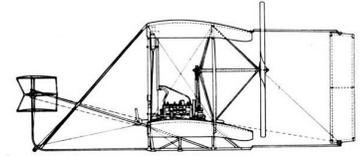




The Flyer



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Annual Elections & Steak Roast

The Chapter's annual election of board members will be held during November's meeting on the 15th. It appears that there are 4 positions that are at their term limits, so if you have even an inkling of interest, throw your hat in the ring. It is a chance to volunteer, be more involved with the Chapter, and help steer it in to the future. New board members mean fresh perspectives and ideas. Please give it serious consideration. And if you can't, there are other ways to help out, such as volunteering on the Saturday before



the General Meeting for SAC Cleanup. Help keep OUR facility clean and the grounds tidy. As a benefit, you will likely get to know your fellow members better!

And yes, November is the month for the Annual Steak Roast! A sign up sheet was sent around at the October meeting for steaks, and an email was sent out by Tom Henion to get a firm count on how many steaks are needed. As an aside, by the time you get this newsletter, it may be too late to sign up. I would recommend contacting Tom Henion or Randy Spurr to see if you can get your order in.

Editor's Empennage

Well, this is my first attempt at being a newsletter editor, and I'm sure that there is plenty of room for me to improve. This issue will be basic and bare bones. However, as time progresses, and I learn to communicate with the Board and membership better, I expect this to fill out more. That being said, this is *your* newsletter, so if you have content to share, such as pictures and articles, please send them to me, and I'll try to make it all fit together. There used to be a Newsletter email address though, at this moment, I don't know if it is active, nor how to access it. So, if you have content to submit, please send it to my email dbyers9@rochester.rr.com and put something like Newsletter Content in the subject line. Deadline for this is the 1st Tuesday of the month.

A quick bit about me: I have many and varied interests, but those relevant to our organization would be my love of tools, fabrication skills, my almost obsessive habit of mental engineering, and an interest in almost everything transportation related. If it has wheels, wings, or a hull, and especially vintage, it'll catch my eye. I have a passion for WW1 history, especially aviation. Mostly, I like the fighter aircraft, from both World Wars, but I am particularly fond of biplanes. So, if anyone in the Chapter decides to build a biplane, and doesn't live too far from Kendall, NY, I would probably be willing to give build assistance (maybe for a future ride? Wink, wink).

Darryl

Mission: EAA Chapter 44 is a tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organization of aircraft builders and aviation enthusiasts in the Western New York region dedicated to promoting aviation and encouraging participation in aviation-related activities. These include designing, building and restoring aircraft, education, advocacy, and youth outreach programs. We promote flying with high standards of safety in an environment that supports freedom, family, and personal fulfillment.

Minutes of Board of Directors Meeting, September 12, 2002

The regular meeting of the Board of Directors, EAA 44 was called to order by President Thomas Henion on September 12, 2002, 7:06 pm at the Chapter 44 Sport Aviation Center (SAC).

Board Member Attendance

President	Thomas Henion	Present
Vice Pres.	Randy Spurr	Absent
Director	Peter Bonneau	Present
Director	Frances Englund	Present
Director	Darrin Kenney	Present
Director	Tyler Mullen (Zoom)	Present
Director	Stephen North	Present
Director	Richard Tandy I	Present
Director	Richard Tandy II	Absent (ill)

Others in Attendance

Gail Isaac	Receiving Treasurer - Reporting
Trina Kenney	Accounting & Disbursement Treasurer - Reporting
Robert Nelligan-Barrett	Coordinator Baby Ace (BART) - Reporting
Norm Isler	Ford Tri-Motor Coordinator - Reporting
Elise Isler	General Member

Housekeeping

- Next General Meeting: Tuesday, 20 September at 6:00 (note earlier start time), meeting with Gaines Valley Aviation
- Meals: Hots / Hamburgers / Grilled Chicken. Any leftovers will be offered for sale.
- Program/Speaker: Bob Nelligan-Barrett's trip to St. Louis aviation museum in search of Baby Ace history.

Officer Reports

President - Tom Henion

- Tom has done some research on iPods; Costco has one available on sale with Wi-Fi and Cellular for Young Eagle Events. (Approved to purchase). Funded from Young Eagles.
- Tom has added to the Chapter safety gear: an anti-choking device that is an effective alternative to the Heimlich maneuver.

Vice President - Randy Spurr

- Absent

Secretary - Stephen North

- Tom Henion moved to accept meeting minutes for June, July, and August; Frances seconded. Approved unanimously.

Treasurer - Trina Kenney

- Frances moved to approve the treasurer's reports for July and August; Steve North seconded. Approved unanimously.

Committee Reports

Building and grounds - Tom Henion

- No items.

Baby Ace Restoration Team (BART) - Bob Nelligan-Barrett

- The BART team is expanding with several new members.
- Status - Working on the instrument panel, base for the headrest and the baggage compartment. Next Saturday (24 Sept) is a painting party, spraying the silver on the wings (weather permitting). Starts at 10:00.

