

## Chapter News

# Pike's Peak Flyer

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## Chapter News—Let's Get Going!

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

OK, I get it! Esther's spaghetti is better. But enjoying her spaghetti in a dirty, poorly heated hangar is not my way of entertaining the wives of our members, who all seemed to enjoy Biaggi's hospitality. At any rate, I hope all who attended the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner of Bruce McCombs EAA Chapter 72, enjoyed it as much as I did. It was a full house, with lots of pleasant conversation, and a boundless way for our members to become better acquainted. I hope my little speech about the Chapter 72 wasn't too numbing, but by now you become aware that I think Chapter 72. I find it quite the Chapter has been so such a long time, and the that the Chapter actually 1966, has grown to be the privately owned airport in



That reminds me, the raffle is underway, and for successful, like our will take all of us. I

it's difficult for some you to ask a friend, or a stranger, to spend \$100.00 on a chance to win an airplane. But, I have also witnessed that some of you aren't afraid to ask a person anything. Pictures of the S-19 are on the Chapter website along with all of the rules, and the ability to purchase a ticket online. So, **PLEASE** Help!!

I have heard some rumors that some changes are coming to the BASICMED program. Hopefully, our speaker for the April meeting will be able to update us. Dr. David Roberts will be our speaker, and he is an AME from the Air Force Academy. The meeting will be on the 16<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM. Lunch will be served.

Blue Skies,

Jim Steward,  
President, Bruce McCombs EAA Chapter 72

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### Spaghetti at Biaggi's



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## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Apr. 5-10, 2022 Sun 'N Fun Aerospace Expo 2022 All week
- Apr. 9, 2022 Coffee & Donuts, Young Eagle Rally MLAA Ramp, 9 – 11 am
- Apr. 16, 2022 Chapter Meeting, MLAA Hangar 11 am meeting, lunch follows
- Apr. 29, 2022 Mike Cranford Memorial, USAFA 10 am
- July 9, 2022 Kelly Airpark Pancake Breakfast 7-11 am
- July 25-31, 2022 Airventure OSHKOSH 2022 All week

### Young Eagles Update.

Greetings Young Eagles Team!

Our most recent Young Eagles event was held March 12th, 2022 and we had 21 students, 7 pilots, and several ground support volunteers participating. Thank you for all your support. It means so much to the students and their parents. Lets do it again in April.

Sincerely,

Jeff Hyatt

[jeffhyatt777@gmail.com](mailto:jeffhyatt777@gmail.com)



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The Cranford family has asked me to provide a reminder about Mike's USAFA memorial service that has been scheduled for 29 Apr 2022 at 1000 hours at the USAFA Cemetery Memorial Pavilion. Placement in the Columbarium, which is adjacent to the Pavilion, will immediately follow the service.

Friends and colleagues of Mike are invited to attend the ceremony and placement of remains. USAFA Visitor Access guidance and Directions to the USAFA Cemetery are provided below.

Donations in memory of Mike may be made to:

United States Air Force Academy Endowment

3116 Academy Dr., Suite 200

USAF Academy, CO 80840

\*Checks should be payable to the Air Force Academy Fund

American Cancer Society

250 Williams Street NW

Atlanta, GA 30303-1002

If you have any questions about the ceremony, please contact me.

Thanks, Tim Lane

**Visitor Access to the Academy:**

From Interstate-25 take Exit 156 (North Gate). This entrance is open to visitors from 5:30 am to 10:00 pm every day.

When entering the gate, present a valid form of photo identification such as driver's license or passport. Expired IDs will not be accepted. Children under the age of 10 do not require identification.

You may be asked to share additional information such as proof of insurance and vehicle registration. If applicable, have your car rental agreement handy. All vehicles are subject to inspection by security personnel, so they may ask you to pop your trunk. Firearms are not permitted on Academy grounds. For additional help accessing the base, contact Security Forces at 719-333-2000.

**Directions to the United States Air Force Academy Cemetery:**

Approximately 1 mile after entering the North Gate, turn left onto Stadium Blvd. Take the next Right onto Parade Loop. The cemetery is on the right, just before Golf Loop.

# Chapter Financials

*Thank you for supporting  
these EAA Chapter 72  
members!*

## EAA BRUCE MCCOMBS CHAPTER 72 TREASURER'S REPORT

As of 02/28/2022

<u>Date</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Amount</u>
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## Chapter Meeting

**Date:** April 16, 2022

**Time:** 11 am meeting, lunch follows

**Place:** MLAA Hangar

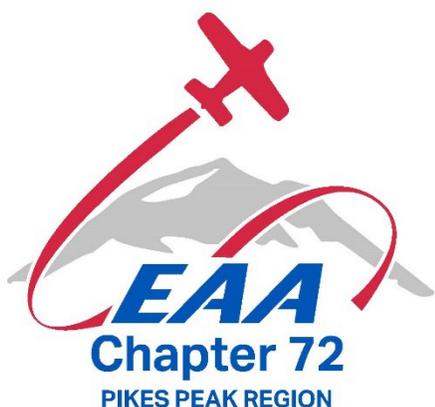
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**Next Meeting  
April 16, 2022**

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#### About our Chapter

The Bruce McCombs EAA Chapter 72 meets at Meadow Lake Airport. Meetings are held on 3rd Saturday of each month with a breakfast or lunch.

Look for the calendar of events to highlight special chapter activities like Young Eagle Rallies, fly-outs, and other chapter sponsored events. The Chapter Newsletter is published monthly, normally emailed, and available on the website a few days before each meeting. Readers are encouraged to contribute articles, photos, etc. by submitting them to the Newsletter Editor by the first Saturday of each month.

**Annual membership is \$25. Send to:** Secretary Esther Smith, 1303 Fosdick Circle, Colorado Springs, CO 80909. Make check payable to EAA Chapter 72 or pay on-line at <https://eaa72.org>. Be informed, attend the meetings, and have a great time with sport aviation.