



JAN 2023 NEWSLETTER

EAA
5

THE

WINDSOCK

SAFETY TRIVIA CONTEST

IMC/VMC CLUB

BUILD AND FLY

YOUTH CAMP





THE EAA CHAPTER 5 TEAM

TIM CONNOR
President

JOHN YOCHUM
Vice President

GREG GYLLSTROM
Secretary

TIM HATCHER
Treasurer

CURTIS COOK
Director

DON CUNNINGHAM
Director

JOHN RAYLE
Director

RIC BLAMER
Young Eagles Coordinator

TIM CONNOR
Newsletter

SHERRY NIEDERKORN
Youth Program Chairman

ROB BIRO
Graphic Design

CURTIS COOK
Shop Meister

LEE WIEGMAN
Webmaster

WEBSITE

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

FACEBOOK

<https://www.facebook.com/EAAChapter5>

PRESIDENTS AIRSPACE

HAPPY NEW YEAR! – It seems like I wrote a New Year's column just a few weeks ago but it's been a whole year and now it's 2023.

There are a lot of new and exciting things happening at chapter 5 this year.

Thanks to the hard work of our graphic designer, **Rob Biro**, we have a brand-new newsletter design and layout. We hope you like it and look forward to your comments.

The new layout will include a monthly section dedicated to sharing memorable flights that members have made.

To celebrate the 30th anniversary of the **Young Eagles** program, we will add several **YE** rallies to our schedule as well as adding at least one more remote rally.

Our **Summer Youth Aviation Camp (SYAC)** will move from **June** to **July**. If you can help with this project, see more details below.

Our fall **Clambake** will move to a **Sunday** evening format.

Our fly out team is putting together a schedule that includes favorites from last year and new destinations for this year.

Big thanks go out to those members who have paid 2023 dues and renewed their membership. Unfortunately, less than half of last year's members have renewed for 2023. If you have not renewed, please see details below for **getting dues paid**.



NEW RATINGS

It's another double bonus month for ratings. Congratulations go out to **Rod Nagy** on earning both his Light Sport Pilot's license and his Light Sport Repair & Maintenance/airplane technicians rating. Chapter light sport aircraft owners now have an additional resource for maintenance services.

NEW AIRCRAFT

Congratulations go out to **Roger Mitten** on his acquisition of a Quad City Challenger. Look forward to seeing it in the skies over Geauga County when the flying season gets a little warmer.

JANUARY PROGRAM MEETING

This month we will present a Wings program led by our own **Debbie Downey** from the **FAA**Team. She will present an entertaining and educational trivia contest concentrating on aviation safety.

We'll start this evening with a spaghetti dinner starting at **6:00pm**.

The chapter will provide spaghetti and sauce.

Please bring a dish to go with if you can. We'll need salad, bread, and desserts.

Our program will start at **7:00**. This will be a hybrid meeting where we will gather in hanger 3 at the airport and our remote members will be able to join via Zoom.

