

EAA 5



FEB 2022 NEWSLETTER

OWNER MAINTENANCE
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21,
AT 7:00PM
DINNER AT 6:00PM
PROGRAM AT 7:00PM
ALSO AVAILABLE ON ZOOM

PRESIDENT'S AIRSPACE

Here I go again about the weather – A few days ago the snow piles were so big that a large low-wing airplane would drag wingtips on the way to the runway – today, not a cloud in the sky, not a puff of wind in the windsock. It's great to see all the members that took advantage of the day and went flying. Winter maintenance season is now in full swing. Don E is working on a new panel. The Glastar is on a diet and getting a Vertical Power system. And numerous inspections are getting planned and scheduled. Don't forget – dues are due for the 2022 calendar year (see payment details below.) The Flying committee has added 22 fly-out events to the calendar – see details below.

This puts a total of 58 events on calendar for 2022! We'll probably find a few more things to do plus the impromptu fly-outs that happen on nice days. Summer Camp is well into the planning phase. An open planning meeting is scheduled for March 5th – see details below.



FEBRUARY MEETING

This month we will take a close look at maintaining wheels and brakes for owners. Our Technical Counselor team will demonstrate how to replace brake pads and grease wheel bearing on Cleveland wheel and brake assemblies.

Dinner starts at 6:00pm.

Since the forecast calls for temps in the low 50's, we'll make burgers and brats on the grill.

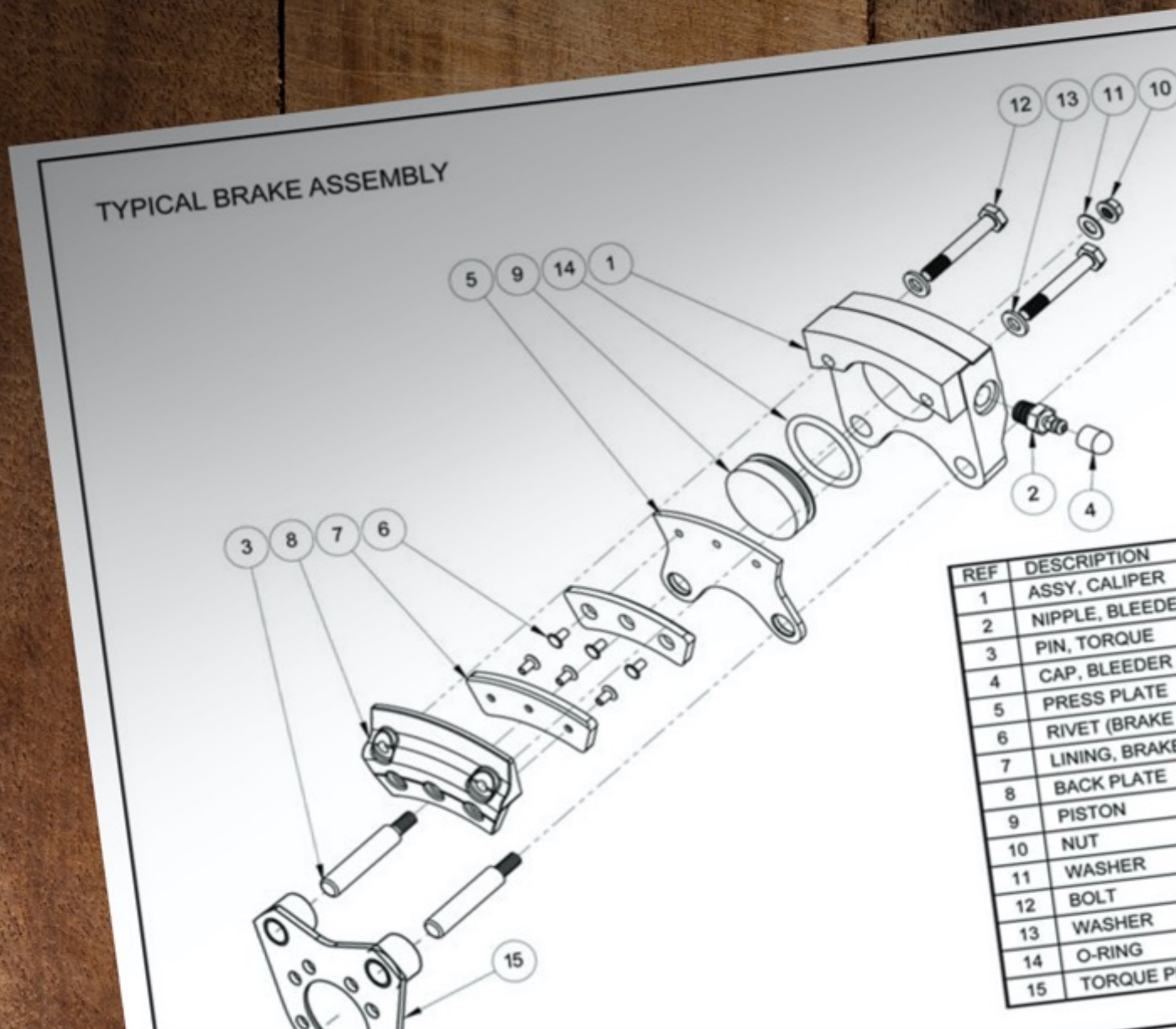
Please bring a side-dish to go with if you can.

