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# The Frederick Flyer

## President's Message

Greetings EAA Chapter 524 Members and Friends,

Now that we have recovered from the AOPA Fly-in, it's time to reflect on the event and plan for AirVenture!

I would like to start with a huge Thank You to all of those who helped with the pancake breakfast detail. We went through about twenty-five pounds of pancake mix both days! The Chapter House looked so good painted, with the signs cleaned up and the banner hung on the wall facing the Flight Center, it was the first thing people saw as they entered the event! With Steve's RV-9A parked next to the hangar and the Cub project tucked away safe and sound in the hangar, it was out of the elements and people attending the seminars could see it was well. A "well done" is extended to all who helped make it a great display to show what we are all about!

Friday had brought fairly poor weather to Frederick. The fronts just kept coming. With heavy rains, there were times when I thought we were going to need life vests! The main exhibit tent didn't leak but it was on the downhill side of the tarmac and a river flowed through it! Nonetheless, it hardly dampened the spirit of those attending!

Tricia and Will were the National reps sent to the fly-in and both were wonderful to meet and serve with. We talked to many people that stopped by, many who never heard of EAA, but they sure did know some about us by the time they moved on. There were many folks who joined National EAA over those two days and I think we had a few join our Chapter as wellt. I would say that overall it was a great event for our aviation community and a great way to get the word out about who we are!

Wishing you clear skies,

Mark Gosselin EAA Chapter 524 President



## June Program

Our own resident avionics expert, Dan Morris will bring us up to date on the latest developments with NexGen and the Future Air Navigation System (FANS-1A.) You won't want to miss these developments and the implications for your flying.

Mark Panktratz



# Scholarships Awarded

At the May membership meeting, it was announced that Raegan Buzzard had been selected to receive the Chapter 524 \$10,000 Ray Aviation Scholarship. Sydney Gunther has been awarded \$1,800 from the Chapter scholarship fund to pursue her Sport Pilot license. Dean Stickell reports that both winners have begun their flight training.

Congratulations and good luck to both! We hope to provide progress reports in upcoming newsletters.



# **AOPA Fly-in**

As Mark mentioned in his opening letter, the weather presented some challenges at the AOPA Fly-in on May 10th and 11th. However, our chapter volunteers still turned out in force to staff three different locations and events: the pancake breakfast, the workshops held in our chapter hangar and the EAA National booth in the tent. The Cub project team cleaned up the hangar and moved their project out of the way to set up for the workshops.

Here are some pictures courtesy of Mark Pankratz, Ernie O'Roark, Erick Webb and yours truly. More pictures can be found on our website.

You can read more about the event on AOPA's website.

Jack Fromm





















# **May Membership Meeting Minutes**

02 May 2019

Meeting brought to order at 7:05 p.m. by Mark Gosselin

Mark G. began by thanking everyone who was able to help out with painting the Chapter hangar.

The AOPA fly-in is next weekend and AOPA is using the Chapter hangar for workshop space for the fly-in. We still need a couple volunteers to stay at the hangar to speak with anyone who's interested in the Chapter and what we do.

In regard to the Ray Aviation Scholarship, we ranked in the top 10% out of 749 EAA chapters who applied for the scholarship.

Dean, Neil, and Ernie announced that a recipient had been selected for the Chapter's scholarship fund. Sydney Gunther was awarded \$1,800 from the Chapter. Raegan Buzzard was selected to receive the \$10,000 Ray scholarship.

Jerry reported that the Cub's fuselage is now yellow and will be brought back to the hangar this weekend to have the landing gear put on before the AOPA fly-in next weekend.

Rex confirmed that EAA will have an electrical systems workshop at our hangar on June 22 and 23. Setup will be June 21 at 1:00 p.m. and should last about 2 hours.

The 50/50 was \$100 with \$50 going to the winner and \$50 to the scholarship fund.

For anyone going to AirVenture, communicate with Mark G. so we can keep track of all the Chapter members going and do a get together at AirVenture.

