EAA Chapter 1445

Meeting Minutes

June 19, 2021

The regular monthly meeting of EAA Chapter 1445 was held June 19, 2021 at Chandler Airport terminal building conference room. The meeting was called to order by President, Kelly McMullen at 10AM. We welcomed new members, guests and the whole chapter after not meeting since February 2020 due to the Corona virus pandemic.

Upcoming meetings/programs/events:

September 18, 2021 – 10AM, Chapter meeting at Chandler Airport terminal building conference room.

Treasury: current amount as of May 31, 2021 is \$4525.84

Secretary: Chapter renewal dues, Corporation Commission and IRS 990N tax exempt forms have been filed for 2021. New member name badges ready for members to pick up.

News:

Mark Weiss gave update that Copperstate 2022 is a go, February 17-20 at Buckeye airport. Hope to have STOLdrags.

Discussion on Experimental Aircraft Flight Training changes.

Reviewed Notams for Airventure arrivals. Check EAA website to download Notams. Discussion on Approaches to Airventure and new waypoints.

Builder Updates great flights, builder hints:

Mike Still - Glastar project. Hopes to be done by this fall.

Cecil Orozco – Kitfox Supersport – 10 years in the making, first flight this spring, now 80 hours on it. Thanked chapter members for invaluable help including a "hat,s off" to Scott Todd.

Chris Collins – Velocity – first flight was in late spring

Scott Todd – Onex project is ready for DAR. Visit hangar B4 to check it out. Also doing lots of training and loves to do flight reviews.

Don Daubert – Garmin autopilot installed in Cherokee 6. Fixed cracked skin issue near wing spar.

Mike Berry – Flut-R-Bug – incident at Ak Chin with 29 mph wind, blew left wingtip on ground, blew canopy open and bent it.

Kyle Matthews – RV7A, ran over FOD at Lake Havasu and damaged front tire

John Wiltberger - Building Bearhawk. Sold Cherokee and bought Cessna Skylane 182

Scott Williamson – toured North Dakota last year in Bearhawk. Stopped at 89 airports in 10 days, the most was 17 in one day

Dave Legas – flying the Saberlliner. 180 working great.

Tom Macdonald – working on RV6, and 1946 C120

Gary DeHoff - Glastar working fine

John Cooke - reviewed his homebuilt building days and his career sellling Diamond and Lancair aircraft

Ken Morris – bought 1979 Turbo charged Bonanza which he called a money pit

Pete Dooley – flies a Mooney. Sold RV8 that he built.

Hank Capel - Working on RV7A and flying RV6A and Citation.

Chuck Buchholz – Pitts project, working on wood leading edges

The meeting adjourned at 11:30 AM at which point we socialized and had pizza and ice cream.

There were 23 people in attendance.