We will simulcast this program on **Zoom at 7:00pm** - use the following credentials:

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85068154204?pwd=cVg1V0tTak1JU2xZT1BCN3pITFJMQT09>

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FEBRUARY IMC/VMC CLUB

TOPIC: ADM – Aeronautical Decision Making (with Tim Callahan)

LOCATION: Virtual meeting on ZOOM

DATE & TIME: Saturday, February 26th at 10:00 AM

Description: Flying in winter months has both challenges and rewards.

The crisp cold air provides shorter take off distances, smooth flights, and great visibility. The cold dense air allows our piston engine to operate at peak performance. With a little preparation and knowledge of cold weather operations, you can gain insight in how to make better Go/No-Go decisions.

Meeting credentials:

Topic: February – IMC/VMC Club

Time: Feb 26, 2022 10:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81372733220?pwd=VCtRaVhaNEM4VFBncXBzWnJ4S1Y4QT09>

Meeting ID: 813 7273 3220 Passcode: 488699



DUES ARE DUE

We still have the dues box in the shop, and dues are still \$25 per year – due January 1. If you are not sure if you paid, send a reply / inquiry to this email and we'll check the records for you. As always, you can drop \$25 in the dues box in the shop (in an envelope with your name) or snail-mail them to: EAA 5 P.O. Box 1213 Middlefield, OH 44062. You can also pay your Chapter membership dues online with PayPal. You will find a tab on the Chapter 5 homepage labeled Store. From this page, you can click the Pay Now button and be redirected to Paypal. Online dues are \$26.00 for the year (the extra dollar helps to cover the PayPal fees). This link will take you directly to the store.

<https://chapters.eaa.org/ea5/store>

MEMBER NEWS

Congratulations to Rod Nagy – first solo! Rod showed up late last summer with the CTLS that he purchased in St. Louis. His first adventure was the ferry flight home with Cornelius. Since then, he has been working with Cornelius and on Monday he made his first solo sojourn around the pattern several times!



