

Chapter News

Pike's Peak Flyer

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September 2022

Chapter News—Let's Get Going!

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Our meeting this month will be upstairs at the MLAA Hangar on the 17th. Meeting starts at 11:00 AM and lunch follows. Greg Wolff, a Chapter Member, will be our speaker. His program is on the F/A -18 Super Hornet, and it is very interesting. Greg holds an Aeronautical Engineering Degree from Purdue University and spent 46 years with McDonnell-Douglas/Boeing Fighters. You do not want to miss this one. Next Month, October 22nd Richard Martin will be updating us on ForeFlight.

This month on the 24th & 25th is the Pike's Peak Airshow at COS. EAA Chapter 72 has been invited to participate with our Raffle Airplane, the S-19, which Ken Hendrickson donated to us. Our S-19 is currently in Gene Kear's paint shop. Reid Bishop has agreed to bring his S-19 in place of ours so we can promote the raffle. At this point we have sold 655 tickets and need to sell forty-five more to reach the seven hundred mark. We are restricted from selling tickets at the show, but we can discuss the raffle with any interested people, and direct them to our website, where they can buy a ticket online. We need several chapter members to step up and help with this. You will get into the show free and be in the static display area. Bring a lawn chair, sunscreen, and a good hat. You may also want to bring a light sweater. This time of year, it's anybody's guess as to the weather. Last weekend in Monument, the temperature was just over 60 degrees. Two days before it was over 90!

Our Christmas party this year will be at Patty Jewett Golf Course on December 15th at 6:00 PM. Cost will be \$45.95 ea. plus tip. The menu includes Citrus Salmon, Roast Turkey and Sliced Prime Rib plus appetizers, salad, and dessert. They put on an excellent buffet well worth the price. I cannot think of a better way to spend the evening with our wives and amongst friends, all with a common interest.

On December 17th we give away the RANS. One of you will win it!!



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Big Band Night, Aug. 20



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Most of you know Richard and Patty Martin. They are always around to volunteer for whatever needs to be done. You will see them setting up tables and chairs for meetings and chapter events, working with young eagles, selling raffle tickets, collecting your annual dues, mastering our chapter website, and welcoming new members. They love to fly all over the country in their Cessna P210T. They are most noted in our chapter for leading the VMC/IMC club meetings. Here's a message from Richard.

Below are the IMC/VMC questions of the month for September. We'll be meeting as usual on the second Wednesday of the month which is Sep 14th at 6:00 pm in the MLAA (Meadow Lake Airport Association) Hangar at 13550 Piper Lane, Peyton CO. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Richard

IMC Question: An instrument rated pilot is on a VFR night flight but nearing the destination (a Class D airport), the conditions are worsening. It would be difficult to get an IFR clearance at this point, so he is considering a Special VFR clearance to land at the Class D airport. What requirements must be met for the pilot to receive a Special VFR Clearance?

VMC Question: In VFR cruise flight, you're flying a heading of 020 over sea-level terrain, using a 30-degree right wind correction angle to track to your destination. Would an altitude of 5,500 MSL be an appropriate altitude for this segment of your flight?

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sep. 14, 2022 VMC/IMC club meeting, MLAA classroom 6-7 pm
- Sep. 17, 2022 Chapter Meeting, MLAA Hangar upstairs 11-12, followed by lunch
- Sep.24-25, 2022 Pikes Peak Airshow, KCOS (promote the S-19 Raffle) Weekend Event
- Oct. 8, 2022 Coffee & Donuts, Young Eagles, MLAA Hangar 9-11 am
- Oct. 12, 2022 VMC/IMC club meeting, MLAA classroom 6-7 pm
- Oct. 22, 2022 Chapter Meeting, MLAA Hangar 11-12, followed by BBQ
- Nov. 5, 2022 Pancake Breakfast & Fly-in, MLAA Hangar/Ramp 8-11 am

Rans S-19 Raffle Ticket Sales through August 31- 650 tickets sold.

YOUNG EAGLES UPDATE

Attention Chapter 72 Volunteers,

August 13 was a Great Day! Thanks to you there were 24 Young Eagles Flights and 4 adults that were able to ride with their children. Four kids specifically were super excited, and "caught the bug". One parent texted me after the event and said now his son and daughter want to be pilot's and his two youngest sons want to be A&P's, He said "you all are amazing". This is what Young Eagles is all about! Unfortunately, we had to cancel the YE event last Saturday, Sep. 10 due to weather. Our next event is planned for Oct. 8, 2022. Hope to see everyone there.

Respectfully,

Jeff Hyatt

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More Young Eagles



Photos by Steve Trolander

Chapter Financials

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

EAA BRUCE MCCOMBS CHAPTER 72 TREASURER'S REPORT

As of 08/31/2022

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

Date: Saturday, Sep. 17, 2022

Time: 11:00 AM

Place: MLAA Hangar Upstairs

Program: FA-18 Hornet, Greg Wolff

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**Next Meeting
Sep. 17, 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.