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News and Information for the Gwinnett County Chapter of the Experimental Aircraft Association
Chapter 690 Meets in Hangar #1 of the Sport Aviation Complex at Briscoe Field, 690 Airport Rd, Lawrenceville, GA

Always Something New

Special points of interest:

- **Sat. 1/19**-Young Eagles starting @ 8:30am
- **Sat. 2/2**-Pancake Breakfast 8-10:30 followed by an Excellent Program
- **Tues. 2/5**-Board Mtg @ 7:30pm
- **Fri. 2/8**-Dinner at The Flying Machine @ 6:30 followed by Business Mtg @ 8 ending with a Special Program

2013 brings with it things that will stay the same and lots of things that will change. We hope the changes that come your way are only good and/or exciting.

Many folks have New Year's resolutions and ideas of grandeur and some people are more realistic about what is in store for their **2013**. For some it's just fun to play the guessing game about the New Year. There are always fun and sometimes rather serious statements and saying that we like to share upon the arrival of the new year. Here are just a few: **2013-It's Time To Start Anew** so Let's Get Going. Think It Through and Get It Done. May **2013** bring you many days of ordinary miracles! May you always get green lights on you way to and from work or shopping. And may there be **NO** traffic (That would be a Miracle). May you always get in the fastest line at the grocery store. Here's hoping you hear a good "sing along" song on the radio.

Take time for **YOU** and your **Family** and **Friends** On most occasions for the pilots, there is planning and more planning and inspections and annuals and then the dreaded repairs. Those are usually more "**FUN**" than we can handle. Here's hoping the fun we have **IN** our planes outweighs the "**NOT SO MUCH FUN**" stuff outside our planes.

2013 is the year to Give More Meaning to Chapter 690-We can't do it without you which means in positive lingo-**We Want to Do It With You!!!** Plan to get more involved and make things happen-like a hangar dance and vintage planes exhibit and special shows and fly-ins and fly-outs. The sky's the limit!!! (No pun intended) We also welcome your thoughts and ideas on what you'd like to see.

If you aren't already a member, please join our **FUN** group as soon as you can.

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The 2013 Dues Drive

We are very excited about the New Year and look forward to being a very active chapter. And, of course, that means more funds. That's where we all play an important role. Our Chapter Dues for **2013** are now due. For individuals the cost is \$30.00. For families, it's \$40.00. As was recently learned at the Chapter Board Meeting, we are very good stewards of your money and will put it to im-

portant and meaningful use. Thank you in advance for taking care of this very important task. Please check the website, www.eaa690.org for ways to pay.

We made our goal of **200** members in **2012**. It would be very exciting to increase that number by at least 20% for **2013**. Let's have **220** or more paid members this year. **GO 690!!!!!!**

A PLETHORA OF PICTURES

Our Wonderful Christmas Party

Just enjoy the pictures,

Remember the FUN!!!!



More pictures of the folks that make Chapter 690 spectacular!!!!