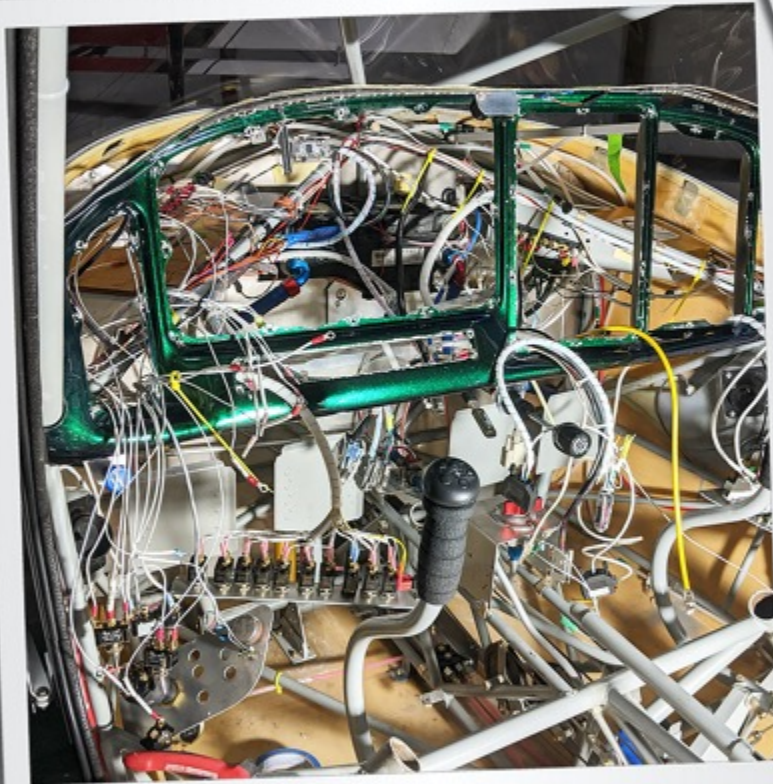
WINTER PROJECTS

Tim C. is overhauling his Glastar electrical system.

Vitas C. is proceeding with a general condition inspection on his Coyote, and Don E.'s Bonanza gets an updated Panel.



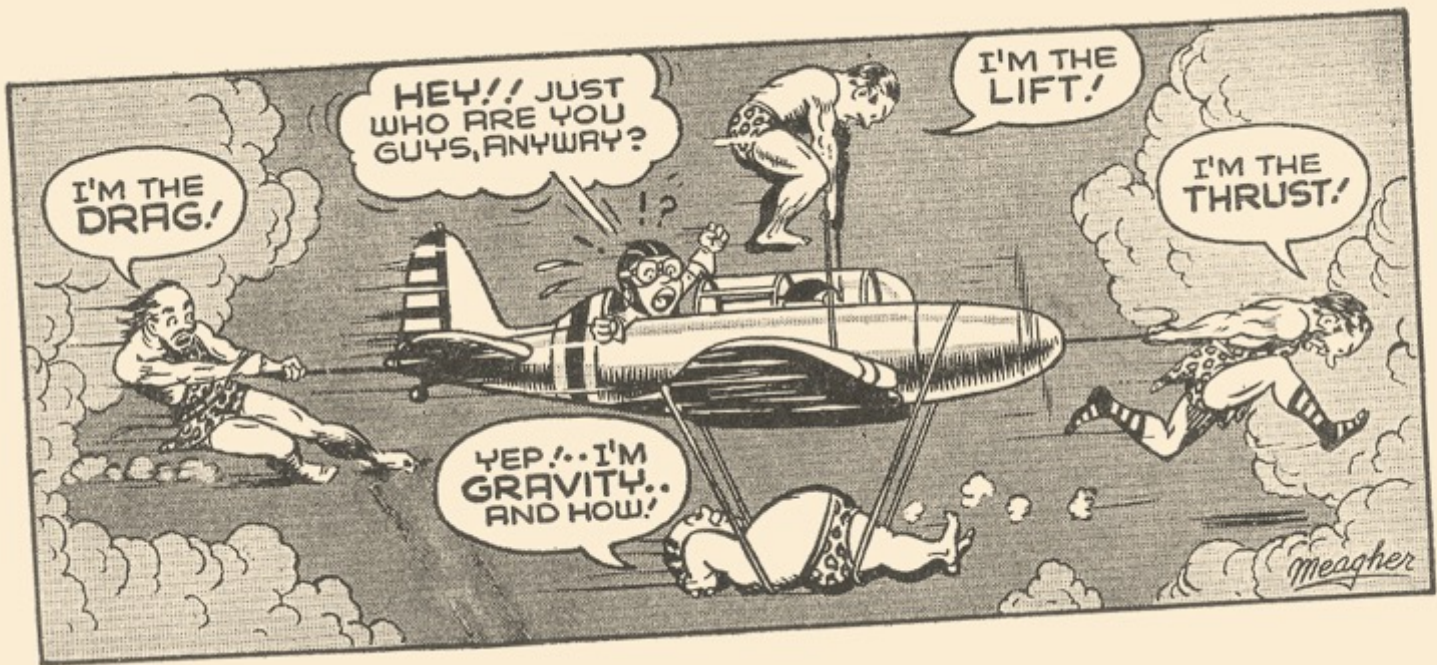
COYOTE



GLASTAR



BONANZA



SUMMER YOUTH AVIATION CAMP

The Youth Committee will hold the second SYAC planning meeting on **Saturday, March 5 at 9:00am** via Zoom (credentials below.)

Help is needed in all areas -

please join this important meeting to see where you could help.