Mark Pankratz very humbly presented his program entitled "First time Builders Experience" and shared the highs and lows, lessons learned, and triumphs of his personal home building experiences.

Meeting concluded at 8:06 pm

Submitted,

Erick Webb, Secretary



## **Upcoming Events**

### **Chapter Meetings**

June 6, 2019 @ 7:00 p.m. — Membership Meeting June 13, 2019 @ 7:00 p.m. — Board Meeting

#### Other Events

AirVenture Oshkosh. July 22-28, 2019.

#### Chapter Program Schedule — 2019

Month	Program	
January	The Rush to Build the Airplane, Part 2 – Jerry Blake	
February	The Joy of Flying in Europe and North America – Janet Davidson	
March	Banquet. Preston Burch – NASA Hubble	
April	Drones – Schuyler Knapp	
May	First-time Builder's Experience – Mark Pankratz	
June	FANS-1A – Dan Morris	
July	No meeting.	
August	Frederick Airport Update – Rick Johnson	
September	TBD	
October	TBD	
November	TBD	
December	TBD	

#### Refreshment Volunteers — 2019

Here is a list of volunteers supplying refreshments for 2019. The Board of Directors thanks you for your support ( and munchies).

January	Jack Fromm	July	N/A
February	Chris&Sydney Gunther	August	Mark Sarrasin
March	N/A	September	Don Gray
April	Mark Pankratz	October	TBD
May	Rex Bullinger	November	Erick Webb
June	Ernie O'Roark	December	TBD

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## Workshops

#### EAA SportAir Workshops at the AEC

Electrical. June 22 and 23, 2019

#### **EAA Events**

Go to EAA Events at: http://www.eaa.org/news

Go to EAA Aviation Calendar of Events at: http://www.eaa.org/calendar

Go to AirVenture at: http://www.airventure.org/index.html

Go to EAA SportAir Workshops at: http://www.eaa.org/sportair

## **Chapter Website**

The EAA Chapter 524 website can be found at: www.524.eaachapter.org.

The website has contact information and details about current Chapter events.

Also on the website, you can find archived newsletters and a membership join/renewal form.

## Chapter Facebook Page

You can find us on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/EAA524

# **Chapter Meeting Location and Time**

Chapter 524 meets the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Aviation Education Center, located at the Frederick Municipal Airport. As you enter the airport, park in the Terminal Parking lot. Walk south past the Frederick Flight School (yellow building). There are signs on the end of the second row of hangars for the Chapter. Additional information can be found on the Chapter website.



Frederick Municipal Airport 330 Aviation Way Suite J, Box #9 Frederick, Maryland 21701

### Frederick IMC Club

Interested in learning more about IFR flying? Scenario-based discussions are available here. The Frederick IMC club meets on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapter 524 Aviation Education Center/Hangar. More information about the club and its mission can be found on our website at www.524.eaachapter.org.



## EAA Chapter 524 Membership Application

Annual dues are \$30 for individual or family membership. Fill out this form and return it with your dues to the Chapter Treasurer.

Cash or check accepted. Make check payable to *EAA Chapter 524*. Bring the form and dues to the next meeting or mail to *Ernest O'Roark, 809 London Court, Frederick, MD 21701*.

If you have a question about your membership, contact the Treasurer at 301-694-0053 or cadfael1@aol.com. These dues help support the Chapter and are not applied to the national organization.

I. Registration Information (Print please)		
Last Name First Nar	me	
Member Status: New Renewal:	No Changes:	
Membership Type: Individual (\$30.00)	Family (\$30.00)	
Other name(s) if Family Membership		
EAA Membership Number	Member Since:	
Phone Number (H) (C)	(W)	
Address		
City State	Zip	
E-mail Address (for receiving notices & newsletter)		
Aircraft/Projects/Interests		
II. For Official Use Only  Status: New Renewal Individual:		
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Treasurer's Initials Roster updated/_		
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III. Member's Receipt for EAA Chapter 524 Dues		
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