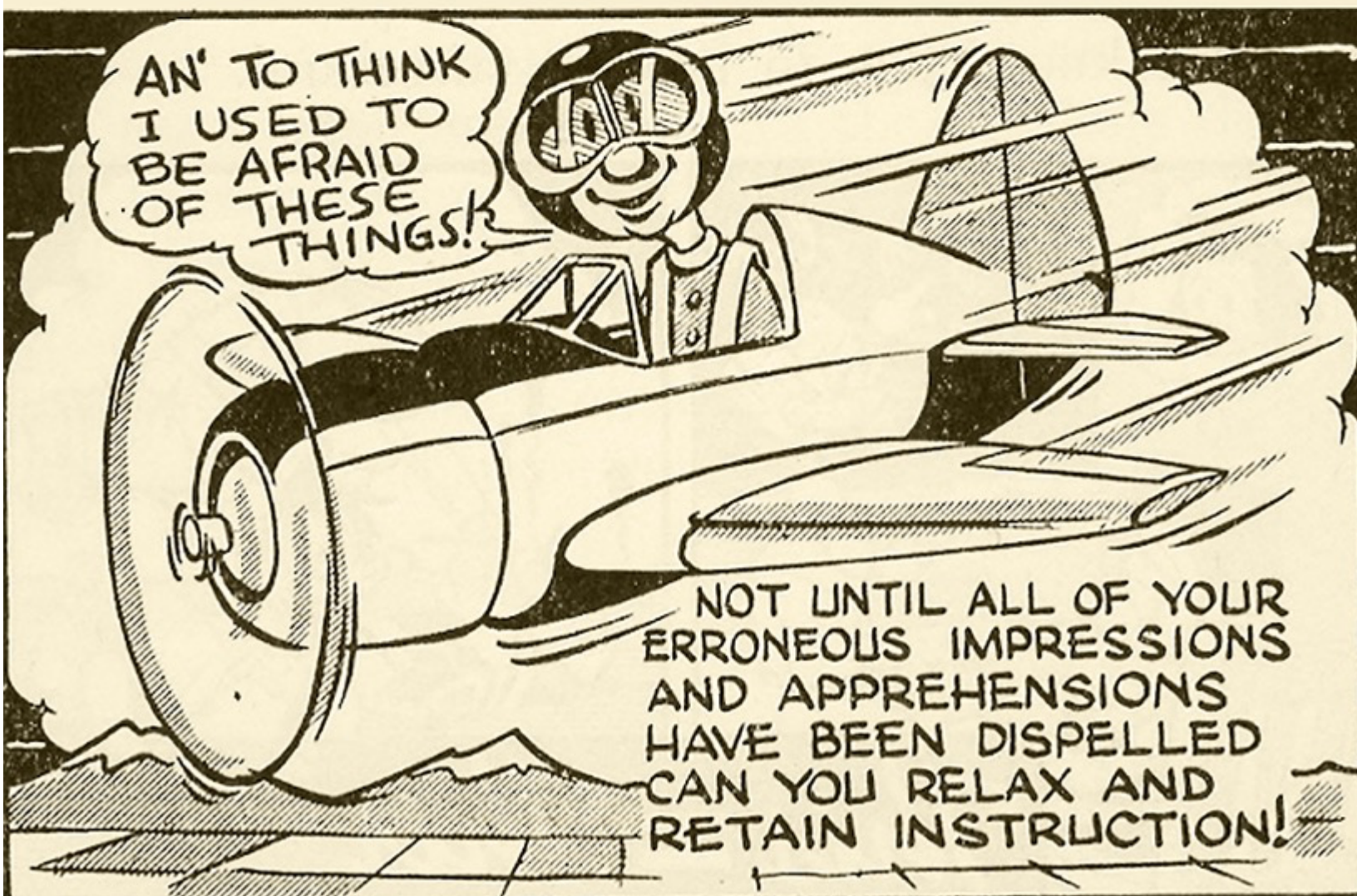
Meeting credentials:

Time: Jan 16, 2023 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Click to join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84720487452?pwd=cGxWNHdpWlhIdkdHUE9sRm0wSlk1dz09>

Meeting ID: 847 2048 7452 Passcode: 159185



UPCOMING EVENTS **IMC/VMC CLUB**

Our January IMC/VMC Club meeting happens **Saturday, January 28**, donuts at **9:30am**, meeting at **10:00**. Meet over coffee and donuts with other pilots to discuss scenarios they have experienced and work through real-world IMC stories. If you were in this situation... What would you do? The topic for this month is called "Which Way is Up." We'll discuss the advantages and disadvantages of track-up versus north-up on your GPS navigator.

2023 DUES WERE DUE ON JANUARY

We still have the dues box in the shop, and dues are still \$25 per year

- **due January 1.**

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 new 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).

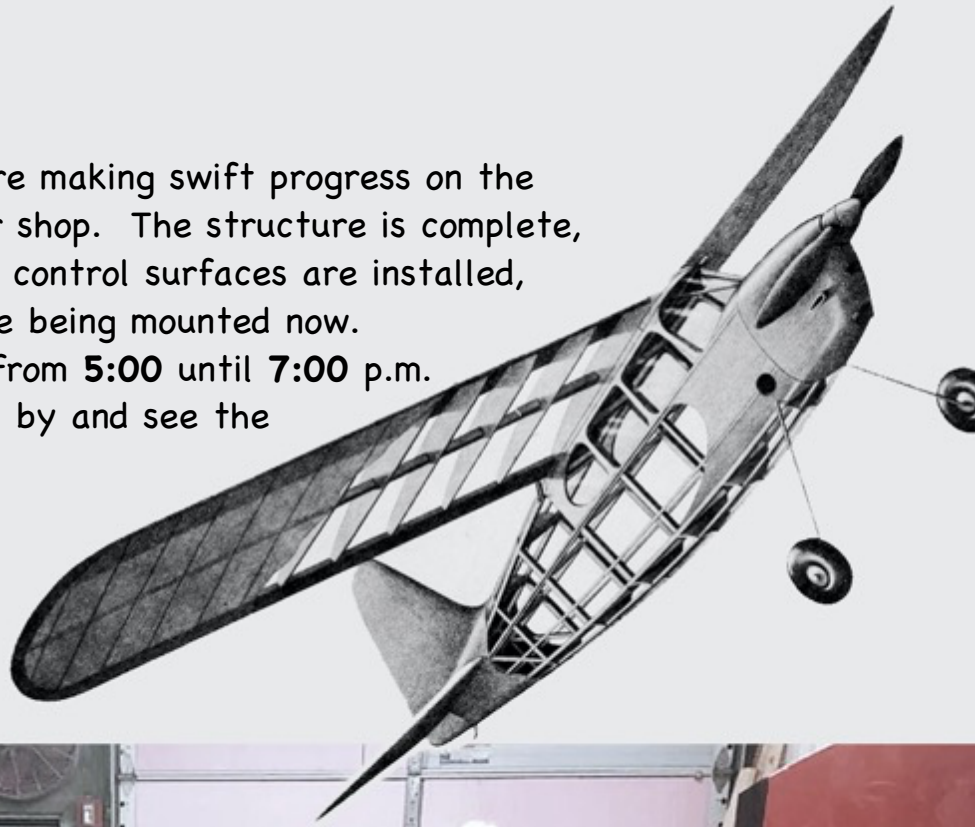
The following link will take you directly to the store.