Topic: SYAC planning meeting

Time: Mar 5, 2022 09:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87562941014?pwd=ZDJRSTNlc3RTTjdsV0pnTnI1NmVwQT09>

Meeting ID: 875 6294 1014 Passcode: 916970

FLY-OUT PROGRAMS

The Fly-out committee has developed an exceptional schedule of flying activities for the summer. Almost every weekend throughout the flying season, there is a flying activity. Some are short breakfast fly-outs, others are more extensive cross-country adventures. A full description of the events will be published as we get closer to the flying season. For now they are noted in the chapter calendar at: <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea5/chapter-calendar>



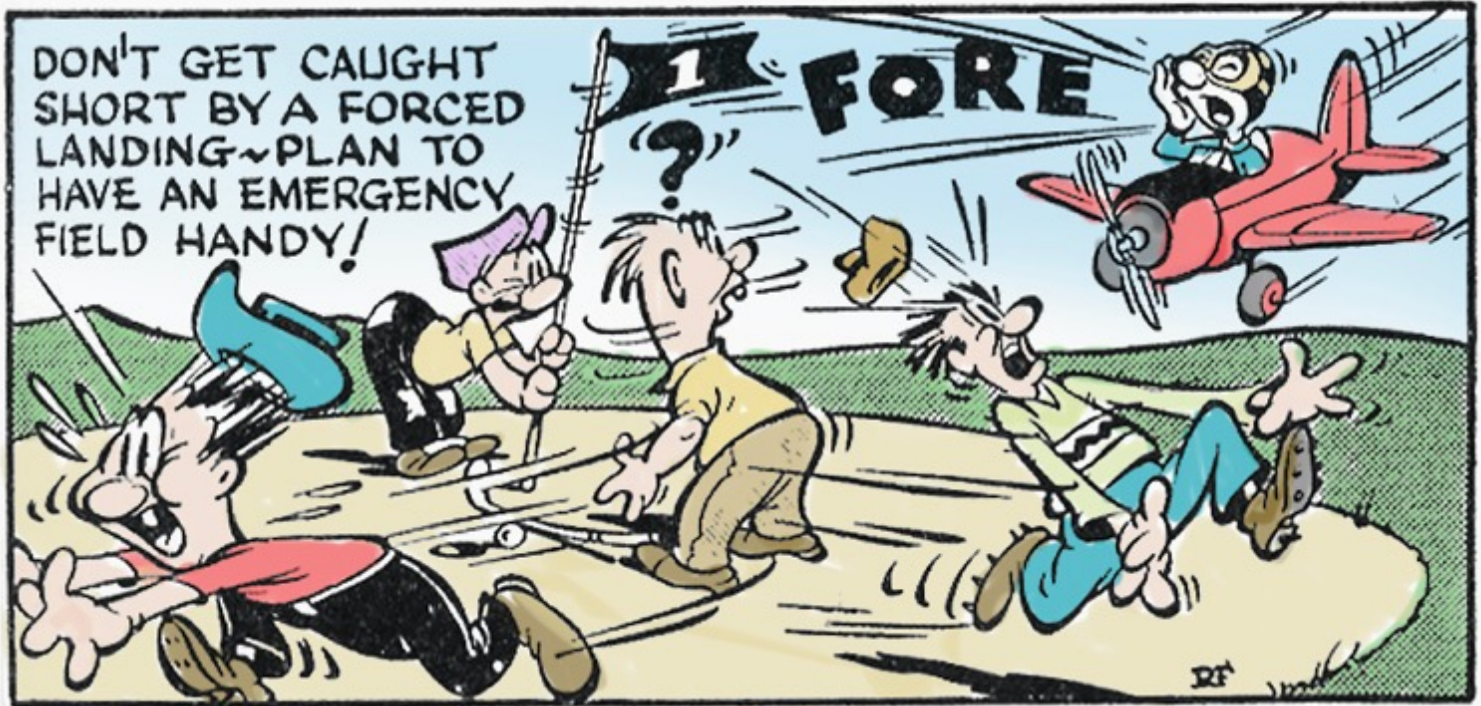
EVERYTHING YOU WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT AIRCRAFT INSURANCE

Avemco insurance has agreed to deliver a program on the state of the aircraft insurance market in the US and answer our questions afterwards.

