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News



Next Chapter Meeting ✦ Saturday, January 12, 2019

Bob from Stuart Iowa will present a history program on Carl Doodie who built and flew gliders in 1907

President's Ramblings
By AJ Hummel - January 2019

Happy New Year to all of us! Looking forward makes a person/pilot think, what will this year have in store. Thinking in terms of pilot type stuff, hummm perhaps adding an additional rating to your certificate or planning a cross country trip that you have always wanted to take. Don't wait too long for that trip or adventure by air cause life's short. Do it and don't regret it.

December 7, 2018 was the chapter Christmas party at Smokey D's and yours truly was the host or chairperson. I would have enjoyed seeing more members participate in this event. Still, the turnout of members and their significant other totaled eighteen. The bell game is

always fun, though I tend to say the "NO" word fairly quickly and lose my bell to those who are on a mission.....lol. Gift exchange was something different with food themed items verses gender based gift items as in the past. This breathed new life into our gift exchange; still the same rules applied leading to gifts being released from their original owner and ending up in the hands of another member, or you might know this as stealing of gifts. We have pictures to prove this as well.



I had several inquiries at the Christmas party regarding the tie I was wearing. I purchased it as Oshkosh from a

company called Chart it All.

<https://www.chartitall.com/>

This is their web page. You can also find them on FaceBook and Instagram. I first read about this young man's idea which intrigued me to see a young person that was focused on creating an avenue to produce revenue to support a dream. Very cool - true entrepreneurial spirit. Way to go Trevor. Great product too!

Lastly, I believe each of us has a responsibility to the aviation community to give back in some way. So I invite you to step up to

the challenges which face our little chapter and be a part of the solution as we work together to make 2019 one of the best. Please feel free to attend the business meetings before our regular monthly meeting or reach out to me or any board member with ideas.

Till next month - Blue Skies and Tailwinds!

AJ

The February program is Dick Hosteller presenting a program on hang gliding

A boy's dream

an aeronautical chart and a bit of creative magic united to create Chart it All.

Trevor Simoneau was 11 when he had an idea: Finance college at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University by designing custom shirts printed with aeronautical charts. Trevor is 14 now and an honors student at DeLand High School. He's president of Aviation Explorers Post 747 and reports aviation news for Sun 'n Fun Radio.

His family business offers distinctive clothing and gifts printed with your choice of sectional charts.

Your purchase goes a long way to fuel Trevor's dream.

chartitall.com



If anyone has been flying anywhere, or building anything, please send pictures or stories for the newsletter. I would appreciate anything newsworthy.
- Marc

**Photographs from the
December EAA Christmas
Party at Smokey D's**
Thanks to Al Hummel



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12 month annual dues will be \$20
and run 1 January through
31 December 2019.

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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, 2019

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

All scale rentals require check for \$200.deposit (Will be returned, uncashed, upon timely scale return).

Three day rentals. May be extended for thee additional days at no charge, if there are no other conflicting requests for their use, with notification by phone. Otherwise late fee of \$100 per day applies.

Chapter 135 members (must be member 3 months prior to rental date.) \$25.00 for 3 days

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

A&P or FBO rate \$125.00 for 3 days

Copy of rental agreement available by fax or email by calling Craig Martin at 515250-3124 or emal to cmartindsm@gmail.com

Scales are kept at Wisecup Willow Aviation (Craig Martin) Nash Field, Indianola.