

EAA



AUGUST 2021 NEWSLETTER

PRESIDENT'S AIRSPACE

I just don't know where to start this month - It was so good to be able to go to Oshkosh this year! And I'm not alone, it's just a SWAG but I'd say that 30 or more Chapter 5 members made the trip to Wisconsin this year. That's about a third of our total membership and better than past years! See full review below. Then a week later, we held our Ice Cream Social at Rob Miller's farm strip. This was another excellent event. A big country picnic and lots of homemade ice cream!

We also assisted Patty with her Wings & Wheels event at Lost Nation Field where we offered coffee and Middlefield's finest donuts. Thanks go to all the volunteers that helped make this event a success. And congratulations to Greg A. who came home with the Best-of-Show trophy.

**HOT AIR BALLOONING
WITH JEFF & SANDY
BARLETT
THIS MONDAY,
AUGUST 16TH,
DINNER AT 6:00 PROGRAM
AT 7:00PM**



We return to regularly scheduled IMC/VMC club meetings this month –
August 26 at 7:00pm.

Our fall clambake is scheduled for **October 1st** – save the date.
Tickets will go on sale in September.

Airport day is coming up on **September 18**
and it will offer a few volunteer opportunities:
Contact Ric if you can fly Young Eagles – pilotric@gmail.com
Contact Sherry if you can help with youth programs – 440 477 1198.

Contact Curtis at the airport if you can help with the pancake breakfast

We have a busy schedule of activities for the year – make sure to check out the
complete list at the end of this newsletter as well as the calendar tab on our website
at: <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea5/chapter-calendar>

AUGUST PROGRAM

Did you know that you can build your own Experimental category balloon?
Our August program looks at the lighter-than-air category of aviation and will be
presented by our own Jeff & Sandy Barlett. If the weather permits, they will
demonstrate the process of inflating and erecting a balloon.
This meeting will also feature recognition of the Flying Start Mentor Pilots and a
reunion of last year's Flying Start Participants.

We'll start this evening with the usual potluck meal at 6:00pm.
The chapter will provide a deli tray for sandwiches.
Please bring a dish to go with if you can.





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Scrap Book





ICE CREAM SOCIAL AT
ROB MILLER'S FARM





WINGS & WHEELS AT
'LOST NATION FIELD





INSTRUCTION IN EXPERIMENTAL CATEGORY A/C-LODA

Those of you with experimental category aircraft should be familiar with the recent Federal court judgment that makes it illegal to receive instruction in an experimental category aircraft. This problem was not caused by the FAA but rather by the federal Judiciary System and the FAA was very quick to come up with a workaround for this problem. Experimental aircraft owners must apply for and receive a Letter of Deviation Authority -LODA - or work with an instructor who has a blanket LODA. The process for acquiring this LODA is identical for the aircraft or the instructor. Use the following link to apply for your LODA:

https://www.faa.gov/licenses_certificates/vintage_experimental/examiners/media/LODA_Template.pdf

HOT AIR BALLOON RIDE RAFFLETICKETS ON SALE NOW!

If you would like to win a ride in Jeff and Sandy's Hot Air Balloon "Tumbleweed," tickets are available at the airport - look for Ric during the day and Tim in the evening.

We also need your help selling the tickets to others!

Contact Sherry Niederkorn at:

sherry.niederkorn23@gmail.com

At the airport, Ric or Tim can hook you up with a few to sell. The drawing for the Hot Air Balloon Ride will be held at our Last Fly-in of Summer - Saturday, September 18th - right after the pancakes are eaten!

YE EVENT AT KPOV

Our friends from chapter 1591 at Portage County are planning a Young Eagle rally for **August 28** and would like help from us. If you can fly kids or would like to help on the ground, contact Homer Lucas at 330-357-6927



UPCOMING EVENTS

AUGUST

Ice Cream Social	08-Aug	
Business Meeting	09-Aug	
Builders Open House	14-Aug	
Program Meeting	16-Aug	Hot-air Ballooning
VMC/IMC Meeting	26-Aug	Top mistakes that pilots make

SEPTEMBER

Business Meeting	13-Sep	
7G8 Airport day	18-Sep	Airport day
IMC/VMC Meeting	23-Sep	Autopilot: What's George doing now?

OCTOBER

Clambake	01-Oct	
Business Meeting	11-Oct	
Program Meeting	18-Oct	FAA Wings
VMC/IMC Meeting	28-Oct	Loss-of-control: respecting the rudder

NOVEMBER

Business Meeting	08-Nov	
Program Meeting	15-Nov	Annual Meeting
IMC/VMC Meeting	20-Nov	IMC Emergencies: Dark Panels

DECEMBER

Program Meeting	04-Dec	Xmas party
VMC/IMC Meeting	11-Dec	Maintenance fun facts
Business Meeting	13-Dec	

VIDEO OF THE MONTH:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s6RTfSOuTG4>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QINxA2AHY7g&t=2s>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UD7xiWWs-bs>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A1fmNFWNHD4>