

September 2022 #9



Tale Spinner

EAA CHAPTER 135



### Dues Due January 1!

12 month annual dues are \$20  
1 Jan 2022 through 31 Dec 2022  
Payable to Stuart Rauh  
1717 East Thornton  
Des Moines, IA 50320  
or online:  
<http://135.eeachapter.org>



**Saturday, Sep. 10, 2022**  
**Fly in - Drive In**  
**Nash Field Indianola**  
**A J's Hanger**  
**4:00 Business Meeting**  
**5:00 Cookout/Potluck**

## President's Ramblings

Here we are in the ninth month of 2022. This means a couple things - Oshkosh is now a memory, remember all those vendors in the commercial buildings at Oshkosh where you signed up for a gutter estimate or the ladder that you can position any which way hoping to win something. Those sales people are now busy cold calling all those names they received so you guessed it I now have new gutters and a weird ladder thing. No, I'm just kidding. You did chuckle, right, at my attempt at humor.

July was a rather busy month for me personally hiking in the Rocky Mountains - then Oshkosh. After Oshkosh, I went on a six day rotation in the jet, sure felt good to get back at doing something I love doing. However, all the running around delayed progress on my Rans S-21 project. Fortunately, I'm back as they say in hockey when all players are back on the ice "Full Strength" I'm now building flaps and ailerons then I'll move back to closing up the wing. I paused on the wing due to flaps and ailerons needing to be completed then fit on the wing to check the gap seal. The plans are clear although order of build should be four pages sooner. Lol - Part of building is not just research and development but search and discovery as I hunted for a couple days looking for a tube with the proper O.D. to roll the top skin on the aforementioned parts. Found, done, moving on.

Many thanks to the scholarship team for all the hours they have donated toward the development of this chapter program. We do have two scholarship recipients: Kaj Robinson - this

scholarship will be applied to continue pilot training Isaiah Ellis - scholarship applied toward AP through central campus. Pictures added with bios for each when the committee along with recipients get together. Be sure to extend congratulations to both recipients. Speaking of donating time to a cause, I'd like to take a moment to mention the hours chapter members of this chapter provided to AirVenture this year. Here are the numbers with six chapter members volunteering a total 260 hours. I realize there are other chapters that exceed this and other chapters that may not participate at AirVenture period. I felt it was something for me to keep track of and share with you. Re-Election of officers and most board members is in October. I'll have a comprehensive list in next month's newsletter of who's position is up at the end of 2022. If you're interested in staying on the board, great, it's appreciated or if you're a member and want to help keep this chapter moving forward feel free to let me know.

September meeting (rain or shine) Flyout/cookout will be at Nashfield in my hangar - business meeting at 4:00pm, the regular membership meeting at 5:00 pm with a cookout - bring something to share - burgers/hotdogs/H2O provided - Check out my project as well. Also, the Iowa vs Iowa State game is at 3:00 on BTN this year so viewing the game at the hangar is not an option.

