# JUST PLANE NEWS ...

EAA Chapter 1236 Newsletter July, August 2023

### SAVE THE DATES

AUGUST 12TH (Saturday) Chapter Mtg: 9:00 donuts/coffee; 10:00 mtg; Carlile's Hangar: 15720 SE 175th ST Weirsdale

AUGUST 17TH (Thursday). IMC/VMC mtg. 7:00pm Carlile's Pilots Lounge

SEPTEMBER 9TH (Saturday). Next month's Chapter mtg. -9:00am donuts; 10:00 mtg.

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#### **KEEP IN TOUCH**

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# What's Happening at the next Chapter meeting - August 12th

Join us at 9:00AM for coffee/donuts and 10:00 meeting. Our own Chapter member, Craig Ritson, will present his experiences and lessons learned test flying seven experimental aircraft. Weather permitting, he will be bringing an aircraft or two to the meeting. . .One such aircraft we might be able to see is an RV-8, another one of John Stahr's

masterpieces.



## Looking for OSHKOSH 2023 Photos and/OR Stories!

Please share your experiences through photos (and captions or short stories) of your visit to OSHKOSH this past month. I'd like to share them in the September newsletter. janette.g.carlile@gmail.com



Chapter members, the Angell's & Tripp's campsite at Oshkosh this year.



Tricia Angell volunteered in the Jr. Ranger booth, handing out aviation, fishing, railroad, & space activity books.

#### WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST CHAPTER MEMBERS

#### JUNE 2023:

Christopher & Mary Theresa Morris Bill & Jolene Near

<u>JULY 2023</u> Mike & Chris Cole



HEADS UP 2023 CHAPTER DUES WILL BE <u>COLLECTED AT THE</u> AUGUST 12TH MEETING

\$15 for individual,\$20 for Family80+ years young? Honorarymember FREE

### CAN'T MAKE THE MEETING TO PAY?

Please make your check out to "EAA Chapter 1236" and mail to Tricia Angell 17921 SE 158th Ct. Weirsdale, Fl 32195

# Linda Sollars, Aviation Pioneer, shared her life experiences at the June Chapter Meeting

Linda Sollars, a Jet Blue pilot & world traveler, spoke to a nearly packed hangar at the June Chapter meeting. She flew in with her High Wing Sling aircraft. She built it in South Africa and flew 9,000 miles to Oshkosh 2022 last year. If you want to keep up with all of Linda's aviation experiences, follow her on Facebook. (Linda Langenfeld Sollars) She is a remarkable woman who has forged many paths in aviation.



Linda Sollars sharing her experiences...





Linda and her High Wing Sling



John Carlile, Linda & Bob Kircher, a fellow Jet Blue pilot

# But Wait... there was more after the June Chapter Meeting. . .

After the June Chapter meeting was over, nearly 40 chapter members walked over (or drove) to Steve Wolf's hangar at Love's Landing to see first hand the progress he's made on the P-47 (65% replica). He was in the process of making wings.









## Chapter member, Kevin "KO" Oliver, shares the Flight Journey of his 1938 DeHaviland at July's Chapter meeting...

Kevin Oliver had quite the adventure flying his 1938 DeHaviland TigerMoth from northern Indiana to Love's Landing in Florida. He arrived safely, of course, but the DeHaviland being an 85 year old aircraft, one had to be ready for anything.





Special Thanks to Kevin for his great presentation...

### New Chapter T-shirts Now Available

Thanks to our Chapter Secretary, Ana Kircher, we now have new Chapter T-shirts. We have mens and ladies styles; sizes Sm to 3X. Multiple color choices and a choice of two aviation quotes on the back of the shirt. <u>All shirts are priced at \$25</u>. Orders will be taken at the meeting. There are multiple size samples that can be tried on. We also have stocked up on the every popular "better than Yeti" Chapter mugs - great for ice cold or hot beverages. \$20 each. Multiple colors available. \$5 of each T-shirt or mug sale goes into the young aviator/mechanic donation fund.