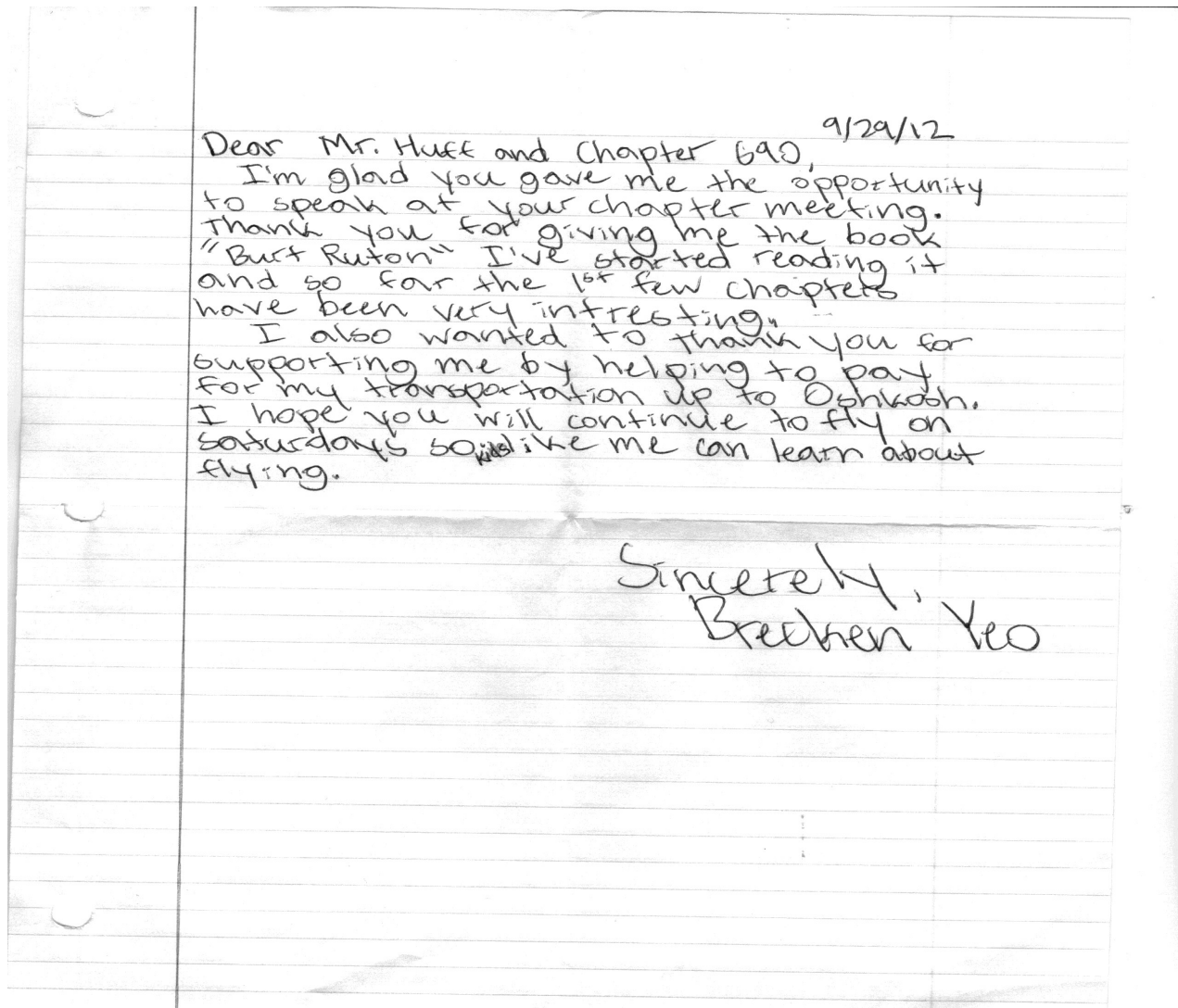
Year End Young Eagles Pictures



More Young Eagles with their Pilots



Another Thank You



Tidbits and FYI's

It was **86 years ago** when Congress passed the Air Commerce Act of 1926 that included Section 25 governing the "Licensing of Special Classes of Airplanes." Nowadays there are eight different designations under FAR 21.191, entitled "Experimental Certificates". Every

kind of experimental aircraft from research and development to exhibition (warbirds), to air racing, and of course, amateur-built designations are clearly listed and defined.

EAA Skiplane Fly-In Set for January 19th-The fly-in will be at EAA's Pioneer Airport in Oshkosh. This special winter event celebrates three important occasions: the unique flight segment of skiplane flying, the anniversary of the first-ever meeting of the Experimental Aircraft Association, and the January 24 birthday of EAA matri-

arch Audrey Poberezny. Be safe and have fun if you're able to attend.

And take pictures to share with those of us that couldn't go.

Thank You!!

To my fellow EAA Chapter 690 Members & Friends -

Please accept my grateful thanks for all of the well wishes, inquiries, calls, cards, flowers & plants, gift cards and visits. Your support and care have helped more than I can say, through what is a continuing long recovery period.