Due to various scheduling conflicts, this program will be presented on **Tuesday, May 3rd at 7:00pm.**

Since the presenter is remote, this will be a hybrid/Zoom meeting.

We'll publish meeting credentials in April.



EAA CALENDARS

We have a good supply of the national EAA Calendar available for sale in the shop. They are still just \$10. They are in a box on top of the microwave in the shop. Just put your money in the envelope and take your calendar.

PITOT STATIC CHECK

All you aircraft owners know about the biannual requirements for pitot-static checks. The chapter routinely gathers together several aircraft that need these checks around the same time and contracts with one of the avionics shops to come to 7G8 and do them all at once. This generally results in a lower cost for all. We are presently planning to do this again this coming spring - probably in April 2022. If you will be in need of a P/S check This spring, contact **Dave Siebold** at: djsiebold@att.net Include your name, airplane, type of check needed (IFR/VFR), and month you need it.

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

Important: These dates were accurate when they were published.

Always check the EAA 5 online calendar for last minute changes at:

<https://chapters.eaa.org/ea5/chapter-calendar>

FEBRUARY

Builder Open House	12-Feb	
Business Meeting	14-Feb	
Program Meeting	21-Feb	Owner maintenance
VMC/IMC Meeting	26-Feb	

MARCH

SYAC Planning Mtg	05-Mar	
Business Meeting	14-Mar	
Program Meeting	21-Mar	Flying paramotors
IMC/VMC Meeting	26-Mar	

APRIL

SYAC Planning Mtg	09-Apr	
Business Meeting	11-Apr	
Project Visit	16-Apr	Barker/Atwood - RV-10 at POV
Program Meeting	18-Apr	Wings- WX 101w/Lisa Hahn
VMC/IMC Meeting	28-Apr	

MAY

Extra program	03-May	Avemco Insurance presentation
Spring Fiesta	07-May	
Business Meeting	09-May	
Fly-out	14-May	Breakfast fly-out (TBD)
Program Meeting	16-May	Weight & balance demo
Fly-out	21-May	Dinner fly-out @ Primo Barone's (FKL)
VMC/IMC Meeting	26-May	
Fly-out	28-May	X-C to Wheeling WV

JUNE

YE & Pcakes @ LNN	04-June	
SYAC staff Mtg	05-June	
Summer camp	06/10-June	
Business Meeting	13-June	
Fly-out	18-June	Breakfast fly-out (TBD)
Solstice fly-out	21-June	
YE & Fly-in @ 7G8	25-June	

JULY

Fly-out/Project Visit	02-Jul	George Willard - Headwind
Fly-out	09-Jul	Mark & Shane Hangar party (POV)
Business Meeting	11-Jul	
Fly-out	16-Jul	Breakfast fly-out (TBD)
Program Meeting	18-Jul	FAA Wings
Fly-out	25-Jul	Oshkosh (AirVenture)

AUGUST

Fly-out	06-Aug	Wings and Wheels (LNN)
Business Meeting	08-Aug	
Fly-out	13/14-Aug	Props and pistons (AKR)
Program Meeting	15-Aug	TBD
Ice Cream Social	21-Aug	
VMC/IMC Meeting	25-Aug	
Fly-out	27-Aug	X-C Lunch @ Tony Packos (TDZ)

SEPTEMBER

Fly-out	03-Sep	Hotdog fly-out (GKJ)
Fly-out	10-Sep	Dinner fly-out (BKL)
Business Meeting	12-Sep	
7G8 Airport day	17-Sep	Airport day
IMC/VMC Meeting	22-Sep	
Fly-out	24-Sep	Island day fly-out (3W2)

OCTOBER

Fly-out	07-Oct	WAD South (4G1)
Fly-out	07/08-Oct	Dawn Patrol Rendezvous WPAFB (I19)
Business Meeting	10-Oct	
Project Visit	13-Oct	John Yochum - RV-14
Program Meeting	17-Oct	FAA Wings
Clambake	21-Oct	
VMC/IMC Meeting	27-Oct	

NOVEMBER

Business Meeting	14-Nov	
IMC/VMC Meeting	19-Nov	
Program Meeting	21-Nov	Annual Meeting

DECEMBER

Program Meeting	03-Dec	Xmas party
VMC/IMC Meeting	10-Dec	
Business Meeting	12-Dec	

VIDEO OF THE MONTH:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rqlo1CVr880>

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