Member News (Lauren Rosenthal, c/o Robert Nelligan-Barrett)

- Lauren is now in an assisted living facility pending longer-term arrangements.
- At Lauren's request, Bob reviewed the aviation related material that Lauren has collected to determine which items are best suited for the Chapter to receive. Lauren also has a variety of tools and equipment that the Chapter might be interested in.
- Bob requested a motion to accept a donation from Lauren. Discussion led by Frances about where we would store this material and how we would dispose of it. Generally felt we would be able to store and share as appropriate. Moved: Steve North, seconded: Rick Tandy I. Passed unanimously.
- Special Topic: There is a Quickie Q-200 kit in Lauren's basement. Bob presented a summary of the available parts and material, noting that this could be the next Chapter project or accepted as a donation and flipped. Consensus was to pass on accepting this as a donation since it would be difficult and expensive to finish with questionable value once it was complete. Darrin moved to decline the donation; Frances seconded. 6 for, 1 abstained.

Young Eagles - Richard Tandy Sr.

- No report

Ford Tri-Motor - Norm Isler

- Norm presented a summary of a very successful Tri-Motor visit event. Good organization, good Chapter support, and great weather made for a lot of happy passengers. Many thanks to Norm, Elise, and all the Tri-Motor helpers.

(BOD Minute continued)

- Norm reviewed a summary of income and expenses.

Quick Silver Donated Aircraft - Rick Tandy Sr. and Tom Henion

- No news on potential buyer.
- Rick will try to assemble for display.

Ray Aviation Scholar - Frances Englund

- Status of Sharon flight training, some concern about Sharon logging a lot of flight time without a lot of advancement.
- Dave Hurd is assisting Sharon with ground school

Adjournment - Upon the motion of Darrin, seconded by TBD (?) the Board unanimously voted 7 - 0 to adjourn the meeting at 9:05 pm.

Contacts & BOD Terms

- President** - Tom Henion, Nov. 2021 to Nov. 2023
- Vice President** - Randy Spurr, Nov. 2021 to Nov. 2023
- Director & Secretary**- Stephen North, Nov. 2021 to Nov. 2022
- Director** - Darrin Kenney, Nov. 2020 to Nov. 2022
- Director** - Frances Englund, Nov. 2020 to Nov. 2022
- Director** - Richard Tandy I, Nov. 2021 to Nov. 2023
- Director** - Richard Tandy II, Nov. 2021 to Nov. 2023 (appointed to fill the term of the late Frank Grossman)
- Director** - Peter Bonneau, Nov. 2021 to Nov. 2023
- Director** - Tyler Mullen, Nov. 2021 to Nov. 2022
- Newsletter Editor** - R. Darryl Byers - dbyers9@rochester.rr.com

Editor's Note

With the Board of Directors elections being this month, I have opted to not include email addresses and phone numbers for the current Board members. I will be present at the next Board meeting to determine what information they want printed. Also, I need to find out what all of the other positions are and who fills them. I apologize for the incompleteness of my maiden issue of the newsletter.

Italian Sausage Soup

Due to the many, many compliments my soup garnered at the October meeting, I am including the recipe here.

- 1 pound Italian Sausage, hot or mild, casings removed
- 1 onion diced (medium or large, whatever you prefer)
- 1 garlic clove, minced (1? Yeah, right. More if you like!)
- 2 cans of beef broth (14 -15 oz.), roughly 4 cups.
- 1 can (14.5 oz) Italian-style stewed tomatoes
- 1 cup carrots, sliced
- 1 can (14.5 oz) great northern beans (or cannellini)
- 2 small zucchini, cubed (I like to use 1 zuke and 1 yellow squash)
- 1 can (14.5 oz) spinach
- A couple small handfuls of tiny pasta (I use Acini di Pepe)
- Salt & Pepper to taste

Directions:

1. In Dutch Oven or stockpot, brown sausage, breaking it up. Before it is all the way brown, add in onion and garlic, and continue to brown. I usually put a few grinds of black pepper in here, too.
2. Add in the carrots and brown a bit more, letting the carrots cook a bit and caramelize.
3. Stir in broth, tomatoes, beans, zucchini, and spinach. Season with salt & pepper to taste. Bring to a boil and then simmer for about 15 minutes.
4. Add in the tiny pasta, and continue to simmer until done.

Notes:

- After adding pasta, stir occasionally to make sure it is not sticking to the bottom of the pot.
- I cook on a gas stove, and use a flame diffuser after the browning stage. This helps spread the flame/heat, which helps keep the pasta from sticking.
- Cooking with wine helps, not the soup, but the cook ;)
- We like to put a squeeze of lime juice and Parmesan cheese on top of the soup. Good with crusty bread or oyster crackers.
- ENJOY !!!

EAA Chapter 44 Calendar

Next General Meeting

Tuesday, November 15, 2022

Dinner @ 6:30 pm STEAK NIGHT ! (\$10, need to contact Randy Spurr at rspurr@rochester.rr.com or 585*509-1585 to order your steak(s). Please bring a dish to pass.

Meeting is @ 7:30 pm.

It is Election night. Consider running for a Director position.

Also, Gail Isaac will be speaking about an Aeronca Chief that was recently donated to the Chapter, as well as about the donor, and her father who built the model.

All activities take place at the Sport Aviation Center of Western New York, and are free and open to the public, unless otherwise noted.

Sport Aviation Center, EAA Chapter 44

44 Eisenhower Drive, Brockport, NY 14420

Brockport Airport / Ledgesdale Airpark (7G0)

43° 10' 56" N, 77° 55' 1" W

Board Meetings

2nd Monday of the month

General Meetings

3rd Tuesday of the month

\$5 Dinner 6:30 pm, Meeting 7:30 pm

SAC Saturday Workday

Saturday before General Meeting

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