Till next time blue skies and tailwinds AJ

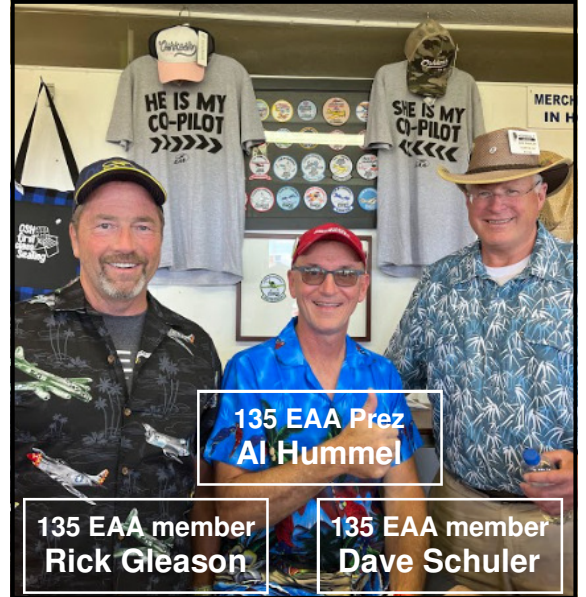
# OSHKOSH 2022

photos thanks to Al Hummel



A couple of slackers relaxing in the chairs we made

Hawaiian shirt day



135 EAA Prez  
Al Hummel

135 EAA member  
Rick Gleason

135 EAA member  
Dave Schuler

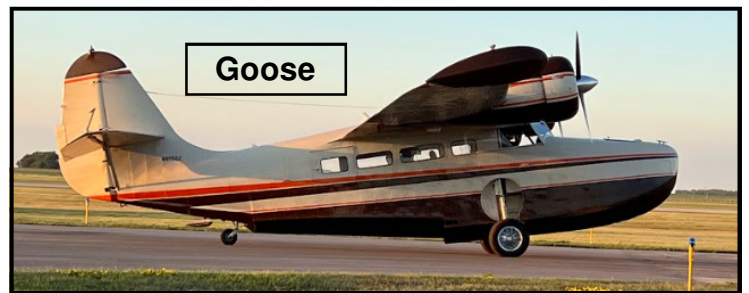


EAA member  
Jacob Greenfield

Pancakes on the  
grill



Our Chapter  
Sign



Goose



U2 low pass





**After the August meeting/  
sweet corn feed at Roger &  
Janet Stewart's field, Brant  
Hollensbe hand-propped  
Rodney Kubik's Luscombe**



**Dave and Marc attended a send-off for Grace who has been  
working at the Boone Airport. Grace now heads to Arizona to  
attend Embry Riddle University to further her aviation career.**



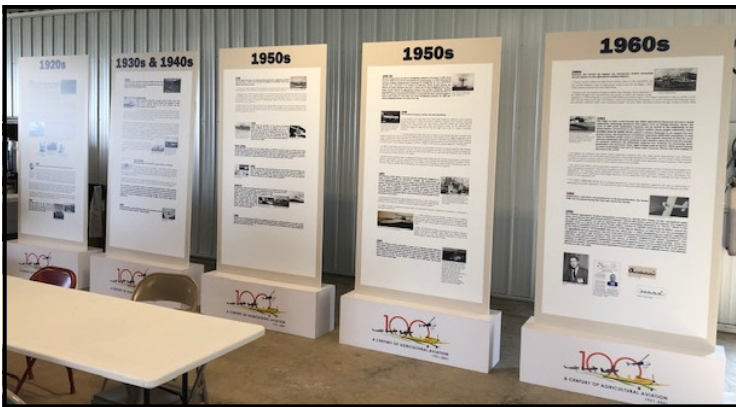




**FOGZ (Flying Old Geezers)  
in Knoxville August 24th**



**Dave Kalwishky, with a friend, and Marc Broer flew to the Greenfield Flight Breakfast, August 27th, which was followed by a presentation inducting Connie Younger into the Iowa Aviation Hall of Fame.**





# Young Eagles



Garry Brandenburg prepares to take Chloe Wyatt for a short flight during Friday's Young Eagles Rally at the Eldora Airport. (Stephanie McManus photos)



A plane makes a soft landing on the grass airstrip at the Eldora Airport during Friday's Young Eagles Rally.



Homes, parks and city buildings look small in this photo taken from thousands of feet above Eldora Friday.

## Eva Kies

Eva Kies peeks out the window of a small plane during the Young Eagles Rally at the Eldora Airport Friday.



**Deadlines**  
Classified/Display  
Advertisements & Legals  
**NOON THURSDAY**  
Submitted News Stories  
**5 P.M. THURSDAY**

**Forecast**

	WED. <b>81°/65°</b> Chance of Rain
	THURS. <b>79°/62°</b> Partly Sunny
	FRI. <b>80°/58°</b> Sunny



Wes McComb is a former EAA Chapter 135 member

Pilot Wes McComb gives Dawson Kies a quick flight lesson during Friday's Young Eagles Rally at the Eldora Airport.



This aerial photo, taken during Friday's Young Eagles Rally, shows Pine Lake State Park and surrounding areas.

Gary Brandenburg, of Chapter 675 Marshalltown, conducting a Young Eagles Rally at the Eldora airport for the Pine Lake Festival. Four kids and one newspaper reporter were flown. Article from the Eldora Herald Ledger



## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

### Carroll Iowa Airport (CIN)

Flight Breakfast

7 a.m. – noon

Free to pilots and fly-in passengers

712-792-4980 (Don Mensen- Carroll Aviation)

Email: [don@carrollaviation.com](mailto:don@carrollaviation.com)

### Webster City Municipal Airport (EBS)

Fly-in breakfast

7 a.m. – noon

Mark Gillette

515-835-0287

Email: [mgillette056@gmail.com](mailto:mgillette056@gmail.com)

### New Ulm, Minnesota Airport (ULM)

Fly-in breakfast

Fly-in pilots eat free

7 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

507-276-8805 (Glen Setterholm)

