

EAA Chapter 123



EAA Chapter 123 Midland - Odessa



MEETING NOTICE

November 16, 2020, 6:00 PM

Hosted by Phyliss & Eddie at "The Landing".

Food/Snacks will be served.

See the last page for meeting location and directions

Interested in aviation? Join our local EAA Chapter 123.



Young Eagle flights are available at no charge for children from ages 8 to 17.



Eagle flights are available at no charge for adults from ages 18 & up.

THIS MONTHS PROGRAM

Treasurers Report
News from HQ
Chapter News

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Octep 21, 2020 Meeting Minutes

6:00PM: Members gathered, and pizza was served.

Call to Order: John Carnett called the meeting to order.

Treasurers Report:

Our treasurer reported start / end balance for each of our accounts in Oct as:

Checking \$5673.65

Edwards Jones cash balance: \$539.54

Edward Jones Hartford Balance Fund: \$18,234.79

Notable Notes:

- We watched the monthly chapter video
- We discussed upcoming fly-ins
- We attempted to stand up the hot air balloon to do some tethered rides but the wind did not agree with our plans

New business:

- We discussed the newsletter and asked for suggestions, member project pictures, flying pictures or any other information anyone would like to share with the group.
- We decided the November meeting will be held at “The Landing” aka Eddie and Phyliss’s house.

EVENTS UPDATE

Flying Event Links

Fun Places to Fly = <https://www.funplacestofly.com/funflyeventbyzip.asp>

Social Flight = <http://www.socialflight.com/search.php>

EAA Webinars = <https://www.eaa.org/ea/news-and-publications/ea-webinars>

FAA Safety Webinars = <https://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/events/EventList.aspx>

Fly-Ins

Nov 14, Pioneer Flight Museum Wings & Wheels 85TE – Old Kingsbury Aerodrome

<http://pioneerflightmuseum.org/>



KLAL – Lakeland Linder International
Qualifying - Friday, Dec 4th, 8AM - 4PM
Finals - Saturday, Dec 5th, 8AM - 2PM
HOW SLOW CAN YOU GO?

Sat Dec 5th - Fly-in/Drive-in Pancake Breakfast. KTFP - McCampbell-Porter. Rides available in a vintage 1940 PT-17 Stearman and a beautiful museum full of military aviation artifacts from WWII and other eras. Pancake fly-in breakfast first Saturday of every month between 8:00 and 10:00. Ingleside, TX

WAZZUP – What our members have been up to!

Members Joe Dean, Dane Walker, Randy Cloyd and Eddie Buck enjoying some smooth morning air in their powered paragliders and powered parachutes.

Ranger, TX fly in 2020



Heath, Kevin and Cory landing at Heath's ranch near Ranger, TX



Getting the hot air balloon laid out



Attempting to stand it up



Foghorn Leghorn? Who is this?



Super Rooster doing a flyby



New "Young Eagles" Trinity & Analeigha in Iraan, TX



Young Eagle flights are available for all kids ages 8-17. There are lot's of free benefits for the kids including free airplane ride, free admission to hundreds of museums, free Sporty's knowledge course (age dependent), free log book, and certificate of completion. If you know any kids interested in aviation let us know and we'll schedule a Young Eagle flight.

DPS Officer Jeremy Usner going for a ride



Eagle flights are available for anyone 18 years and older. If you know someone interested in aviation that just needs a little kick to get them moving let us know and we'll arrange an Eagle flight.

“Wink Sink” or “Kermit Crater”? Formed June 3, 1980



Delaware Springs mail arrow form the 1930's



Flying west over McKittrick Canyon



Guadalupe Peak



This Month In Aviation History

1 November 1928 - Stout Air Services starts six times weekly passenger service between Detroit and Chicago, 252 miles.

2 November 1931 - The *USS Akron*, a purpose-built aircraft-carrying airship, is commissioned.

3 November 1926 - Captain Charles Lindbergh jumps from his disabled airplane during a night airmail flight. This is the fourth time he has had to use his parachute to save his life.

4 November 1959 - Second Project Mercury "Little Joe" firing to test the capsules escape rocket system is a complete success.

5 November 1911 - Calbraith Rodgers becomes the first person to cross the United States in an airplane.

6 November 1930 - Capt. Edward V. Rickenbacker is awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor for World War I action.

7 November 1910 - The first use of an airplane to carry commercial freight is the Wright Company's airplane that flies from Dayton to Columbus, Ohio carrying ten bolts of silk to the Morehouse-Martens Company.

8 November 1950 - The first jet plane aerial combat in history took place in Korea.

9 November 1904 - Wilbur Wright flies for five minutes, four seconds over Huffman Prairie, Ohio, covering 2¾ miles.

10 November 1907 - Louis Blériot introduces what will become the modern configuration of the airplane. His N°VII has an enclosed or covered fuselage, a single set of wings, a tail unit, and a propeller in front of the engine.

11 November 1935 - Orville Anderson and Albert Stevens in "Explorer II" establish altitude record for balloons of 72,395 feet in the United States.

12 November 1921 - The first air-to-air refueling is made when American Wesley May steps from the wing of one aircraft to that of another carrying a five-gallon can of gasoline strapped to his back.