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



BUILD AND FLY

Young members of our chapter are making swift progress on the RC model they are building in our shop. The structure is complete, most of the covering is complete, control surfaces are installed, and the electronics and motor are being mounted now. They meet on **Tuesday** evenings from **5:00** until **7:00** p.m. All members are welcome to stop by and see the progress they are making.



FLY-IN YOUTH STATIONS

The Youth Committee is looking to refresh and upgrade the youth stations that we use at fly-ins and Young Eagle events. If you can help with this activity, please Join us for a planning meeting immediately following the IMC club meeting on **January 28th**. The IMC Club meeting is at **10:00** a.m. and the youth station planning meeting will start at approximately **11:15**.

SUMMER YOUTH AVIATION CAMP

Once again, EAA 5 will run our **Summer Youth Aviation Camp** for young people entering **grades 6 through 10**. In a departure from previous years, camp will run **July 10th through 14th** with Young Eagle rides scheduled for Saturday, **July 15th**. For further details or to enroll a youth, contact **Sherry Niederkorn** at: sherry.niederkorn23@gmail.com

If you can assist with summer camp this year, please plan on attending planning meetings on **March 5th** and **April 23rd**. See the chapter calendar for details.

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



FAVORITE FLIGHTS

In 1972 my next-door neighbor in New Jersey was in college for aviation (he went on to become a Delta pilot) and when he would return home we would rent a little Cherokee 140. On this day we flew up the Hudson River around Manhattan and then past the twin towers that were still under construction. I took this 3d photo with my David White Realist stereo camera and printed the stereo card in my home darkroom. 50 years ago!!!

ROB BIRO



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>

JANUARY

Business Meeting	09-Jan	
Program Meeting	16-Jan	Wings - Safety Trivia
IMC/VMC Meeting	28-Jan	

FEBRUARY

Business Meeting	13-Feb	
Program Meeting	20-Feb	Fire Base Operations w/ Bode Zietz
VMC/IMC Meeting	25-Feb	

MARCH

Business Meeting	13-Mar	
Program Meeting	20-Mar	
IMC/VMC Meeting	25-Mar	

APRIL

Business Meeting	10-Apr	
Project Visit	13-Apr	Mike Weikart
Program Meeting	17-Apr	Wings-
VMC/IMC Meeting	27-Apr	

MAY

Spring Fiesta picnic	07-May	
Business Meeting	08-May	
Program Meeting	15-May	
VMC/IMC Meeting	25-May	

JUNE

YE & Pcakes @ LNN	03-June
Business Meeting	12-June
Solstice fly-out	21-June
YE & Fly-in @ 7G8	24-June

JULY

Project Visit	02-Jul	TBD
Business Meeting	10-Jul	
Summer camp	10/14-Jul	
Program Meeting	17-Jul	FAA Wings
Oshkosh(AirVenture)	24/30-Jul	

AUGUST

Business Meeting	14-Aug	
Program Meeting	21-Aug	TBD
Ice Cream Social	27-Aug	
VMC/IMC Meeting	24-Aug	

SEPTEMBER

Business Meeting	11-Sep
YE & Fly-in @ 7G8	16-Sep
IMC/VMC Meeting	21-Sep

OCTOBER

Business Meeting	09-Oct	
Project Visit	12-Oct	John Yochum - RV-14
Program Meeting	16-Oct	FAA Wings
VMC/IMC Meeting	26-Oct	

NOVEMBER

Business Meeting	13-Nov	
IMC/VMC Meeting	18-Nov	
Program Meeting	20-Nov	Annual Meeting

DECEMBER

Program Meeting	02-Dec	Xmas party
VMC/IMC Meeting	09-Dec	
Business Meeting	11-Dec	

VIDEO OF THE MONTH

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dj_twpdDzO4



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ks9KgHX_Rlw

