

FT	3000	6000	9000	12000	18000	24000	30000	34000
BRL	1937	2221+18	2315+12	2613+07	9900-09	2407-20	202134	1834
DBQ	1922	2229+16	2330+11	2426+05	2418-08	2120-18	242633	2233
DSM	1919	2128+18	2234+11	2331+05	2214-10	2706-19	212334	2034
MCW	1709	2121+16	2438+11	2534+04	2528-09	2332-19	203434	2048
JOT	2229	2215+18	2106+13	2706+06	3205-09	9900-19	211433	1825
SPI	2028	1921+18	1911+12	9900+06	3611-10	3408-20	191034	1617



## *Winds Aloft*

### October 2016

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#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**Tuesday, October 25 – Chapter Meeting 7 PM** - Our speaker for Tuesday's meeting will be Pete Bruhn. Pete started his aviation career with Air Force flight school in 1964, followed by an F-4 rear seat assignment to Vietnam. He flew 100 missions over North Vietnam while based in Thailand during 1966-67. After Vietnam, he served as a T-37 instructor pilot, for 3 years, at Williams AFB in Arizona. His AF awards include the DFC, PH, and eleven Air Medals. He then flew for 30 years with Delta Airlines as a Captain on the DC-9, 727, 757 and 767. He plans to speak on Operation Bolo (Jan 2, 1967), designed to eliminate the MiG-21 problem over Hanoi.

**Saturday, November 5 – Young Eagles Celebration Party 6 PM** - Join us at Marzano's restaurant at 1501 S. Route 31 in McHenry, Illinois for a Young Eagles pizza party/dinner. Pizza, salad, soft drinks, and a cash bar. Bring a friend, spouse, or significant other. Also invited are the CAP officers, cadets, and LITH Airport crew. Contact Bud with your reservations by October 30 at herod225@comcast.net, 847-639-6310 (Home), or 224-412-9909 (Cell).

**Tuesday, December 6 – Board Meeting 6:30 PM** – Held at LITH Airport Office. All members and interested parties are also invited to attend.

**Saturday, February 25 – Annual Awards Banquet** – The chapter has made reservations at the Crystal Lake Country Club for this event. Further information will be forthcoming.

#### **YOUNG EAGLES 2016 – CHAPTER 790**

Here are the numbers for Young Eagles this year. We started out with 6 months of proposed flying Young Eagles on the first Saturday of the month. Then Chapter 790 was asked by The Landings in Huntley to come up with a flight event for their Sept 10th airport picnic. Chapter 790's board also requested us to change our last date from Oct 1st to Oct 15th so a Pumpkin Fest could be worked into the event as well. We worked out all the

problems except for occasionally Mother Nature - we lost Sept 10<sup>th</sup> (The Landings) and Oct 15<sup>th</sup> 3CK to fog, mist, rain, and wind.

The numbers for the five events we did complete read like this:

- May 7<sup>th</sup> we flew 40 kids with 6 aircraft, airport, CAP, and chapter 790 help.
- Jun 4<sup>th</sup> we flew 29 kids with 5 aircraft, airport, CAP, and chapter 790 help.
- Jul 2<sup>nd</sup> we flew 84 kids with 10 aircraft, airport, CAP, and chapter 790 help.
- Aug 6<sup>th</sup> we flew 98 kids with 10 aircraft, airport, CAP, and chapter 790 help.
- Sep 3<sup>rd</sup> we flew 79 kids with 8 aircraft, airport, CAP, and chapter 790 help.

So the total number of Young Eagles flown by Chapter 790 for 2016 came to 330 youngsters grinning from ear to ear.

*Bud Herod*

Chapter 790 Young Eagles Coordinator

## **TANGO 2 WORKSHOP VISIT**

The workshop visit Saturday, October 2 drew a number of friends to Mike Perkins' Tango 2 workshop in Havana, Illinois. Tune in next month for an article and photos on the visit and Mike's project by Ole Sindberg.

## **OCTOBER BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

EAA Chapter 790 Board Meeting  
October 4, 2016

Called to order at 1840. Attendees Paul Ranieri, Lon Danek, Tom LeGates, and Mike Perkins.

August's minutes – Motion to approve August's minutes by Lon/Tom, motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's report – Lon gave a treasurer's report.

2017 Scholarship – Discussed that with our recent fundraisers the budget my support more than one award.

2017 Meeting Cookouts – Paul proposed that we make our pre-meeting BBQ cookouts free (to make people feel more welcome) but also to put out the donation jar out for those who wish to contribute. Motion Mike/Tom, motion passed unanimously.

### General Meetings

- Last meeting's drone regulation presentation by FAA representative Tim Harris went well.
- October's guest speaker has been set up by Ole. Speaking will be a Phantom pilot who flew in Vietnam and has some interesting stories to tell.
- November's meeting guest speaker is Paul's to set up. Tom L suggested showing the 1-hour Heroes on Deck video (about the conversion of ships to flat tops for training in Lake Michigan and the restoration of aircraft recovered from the lake).
- December meeting is our Christmas party potluck.

### Chapter Officer Elections

- Slate will be presented to chapter-at-large at October's general meeting.
- November meeting to be the election.

### Chapter Insurance

- Report on Oshkosh's Leadership Training and Risk Reduction – Paul attended and said it was good. We discussed chapter event insurance; we will look into upping from \$1M to \$3M.
- Pancake breakfast insurance claim was settled and there is a release in place. Done.
- For combined events, the advice is for the chapter to take the subordinate role whenever possible, i.e. let it be an airport event and we're just here to make some pancakes.

Chapter website – Tom has looked into setting up a PayPal account for dues and other chapter transactions. The PayPal rates are 2.9% + \$0.30 per transaction and 3 – 4 business days to be credited to our account. Tom also showed several options that would allow members to join the chapter online and pay their initial dues on the website. He also described how existing members would could renew their dues by an online shopping-cart. The board gave Tom the green light to do this, and Tom will announce when the payment and join/renew system goes live.

Young Eagles and Grand Pumpkin Fest – Our last YE date was rained-out, so the October 15 YE Day and Grand Pumpkin Fest is the last rally for the year. Paul reports that delivered pumpkins are \$5 each in quantities of 50 – 75 are regardless of size, which would be too many because the chapter would pay for them without benefit of refund for those not sold. Instead, Paul will pick up some pumpkins at a store. Motion Mike/Tom for the chapter to pay for the pumpkins and sell them for \$2 more than they cost. We will add airplane stickers to them. This was made into a motion by Mike/Tom, motion passed.

Annual Awards Winter Banquet – It was proposed to hold the banquet at the Crystal Lake Country Club, motion Mike/Lon, motion passed. Ole will be requested to report back on the available dates but the board prefers between late-February and mid-March.

Newsletter – Mike reports that the bi-monthly newsletter has been changed back to monthly to keep members informed and interested.

Upcoming events – no new ones scheduled but need some. Talked briefly about winter fly-outs but nothing is currently scheduled.

Submitted,  
Mike Perkins, secretary

## **CONTACT US**

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