13 November 1957 - A Boeing KC-135 "Stratotanker", piloted by General Curtis LeMay, sets a new distance nonstop record, flying 6350 miles from Westover AFB, Massachusetts to Buenos Aires, Argentina. The KC-135's return trip set a new speed record, Buenos Aires to Washington, D.C., over 5,200 miles in 11 hours 5 minutes.

14 November 1910 - The birth of the aircraft carrier occurs when Eugene Ely takes off from the cruiser *USS Birmingham* in Virginia, on a Curtiss biplane. The warship has an 83-foot platform built over the foredeck for the take-off.

15 November 1965 - The first flight around the world over flying both Poles is made by U.S. airline Flying Tiger Line Captain J.L. Martin.

16 November 1959 - Capt. Joseph W. Kittinger, Jr. makes a record parachute jump from an open gondola at an altitude of 76,400 feet.

17 November 1949 - Beech Aircraft Corporation announces its two-engine Beechcraft Twin-Bonanza, an all-metal, 5 or 6 place plane with a cruising speed over 180 mph and a range of about 1000 miles.

18 November 1949 - A United States Air Force Douglas C-74 "Globemaster" carries a record number of 103 persons.

19 November 1938 - Construction begins on a new airport serving the nation's capital, Washington, D.C. Built in nearby Virginia, this airport will become Ronald Reagan National Airport.

20 November 1953 - The first man to exceed Mach 2 is American test pilot Scott Crossfield in a Douglas D-558-2 "Skyrocket."

21 November 1783 - The first free or untethered human flight takes place when Jean Francois Pilatre de Rozier flies as high as 500 feet and travels 5 miles over Paris in a Montgolfier hot-air balloon.

22 November 1909 - Wright Company is incorporated with a capital stock of \$1,000,000. Formed to manufacture airplanes, the company's president is Wilbur Wright and his brother Orville is the vice president.

23 November 1942 - Dubbed the "Flying Flapjack," the most radical conventionally-engine aircraft ever built makes its first flight when Chance Vought test pilot, Boone T. Guyton, takes the V-173 into the air.

24 November 1944 - Eighty-eight Boeing B-29 "Superfortresses" made the first heavy bomb strike on Tokyo.

25 November 1956 - U.S. Air Force Sergeant Richard Patton makes the first successful parachute jump in Antarctica. He jumps from 1,500 feet as a test to determine the cause of parachute malfunction in sub-zero weather conditions.

26 November 1957 - A McDonnell RF-101 "Voodoo" establishes a round-trip transcontinental speed record of 6 hours 42 minutes 6.9 seconds.

27 November 1959 - The Hiller X-18 tilt-wing research transport completes its first flight at Edwards Air Force Base, California.

28-29 November 1929 - American Commander Richard Byrd and crew make the first flight over the South Pole, in a Ford 4-AT "Trimotor" monoplane, November 28-29.

29 November 1951 - The United States Air Force announces development of its first all-jet heavy bomber, the Boeing XB-52 "Stratofortress."

30 November 1949 - Aeronca Aircraft Corporation announces its 1950 Champion, the all-electric 90-hp Model 7EC, with a complete 12-volt electrical system, soundproofing, full-width rear seat, no-bounce gear and other improvements. Delivery to begin December 1, 1949.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Ads are free to any EAA member. They will run for 6 months, or until you pull them out of classified. Text or Email to johncarnett@gmail.com

For Sale – Blackhawk III single seat, open cockpit, parasol experimental airplane. Continental A65-8 engine with less than 15 hours since top overhaul and new mags. Asking \$6,500. Logs and other paperwork included.



Contact Eddie Buck: 432-559-4801



Bikes For Sale--The frame has hinges so they collapse down to about the size of the tires. Pilots might want them because you can put in back of plane. Definitely older models but in fairly good shape. We will take \$100/bike or \$150 for the set. Contact Mason Engels 281-825-8041 mengles26@yahoo.com 11/20

For Sale: NEW model 6350 Champion/Slick non impulse magneto for IO-540, \$900. Airgizmos IPAD MINI Panel Dock, \$30 OBO. NEW External Cabin Steps for the RV-6A, 7A, and 9A, Powder coated. \$80 OBO. Garmin 296 with extra antennas and mounts. 150 OBO. Contact: Bill Donahoe 936-443-6846 wbdonahoe@hotmail.com 6/20

**For Sale
1947 L-16A
(7BCM) Prime
Condition
\$27,000**



USAF SERIES

L-16A AND L-16B

AIRCRAFT



Full sale or partnership available, based
at CXO (Just off DD)

Text or Call Miles: 214-908-3320; email
milo_4545@yahoo.com

Continental C-85-8FJ - 85 HP;
209 SMOH

Airframe TT 3,049, Annual
May 2020

Sigtronics Transcom II - 2
Place Intercom, External
Antenna, ICOM IC-A22
Dolly, and other accessories
included

Well Maintained, Hangered,
Regularly Flown

The November meeting will be held at “The Landing” (aka Phyliss’s and Eddie’s house) on Monday November 16th @ 6:00 PM. Food will be served.

Off Loop 250 turn north on Elkins Rd (CR1150) 1.1 miles to the Water Runners sign, turn right to the end of the road and parking lot at The Landing.

