	Home Phone:	
Spouse:	Cell Phone:	
Street:		
City, State, and Zip:		
HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE INVOLVED IN	N THE CHAPTER?	
Participate in Young Eagles functions, either as pilot or	volunteer? Pilot YesNo	
Arrange, Or Be, The Program For One Of Our Meetings Host A Chapter Meeting At Your Project?	YesNo YesNo	
AIRCRAFT INFORMATION: Note: Status:Built, Building, Restoring, Considering, etc.		
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To keep costs down the monthly newsletter is delivered via E-Mail (unless otherwise requested). We also send out periodic news items by e-mail.

Suggestions: Please provide any suggestion on things you would like to see the chapter improve on or provide in the future on to any of the chapter officers. The board will review suggestions.

EAA CHAPTER 43 BANQUET SIGN UP

ANNUAL CHAPTER BANQUET, **JAN. 9, 2016**COCKTAILS AT 6:00 PM, DINNER AT 6:30 PM

COLORADO NATIONAL GOLF CLUBHOUSE RESTAURANT 2700 VISTA PARKWAY, ERIE, CO. \$20 PER MEMBER, FIRST GUEST \$20 (ADDITIONAL GUESTS \$27.50)

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NO. IN YOUR PARTY
AMOUNT INCLUDED \$(PLEASE INCLUDE FULL AMOUNT)
PHONE NUMBER
EMAIL ADDRESS
PLEASE PRINT OUT AND MAIL THIS FORM AND YOUR CHECK

(MEMO ON CHECK THAT IT IS FOR THE BANQUET) MADE OUT TO:

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Chapter Scholarship Fund

As we quickly head into the final stretch of 2015, many of us are still considering tax-free donations that we might like to make for this year. We have been proud in the past of the good we have done as a chapter toward encouraging young folks in our community to explore the adventures and satisfaction that accompany flight and working with aircraft. Please consider donating to the Chapter 43 Scholarship Fund so that we might continue this worthwhile endeavor. We have just a tad over \$2400 so far toward our annual goal of \$4500. You may either send your donation to the chapter mailbox or bring it with you to our next meeting.

Thanks for your consideration,

Stan Specht Chapter Scholarship Fundraising Chairman



Want Ads & items for publication may be sent to the editor - newsletter@eaa43.org

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