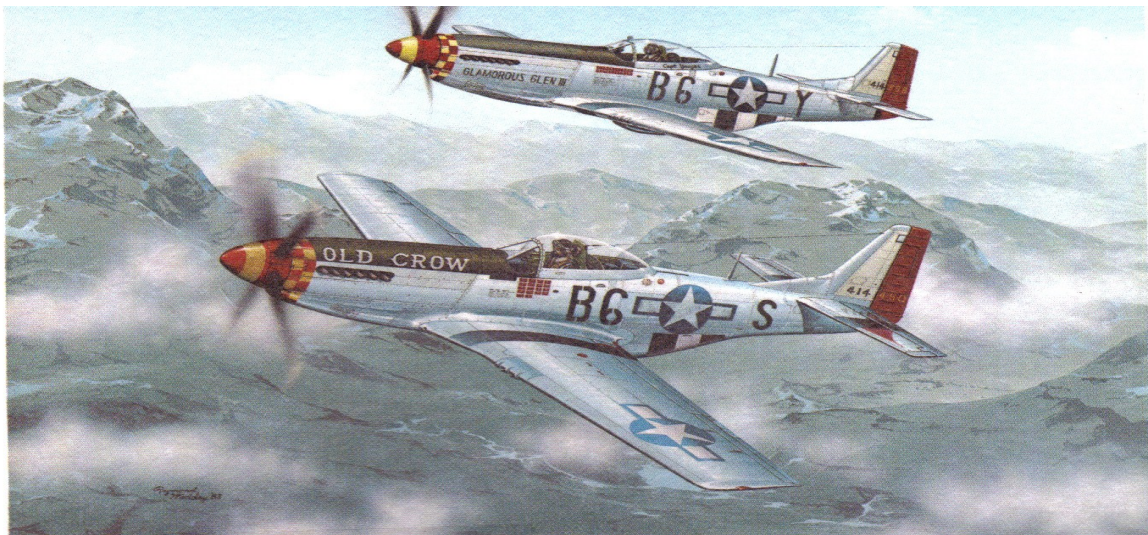
I have been out at the hangar for some recent events. and plan to attend some upcoming events. I still have to pace myself and not "over do," but I'm eager to see more of your faces after all these months.

Again, a warmhearted and appreciative "Thank You." You all mean so much to me!

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Lnor Levine

Chapter 690 BOD Member, Aero Shoppe Mgr. and Young Eagle Volunteer



Double Trouble

Dear Members of EAA Chapter 690,

When I made the decision three years ago to pursue a career in aviation I thought it was an impossible dream but I was determined to make it happen. Thanks to the generous support from people like you I achieved my instrument rating this past summer. I know I have a long way to go and more hard work ahead but I feel incredibly blessed to have had so many people willing to give their time, talent, and financial support to helping me reach my goals. I will be forever grateful.

Sincerely,
Melisa Fowles

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1976 PIPER ARROW N4363F

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PIPER PA 28R-200**Airframe:** 3245 TT**Engine** 1166 Since Major Overhaul1**Prop** 188 Since Overhaul**Interior: 217 Hours Since New Interior**

Blue Leather High Back Seats,

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Pilot & Co-pilot Push to Talk, Exterior GPS Antenna, Exterior Power Receptade, Bracket Air Filter,

Electric Trim, Wingtip Stobes

INCLUDED IN SALE: Brand New Bruce's Custom Cover

2 David Clark Newly Over hauled Headsets, New Carry Cases Extra Gel Pads

1 Pilot Avionics Headset (PA11-20)(11-601T)

Cowling Plugs. Brand New Bruce Cover a \$500.00 Value

Misc. Extra parts ---

A BEAUTIFUL PICTURE OF THE PLANE IS ON PAGE 7

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Partnership Wanted

LOOKING FOR 1 OR 2 PARTNERS to purchase a Cherokee 140, \$30K total price/Details below. Pictures available on request. Contact David Reynolds at 770-633-7906 or david.reynolds47@att.net.