Men's style, crew neck Multiple colors & sizes available



Ladies' style, V neck, Multiple colors & sizes available



Quote choice 1 (located on back of shirt) "Life Without Flying is just Plane Grounded"



Quote choice 2 (located on back of shirt) "Until You Spread Your Wings, You Have No Idea How Far You Will Fly"



# TOYS IN THE TOY BOX

We are featuring Kevin "KO" Oliver's newest "Toy" ... a 1938 DeHaviland TigerMoth. Kevin picked it up in Indiana and flew it back with his wife, Dara, driving their RV as the "chase" vehicle.

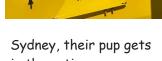


Kevin upon arriving at Love's Landing



Kevin & Dara Oliver







# Looking for Toy Box Submissions...

Want to share a photo or two of the toys ALREADY in YOUR Toy Box? OR maybe you acquired a new toy? Working on a fixer upper? Ideally, you might have a pic of yourself next to your Toy? Send pics and information to janette.g.carlile@gmail.com

# John Stahr's Customized Aviation "Aloha" Style Shirt now available at Pilot Quarters...Here's how

Website: <u>http://pilotquarters.com</u>

Search by State, (Southeast Florida)

Find "Loves Landing Flyby" (John Stahr's Customized Shirt) There are 3 pages of various Florida chart shirts



" I WAS Your Pilot..."



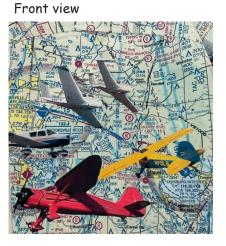
John Stahr unveiling the Loves Landing FlyBy shirt - sold only on Pilot Quarters website.



Arrow shows Loves Landing on chart



John Stahr, Chapter member, designed this shirt using many chapter members' aircraft. We are not taking orders. If you'd like to order one, you do it directly on the website. Easy peasy



Detail left sleeve

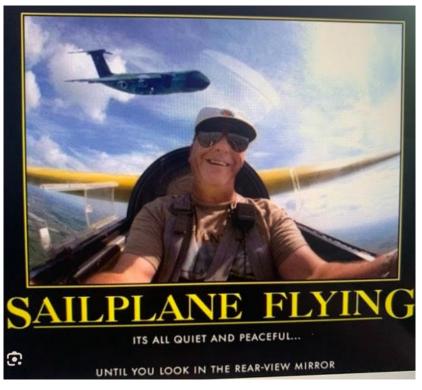


Detail right sleeve

### Need a Chapter Nametag?

Nametags are being made for the new members...BUT if you never got one, or it broke, or lost one (I mean REALLY lost as opposed to misplaced) let Janette know at the next meeting OR email: janette.g.carlile@gmail.com

BTW- new name tags are also kept on the magnetic nametag "parking lot" next to the membership photo wall in the Carlile's hangar.



"SAILPLANE FLYING: It's all quiet and peaceful...until you look in the rear-view mirror"

# Working on Your Pilot's License? A New Rating? Tell us about it...

janette.g.carlile@gmail.com Send your info and a maybe photo of you "in action".

## September 9th is GIRLS AVIATION DAY

I'm looking for photos and stories of Women Pilots in our Chapter to be featured in the September Chapter newsletter. Please send photos and/or stories of the early years of your flying days. Maybe you aren't actively flying now, but you got your license and had many adventures. Send those pics with information to:

#### janette.g.carlile@gmail.com

## ALERT! ALERT! We REALLY need your help in finding speakers for future meetings. . .

Maybe you have been to other aviation oriented clubs & organizations? We are looking for good speakers for 20-30min(max) presentations that our membership would enjoy. OR <u>maybe you know of someone (or</u> <u>yourself)</u> who has an interesting aviation story to tell? Please email Bruce Cynamon with names and contact info:

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