Email: [gcsetter@newulmtel.net](mailto:gcsetter@newulmtel.net)

Website: [www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/newulmmn/](http://www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/newulmmn/)

### Green Castle Airport (IA24)

Antique airplane fly-in lunch

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Rain date: September 18

319-981-5219 (Mike Mango)

Email: [michaelwmango@gmail.com](mailto:michaelwmango@gmail.com)

Website: [www.eventbrite.com/e/green-castle-antique-tickets-391944666047](http://www.eventbrite.com/e/green-castle-antique-tickets-391944666047)

### Algona Municipal Airport (AXA)

Flight breakfast

7 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Fly-in pilots eat free

515-295-3686 (Greg Mullins)

Email: [gregmullins@netamumail.com](mailto:gregmullins@netamumail.com)

Website: [www.algonarotary.org](http://www.algonarotary.org)

## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

### Martin Field Airport (7K8) South Sioux City, NE

Fly-in breakfast

PICs eat free

7:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

712-490-0324 (Rick Alter)

Email: [rick.alterii@gmail.com](mailto:rick.alterii@gmail.com)

## WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

### Council Bluffs Municipal Airport (CBF)

Great Plains Wing CAF Flight Cookout

Cookout: 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

402-981-4633 (Jeff Hutcheson)

Email: [jeffhutcheson3@gmail.com](mailto:jeffhutcheson3@gmail.com)

## SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

### Chariton Municipal Airport (CNC)

Fly-in Breakfast

8 a.m. – 11 a.m.

PIC and passengers eat free

641-203-9744 (Nathan Alexander)

[friendsofcnc@yahoo.com](mailto:friendsofcnc@yahoo.com)

## OCTOBER 2022

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8

### Boone Municipal Airport (BNW)

Chili Feed Fly-in

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Pilots-in-command eat free

515-291-5094 (Dale Farnham)

Email: [defarnham@msn.com](mailto:defarnham@msn.com)

Website: [www.farnhamaviation.com](http://www.farnhamaviation.com)

Do you need a specialty tool and don't have it or it's too expensive for a one time use - check out Chapter 135 TOOL CRIB.

Establishing a tool crib for those that are building or need a special tool for a specific job or project.

If you have a tool you're not using and wish to share with fellow members just submit a photo so we can list it on our web page for the members to view. Next the member would contact you directly or through the chapter web page, borrow and return when complete. Current items available to members only:

- Flatbed trailer 20 to 24 feet in length
- Engine Hoist this is the crane style lift
- Pneumatic squeezer
- Set of scales are available to members & non members to rent.

EAA Chapter 135 is establishing a Tool Crib (network) to all members in good standing, which means you are in good standing with your Chapter 135 membership. If you are not, please go to the website and submit your dues to EAA Chapter 135. Once your dues are paid for the year, then you will be able to check-out items from the Tool Crib. Also, forms are available to track the tool loaned out so we can remember who has it.

## Scales Rental Info

All scale rentals require check for \$200.00 deposit. This will be returned, uncashed, upon timely return of the scale.

Rentals are for three days. This may be extended for three additional days at no charge if there are no other conflicting requests for their use, with notification by phone. Otherwise, a late fee of \$100.00 per day applies.

Chapter 135 (must be a member 3 months prior to rental date): . . . \$25.00/3days

National EAA member but not Chapter 135 member . . . . . \$75.00/3days

A&P or FBO rate . . . . \$125.00/3days

Copy of rental agreement available by email by contacting Stuart Rauh at [stuart@rauhnet.com](mailto:stuart@rauhnet.com)

## Chapter 135 Officers 2022

President: Al Hummel

Vice President: Dave Schuler

Treasurer: Stuart Rauh..... [stuart@rauhnet.com](mailto:stuart@rauhnet.com)

Secretary: Marc Broer

Newsletter Coordinator: Marc Broer

Young Eagles Coordinators: Alan Core & Adam Obrecht

### Board:

Ralph Briggs      Mike Graber      Paul Reinke      Jacob Greenfield

Brant Hollensbe      Quinn Fairchild      Ryan Rosa      Roger Stewart

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and run 1 January 2022 through  
31 December 2022.

Name:

EAA No.:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

Our new bylaws move our fiscal year to Jan. 1, so the dues that are due June 30th will be for \$10.00,  
Then \$20.00 dues will be due Jan. 1, 2020

**LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE \$200.00** You must be a member of the National EAA

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