1967 Piper Cherokee 140 N9791W, 4875TT, 900S-FRM, annual due 11/12, Paint 9.5, Int. 8.5 (Leather), Glass 9.5, 160HP RAM Conversion, Electric Aileron

Trim, Seatbelts Harnesses, Dual Push to Talk Switches, EGT & CHT.

Avionics: PMA 6000 Audio Panel/4Place Intercom/MB APOLLO GX-55 GPS (IFR Cert.), Narco Nav/Com Mark 12D G/S, Narco Com. 812, Collins Transponder TDR-95 w/Mode C, Narco ELT 810.

Another Partnership

LOOKING FOR TWO PARTNERS to purchase one third and one fourth of a 2008 Diamond DA-40, tail number N254DS. Currently in a hanger at Air Harbor at KLZU. Garmin G1000, auto pilot. Call for details on buy-in and PDF flyer with the specifications. Fred Tanner 678-656-8832 or tannercci@aol.com

LOOKING TO SELL ONE THIRD PARTNERSHIP of a Diamond DA-20, tail number N227NH. Currently is in a lease-back program at Advanced Aviation, KLZU. Earns

Another Sale

monthly income. Great way to get pilot license and reduce flying expense. Brand new engine just installed end of December. \$25,000.00 cash buy-in. **Owner will finance up to 2 years.**

Call for PDF flyer with specifications. Fred Tanner 678-656-8832 or tannercci@aol.com.

Glastar Kit for Sale

GLASTAR KIT #5747 \$22,000 Flying surfaces completed except for installing wing top skins. Fuselage halves joined and cage partially attached to fuselage. Tools included along with several factory options including cast rudder pedals and long range wing tanks. Tri-gear

but can be built as TD or tri-gear. See it in Athens. Call Cecil Oglesby @ 706-549-2197 or 706-615-5094 or contact him at hcoglesby@gmail.com

VANS RV 8 PARTNERSHIP WANTED

LOOKING FOR 2 PILOTS IN THE GREATER ATLANTA AREA INTERESTED IN A VANS RV 8 PARTNERSHIP, NOT BUILDING, BUT RATHER AN ALREADY FLYING AIRCRAFT. THESE AIRCRAFT ON A STANDARD DAY (-1C @ 8000') TRUE OUT AT 180 TO 190 KTS (207-218 mph) AND ARE "EXTREMELY" MANEUVERABLE, WILL FLY CIRCLES AROUND A CESSNA OR DIAMOND, FULLY ACROBATIC AND THUS VERY FUN TO FLY. (I HAD ONE, SOLD IT LAST APRIL, AND HAVE BEEN SORRY EVER SINCE) THESE AIRCRAFT RUN \$75000 to \$85000 ASKING PRICE, SO 1/3 OF THAT. THIS IS WHAT THEY LOOK LIKE.



IF INTERESTED CONTACT DON OBERLANDER 770 205 2454 OR

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boat storage**

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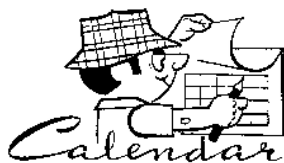
**For More information please contact
Mary Flynn at (610)-574-7377 or
Maryrf1010@gmail.com
Agents Welcome**



View from back entrance to large corner lot

Classifieds

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Mark your calendar - You won't want to miss out on any of Chapter 690's meetings and activities.

Our regular 1st Saturday Pancake Breakfasts feature aviation programs or activities. Our meetings, on the 2nd Friday of each month, include programs on a variety of topics.

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2013 Chapter Web-Site

Most of you know that the new Chapter web-site www.eaa690.org is up and running.

Please go ahead and register for the secure members only portion. While you're at it, up-load your photo.

Speaking about photos, if you have photos of Chapter events, send them to [John Slemp](mailto:John.Slemp) or Joel Levine, jlevine@bellsouth.net for posting to the web-site's photo gallery.

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